



# NEWSLETTER No. 21

TERM 3, WEEK 4

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**K**ia Ora to Parents, Caregivers and whanau of James Street School.



Our Sevens teams had a great day last Thursday—especially the Year 5 and 6 Rugby team who placed third in the competition.

**Many thanks to all out parents and whanau who coached and/or helped out on the day.**

Some great photos have been uploaded to our facebook page.

A letter is coming home today for the Taneatua Sevens. This is for Year 5 and 6 rugby and netball.



## SCHOOL PHOTOS



SCHOOL PHOTOS are on  
**Friday the 24th**  
**of August.**

Named envelopes have been sent home today with each child.

If you wish to order a class, individual or family photo return the envelope to school with the money enclosed by photo day.

## BAY STEAMERS

We had two players from the Bay Steamers, Jeff and Aidan, who visited last Thursday.

A group of children enjoyed interacting with them out on the field. They gave us two signed rugby balls.

**Rangiaho Hatata-O'Neil** won the junior ball and the senior ball is for use at school.



## CANS FOR GOOD

Next Thursday the 23rd August is  
**CANS FOR GOOD.**

We will be collecting cans of food to help fill the Salvation Army Foodbanks.

*This is one way we can support our wider community.*

Each week the Salvation Army support our whanau by dropping in boxes of bread and buns donated from Countdown Supermarket.





### It's DISCO time this week.

These are a fundraiser for our new worm farms and resources required to set these up. Any extra funds will be spent on Growing Great Learners activities.

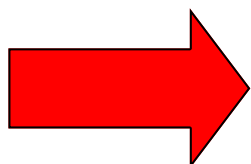
The Junior DISCO for Year 1 and 2 children will be in PUKA from 4.00 to 5.00pm.

The Senior DISCO for Year 3, 4, 5 and 6 children will be in PUKA from 5.30 to 7.00pm.

Entry fee is \$2.00.

There will be food for sale: pizza, iceblocks, lollies and chips. Water will be available.

Parents are welcome to stay. Children will need to be collected from Puka.



Teachers strike day  
School closed  
Wednesday 15 August

Yes, our teachers are on STRIKE tomorrow. School will be closed for instruction and no one will be on site. We are asking for:

- **More teachers**—so your kids can get more attention
- **More resources and staff** to support children with additional learning needs
- **A pay jolt to teachers' salaries** to address the teacher shortage



**Growing Great Learners**  
*Where Lifetime Learning Begins!*

This week in Growing Great Learners we are learning to work cooperatively with others - our classmates, our peers and our buddies.

### Our kiwaha for this week is:

Whakapai te ruma - Clean the room -  
Whakapai te ruma

*Antony from Puriri and Netana from Kahikatea are leading the kiwaha this week*

**Kia Ora boys.**

### TERM 4 CAMPS

These are booked and planned for the 7th to 9th of November.

The Year 3 and 4 students will be camping at the Ohiwa Holiday Park and the Year 5 and 6 students at the Lions Hut.

Most permission slips are now in—thanks. Remember you can pay camp off over the term. We still need 3 parents for the Ohiwa Camp if you are available to help out.

### UPCOMING SCHOOL EVENTS

15 August - Teachers Strike Day

17 August - DISCOs

22 August - Taneatua Sevens

12/14 September - Winter Sports

28 September - Teacher Only Day for Matai, Rata and Totara teachers and support staff.

**Kia pai to rā. Have a great day.**

Kind Regards

**Roz Dakin**  
**Acting Principal**