



**29TH AUGUST 2025**  
**WEEK 07, TERM 3, 2025**  
**ISSUE 13**

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# WHATS HAPPENING SEPTEMBER

- **3rd** - School Production
- **15<sup>th</sup>** - BoT meeting
- **16th** - Grandparents Day
- **17<sup>th</sup>** - New BoT take office
- **18<sup>th</sup>** - Ski Trip
- **19<sup>th</sup>** - Sports team photos at St Joseph's School

## OCTOBER

- **10<sup>th</sup>** - Pet day
- **15<sup>th</sup> - 17<sup>th</sup>** - Junior camp
- **27<sup>th</sup>** - Labour Day - SCHOOL CLOSED

## NOVEMBER

- **7<sup>th</sup>** - School Photos
- **14<sup>th</sup>** - Maniapoto Festival

## PRINCIPALS MESSAGE

Kia ora koutou

Thank you to everyone who has been so supportive with our drama production. We had our first rehearsal at the Little Theatre today for those with main parts and the whole school is due to rehearse there on Monday and Tuesday before our performances on Wednesday. So there are lots of excited children! Staff and students alike have been working very hard and it is great to see everything starting to come together now. We are so looking forward to performing for you next week! Hopefully all these coughs and bugs that have been going through the school will be over so everyone is fit to be on stage.

Also thanks for your help and feedback as we organise the ski trip - a new event to organise for us as a staff, so advice from parents who have experienced the trip before has been useful. We are trying our best to get things right in the midst of some conflicting information from mountain staff and hopefully we are on the right track so that we have an amazing day out on the snow.

Along with the newsletter today, your child should have received their Pet Day Booklet if they already have an animal or will be getting one soon. Extra copies will be available from the office if needed. A request has been made by a parent to hold Pet Day next year at the end of Term 3 so families don't have to feed animals over the holidays if they are ready for weaning. Please let us know your thoughts as we can organise this for 2026 if others feel the same way. Once production is over, we will be starting on artwork and creations for our Pet Day Spring Art displays. As usual, there will be optional at home activities for students who enjoy opportunities to show some creativity. Details will be sent out for these before the holidays.

A reminder that Grandparents Day is coming up in the last week of term so we would love to welcome those special people in our students' lives to come along to school and have shared kai. Juniors have been busy preparing invitations as part of their learning around writing letters.

In conclusion this week, I would like to take this opportunity to express a very appreciative thank you to Daniel Lynch and our ex-student Evan Lynch for the wonderful job they have done over recent years in mowing our school lawns. We have a huge grass area for such a small school and it is always looking neat and tidy. Lawnmowing has now been taken over by our new school caretaker Mark Hoyes. Thank you so much Mark for taking on this role - I'm sure you are going to be an awesome asset to the school.

See you all at the performance next week!

Nga mihi nui

Heather Dallas

Principal

## **PET DAY PREPARATIONS**

The children have today been given planning books to prepare for their Pet Day Creations. (Seniors will get theirs on Monday) This year, Pet Day will take place on Friday the 10<sup>th</sup> October. The first week back in Term 4 is going to be a busy one with lots of fun creating! More information will come home soon.

**Recycled Art:** Please start collecting items now that students can use to make recycled creations, i.e. Egg cartons, tubes (no toilet rolls please), boxes of different sizes etc.

**Thank you** to FMG and LIC who have kindly sponsored prizes for our Pet Day. We still require a few more, so if you or a business you know would like to sponsor a few prizes please get in touch with the office asap!

Large animal veterinarian, Stacey Turner, from Vet Ent will be here on the day, providing and cooking sausages on the BBQ for our tamariki.





# THIS WEEKS CERTIFICATES



**WELCOME!**

Daniel, Hunter and Evelyn Lindsay!

**JUNIOR ROOM**

**RYDER WILSON**

for wonderful writing and completing it on time.

**SENIOR ROOM**

**LUCY DUDER**

for excellent acting and preparation for the production.

**CLAYTON HOYES**

for knowing his production lines, and other people's and supporting others to learn.

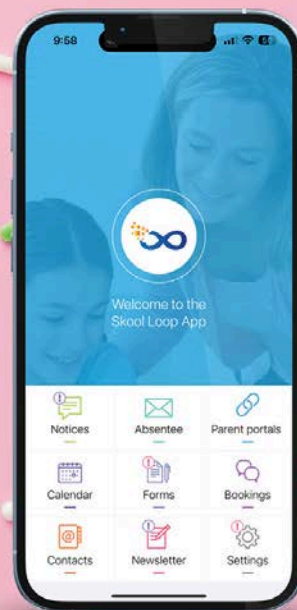
**RAIN TIANGSON**

for excellent effort in handwriting, maths, writing and structured literacy.

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Saturday 13 September 2025, 9am-12pm at our **Otorohanga clinic**  
Saturday 20 September 2025, 9am-12pm at our **Te Kuiti clinic**

We'll have a BBQ running and a goodie bag for the children.

**Spaces are limited so call your nearest clinic now to book your spot.**

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