

ESKDALE SCHOOL

July 2021 Newsletter

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Principal's Report

Welcome to the final newsletter of Term Two. It has certainly been another busy and successful term for the Eskdale Students. It was great to see so many parents attend the learning conferences last week. We believe that the partnership between school and home is critical to the success of the students and given the high turnout to the learning conferences we know a large number of you agree. If you did not get the opportunity to catch up with your child's teacher, feel free to make contact with the teacher to make a time for a discussion.

Thank you to everyone who has helped on the different school trips this term. It is great to be able to offer a wide variety of opportunities for our learners. Thank you to those of you who are coaching or managing a winter sports team. We have over 70 students playing a weekly winter sport for school.

Jump Jam: On Sunday, 4 July the Year 3 and 4 Jump Jam team got second place in the Napier Competition. We have been practising all term; every lunchtime except Wednesdays and at night time too, and we were really good. Our song was "A little Party Never Killed Nobody" and it had some tricky moves and lots of singing and chanting in it.



Miss Coker, Mrs Lovatt and all of our families were really proud of us!

By The Jump Jammers

Dates to watch out for in Term 3:

First Day of Term 3:	Monday, 26 July
School Cross Country:	Tuesday, 24 August
Sports Team Photos:	Monday, 30 August
Barefoot Sevens Tournament:	Thursday, 2 September
School Production:	Wednesday, 15 - Friday 17 September
Room with a View Fundraiser:	Saturday, 25 September
Last day of term:	Friday, 1 October



Te Wai-o-hingana awa planting day: On Wednesday the whole school made its way down to the Esk River to support the Te Wai-o-hingana Awa Group with their planting day. The students travelled down in their house groups and worked in pairs to plant the new native trees. It was neat seeing the older students working alongside and supporting their house buddy throughout the day. How well the students supported one another was certainly noticed by the adults working on the project. What a great way to give back to our wider community and hopefully the students will be able to return to the river in years to come to enjoy their hard work and the 1800 approx new trees planted. Thank you to the parents who managed to give up their time and join us for part of the day.



Jammies for June: On Friday, 18 June, we held our PJ Day to raise funds for pyjamas for families that don't have them. As a community you really got behind this worthwhile cause and we raised \$563.00 dollars and collected 95 pairs of PJs. An awesome effort. Thank you!



The skills our children need for the future: The New Zealand Careers.govt.nz website has a list of the seven most sort after skills/attributes by New Zealand employers. These are: positive attitude, communication, teamwork, self-management, willingness to learn, thinking skills and resilience.

These link directly to our Eskdale School values and learner attributes. We specifically use our contexts for learning such as STEAM, learning through play, and passion projects to focus on creating opportunities for learners to develop these attributes which will set them up for success now and into the future. These contexts also ensure students engage in a broad range of learning experiences across the curriculum.

An important aspect to be aware of is that developing the learner attributes through these different contexts does not diminish from the learning of Mathematics or English but rather enhances learning in these areas by developing improved learners.

School Fees/Donations: Thank you to all the families who have already paid their school family donation. This is \$35.00 per term. These form an integral part of ensuring we can provide all of the resources we want to for our students. The funds provided by the Ministry of Education do not cover all of the resources we believe are essential for every child to experience success. Over the past 12 months we have used the school donations for increased teachers in classes (reducing teacher to student ratio), increased reading recovery time and bought some additional robotics, science, and technology resources.

Coastal Cluster Netball: On 16 June, three teams of y=Year 5 and 6 students set off for a day in the sun of netball. Our students represented our school well and each team managed to come away with at least one win. A big thank you to our awesome parent helpers on the day!



Tough Guy n Gal Challenge: In last month's newsletter I shared about the 58 students who took part in the annual tough guy and gal challenge. Below are some of the images captured on the day.



I hope everyone has a great holiday break and you manage to have some family time with your children before they return to school.

Tristan

Dates to Remember*

9 July	Pimp My Ride
9 July	Last Day of Term 2
TERM 3	
26 July	Term 3 Starts
6 August	Year 5/6 Planetarium Visit
11 August	Coastal Cluster Soccer
24 August	School Cross Country
25 August	Coastal Cluster Literacy Challenge
26 August	Cross Country Postponement Date
30 August	Sports Team Photos
7 September	Science Roadshow
8 September	Coastal Cluster Cross Country
15-17 September	School Production
25 September	PTA Room With A View
28 September	HB Primary & Intermediate Cross Country Champs
1 October	Last day of Term 3

*See also Eskdale School Website Calendar: www.eskdale.school.nz

Culture Corner

Our School Focus

EXCELLENCE

Panekiritanga

We strive for **excellence** by:-

- trying our hardest at everything we do
- be confident in ourselves and others' abilities
- challenge ourselves and others' to be the best we can be
- support others' to succeed
- use goal setting to continuously improve ourselves

Whāia te iti kahurangi ki te tūohu koe, me he maunga teitei.

Pursue excellence – should you stumble, let it be to a lofty mountain

Things you can do to show excellence:

- Be a great role model
- Be positive
- Be proud of everything you achieve
- Comment positively on someone else's success
- Know when you have done your best
- Give lots of different things a go

Principal's Certificates

Week 3

Room	Pupil's Name	For...
Korimako	Chiara Anderson	Fabulous reading skills. You are reading without finger pointing, using expression and you can skim read to find information to answer questions. WOW!
	Abel Appleton	Fantastic skills listening carefully to other children and being brave by sharing your thinking and explaining why you disagreed respectfully. WOW!
Ruru	Penny Hall	Being brave by leading Ruru's morning hui.
	Lochlan Jordin-Tinker	Using great thinking skills to come up with positive ideas and strategies during mana maths.
Kuaka	Tom Stilwell	Great work on your speech Tom. You have done an awesome amount of research, and I can't wait for your performance of this.
	Breeze van Veldhuizen	Great work with your speech writing Breeze. You have been very dedicated in getting this done to a high standard, well done.

Week 4

Room	Pupil's Name	For...
Kotare	Cooper Pell	Being the best help in and out of the classroom and making sure that the environment we live in is spik and span. Ka pai.
	Max Williams	Always trying to be the best you can be. Your determination and enthusiasm is infectious.
Korimako	Esme Hicks	Always showing respect and kindness towards others and for being brave by giving everything your best effort.
	Cooper Marr	For designing a litter buster vest with a clear message. You thought carefully about the logo, the message and the picture. Excellent thinking Cooper!
Ruru	Emily Fisher	Working really hard on developing her written topic specific vocabulary
	Charles Cox	Demonstrating great leadership by supporting and encouraging others.
Kuaka	Karlon Johnson	You are an amazing mathematician Karlon, and you are extremely supportive of your peers. Keep it up Karlon!
	Ruby Kaye	You have written a very informative and entertaining speech about cakes Ruby. You should be very proud of the work and focus you have put into writing your speech, great work.
	Gabby Fitzgerald	Showing persistence and courage during sports games. An awesome defender.

Week 5

Room	Pupil's Name	For...
Kotare	Maja Garnet	Being a determined learner and taking risks with your learning. So proud of the progress you are making.
	Angus Verry	Showing the learner attribute of being curious. The questions you ask get us all thinking about different ideas and topics.
Korimako	Quinn Satchwell	Being responsible when sharing your work on SeeSaw. You are speaking clearly and explaining your learning in detail.
	Frankie Ross	Making a detailed observational drawing of a swan plant. Fantastic thinking like a scientist by noticing details and being curious about what you noticed.
Tui	Angus Goodall	Working hard at his literacy, learning tricky words and sounds, Ka pai!
	Persia Farahani	Trying hard at your reading and sharing your ideas with your tui friends.
Ruru	Brie Murphy	Great thinking and creativity in STEAM.
	Sam De Barre	What an awesome start to Ruru class.
Kokako	Azrial Doyle-Solly	Outstanding pulley STEAM project to rescue the drowning dinosaur! Great thinking and creativity.
	Reeve Fan-Robertson	Fantastic Mathematical thinking to solve puzzles.

Toroa	Carl Lord	Welcome back Carl - it is awesome to see you pick up where you left off, getting stuck in and applying yourself. Ka rawe e hoa!
	Leon Roborgh	A great effort on your speech writing Leon - you have worked independently and structured your speech effectively. Your passion for your subject matter shows in your focus and effort. Well done!

Week 6

Room	Pupil's Name	For...
Weka	Keira Munford	Welcome to Weka Class Keira. We can't wait to see what your Journey at Eskdale brings!
	Conrad Berkett	Welcome to Weka Class Conrad. It is awesome to see you confidently sharing your interests with new friends.
Kotare	Lucy Hall	Showing manaakitanga to those around you by using kind and caring words.
	Thomas Woolley	Working hard with your learning and persevering when things get a bit tricky.
Korimako	Thomas Fisher	Excellent team work, perseverance, and problem solving when planning, creating and testing your amazing raft for a dinosaur!
	Henry Lee	Excellent team work, perseverance, and problem solving when planning, creating and testing your amazing raft for a dinosaur!
Tui	Ben Torrens	Great effort during maths time- proving your thinking and listening to others' ideas.
	Iyla Kohlis	Being focused at maths time, sharing your ideas and asking others great questions. Ka Pai!!
Kea	Bella Sivewright	For super effort at Maths time - asking great questions and using clever thinking.
	Max Murdock	Writing interesting, humorous stories! We love hearing your writing Max!
Kokako	Niamh Nicholls	Fantastic Mathematical thinking and learning!
	Beau Ponds	Great application of your maths strategies to solve problems! You are becoming a great mathematician!
Hihi	Austin Nichol	Being a hard working member of Hihi class! Keep it up Austin, you are making great progress!
	Grace Sung	A polite member of Hihi!
Kereru	Amelia Roborgh	always showing the value of excellence by managing herself and trying her best at everything she does.
	Riley Hall	Making great progress with his maths and reading. You can do it Riley!
	Madeleine Russell	Very impressive work with your maths flipped learning Madeleine. You stay focused and persevere extremely well, you should be proud of your achievements.

Week 7

Room	Pupil's Name	For...
Weka	Zion Roberts	Welcome to Weka Class Zion! We can't wait to see what your journey at Eskdale brings!
	Martha Longdon	Welcome to Weka Class Martha! We love how you have embraced life at school!
Kotare	Mack Insull	Showing us your interests and passions. We love listening to what excites you and motivates you to learn. Kai pai.
	Rylee Evans	Fabulous problem solving when working with ideas and concepts that are new.
Korimako	Cooper Marr	Fabulous maths skills, listening carefully explaining your thinking clearly and showing respect to your buddy by thinking of different ways to help them see what you were thinking.
	Kate Dodd	Writing interesting stories by using describing words and writing interesting details. WOW!
Tui	Ryder Pollock	Your fantastic enthusiasm towards everything you do! You rock!!
	Owen Ranston	Super effort in your writing, using sounds and word cards to help you. Ka Pai
Kokako	Azrial Doyle-Solly	Great work in learning more essential words.
	Grace Hill	Fantastic learning of your adding and subtracting strategies!
Kea	Eadie Turner	Wow, what fabulous time management Eadie! You have been working so hard to get all your tasks completed! Tino Pai!

	Josh Sung	Our Homework star! Wow Josh you are showing us all what perseverance looks like!
Hihi	Lucas Tainui	Working hard in writing time with please results!
	Isaac Bennett	Making great progress with his maths!
Kereru	Lucas Murdock	Super maths group work -sharing his thoughts whilst also encouraging others to do the same.
	Maddie Verry	For showing creativity and imagination in her writing. Tino pai Maddie!
Toroa	Grace Battersby	You did it Grace - you got up there and delivered a very interesting and informative speech. We know that this was outside of your comfort zone, but hopefully you proved something to yourself and will remember this next time you're faced with a challenge. Awesome work e hoa!
	Felix Davis	Demonstrating extraordinary manaakitanga and support to your friend during the speeches. You stood up and showed kindness, respect and bravery! That's what it's all about mate! We are very proud of you!

Week 8

Room	Pupil's Name	For...
Weka	Sienna Retallick	Welcome to Weka Class Sienna! We are loving getting to know you and seeing your personality shine!
	Dallas Lamont	Wow Dallas - you are blowing us away with how hard you are trying in all areas of the classroom! Keep it up buddy!
Kotare	Kane Thorne	Fabulous blend and word knowledge. You have made such progress in this area and you should be very proud of yourself.
	Seth Wood	Being able to negotiate and compromise when things do always go to plan. You are showing a real resilient attitude. Ka pai.
Korimako	Leo Howard	Persevering with practising your basic facts and gaining speed and confidence with counting back from twenty and knowing addition facts that make five, Tino Pai!
	Annabel Brownlie	Fabulous reading skills. You are reading without finger pointing, using expression and you can skim read to find information to answer questions. WoW!
Tui	Kellin Pulford	Using your sounds to help you write 2 sentences at writing time, working towards your goal.
	Persia Farahani	Great listening skills, thinking then following instructions carefully, Ka Pai
Kea	Hayley Brain	Our Homework Champion! So impressed with your work ethic Miss Hayley!
	Jensen Jordan	Goodness Jensen! You are doing so well with your home reading and activities! We are so proud of you!
Kokako	Alec Stanton-Croom	Great perseverance and problem solving during maths time to escape the Hut.
	Reef Bryant	Great perseverance and problem solving during maths time to escape the Hut.
Hihi	Eva Jenssen	For organising and running a successful Pj Day!
	Olivia Berkett	For organising and running a successful Pj Day!
Kereru	Sadie Bond	Showing fantastic creativity and perseverance with projects that she is working on.
	Lincoln Johnson	Making terrific progress with his maths - Tino pai!

Week 9

Room	Pupil's Name	For...
Weka	Chloe Greenbank	You are a super star! Your literacy skills are blowing us away. Kai pai Chloe!
	Maggie Drinkrow	Peer Mediator Maggie! We love how you are helping to solve problems that may pop up. Keep up the Manaaki (Community) Maggie, we're loving it!
Kotare	Finn Kendrick	Showing a real excitement when you learn a new skill. You have a real determination to succeed. Be proud.
	Anthony Hiko-Taunoa	Making me smile on a daily basis with the funny stories and jokes that you tell. Keep being you.
Korimako	Leela Agnello	Writing interesting stories by using describing words and writing interesting details. WoW!

	Summer Cave	Working hard at writing time. You are adding lots of interesting details to your stories and using describing words. Tino Pai Summer
Tui	Layla Roberts	Working hard to write your stories and using your word mat to help you check and to spell tricky words. What a Tino writer!!!
	Jeremy Poanta	Being a positively enthusiastic class member, always caring about your class mates, willing to help them and always with a smile on your face. Ka Pai!!
Kea	Manaia-Jayde Aranui	What a positive, enthusiastic member of the Kea Crew! We are so glad you have joined our class MJ!
	Devin Doyle-Solly	You have made fantastic progress in Reading and writing Devin - I am very impressed with the hard work and focus you put into all your work! Tino Pai!
Kokako	Kera O'Brien	Creating a beautiful Kokako bird with magazine paper.
	Connor Havill	Creating a very alternative Kokako bird with magazine paper.
Hihi	Sylvie Turner	Working hard on her maths! Keep it up Sylvie!
	Kaia Ranston	Showing great leadership skills!
Kereru	Honiana Pomana	Making super progress with his maths - Tino pai!
	Madisyn Wood	Terrific progress with her writing, adding heaps of detail and interesting description.

Week 10

Room	Pupil's Name	For...
Weka	Eli Provan	Happy School Days at your new school Eli. We will miss you and your whanau so much!
Kotare	Lilly Dudding	Having a strong can do attitude when learning your sight words. You're a star. Keep up the amazing work.
Tui	Jainil Valand	Implementing your new sound knowledge into your daily reading
	Evie Mitchell	Confidently reading and writing Knowing you can do it !
Kea	Harvey Lucas	For your fabulous writing! We love hearing your humour and descriptions of events Harvey!
	Munroe Lamont	Being a kind and supportive member of the Kea Crew - always showing whakaute.
Ruru	Charlotte Baird	Using her imagination and flair to create an amazing rainforest.
	Colton Bennett	Taking his time and using all his skills to produce quality work.
Kokako	Freddie Lee	Awesome Learning in Reading
	Damon McDonald	Awesome Learning in Reading
Hihi	Hunter Malone	Always a happy and cheerful member of Hihi!
	Grace Sung	It's great to see you smiling and getting involved Grace - keep it up!
Kereru	MJ Tobeck	Being a Lego whizz! Awesome mahi MJ!
	Lucy Wise	Making super progress with her reading. Well done Lucy!

Chairperson's Message

I hope everyone is coping with the short days and cold mornings. It's been business as usual for the school Board this term. We have met twice and have covered off on all the governance requirements associated with Term Two, as well as talking through a couple of new ideas for the Board and school.

At our first meeting for the term, we introduced a new monitoring process where the Principal will report to us once per term on progress against our annual priorities. This was Tristan's idea, and in addition to all of the information we receive in the regular *Principal's Report* it offers the Board visibility on progress towards our goals in real time. This will be a feature of every term moving forward.

At our second meeting we had a great conversation about volunteering at the school, and what we can do to level out the number and nature of requests going out to parents for help with school outings and events. We are lucky enough to have a deeply engaged and supportive community around this school and, through the help of volunteers, we are able to have a full calendar whilst also keeping costs down for families. That said, there are definitely times when the demand for volunteers outstrips supply, and we need a way of managing this

without putting unreasonable expectations on parents. We have come up with a couple of ideas that we will be trialling in the second half of the year and hopefully bringing into regular practice from 2022.

Finally, whilst on the topic of volunteers, I would like to ask for your help. As many of you will be aware, the Eskdale PTA does a wonderful job of coordinating community events and fundraising opportunities that support the school. There is a large group of volunteers involved, many of whom contribute to or take the lead on specific events during any calendar year. Unfortunately, several members are approaching the end of their time with kids at the school and the PTA urgently needs some new blood. A letter will be sent home soon asking for new members ahead of the AGM on July 29th. There are many people on hand to help learn what is required, and there is a genuine opportunity to shape the way the PTA operates in years to come. No experience necessary, just a passion for the school and the availability to join PTA meetings once or twice a term. Please keep an eye out for the letter and get in touch if this sounds like you.

Glenn Bond
Chairperson, Eskdale School

Year 3 and 4 Soup and Fry Bread Project

This term as part of our STEAM activities, the Koru Syndicate, made soup and fry bread. We were really lucky to have lots of veges and other ingredients donated by our families, and plenty of adult help to assist us. It was fabulous watching the tamariki so engaged in their learning, as they followed the instructions, and directions to complete the recipes. The smiles on their faces when they saw the bread rising, and the happiness as they ate their cooking was awesome. A huge thank you to all those who contributed and helped make this a wonderful learning experience.



Orienteering

Hi everyone, this year some people have been participating in orienteering. For the sprint champs, long champs and relay champs and over all, we ended up third with 59 points. This was awesome but we only had a couple of people do it, so we didn't have many people to make a team.

So if you're keen to learn or take up a sport or find out a little bit more about it, talk to Mrs Wallace for the sprint champ entries and long champs. If you just want to do it for fun, then have a look at the H.B Orienteering website for information about events and times as well as locations. You have a map and go from point to point and click the holes. Have fun being outdoors and be encouraged to get out there!

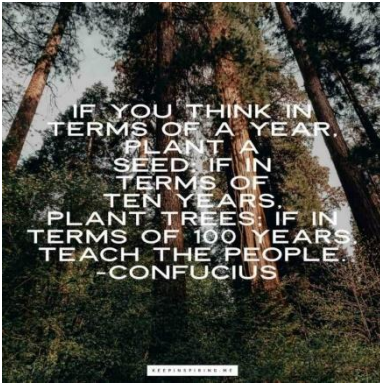
By Olivia Berkett



Wanted

Wanting Metal A frames to put planks on to create a confidence/balance course for our year 0-2 children. Anything considered!! Please contact Nicole Bason class teacher in Kotare class.

Enviro Matters



Trees have been a big focus for us over the past few weeks, as we begin our winter planting.

As a school we are a member of the PAPER FOR TREES scheme, where we receive native trees in exchange for recycling our paper. Many thanks to Marie at Plant HB for supporting this scheme, this year we received 10 large Kawakawa plants...



We also ordered trees from Plant HB for restorative planting in our Native Garden, established by our community over the past 22 years. The children were amazed at the size of the Whau trees...



These were planted last week by our Year 5 & 6 Education for Sustainability group. Many thanks to all the parents who have supported our efforts these past two terms, and to Karen for staying on to help.



We were lucky to secure a free load of poplar bark chips from a local arborist which we are using as mulch around the school. The kids have been enjoying shovelling and barrowing this every week. Check out Finn and Jasper on the mountain!...

Some snaps of other activities on the sustainability scene this term....



Restoring our Native areas

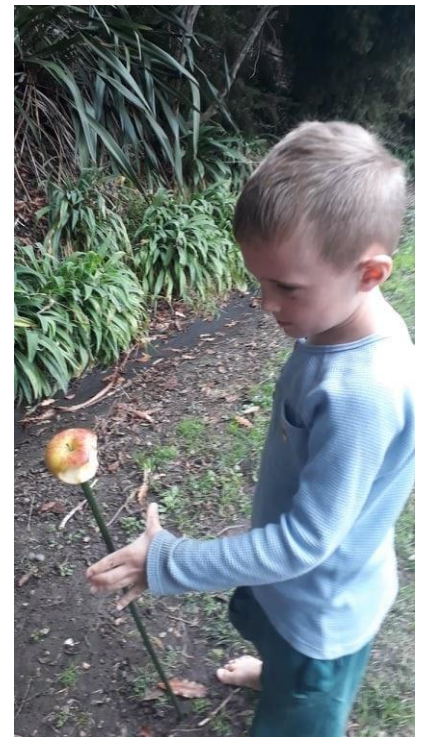
Harakeke manu - Piwakawaka.
(Flax birds - Fantails)



Upcycling old shoes into planters.



Painting the tips of our marker stakes
Finn setting up an apple feeder



Harry, Cooper and Ric hanging up their birdfeeder in the Native Garden. We like to supplement our Native birds' diets in the winter months.

The junior Garden club is up and running and we have lots of exciting activities planned for next term!

Our Year 3 & 4 pupils are also keen to start their hands on EFS activities next term and we are looking forward to it. Please help us with supervision if you can, or ask a friend, neighbour or grandparent.

Manure Wanted!

We would like a regular source of manure for our composting. Can anyone help with either horse, cow or sheep manure on a weekly basis? Please let Sandra know if you can. Thanks.

Matariki Activities with Enviro Squad



On Wednesday lunchtime we hosted a very popular Treasure Hunt, together with some paper kete weaving activities. There is also a Matariki star coloring competition running all week.



Te Wai-o-hinganga (Esk) River Planting Day

What a day! A fantastic effort by our children and staff - planting, staking and mulching over 1700 native trees. It was great to see the tuakana teina relationships between younger and older pupils in action.

This community partnership between our school, Te Wai o Hinganga (Esk) River Care Group and Hawke's Bay Regional Council will help enhance the biodiversity, reduce sedimentation runoff into the ocean and create a sustainable legacy for future generations.

A special thanks to Pan Pac for sponsoring the buses for this venture.





Library News

Greetings from Eskdale School Library the end of Term 2

A very big Thank You to our retiring managers Lola and Sadie who have done a tremendous job keeping book displays up in the library, a big job and you always had a topic to interest others. Your promotion of books to the school during assembly was a great way to enthuse others in trying new books. Our next term managers will be Kahu and Luke.

Thank you for your support in discovering library books in strange places at home and returning them so others are able to enjoy them. If you are having a clean out or tidy up I hope other elusive books are discovered.

We are continually able to purchase new books for the library thanks to your purchasing of Scholastic books.

So keep warm, hunker down with a great book, slow the pace down and share your love of reading.



Year 8 Camp Fundraisers

FUNDRAISING RAFFLES

Firewood Raffle – Winner – **Sue Stilwell**

Auto Super Shoppes "Premium Grade Service" up to the Value of \$250.00 – Winner – **Andrew Booth**

Term 3 Sausage Sizzle Order Form (Year 8 End of Year Camp Fundraiser)

Dear Parents/Caregivers. Please find below your PRE-ORDER form for our weekly Sausage Sizzle fundraiser which will be held on Thursday's in Term 3, starting Week 1, Thursday, 29 July 2021. **NO late orders will be accepted.**

Please return this form **with your money** to the office by **Friday, 9 July 2021 (last day of term 2)**. Sausages are **\$2.00** (EFTPOS is also available at the office).

Child's Name: _____

Classroom: _____

Child's Name: _____

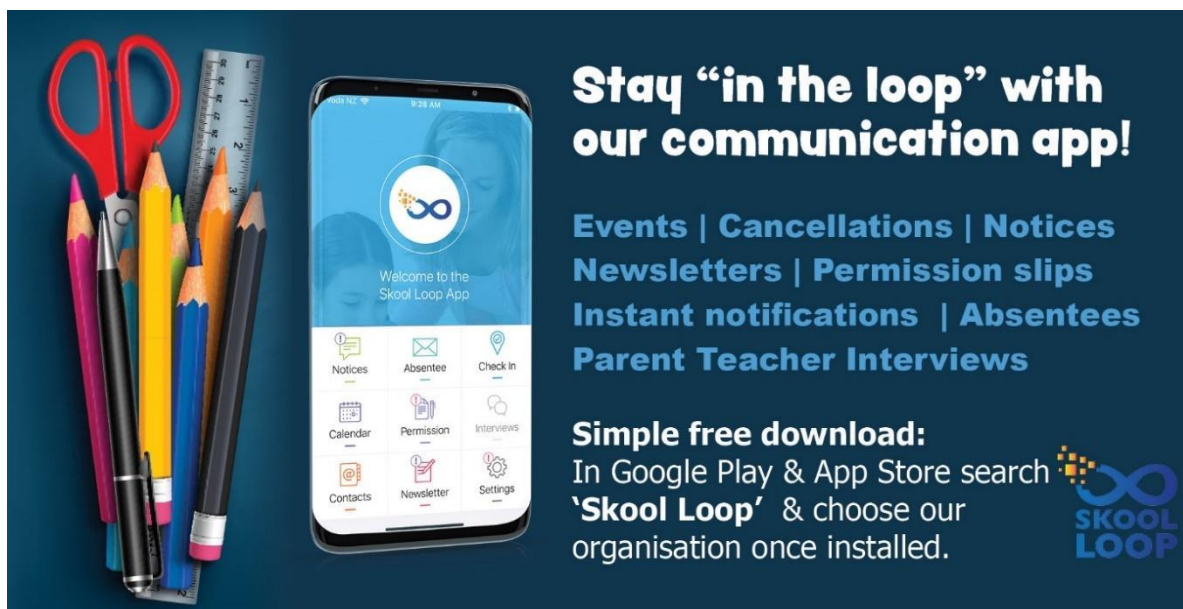
Classroom: _____

Child's Name: _____

Classroom: _____

Week 1: Thursday, 29 July	Week 2: Thursday 5 August	Week 3: Thursday 12 August	Week 4: Thursday 19 August	Week 5: Thursday 26 August
Number of sausages: _____	Number of sausages: _____	Number of sausages: _____	Number of sausages: _____	Number of sausages: _____


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PTA Upcoming Events

Eskdale School PTA invites you to

Room with a View

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to secure your tickets

25 September



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POSSUM CONTROL

To Parents and Caregivers

Dear Sir, Madam

Rural Pest Services Ltd is going to carry out possum control in the following areas starting from the 1 July 2021 through to the 30 May 2022 on the following Rivers from the boundary fence or stop banks to near the river edges. This has been an ongoing operation in conjunction with the Hawkes Bay Regional Council since 2006.

WAIPAWA RIVER, MANGAONUKU STREAM, TUKITUKI RIVER, TUKIPO AND MAKARETU RIVERS, NGARURORO RIVER AND TUTAEKURI RIVER

All toxic material will be dyed green/blue.

Warning signs will be displayed at all access points into the operational area when work is in progress and will remain in place until toxin caution periods have expired.

The following baits and poisons will be put in bait stations on trees and fence posts:

- Pestoff (Brodifacoum) in cereal pellet
- Double Tap (Cholecalciferol and Diphacinone) in cereal pellet (to be used in and around DOC areas)
- Feratox (Potassium Cyanide) in pellets will be added to some of these bait stations in areas where permission has been granted by MOH.

This will be an ongoing process with the bait stations being refilled every 12 months with the above products.

All baits are poison and are harmful to humans, especially young children. Do not allow children to wander unsupervised into the areas that have baits laid in them. Be vigilant especially if accompanied by young children.

Because of risk of poisoning from baits and carcasses please keep dogs and other animals under control and do not allow them to wander into or near these areas.

Maps of the area can be viewed via this link:

<https://1drv.ms/u/s!Apt6WxHkzTmuka4jo93Qifrodqvhng?e=v7nZw9>

If you require any further information, please contact Operations Manager:
Jake Bowcock - 021 280 2988

We need you!



Our native area needs some work done!
If you have the expertise, equipment and time we would really appreciate your help. Please pop your name and a contact number next to the job/s you are happy to do and when it suits you. This could be a Saturday or Sunday or after school one day. Please return the form to the office and someone will contact you to sort the details out.

Many thanks.



Job	Name and contact number	When you would like to do the job
Mulch branches (Need a mulcher)		
Blackberry and ivy removal		
Prepare some trees for replanting (Wrench them)		
Tidy up/re-level steps in Native Area.		
Make/prepare/buy or supply approx 100 stakes.		
Dig holes in preparation for winter planting		