



PAPAROA SCHOOL

Na to mahi kaha whiwhi ai
Success Through Effort

11 September 2026

Newsletter 13

School Information



School App



FaceBook: Paparoa School

To enrol a student -

<https://enrolments.linc-ed.com/apply/NZ/1077>

Website: <https://www.paparoa.school>



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

Username: paparoa

Password: franklinrd

Bus Information - <http://song.easybus.nz>

School Hours

8.30am to 2.25pm

Morning Tea: 10.30am - 10.50am

Lunch: 12.30pm - 1.20pm



Paparoa Friends of the School

Private group · 17 members

UPCOMING EVENTS



Wednesday 16th September: Alternative Sports Day at Matakohe School
Thursday 24th September: Last day of Term 3
Friday 25th September: Teacher Only Day



Monday 12th: Term 4 starts
Wednesday 21st: Pet & Show Day

Tēnā Koutou, Ki Orana, Bula, and Hello Whānau,

Sickness & Staffing Update

We have been hit hard with sickness over the last couple of weeks. Staff absences have made things particularly challenging, and we came very close to closing due to the difficulty in securing relief teachers. Fortunately, our wonderful team rallied together, and we have managed to navigate through the worst of it. The illness going around is severe, so please keep your children home if they are showing any symptoms. This helps protect our staff and allows us to keep school open and learning on track.

Alternative Sports Day | Wednesday 16th September Next Wednesday, our students are heading to Matakohē School for an Alternative Sports Day run by Sport Northland. Children will get the chance to try out a variety of unique sports, including Pétanque and volleyball. It promises to be a fantastic event!

- **Permission:** Please log into the **Hero App** and check the **Calendar** to submit your permission for your child to attend.

Pet & Show Day Preparation Organisation is officially underway for our upcoming Pet and Show Day, including planning for our indoor exhibits.

- **Lambs & Calves:** If your child plans to show a lamb or calf, please see Jane in the office to collect a registration form and the essential "Do's and Don'ts" guide for the day.
- **Programme:** A detailed event programme will be sent home during the upcoming school holidays.

Kaipara Basketball (Years 4–6) There is an exciting tournament happening in Term 4 for our keen basketballers! If we have enough interest from students who want to participate, we will organise teams to enter.

- **Permission & Options:** Please go to the **Calendar** on the **Hero App** to register your child's interest. You can select whether your child would prefer to play in Dargaville or Mangawhai.
- **Coaches Needed:** We will also need parent coaches to help support our teams. If you are interested in coaching, please let us know when filling out the form or contact the office!

Farewell & Thank You to Whaea Kayley We would like to extend a heartfelt thank you to Whaea Kayley, who completes her final practicum with us today! Over the last eight weeks, she has been a wonderful addition to our school, bringing so much energy, care, and dedication to supporting our tamariki. We have loved having her as part of our little team and are so grateful for all her hard work.

Congratulations on completing your practicum, Whaea Kayley—we wish you all the very best as you prepare to graduate at the end of the year!

Teacher Only Day & End of Term Reminders

- **Teacher Only Day:** A quick reminder that **Friday 25th September** is a **Teacher Only Day**, so school will be closed for students.
- **End of Term 3:** School finishes for Term 3 on **Thursday 24th September**.
- **Final Hui:** We will hold our final hui for the term on **Thursday 24th September** at **1:45 pm**.
- **Term 4 Start:** School reopens for Term 4 on **Monday 12th October**.

ONLY TWO WEEKS TO GO!!

Nga Mihi

Karyn Taylor
Principal

FUNDRAISER - HONEY FOR SALE
400gms @ \$10



All feedback we have had is that the honey is amazingly yummy!
It is worth a try!



Kaipara District Council

**DONATIONS
REQUIRED**



**ANY BEDDING
FOR OUR
HOMELESS
DOGS &
PUPPIES**



Please drop off at school



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

Values Awards

Respect

Room 1 - Mia
Room 2 - Grace H
Room 3 - Quincy

Responsibility

Room 1 - Fabita
Room 2 - Tāne
Room 3 - Ataahua

Resilience

Room 1 - Frankie
Room 2 - Tanisha
Room 3 - Maia

Student of the Week

Room 1: Margot

Room 2: James

Room 3: Lucian

10 clicks

Maia
Frankie
Hazel

Bronze
Certificate
15 clicks

Hunter

Values Band
Certificate
20 clicks

Responsibility

Nikki
Joshua
Avian
Chloe

Resilience

Thane
Tāne
Tanisha
Khasha
Beckett

Respect

Albert
Quincy
Billie

Silver
Certificate
30 clicks

Parker
Braytin
Grace E
Grace H

OUR SUPPORTERS



Bradmore Farms
Hames Family



Akarana
timbers

Welcome to our new sponsor Akarana Timbers based in Ruakaka.
They are supporting us to upgrade our playground.

Yuri van Houten
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