# Matauri Bay School

Matauri Bay School will deliver a supportive interactive learning environment where all are challenged to fulfill their potential in the world.



#### Pānui Week 1 Term 3 2021

## Principal Kōrero

#### Tēnā koutou e te whānau,

Ka nui te mahi o te wahanga nei. He ataahua te kite ngā painga me te piki o ngā akoranga o ngā tamariki i runga i te akomanga i runga i ngā wahi kē. Kia kaha rā tātou. A busy start to term 2 with some important kaupapa and enjoyable learning for the children

# **Maromaku Sports Day**

Our school participated in the Maromaku sports for rugby and netball for the first time in term 2. It is a very well supported event that draws dozens of schools from the mid north. We sent a 3&4 Rippa Rugby team, a 7&8 Rugby 7's team and our 7&8 Netball team. All of the teams played with pride and sportsmanship. The children really enjoyed the day and we would like to thank the parents that made the trip to support our school. Definitely one to look forward to next year.

#### Matariki Mahi

Our students have been learning and doing lots of matariki arts and crafts this last half of the term. Whaea Rau, Trudie, Mārika and Matua Tiare have been taking their classes through different aspects of Matariki and the artwork is really neat. Whaea Carlyn also made a special little Matariki kai for her and Rita which I got to eat some of and I can attest that it was tasty kai.

## Kahui Akō day

A successful kahui akō day with Whangaroa College and Hato Hohepa was held on July 5th at the college. It began with a whakatau and then students broke into groups and participated in workshops teaching us all more about Whangaroa, its marae and kōrero o nehe rā. Thanks to the staff, students and parents who were able to make it on the day. Thanks to Whaea Rau who ran a workshop group that taught us all more about Whangaroa and the marae we all tātai to.

#### Weekend sports

Weekend sport is in full swing. We have a school netball team organised and coached by Whaea Trudie. We have players in the midgets, 8's, 9's, 13's and 14's for Kaeo. We also have students playing netball and rugby for other clubs which is great too. Please get out and support our tamariki when you can. We have some really talented players and it's great to see so many of our students and whānau involved. Keep it up e te whānau only a few weeks to go.

# Mauri ora kia tātou Jared Nordstrom

#### **Upcoming Calendar Events**

Parent/Teacher and student report evening Thursday 29th July 3.00pm to 6.00pm Class Whānau Hui

Wednesday 4th August

**BOT** meeting

Tuesday 3rd August

Teacher Only Days

None this term

AIMS Games 2021

September 5th - Friday September 10th

Winter Sports day

Friday 24 September

Term 3 Ends

Friday 1 October 2021 (12pm finish)

# Ngā mahi ō te wahanga nei

