

James Street School

Week Four Term Two 2019 - 21 May

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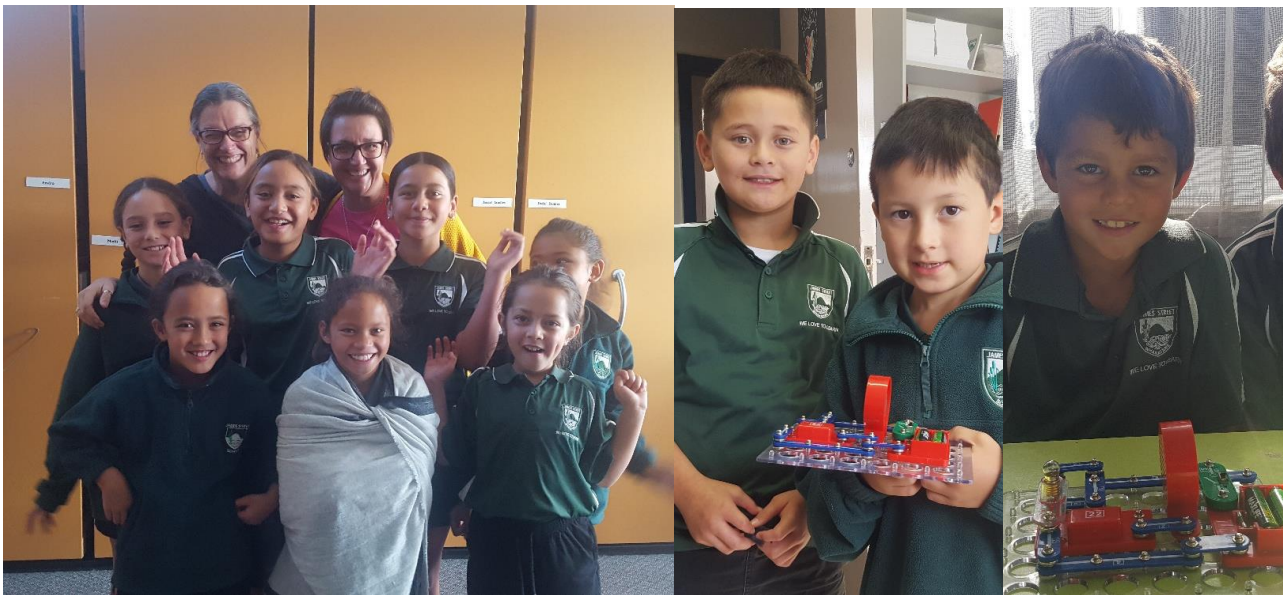
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School will be closed for instruction on Wednesday 29 May - All primary teachers will be on strike. This will be a National Day of Action for the future of education in New Zealand.

The Casting Company visited last Friday and met some of our kotiro who fitted the 'brief'. After viewing our photo wall in the main office they requested to see Mia, Brooklyn, Jade, Kymani, Azada, Maria and Kayla. **Congratulations** to Mia and Jade who were invited to audition for the part of Mata in the upcoming feature film 'Cousins'. They met Ainsley Gardiner on Saturday and were both very excited about their experience.

Ti Kouka were very proud of their learning on Friday; Brain Boxes, connections, sirens, flashing lights...



What's on this week?

- On Wednesday our Student Leaders and aspiring student leaders are heading to Taupo to take part in a Youth Development Camp. This is facilitated by Richard Hamer, Blue Light Whakatane and Senior Constable Maree Bicknell. This year Jodie Knowles is accompanying the students.

What's coming up next week?

- Wednesday 29th May is a National Day of Action - all teachers will be on strike and school will be closed for instruction. No staff will be on site.
- Thursday 30th May is our annual Cross Country event. This is held at the Awatapu Lagoon. Meet us there or come to school and walk down with the children at 10.50am.

- Friday 31st is our annual Teacher / Teacher Aide Only Day for all staff from most of the schools in Whakatane. We are all meeting for a day of learning at Trident High School.

Daily Kiwaha This week our kiwaha is 'Kei te miharo koe - You are amazing'.

Whakatane Community of Learning - Information Sharing

Recent changes in the education sector have led to the establishment of Communities of Learning, where schools, early childhood and other educational institutes work together to improve educational outcomes for children within a community of learners.

The Whakatane Community of Learners or Kahui Ako' consists of the following schools; Apanui, Allandale, James Street, Nukuhou North, Ohope Beach, Paroa , St Joseph's Whakatane, Trident, Whakatane High and Whakatane Intermediate; and also involves numerous early childhood centres. The Whakatane Kahui Ako works with all member schools and organisations to 'Enrich partnerships, grow capability and strengthen engagement for equitable outcomes and success for our community'. In order that the Kahui Ako works from an evidence base, schools and organisations are sharing information, this includes attendance, student achievement and learning needs information. Information shared is non-identifiable data and is used to help determine patterns and trends across the community of learning in order to inform needs, supports, funding and possible professional development for schools.

Growing Great Learners We are Respectful and Safe - Following on from last week's learning of: I use my words to help solve my problems - this is especially important when I am feeling upset or angry. This week we are focussing on 'We know what to do when others are upset or angry'.

Triple P - Positive Parenting Program - Open to all parents, caregivers and whanau.

FREE Discussion Groups for Term 2 2019

Thursday 23rd May 2019: Hassle Free Shopping with Kids

Where: Eastbay REAP, 21 Pyne Street, Whakatane Time: 6pm-8pm For more information and to register: Phone/text Fiona on 021 509 211 Email: fiona@eastbayreap.org.nz or call Eastbay REAP on 07 308 4098

Manuka Fundraiser - Manuka Pizza & Ice-block Combo Fundraiser

Manuka are fundraising on Friday 24th May. It is for a day trip. We are selling a slice of pizza and an ice-block combo for \$2.00. Otherwise sold separately one slice of pizza for \$ 1.50 and one ice-block for \$1.00. Any queries, please see Mrs Tutua.

Please return completed form and pay before Thursday, 23rd May.

Name:..... Class:.....

Please tick (write quantity if you want to order more):

Pizza & Ice-block Combo - \$ 2.00 One slice of pizza - \$ 1.50
One ice-block - \$ 1.00
Pizza Choices (please tick or/and write quantity): Hawaiian
Meat Lovers
Double Cheese

Total of money enclosed:

Kia pai to rā - have a great day.

RJ Dakin

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Principal