

FRIDAY 24 MARCH 2023

**RANUI PRIMARY SCHOOL
NEWSLETTER**

Kia Ora Whānau,
Aroha mai, aroha atu



Our focus for the last two weeks has been on creating a HARMONIOUS (Mahitahi) environment so that our tamariki can learn and grow. At assembly this week some of our tamariki were acknowledged for their efforts of promoting harmony in their classrooms.

NZEI Teacher and Principal Strike

Thank you all for being supportive of our hard working teachers through the strike.

Whanau Conversations

Just a reminder that Whanau Conversations are on;

Wednesday 5th April– 9am to 7:15pm

Thursday 6th April - 9am to 3:30pm

Please mark these days on your calendar because on these two days the whānau conversations are scheduled throughout the school day. Rānui Primary School will only be open for you and your own child/ren at the confirmed scheduled time during these days.

Teacher Only Day - 24th April

Rānui School has a Teacher Only Day on Monday 24th April. This day will give our staff the time to develop their skills and knowledge to become better teachers. Term 2 will start on Wednesday the 26th April because ANZAC Day is on Tuesday 25th April.



Attendance at Rānui School

Our attendance goal is 95%.

There is only two weeks to go until the end of the term.

For the last two weeks we

have had an overall percentage of **87%**.



We finish Term 1 on Thursday the 6th April. Please keep bringing your tamariki to school daily.

If your child is away please let the office know. You can do this by...

- Replying to the school text
- Phoning the school on 833-6286
- Sending a note to school with another family member or when your child returns to school.

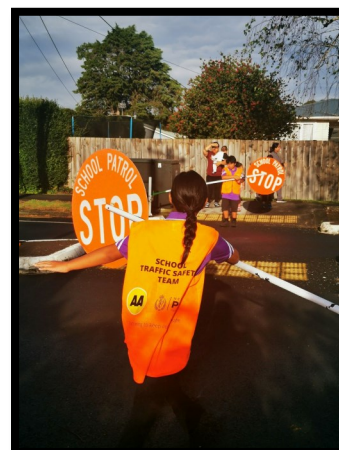
Public Health Nurse

Every Friday morning you will see our Public Health Nurse, Jenny Morris at school. If your child/ children need to get any health advice feel free to pop in and see her.



Road Patrollers

Yayyyy, we have Road Patrollers out on duty. Being a Road Patroller helps our tamariki to gain a sense of responsibility for our school and community. They are still in the early stages and trying hard. Please help them by not parking on the yellow lines as this blocks their vision.





My Hero

My hero is my dad because he loves me alot with his heart. I love him, the day he passed my heart was breaking but forever he will be my dad. He gives me everything. I love him but he's always in my heart and I love my mum too.

By Peter Kake Kāhu 1

The Baby Polar Bear

I saw a cave and walked towards it. The cave looked like an icy palace. I tiptoed into the cave. Suddenly the polar bear woke up. I heard his footsteps coming towards me. I was silent and hid behind a log then his footsteps stopped. I crept out and found a baby polar bear.



Dakota Dovey-Smith Kāhu 2



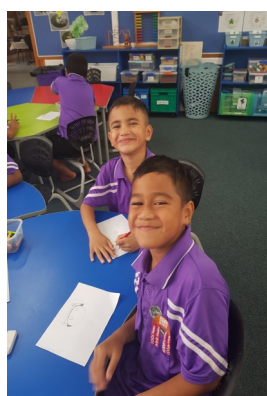
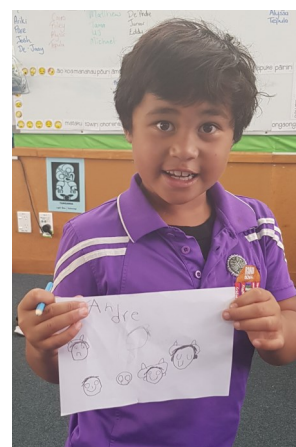
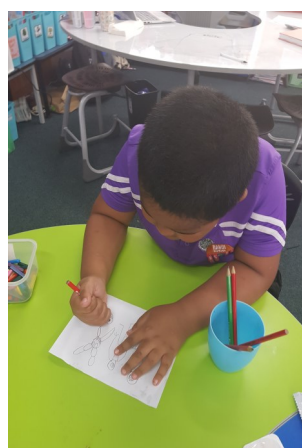
"Attention all students and parents! We are excited to announce that the MegaLand inflatable obstacle course will be at Mt smart stadium this Easter holidays 7th- 13th This Giant 345 meter, colourful and challenging inflatable obstacle course will provide hours of fun and excitement for all ages.

Don't miss out on this exciting opportunity to enjoy MegaLand inflatable obstacle course with your friends and family this Easter, We can't wait to see yo



Kēreru 1

Kēreru 1 has been very creative drawing pictures on 'How am I Feeling'. This is part of our Mana Ora.

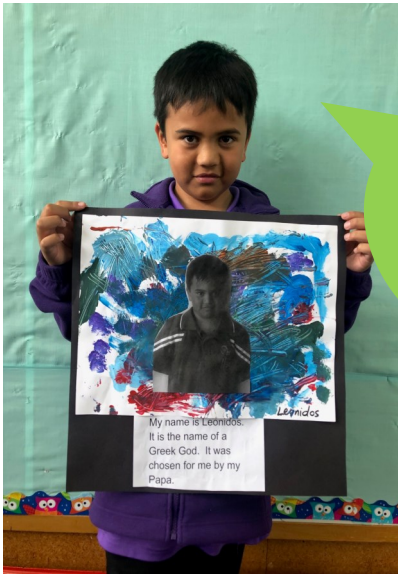


We are happy to have your children wait in the office after school if you are going to be late, but we are only here until 3.30pm. If you are going to be longer than that we suggest you make other arrangements. We

have an after school care 'Dynamix' which picks your children up after school and takes them to Starling Park, ask in the office for a card with their number on it. Thank you

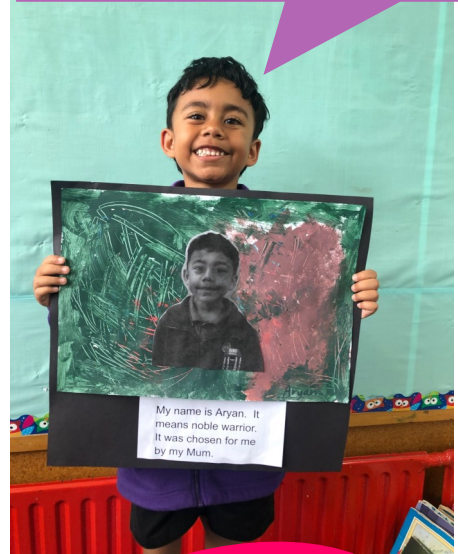
Kereru 4

Our Stories - this week we have been writing about our names. What they mean and who named us.



My name is Leonidos. It is the name of a Greek God. It was chosen for me by my Papa.

My name is Aryan. It means noble warrior. It was chosen for me by my Mum.

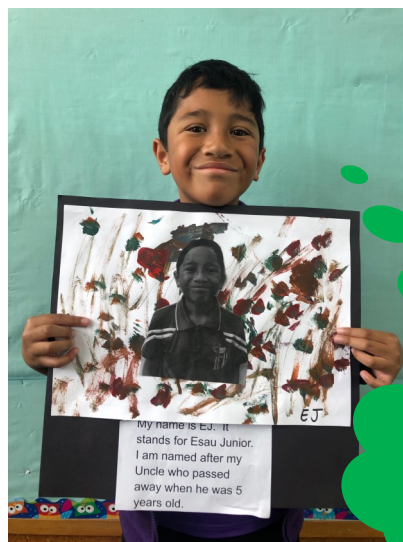
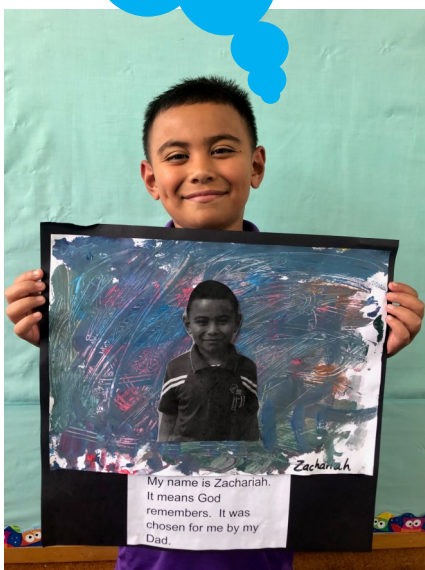


My name is Jacinta. It means beautiful flower. It was chosen for me by my Mum.



My name is Angela. It means beautiful angel. It was chosen for me by my Mum and Dad

My name is Zachariah. It means God remembers. It was chosen for me by my Dad.



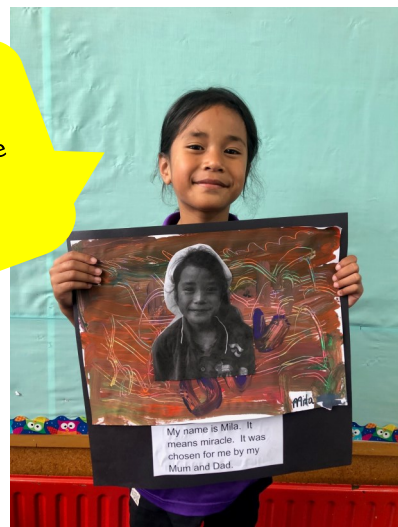
My name is EJ. It stands for Esau Junior. I am named after my uncle who passed away when he was 5 years old.





My name is Uriah. It means light of God. It was chosen for me by my Mum.

My name is Mila. It means miracle. It was chosen for me by my Mum and Dad.



My name is Karter. It was chosen for me by my Mum because she liked the name.

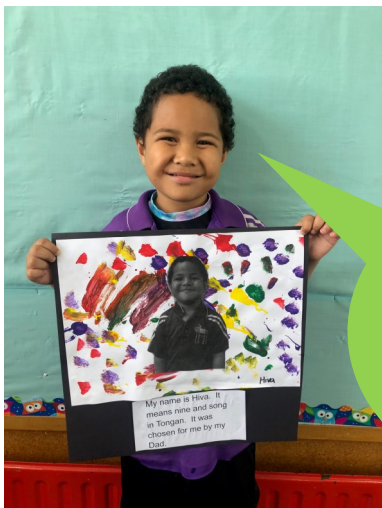


My name is Ezikaia. It means to always take it easy. It was chosen for me by my Dad.



My name is Kalani-Jay. It means the heavens. It was chosen for me by my Mum.

My name is Arthur. It means strong as a bear. It was chosen for me by my Mum.



My name is Hiva. It means nine and song in Tongan. It was chosen for me by my Dad.



Learning in the Digital World

DATE: 13.03.2023

Keeping up with... Twk 3

WHAT WE DID

- RECAPPED DIGITAL CITIZENSHIP
- CODED WITH BEEBOTS ONLINE AND OFFLINE
- LEARNT ABOUT CYBERBULLYING AND WHY IT IS IMPORTANT

QUESTIONS TO ASK:

1. WHAT IS CYBERBULLYING?
2. WHAT CAN YOU DO IF YOU OR SOMEONE YOU KNOW IS BEING CYBERBULLIED?

GOAL FOR THE DAY:

UNDERSTAND WHAT CYBERBULLYING IS AND THE IMPORTANCE OF KNOWING WHAT TO DO IF WE SEE IT



DATE: 14.03.2023

Keeping up with... Kererū 4

WHAT WE DID

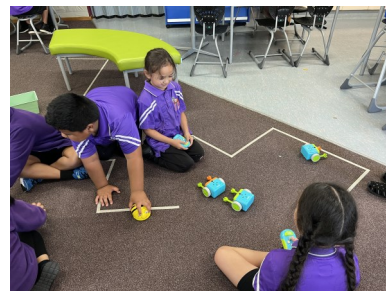
- LEARNT ABOUT DIGITAL CITIZENSHIP AND HOW TO STAY SAFE ON THE INTERNET
- SORT OUT DEVICES THAT WERE DIGITAL AND NON-DIGITAL
- CODING WITH THE BEEBOTS AND BOTLEYS
- STARTED OUR ARTWORK ABOUT OUR PEPEHA

QUESTIONS TO ASK:

1. HOW CAN WE GO ON THE INTERNET?
2. WHY DON'T WE SHARE PASSWORDS?
3. HOW DO WE STAY SAFE WHEN USING A DEVICE?

GOAL FOR THE DAY:

LEARN WHAT IS A GOOD DIGITAL CITIZEN



DATE: 15.03.2023

Keeping up with... Kāhy 3

WHAT WE LEARN

- WHAT DIGITAL CITIZENSHIP IS
- WHAT IS A DIGITAL FOOTPRINT
- CREATING POSTERS USING CANVA
- CODING USING THE SPHERO INDY
- WHAT CYBERBULLYING IS AND STARTED TO CREATE A VISUAL TO PREVENT CYBERBULLYING

QUESTIONS TO ASK:

1. WHAT CAN YOU DO TO STAY SAFE WHILE ONLINE
2. WHAT IS YOUR DIGITAL FOOTPRINT?
3. WHAT CAN YOU DO IF YOU OR SOMEONE IS BEING CYBERBULLIED?

GOAL FOR THE DAY:

UNDERSTAND THE IMPORTANCE OF DIGITAL CITIZENSHIP AND CYBERBULLYING, AND HOW WE CAN STAY SAFE ONLINE



Tuhituhi 1

Writing Group

(Tūri 3) Task: Write to tell us how the people in your Fan Club show they love you.

Ropeta's Fan Club

My mum always picks me up after school.

My sister makes Tik Toks and I do silly stuff to distract her.



Hola's Fan Club

I know my dad loves me because he shows me by giving me a lolly and love. My mum Erana shows she adores me because sometimes my Aunty picks her up and drives all the way from Tauranga to visit me.



Legend's Fan Club

I know my mum loves me because when I go to school she says, "Bye. I love you."



Junior's Fan Club

I know my parents love me because they always take us to the park and always buy us anything.



William's Fan Club

My godmother is in my fan club because she lets me do anything I want, when I want.



Sandy-Marley's Fan Club

My mum puts my blanket on top of me.





HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

HP Casual 06:45 a.m. - 06:00 p.m. \$70.00
 HP Full Time 06:45 a.m. - 6.00 p.m. \$80.00
 Full Payment is Required at Time of Booking
 MSD Approved. Oscar Subsidies Available

You must arrive before 8.45am on excursion days
 otherwise no care can be provided

We have a no refunds policy

Easter Eggstravaganz Tue 11 Apr Join us for a Eggcellent day celebrating all things Easter	Nerf War Wed 12 Apr Get locked & loaded we are having an all out Nerf War	Vertical Adventures Thu 13 Apr Join us for a day of rock climbing fun You must have closed shoes	Dynamix Colour Run Fri 14 Apr Come dressed in white, bring a change of clothes and a towel! We are about to get messy and bright.	Event Cinemas Mon 17 Apr We Are Off to The Movies
Hiko Tue 18 Apr Today we get back to nature, enjoy the sights and fresh air.	Epic Messy Games Wed 19 Apr Are you ready to get messy? Bring a change of clothes that's for sure	Wheels Day & Devices Thu 20 Apr Bring Your Bike, Scooter, Skateboard or Skates anything with wheels & HELMETS	Splash Out Fri 21 Apr We are Heading to the Pools! Pack Your Swim Gear, Towels, Lunch and Drink Bottle	Movies Mon 24 Apr Lets kick back, chill & watch some movies

For more information, call 022 402 5422
 or email contact@dynamixoutofschoolcare.co.nz

Book now at
www.dynamixoutofschoolcare.co.nz

Term Calendar of Events

DATE	EVENT	TIME	PLACE
30 March	Senior Swimming Sports	9.15am-2.30pm	School Pool
5 April	Whanau Conversations	9am—7.15pm	School
6 April	Whanau Conversations	9am - 3.30pm	School
6 April	Last Day of school	Whanau Conversations	



The last day for school is the 6 April 2023 and we return on the 24 April 2023.