

Upcoming TRIPS and Activities

- Week 8 - Māori Whānau hui
- Week 8 - Matariki Expo
- Week 9 - Matariki Art Exhibition
- Week 9 - Matariki food plates
- Week 9 - Matariki Disco
- Week 10 - Senior School Zoo trip



ICE BLOCKS FOR SALE
Wednesday ONLY - \$1



SAUSAGE SIZZLE FOR SALE
Every Friday - \$2

Update Contact details

It is IMPORTANT that we have CORRECT contact phone numbers for parents or guardians in case of an emergency and for you to get important texts from the school. Please ensure you give us any updated numbers, including emergency contacts. You can do this by ringing the office on 266 8918 or by sending this slip into school.



STUDENT DETAILS UPDATED

Student Name: _____ Room _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____ Ph: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____ Ph: _____

Emergency Contact Name: _____ Ph: _____

Emergency Contact Name: _____ Ph: _____



Homai School Newsletter

Term 2, Week 7, 2018

Homai School Roll	Week 1	Week 3	Week 5	Week 7
	353	366	370	375



Message from

Mrs Tofilau-Principal (Acting)

Kia ora, Talofa lava, Malo e lelei, Ni sa bula vinaka, Namaste, Kia orana, Taloha ni, la orana, Fakaalofa lahi atu, 'Alii, Malo ni, Halo Olaketa, Mauri, Aloha mai e and warm Pacific Greetings.

REMINDER

On **Monday 18th June ALL TEACHERS** will attend a Paid Union Meeting. This meeting involves all of the schools across Manurewa. We are asking parents to support our teachers as they begin negotiations for improved working conditions. Please support our staff by picking up your child at **1pm on Monday 18th June**.

Progress and Achievement across the National Curriculum

The Ministry of Education is inviting all whanau to have their say about the direction of our Education system. This is the focus of a new reference group investigating progress and achievement.

We are inviting all whanau to get involved in a conversation about progress and achievement across the National Curriculum for years 1 to 10 – The New Zealand Curriculum and Te Marautanga o Aotearoa. Knowing how well students are achieving in literacy and numeracy, te reo matatini and pāngarau, is important. So is understanding each student's progress, big or small, across the wider curriculum – including key capabilities for success in life, learning and work.

We want to know what you think and we are wanting the Homai...

Mrs Tofilau's Message Continued...

Community to have a voice as the Ministry begins to plan forward. Please see the website below for the survey link.

<https://conversation.education.govt.nz>

We will open the Homai School Library with afternoon tea and devices available for parents/whanau to complete this survey on **Wednesday 20th June 2.30-3.30.**

School Uniform

At Homai we expect students to their school uniform every day with pride, please come to the school office to purchase good condition second hand uniforms. We have Kids Can jackets to give away to whanau to keep all of our students warm during Winter.

Bathsheba Tofilau

Acting Principal

Māori Whānau Consultation Hui

All Māori families and families with children in Te Moana Nui a Kiwa are invited to attend our whānau hui on **Tuesday 19th June at 5:30pm**, with refreshments at 5:10pm. Please ring the office or return your slip.



Class opening times and Breakfast Club -The school Library is open at 8am and Breakfast Club starts at 8.25am in the hall. School classrooms are open at 8.30am every morning. We encourage students to arrive at school early so they are able to get organised for the rest of the day. Thank you for your support.

Important Reminder: School Finishes at 1:00pm on Monday 18th June for the NZEI Union Meeting



H O M A I S C H O O L **Matariki Celebrations**

Matariki begins with the sighting of the Matariki cluster of stars and signifies the Māori New Year. We will be celebrating with a number of events in school that is open to all our families to come and enjoy. Please come and get involved!

Matariki Expo - Wednesday 20 June and Thursday 21 June

Families are welcome to join with their children to experience the activities in the hall. Please see your child's teacher for their class booking time. *We are looking for some parents to assist with making fried bread for these days. Please contact the office if you can help.*

Matariki Food Plates - Tuesday 26th June

Kai plates to be picked up between 2:00pm and 6:00pm from the hall. Order forms will be going out on Monday 18th June and must be returned by Monday 25th June.

Photo Sessions

Please see the separate flyer attached

Art Exhibition

The whole school has been working at an art piece to display at our School Art Exhibition. These special art pieces will be available to buy. The art exhibition will run from **Monday 25th June till 3:30pm, and on Tuesday 26th June till 6:00pm**

Matariki Disco - Thursday 28th June

A great evening of dancing with food and drink available. Flyer and ticket sales available from next Tuesday.