



# Marfell In Action Newsletter Number 8

## Week 4 Term 2 2017



**Greetings, Kia ora, Talofa lava, Kia orana, Sawadee, Selamat, Fakalofa lahi atu.**



### Coming Up

#### Wednesday's

9-9.30am Public Health Nurse onsite in our Community Rooms - Everyone Welcome!



#### Monday 29 May

5pm, Board Of Trustees Meeting



#### Wednesday 31 May

Children go home 1:15pm  
TOD Preparation



#### Thurs & Fri 1 & 2 June

**SCHOOL CLOSED**  
Teacher Only Days



#### Monday 12th June

Vision & Hearing Testing, TDHB



#### Friday 16th June

We host St Pius for Interschool Sports from 1.30pm



May Birthday wishes go out to:

Rashaq, Nevaeh Berry, Ethan, Max, Shania, Willow, Thomas, Elisha, Samuel, Datura, Barbara and Danyon



We wish you all fabulous celebrations this month!



### **Week 5 & 6 Core Value**

**Ngāwari  
Tolerance**



### EDUCATION REVIEW OFFICE VISIT

What a high pressure week it has been with our ERO Review ladies; Pamela Banks and Ann Brouwers. Their job is to conduct an external review on our school internal review processes. They were also looking at how we target Maori and boys student achievement. While we got a positive vibe from our reviewers about our school and the work we put into our tamariki and their learning, we will not know the outcome of their review for another 4-5 weeks. We will keep you informed.

### TEACHER ONLY DAYS - SCHOOL CLOSED

This Wednesday school will be sending children home early at 1:15pm and school will be closed on Thursday 1st and Friday 2nd June, because all teachers will be attending a two day professional learning and development conference.

| Wednesday<br>31 May  | Thursday<br>1 June                  | Friday<br>2 June                    | Monday<br>5 June                                   | Tuesday<br>6 June |
|--|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|-------------------|
| Children go home at 1:15pm<br>Except Rooms 4 & 5<br>ORS Taxi children. | SCHOOL CLOSED<br>Teacher Conference | SCHOOL CLOSED<br>Teacher Conference | Queens Birthday<br>SCHOOL CLOSED<br>Public holiday | SCHOOL OPEN       |

There will be no Rising Achievers from Wednesday 31 May until 5 June.

### SCHOOL GARDEN

We have a school vegetable garden that, over the years has been tended to by a wonderful retired gentleman named Noel. When available, the produce has been used in our Friday lunches or offered to whanau. Sadly the 20 or so pumpkin we had growing to feed our tamariki have been stolen and what's left smashed and wasted - clearly by senseless low-life! Growing our vegetables helps us to keep our Friday Kai to \$2 per child. But if we have to buy pumpkin and other vegetables to make our healthy kai, when they could be free, then we will have to charge more for our lunches!

So whanau, what do you think about this issue?

### SCHOOL BIKES STOLEN

As most of our community know that on Friday 12 May at approximately 8pm, our school bike shed was broken into and our quality bikes for big kids or teachers were stolen. We now know who was responsible! The really tragic thing is that the boys involved have connections with, or are from our community. We are



thankful that we have received 2 bikes back. If you see a bike identical to the one pictured, we would like it back also.

Marfell has a great community spirit and most parents I know want the very best for their tamariki. So when this type of crime happens where it is our people taking from their own, being our tamariki, I've got to ask what can we do as a community to stop this!

Nga mihi nui te whanau.

Janet Wilson Principal

**WHAT IS NGĀWARI - TOLERANCE**  
**HOW DOES THIS LOOK, SOUND AND FEEL?**

☺Caring            ☺Consideration    ☺Courtesy    ☺Friendliness  
☺Empathy    ☺Peacefulness    ☺Understanding    ☺Respect  
☺Honesty    ☺Patience    ☺Truthfulness    ☺Co-operation  
☺Unity        ☺Compassion    ☺Trustworthy    ☺Forgiveness  
☺Helpfulness    ☺Humility        ☺Loyal        ☺Reliability    ☺Trust

**VISION AND HEARING TESTING**

*Rochelle King, the Vision and Hearing Technician for North Taranaki will be at our school on Monday 12 June, screening those school aged students who have not previously been screened or require a rescreen from a previous appointment. If any families do not want their child screened by the Taranaki District Health Board Vision and Hearing Team, please notify the school office.*

**NOHO THANK YOU**

*Thank you to our sponsors for their kind donations who without their support our noho marae would not happen.*

*Pak n Save New Plymouth, Tegal, Marfell Community Trust and Members of our Community and all those who gave up their time!*

**Class Certificates**

*Neosha Te Whatu, Room 1*

*Rune Robinson-Hill, Luke Daly, Zac Braybrook, Lindsey Barr, Heaven Hokianga,*

*Lucas Smith, Room 3*

*Lucas Edwards, Ruben Barr, Tama Soundy,*

*Michael McKibbin, Room 2*

*Datura Sylva-Tait, Kyree Hokianga, Kaia Box,*

*Kathren Marriott, Room 8*

*Zoey Berry, Caleb McKibbin, Room 6*

*Jade McLeod, Zoeth Sherman, Chayse Tui-Hotene, Logan Clark, Rooms 4/5*



**MANA**

**Mana Certificates**

**10 Points:** *Keiara Bunyan, Skyla Pahau, Zac Braybrook, Hope Jones, Chace Hamilton, Amarlia Morehu-Gilbert, Eden Thompson-McLachlan, Shania Galley*

**20 Points:** *Kathren Marriott, Aaliyah Armstrong, Neosha Te Whatu, Damyon West, Swayzee Niwa, Gezelle Bunyan, Andreana Deller, Daekim-Rome Ngataierua, Barbara Vedder, Rune Robinson-Hill, Connie Hurunui, Maia Vedder, Riddick Vedder, Chelsea Price, Tania Niwa, Lindsey Barr, Emily Baker, Dayton Wharewaka, Aaliyah Armstrong, Tyler-Jay Hamilton, Kairyn Niwa-Te Huia, Rashad Altar, Savannah Allen*

**30 Points:** *Tahi Te Awa, Thomas Kehely, Daekim-Rome Ngataierua, Andreana Deller, Samuel McKibbin*

**40 Points:** *Constintine Nuku, Steffarn Ngataierua*

**50 Points:** *Kaia Box*

**Mana Students of Term 1**

*Constintine Nuku, Room 1, Tahi Te Awa, Room 3, Datura Sylva-Tait, Room 6*

**Duffy Certificates**

*Shilah Bunyan, Elisha Maddox, Jericho Nuku, Hope Jones, Aaliyah Armstrong*

