

NVS NEWS

Principal's Note

One of our mottos here at school is we turn up to sporting events not just to make up numbers but to compete.

This year we have continued to live by that philosophy.

Last week we turned up to the inter school athletics to give our best and to compete. And compete we did. It was a team effort- this was proven through the relays results.

Taking out the junior section of the relays and apart from one in the seniors we finished in the top three.

We couldn't do it though without the support from our parents and families- who came in droves to support and record moments. And to dads like Trevor who popped into school to train anyone keen to learn in shot put.

This year we have taken out the inter school swimming, 2nd in the athletics and performed well at the cross country, won a place in the Rippa

rugby finals in Taupo, won the rugby shield in the 7s rugby and performed to a high standard in both mini meez and mini ball.

I am proud of our school and our ability to give our best in sport. It is good for our children. They are humble in winning and have great attitudes.

NVS philosophy is all about growing potential and going the whole child. This we certainly are doing.

Piki te ora

Maria Gillard

Principal



Term Dates

Term 4

November

- Thu 17th - Grandparents Day
- Fri 18th - Interschool Touch (at the Domain)
- Mon 21st - Scholastic Book Fair at NVS Opens
- Mon 21st - BOT Meeting
- Wed 23rd - Year 7 Camp - Papamoa
- Fri 25th - Year 7 Camp Returns
- Fri 25th- Tongariro Crossing- Year 8s only
- Sat 26th - Te Uranga AGM
- Mon 28th - Parent Interviews
- Tues 29th - Parent Interviews

December

- Fri 2nd - Scholastic Book Fair - Final Day
- Fri 2nd - Shop Day and house plays
- Mon 5th - Year 8 Camp - Wellington
- Mon 5th- BOT meeting- last one for the year
- Thur 8th - Year 8 Camp Returns
- Fri 9th - Twilight Country Fair
- Sat 10th - Taumarunui Christmas Parade
- Tue 13th - Year 8 Dinner
- Wed 14th - School Lake Trip
- Thu 15th - Prize Giving 6pm
- Fri 16th - Final 2016 Assembly finishing at 12.30pm
- Fri 16th - End of Term 4 and 2016
- Mon 19th- Teacher Only Day

2017 - Term 1

- Tue 31st January - Term 1 2017 Starts
- Wed 1st February - Swimming Begins
- Mon 6th February - Waitangi Day
- Thu 13th April - End of Term 1

Term 2

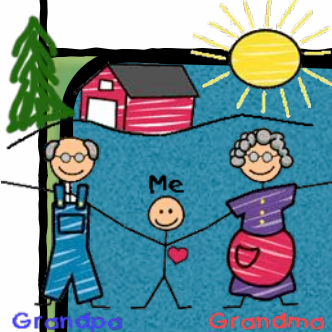
- Mon 1st May - Start of Term 2
- Fri 7th July - End of Term 2

Term 3

- Mon 24th July - Start of Term 3
- Fri 29th September - End of Term 3

Term 4

- Mon 16th October - Start of Term 4
- Fri 15th December - End of Term 4 2017



Grandparents High Tea !!!

Thursday
tomorrow 17th November 12pm
Please RSVP at office.
Share the afternoon with your grandchild(ren) at their school.

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Our next
Board of Trustees Meeting
this Monday
21st November 2016
at 6pm in our Staffroom. All welcome.

NVS Bank Account Details

Ngakonui Valley School
020316 0125918 00
(When paying to our account, please mention what the amount is for as reference)

Board of Trustees

BOT Meeting

Next meeting is on: Monday 21st November 6pm in the staffroom. All welcome.

Agenda:

- * EOTC - the lake trip, year 7 camp, year 8 camp and the Tongariro Crossing.
- * Twilight Fair 2016
- * Survey results
- * Strategic planning 2017

Family Invoices

These all went out last week. Please see Michelle or Cathy if you have any questions. There have been questions over what we receipt. We do have a policy at the school of receipting anything over \$5. Anything less is often banked together e.g. \$2 a bus trip - will be banked together and receipted as one lot.

Twilight Fair

This is around the corner - thank you for your support in supporting our mufti days. The grocery items are for our quick fire raffles. We are looking for items for our white elephant stall and our books stall. If you do have any household items not needed please send them to school. Remember to put the date in your diary - **Friday 9th December.**

We have food stalls, we have desserts, we have games, police rides, horse rides, auction items, quick fire raffles, Santa's grotto, book nook and white elephant stall.

Culled Lambs

Are you a farmer and can you help??? If you are sending cull ewes, fat lambs or cattle to slaughter, we would greatly appreciate any instance where you may be able to donate one of these to our livestock scheme.

NVS will set up a supplier account at your meat processor of choice and would be as simple as advising your agent or completing a separate ASD's form for the animal/animals you are willing to donate.

For more information or to nominate your preferred meat processor, please phone Dean on 027 702 1025 and I will be able to arrange this.

R.E.A.P.

Respect, Effort, Achieve, Participation

REAP Assembly

This week in REAP we looked at the quote "wake up with determination, go to bed with satisfaction." We discussed what each part meant and how setting a goal for the day would help us to stay motivated. We need to wake up in the morning with a positive attitude and a goal to achieve in mind. Then when we achieve that goal we can go to bed happy that we have achieved something in our day.

NVS Shop Day - Hope Trust

Coming up in week 8 - **Friday 2nd December.** This is organised by the classes. Each class will organise the stalls and the activities. The money raised will go towards the Taumarunui Hope Trust. The class teachers will be sending home letters with what each class will be doing. The shop day begins at 11am and the children are allowed to wear mufti (small coin donation).

Last year Matai class were the shop day winners raising the most money for the trust.

Buddy

This week Buddy goes to Kealey. Kealey has been a part of Rimu for a short time and is showing amazing self-motivation with her learning. Kealey is very dedicated to her work and makes great choices to remove herself from situations where she may get distracted. Kealey shows all of the NVS values and is an amazing asset to Rimu class. Well done Kealey.

PTA Meeting

The PTA have a meeting next **Tuesday 22nd November 6pm** at the Thai Café in town.

House Plays

Tuhua won the athletics - but will they win the house plays?

Each house will be organising their house plays that will be performed in the afternoon of shop day. Even the staff get involved! So make sure you take the time to call out to school be part of the shop day and later stay on and be entertained with the house plays!

Grandparent's Day

Tomorrow - **Thursday 17th November 12pm** at school. Calling all grandparents to our school Grandparents Day. This is on tomorrow starting at 12pm with a powhiri and small kapa haka concert. Followed by lunch with the grand children and a walk through the school. At 1.20pm we begin a school concert with each class putting on an item and then we have photos and buddy reading. At 2pm we will have afternoon tea. Please RSVP the office.



NVS SPORTS

InterSchool Athletics

2nd Overall in our inter school athletics for Taumarunui is a great success! Well done to all of our athletes who competed on the day, all of you made a difference to our results! Thank you to all of the Whanau support we had down at the Domain, it was great to see. All of our athletes gave it 110% and it was obvious that as a school we were there to compete. It was really nice to see and hear the support the students had for each other while they were watching events as

well, it was clear to see the REAP values we teach coming through, and we were very proud!.

Touch Interschool (all year groups)

This Friday - 18th November at the domain.

We have 10 teams entering the competition this year.

If you have any questions regarding touch, or are available to help with the teams please don't hesitate to contact Natalie Gow

Phone: 07 895 6181 Email: nataliegown.nvs@xtra.co.nz

Awards

Principal Awards

for making a difference

- Kowhai - Miley West
- Kohikatea - Anastasia Lugovaya
- Rimu - Riley Eggers
- Oak - Riley Skinner
- Matai - Nila Segura
- Rata - Maria McKay



NVS on Twitter

You can join the NVS tweets via text. Send the text 'follow ngakonui' to 8987 (without the ` `) follow ngakonui

CRUISE FM

ROCK N POP MUSIC FROM YESTERDAY & TODAY

Taumarunui / Whakapapa 94.3FM

National Park 105.4FM

Turoa / Ohakune / Raetihi 99FM

Jan Lemon 9am - 12 noon Cliff James 12 noon - 4pm

Johnny Dryden 6 - 9am ph 89 66 939 Richard Phelps 4 - 8pm

Curriculum News

Tongariro Crossing

The year 8s are off to walk the Tongariro Crossing on Friday. Notices are being sent home today please check year 8 bags!

Year 7 Camp

Thank you to all our parents for attending Monday's meeting. The year 7s are off to camp next Wednesday. We want to thank Dave, Karen and Lorraine for offering to be our parent helpers on camp. **The year 7s need to return their permission forms by Friday.**

The year 7s will travel by car to Tauranga- spend the day learning about surf lifesaving, kayaking at Waimario Park and climb the high ropes at Adrenaline forest. Sounds like a great way to learn about leadership! We hope you have fun.

Junior Pantomime

The year 1 and 2 children are busy practising their pantomime for the end of year prize giving. We are seeing glimpses of the pantomime through the amazing costumes Mrs Wright is busy making and organising. This is definitely something you don't want to miss! Make sure you write the date in your diary now! **Thursday 15th December** - Lower Lounge Cossie Club starting at 6pm.

NVS Scholastic Book Fair

It is nearly book fair time again!!! This year there is a country theme to the book fair. Our NVS Scholastic Book Fair will be **held from Monday 21st of November until Friday 2nd of December, in the library.** There are always lots of great books to buy - perfect Christmas presents. This year if we sell over \$1000 dollars worth of books our school will get \$500 worth of free books as a bonus. We hope to see you there.

Parent Interviews and End of Year Reports

These will be given out in a couple of weeks. Please check that you can come and hear about the great progress your child has made this year. The end of year report will be shared with you and you can hear the great learning that your child has made this year!

The dates for the parent interviews are **Monday 28th November and Tuesday 29th November.**

Prize Giving

Remember this is coming up. Can we please have all trophies returned to school asap.

Lake Trip

Our end of school lake trip takes place on **Wednesday 14th December.** We have 3 buses leaving NVS from 9am and returning around 2.30pm. You are most welcome to join us on the day. To come along and join in picnic games, swim and have a BBQ.

EVERYDAY FOOD HEROES

SPINACH

Find us on
fb.com/
ProjectEnergize

Spinach can be an excellent source of iron if you eat it with brightly coloured fruit or veg (high in vitamin C). Try spinach in your smoothies, stir-fries and mince dishes.

Developed by Sport Waikato 2016

Interschool Athletics

Interschool Athletic NVS Top Placings:

Long Jump

Midget Boys

- 2nd - Korbyn Hamilton
- 4th - Lachie Tweedie

Junior Girls

- 1st - Olivia Rumbal

Junior Boys

- 2nd - Raiken Rihia

Discus

Intermediate Girls

- 1st - Diane Barrett

Intermediate Boys

- 4th Arwin Leatuafi

Senior Girls

- 1st - Jaide Hetutu
- 4th - Tui Hemana

Senior Boys

- 4th - Jayden Leatuafi

Shotput

Intermediate Girls

- 3rd - Jayda Arthur

Intermediate Boys

- 2nd Poutama Hepi-Te Huia

Senior Girls

- 3rd - Jaide Hetutu

Senior Boys

- 2nd - Jayden Leatuafi

60m

Midget Girls

- 3rd - Chanel Conrad

Midget Boys

- 2nd - Korbyn Hamilton

Junior Girls

- 2nd= - Olivia Rumbal

Intermediate Girls

- 4th - Jessica Tarrant

Intermediate Boys

- 3rd - Brad Tocker

100m

Midget Girls

- 1st - Chanel Conrad

Junior Girls

- 3rd - Olivia Rumbal

Intermediate Girls

- 4th - Jessica Tarrant

Intermediate Boys

- 3rd - Brad Tocker

200m

Midget Girls

- 4th - Aroha Tito

Midget Boys

- 2nd - Korbyn Hamilton

Junior Girls

- 2nd - Olivia Rumbal

Intermediate Boys

- 4th - Brad Tocker

400m

Intermediate Boys

- 4th - Lewis Hill

800m

Intermediate Girls

- 3rd - Carla Ivimey

Intermediate Boys

- 1st - Lewis Hill

Senior Girls

- 4th - Georgia Ivimey

Senior Boys

- 3rd - Morgan Bolstad

Shuttle Relay

- Midget Girls - 1st

- Midget Boys - 1st

- Junior Girls - 1st

- Junior Boys - 3rd

4 x 100m Relay

- Intermediate Girls - 2nd

- Intermediate Boys - 2nd

- Senior Boys - 2nd

The inter school team is as follows:

Chanel Conrad

Aroha Tito

Addison Tarrant

Lachlan Tweedie

Kealey Perez

Korbyn Hamilton

Psalms Rihia

Jackson Rumbal

Shelton Tito

Olivia Rumbal

Ella Tarrant

Alisha Walker

Nikah Perez

Cody Hall

AJ Hall

Raiken Rihia

Jessica Tarrant

Jayda Arthur

Bradley Tocker

Dylan Powers

Arwin Leatuafi

Maia Hetutu

Carla Ivimey

Diane Barrett

Poutama Hepi-Te Huia

Lewis Hill

Leikim Rihia

Jaide Hetutu

Eden Baker

Georgia Ivimey

Jorja Mc Isaac

Tui Hemana

Morgan Bolstad

Rawiri Butter

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