

Greetings to the Ongaonga Community, Kia Ora...

Welcome to the last week of Term 3.

New Kid on the Block

Welcome to Aonghus Anderson who has joined Room 1 as a new entrant.

Cluster Group Meetings

We are postponing Thursday's Cluster Group Meeting at Hardy's until next term, as the Facilitator is ill.

Families invited to this meeting were; Strang, Wall, Churchward, Guerin, Roys, Jackson, Hewlett - Mahar, Johansen, Harrison, Irvine, Hilson.

Mark McCutcheon Memorial Trophy

Paula McCutcheon has donated a trophy which will be presented at the end of each term. It will be for a student who has demonstrated;

- Friendliness, sincerity, respect and concern for others.
- A great willingness to work hard towards their goals with a strong ability to make good decisions.
- A keen interest in all aspects of the school curriculum.

Paula, Millie and Lucy will present this cup at this week's assembly on Friday.

CHB Science Fair

Great news Ongaonga School has done really well at this year's CHB Science Fair.

An outstanding result: Miro King was judged 1st in the Year 8 Living World section and judged as Best Project overall. Awesome Miro! Well done to all who entered an exhibit, the standard was extremely high.

Results:

Year 8 Living World

1st Miro King (Best Project in Science Fair)

Year 8 Technology

1st Bailey Chapman.
2nd Lan Johansen.

Year 7 Physical World

1st Hugh Marsh.
2nd Lynus Magee.
3rd Matt Hilson.

Year 8 Physical World

2nd Keeley Wilkinson-Piper.

Year 7 Living World

Highly Commended Sarah Harrison. Well done to Mrs Tamara Douglas and Mr Laurie Gordon for your efforts in guiding these budding scientists.

Principal's Question for The Week

Here's the Principal's Question.

Last week's question - Which international Food/TV personality recently wore a Burkini at Bondi Beach?

Well done to Theresa Beamish family for the correct answer.

This week's question: - Which artist designed the cover of the HB Phonebook for 2011?

Final Word

Have a refreshing and safe holiday. See you all on the Monday, 1st of August.

"Make short the miles with talk and smiles." **Michael Lewis, Principal**

DP's Corner...

Celebration Book / Learning Journey

Following Interviews, we are sending home each child's Celebration Book (previously called the Learning Journey). Rooms 2 and 4 have sent these home this week and Rooms 3, 5 and 6 will follow suit in Week 1 of next term. A lot of work goes into these books and we hope that you enjoy sharing and discussing your child's progress, strengths and achievements.

Like you, the staff at Ongaonga School, want to maximise your child's progress.

A good way to do this is through a strong partnership between home and school. If you have any queries or concerns, please make an appointment to come in and talk to your child's teacher.

Anne Frater

Deputy Principal

Sports News Continued...

Soccer Draws for 16th July

Please note: Some games are replays of previous games missed due to weather.

5/6 Report: Action packed game! All played excellently with first half ending 0 - 0.

POD - Harry Wilson for an awesome attitude & great defense. Loss 4 - 0 to Pukehou.

5/6 Ongaonga vs Tiko on Field 2 at 9am.

7/8 Report

Ahoy! Look ye off the stern, 7/8 Onga (0) - Pukeho (1) - What a game. Whilst their defence and goal keeper kept you all very busy, you all played very well. Good use of heading the ball and passing between the team mates this week. Let's work on improving our defense this week. POD - Jobe Grant. Powder Monkey Jobe to bring oranges and apples 1/4 this week.

Coach Simon Osborne

7/8 Onga/Sherwood has a BYE this week. (Round 5 replay).

9/10 Onga/Tiko/Flem vs Wpuk on Field 3 at 9am. (Round 1 replay).

11+ Onga/Sherwood vs Wpuk on Field 1 at 10.30am. (Round 1 replay).

Cricket Coaching

On the 26th and 28th of July, during the 2nd week of the holidays there will be 2 cricket coaching sessions taking place at the AW Parsons Stadium.

They will be held between 4pm and 6pm on those days at a cost of \$15 per night. They will be open to 8-14 year olds.

Please contact Mike Lewis for details.

Round 7 Netball Draw for 16th July

Netball fees are now due. Please pay ASAP to the school office. A & B are \$13 and C & D are \$5.

A Shots vs Puk/Arg Kiwis on Court 1 at 9am.

B Shots vs St Josephs Rockets on Court 3 at 10.10am.

C Shots vs St Josephs Comets on Court 4 at 10.10am.

D Shots have a BYE this week

Sports News, Results & Draws

Please ensure children have a plastic bag to put any wet gear in and bring boots and safety gear to practice on Fridays.

Listen to Central FM for cancellations. Look at the Central FM's new website if you can't receive the broadcast.

Rugby Results & Draws for 16th July

U7 Report

Won against Waipawa. POD - Aonghus Anderson.

U7 (Rippa) - vs Takapau on Field 6 at 9am.

U9 Draw & Report

Awesome Club Day at Tikokino! Very harsh weather but a great game everyone! Please note there IS rugby this weekend. We play Waipawa on Field 3b at 9am. Plum King on oranges and lollies. Please ring me if you are going to be away.

Coach Hamish Bibby - 8566095

U9 - Onga vs Waipawa on Field 3B at 9am.

U 11 Report

It's a sign of a good team when they can have an off game and still come away with the win! There were a number of very good individual performances, however the team was a little flat overall in our 25 - 10 win over Central Earthworks (who beat us first game up) at the Onga Tiko Club day. The boys might be in for a bit of a rugged practice this week! POD - openside flanker, Abel King had an outstanding game securing a heap of ball, tackling and being in the oppositions face all game just like a much lighter Ritchie McCaw! Well done boys! Special thanks to all the Waipawa Club parents (other teams as well) who bought their kids out to support our club day and to Paul Cudby who refereed for us.

Coach Stu Gibson

U11 - Onga / Ypawa / Tiko vs Central Blue at Central Park at 10am.

Seniors - Waipuk Country (Onga) vs Otane / Wpawa at Central Park at 11am.

Thank You: The Onga - Tiko Rugby & Sports Club would like to thank the local communities for the great support shown towards the club day on Saturday.

Rippa Rugby

Congratulations to our three Rippa Rugby teams who competed in the tournament on Friday at Te Aute. Our year 3/4, 5/6 and 7/8 teams all came 2nd. All players were outstanding giving 100% and standing up to miserable conditions.

Thanks so much to coaches/managers and parents for your support.

An extra thank you to John Wall and Theresa Beamish, Lowri and Erin Baker and Anton and Cindy Marsh for overseeing these teams.

Sharyn Drylie.

Rugby Jerseys

All rugby jerseys used in Friday's Rippa Rugby Tournament need to be washed and returned to Miss Drylie this week to be marked off. These need to be returned for 7 A-Side organisation.

Sharyn Drylie

Upcoming Events

15th July	Last day of Term 2
1st August	First day of Term 3
10th August	7 A-Side
11th August	Cancellation date for 7 A - Side
11th August	Mathletics - Yr 5 - 6
18th August	Mathletics - Yr 7 - 8
18th August	Barefoot's 7's

Office News

- * **Rugby Jerseys:** All rugby jerseys used in Fridays Rippa rugby tournament need to be washed and returned to Miss Drylie this week to be marked off. These need to be returned for 7 A-Side organization.
- * **Senior Camp Refunds:** The final cost of camp has come to \$90 per pupil. As most of the students paid more than this, you will have several options with your refund.
- * **Netball Fees:** These are due now and are as follows - A & B Grade - \$13 each, C & D Grade - \$5 each. Please pay ASAP at the school office.

Room 1 Story

*We went to the movies and it was fun.
We ate popcorn and we watched
Lightning McQueen and we watched
Transformers. The screen was big!
By Noah Winchester.*

Ongaonga School 7 A Side

Thank you to those parents who have offered to help with time keeping. We do still need more help. If you are able to do this, please return the form below to the office. We appreciate the support of the Ongaonga Community at this event.

ONGAONGA 7-ASIDE

10th August

7-ASIDE TIMEKEEPING/SCORING

Yes, I am available to help with timekeeping and scoring. I would prefer to be with this sport. (please tick).

- Netball
- Junior Soccer
- Senior Soccer
- Junior Rugby
- Senior Rugby
- Hockey
- No preference

- I would prefer
- 10.30am -12.00pm
- 12.00noon -1.30pm
- I can stay 10.30am to 1.30pm

Name _____

Gym Leotards

Please could all Elementary girls A & B gym outfits be washed and returned by this Friday, 15th June to Kyla at school.
Thank you.

Horse Floats Needed For Onga 7 A-Side:

We need 19 horse floats for the children to put their gear in. If you can bring an empty horse float along for the day, Please ring Kelly Bibby on 8566095. Thanks heaps.



When: Every fortnight on a Wednesday.

Next session: Today, 13th July

Where: Onga Hall (Kids will be walked there from school and given afternoon tea).

Times: 3.30pm - 5pm. Parents to collect at this time please.

Cost: Gold coin entry.

ANNUAL 7 A-SIDE

Wednesday, 10th August

The 7 A - Side is coming up -

Wednesday, 10th August.

Please can families get behind this fundraiser. We have 19 schools, YES 19, coming and we usually run BBQs, sell hot food etc.

We always need help.

Please fill in if you haven't already and send back to school office before this Friday, 15th July.

As in the past, every family will also be rung to see where they can help.

If you have any questions please phone

Family Name.....

Slices (uncut) Baking

Ice Cream container
grated carrot

Ice Cream container
cheese

Ice Cream container
chopped onion

1kg precooked sausages

\$ donation

Help set up tents the day
before

Help on the day 9 - 11am

Help on the day 11 - 1pm

Help on the day 1 - 3pm

Community Notices

Ongaonga Hall AGM: This will be held on Wednesday, 3rd August at 7pm at the Hall. All welcome.

House to Let: Four bedroom home in Bridge St, Ongaonga. Please ph 04 3844719 after hours.

Missing: Thick, black & grey hooded sweatshirt. Fluffy black lining in hood. Senior size. Lost about 3wks ago. If you have seen this please let Hadyen Long in Room 6 know.

Lost: Size 12 or 14 blue, school track-pants at the Rippa rugby Tournament last Friday. These are not named, but if you have gained a pair, please return to David Parker. Thanks.

Puppies: 7wk old healthy puppies. Male and female. 2 brindle, 4 black and white. Huntaway/staffy cross. Ready now. Please see Diane at office or phone 8566659 evenings.

Found: In school playground ladies dress ring. Small. See Diane at office.

Found: Black "aerial" sunglasses in front school garden. At office.

Lost: New hand knitted brown Guernsey style jersey. This was lost some time ago, but perhaps someone has seen it? Return to Summer Winchester in Room 3 please.

Farm Work Wanted: Fencing, crutching & shepherding. 3 days casual or permanent required. Ph: 0212 988 226.

For Sale: Strawberry plants \$1 each. Plant now for yummy berries this summer! Phone Annie on 8566624.

Christmas Lily Bulbs for sale. 50c each. Phone Lorianne on 8566504.

Tikokino Women's Institute: Soup & bun luncheon on Thurs, 4th August at Tikokino Hall at 11.30am. Cost \$7.50 per person. Please ring Margaret on 8566870 if you are interested.

Zumba with Louise: 4 week initial course at Sherwood Hall on Thursdays at 5.30pm. Start of Term 3 - 4th, 11th, 18th & 25th August. \$25 for the 4 sessions (\$6.25 per session) or \$7 per casual session. \$3 per session for school/college students. More information or to book, contact Megan on 8556865 or email Skovland@xtra.co.nz

For Sale: Coloured piglets for sale. \$65 each. Phone on 0273601702.

Principal — Michael Lewis

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