

# Paparoa School

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**Na to mahi kaha whiwhi ai**  
**Success Through Effort**

Tena Koutou, Ki Orana, Bula and Hello Whanau

This is our last newsletter for the year!! There is a lot going on at the moment with Kapahaka practices, trips and prizegiving organisation. Please keep an eye on the app, emails and notices home.

## **Kapa haka Festival - This Saturday 30th November**

A reminder that we have a big performance this Saturday at Otamatea High School. Our school is performing at 11.00am.

The organisation is as follows: all students are to be at Paparoa School by 9.00am. We will leave Paparoa and park on the field at the High School. You will be transporting your own child/ren to the High School and will be expected to stay. If you are unable to be there, please organise transport and supervision for them. All parents will leave the students with the staff at the changing rooms where we will be getting them dressed. There are stalls etc to have a look at or go in and watch other schools performances. Once our performance is completed we will meet you at the changing rooms which are at C Block - C1. We have all the clothes they need and hair ties for the girls. They will need a drink bottle, especially if it is a hot day.

I want to take this opportunity to thank all the staff for the work they have done getting our students ready for this event. We couldn't get a tutor this year, so it has been our awesome Paparoa staff that have pulled together to create a performance I know you will enjoy. Unfortunately I won't be able to be there on the day as I will be at my son's wedding, so have a great day!

Next week, we will have more information about the Zoo trip sent home. Just a reminder that there will be no buses as all students will need to be dropped off at school extra early and then picked up extra late.

A reminder that our End of Year Prizegiving is on Wednesday 11th December. It is held at the Paparoa Hall and starts at 11.00am and is a celebration for all of our tamariki. We welcome all of our parents, caregivers and whanau to attend this wonderful event.

## **School Information**

**Text: 0218686606**

**FaceBook: Paparoa School**

**Bus Information:**

<http://song.easybus.nz>

## **School Hours**

8.30am to 2.25pm

Morning Tea: 10.30am - 11.00am

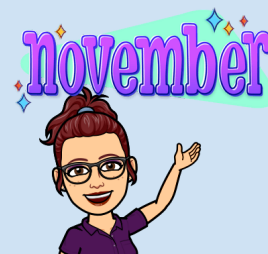
Lunch: 12.30pm - 1.10pm



<https://paparoa.schooldocs.co.nz>

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**Wednesday 27th November**

Year 6 OHS Fun Day

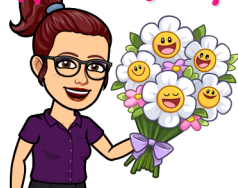
**Friday 29th November**

Junior Tabloids at Kaiwaka School

**Saturday 30th November**

Kapa Haka Festival

THANK YOU!



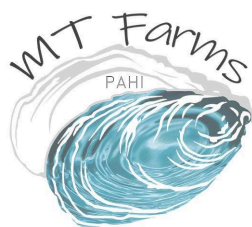
It is with great sadness that we are farewelling one of our amazing teachers, Andrea Orchard. Andrea has been working at Paparoa School over the last four years, first as a Teacher Aide and then as our Relieving teacher. Andrea has resurrected our music programme, sharing her passion for learning the ukulele and guitar with the students. She has developed musical talent and created some

amazing performances by our students in that time. We are having a small farewell for Andrea tomorrow at school from 1.45pm and she will have her final performance with the students at the Kapahaka Festival on Saturday.

We had a great athletics day, albeit a week late. A big thank you to Judy and Dave Brown who ended up coming to school twice to paint the lines on the field. Also thank you to Kirsty Colquhoun for jumping in and taking on the photographer position. We saw some excellent skills on show, especially at the high jump.

I also would like to take this opportunity to thank our **Community Sponsors** who are a collective of people that give a lot of time and sponsorship to our school. We are forever grateful for your support for our Duffy

Books, fundraising events, Pet and Show Day as well as other school events. Thank you for caring about our school!



**Bradmore Farms**  
Hames Family

For the last time in 2024!

**Nga Mihi**

**Karyn Taylor**  
Principal



**Thursday 5th December**  
Whole school trip - zoo

**Monday 9th December**  
Family Show Night

**Wednesday 11th December**  
Prizegiving 11.00am

**Thursday 12th December**  
Year 6 only trip

**Friday 13th December**  
Last day of school for students



**Tuesday 28th January** - open  
for enrolments  
**Wednesday 29th January** -  
Teacher Only Day

**Thursday 30th January**  
**2025 - School starts for**  
**all students**



Congratulations to the following students for receiving certificates at our latest Hui.

**Values Awards**

**Respect**

Room 2 - Korey Cooper

Room 3 - Esme Adkins

**Responsibility**

Room 2 - Ava Balogh

Room 3 - Mia Smith

**Resilience**

Room 2 -

Kcin Henwood-Bardsley

Room 3 - Leonie Hames

**Student of the Week**

Room 2:  
Avian Silenzio

Room 3:  
Joshua Colquhoun

Value Band  
20 clicks

**Resilience**  
Mia Smith

**Responsibility**  
Korey Cooper

Silver Certificate  
30 clicks

Shelby McLaren  
Thane Hames  
Fabita Moyes  
Margot Crompton  
Leonie Hames





