

Kiwi Connection

Week 7 Newsletter
Term 4 2016



Important Dates To Remember

Thursday 8th
December

Yr 6 graduation school
hall 6.30-8.30



Parker and Amelia with some fantastic Pokemon they crafted during discovery time!

Week 7 Update

Kia ora and welcome to week 7.

A special welcome to our new students and families.

It has been an exciting and busy term so far with swimming, the talent quest and our awesome school gala. Thank you so much to everyone who has made these events possible and helped support our school.

Reminder:

Swimming has begun and the class roster has been sent out to parents via email. If you are unsure when your child's days are, check with the teacher and they can let you know. Thank you to all the parents who have offered to help so far.

PB4L – Respect For Our Environment.

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Problem solving-learning to saying stop. I use words not hands to sort out problems.

The Village

We have been busy in the village on Fridays learning about the art of Vincent Van Gogh and making beautiful art works of our own. First we had a still life drawing lesson with sunflowers learning about perspective and drawing with detail. Next we used our skills to create colourful flower collages of flowers in vases. We are really happy with the result of all our hard work. Everyone has been enjoying the Get Set Go programme this term, learning skills like balancing and dodging.



Above: Village artists at work.
Below: Get Set Go dodging skills.



The Hub

Hub News

This has been a very exciting term. The recent RRS Talent Show was a huge success. This was the culmination of a lot of work by our Hub students who worked within groups to produce marketing posters, videos and tickets, to set up our hall, create costumes and to rehearse and perform the opening act for the show. A big thanks must go to Seba for her tireless work to choreograph and perfect this dance. Congratulations to our students who made it to the finals and especially to our winners. Well done, in fact, to all who auditioned.

Preparations are now well under way for our Year 6 Graduation ceremony and these students are again rehearsing a new dance for this occasion Thanks again to Seba for her expertise in this area!

As you all know, we had a fantastic turnout for our annual school Gala. Thanks to the many parents and students who worked to make this a success and to those who came and supported on the day by buying goods and taking part.

This week we joined with MiM and L'Archipel students to attend a performance called Eel and Sina. This was an opportunity for us to view another type of production and our recent studies gave us some insights into the time and preparation required for a show like this.

We await the return of our four hens to school. They will be housed in a safe new enclosure within our school garden area. We look forward to seeing them grow some more and eventually producing eggs! Thanks to the Hub families who have cared for them in recent times as they have strengthened ready for the big outdoors!



Left- boys from the Hub practising hard for the talent show performance. Above hub students taking part in cricket coaching and more hard work perfecting a dance routine.