



## Otorohanga Primary School

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### Coming Events...

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| Keeping Ourselves Safe (KOS)   | Weeks 7-9                    |
| Book Week - DEAR, read to our students <b>Character Dress up day</b> | Week 8<br><b>Friday 16th</b> |
| Otorohanga College matinee "One Night Only" Invite only              | 12pm 19 September            |
| Student-led hui & community consultation —Soup & Buns                | 20 Sept 2pm - 6pm            |
| BOT meeting  | 1:45pm 21 Sept               |
| <b>Final Celebration Assembly - Dance, Music, speeches</b>           | <b>Sept 22 2pm</b>           |
| Last day   | Sept 23                      |

### Celebrating Success

**Deep Sea Divers:** Lana Whiu

**Akomanga Rima:** Jacob Greenbank

**Super Heroes:** Brooklyn Tiori

**Newsletter return draw:** Narnia, Te Hanairo, Nevaeh, Xavier

### Special Mention

**Father's Day writing Competition:** Brooklyn Pye  
Aaliyah Thompson —thanks for helping out with so many jobs this week

**D'Angelo** - Perseverance and self control  
**Xavier Scott**—Overall speech winner

**Xavier, Jaspreet, Brae & Rico** congratulations for representing OPS so well during the Mathletics at Kikio.  
Your behaviour and manners were commented on.

### Lois' Principal Piece

Dear Parents/Whanau/Caregivers

A **HUGE** thank you to all of you who were able to come down and support our tamariki during our Father's Day and Speech presentations. Congratulations to **Brooklyn Pye** who won his dad the Fathers Day Duffy award. **Xavier Scott** who won the overall speech contest.

I would also like to take this opportunity to thank all of you who have engaged in our **Strategic Future Possibilities** feedback slip. It is very encouraging to read where we all want our students to be when they leave OPS.

Our whānau sharing hui (Student-led conferences) on Tuesday 20 September, will give you all another opportunity to have your say on the next steps and direction for OPS. For all those that actively participate will go into a draw to win a **\$100 Countdown voucher**. We have an action packed end to term 3 so please keep an eye on facebook, the calendar and notices coming home. Lois

### Caught Being Good

**Deep Sea Divers:** Syesha Sicely

**Akomanga Rima:** Jacob Greenbank

**Super Heroes:** Angel Greener



Every child in a kura needs to feel they belong.  
Every child needs to know that someone cares for them.



# Super Heroes



Superheroes have been learning about shapes. Here are some of the 2D and 3D shapes we have created.



Te Hanairo -Triangular Prism



Jake—Cube



Angel-Square based Pyramid



Jessica—Kite



Tumahuki-Rectangular Prism



Xavier-Trapezium



Brooklyn-Pentagonal Pyramid



Jasmine-Hexagon



Brae- Right-angle triangle



Josy- Hexagonal Pyramid



Rico- Octagon



Jaspreet- Hexagonal Prism





# Akomanga Lima



Christopher Greener, is excited to say his speech, 'All about his family'



Kaylx, preparing to share his speech on, 'device games I want to get good at.'



Narnia Rangi-Chase, getting to say her speech, 'Mother Nature'.



Logan Tioriori is keen to share his knowledge about his favourite game, 'amazing frog.'



Jade Rapana prepares to say her speech, 'how to be me'.



Kaylee Prescott, preparing to say her speech, 'When I get older I want to be the best female Mechanic in NZ.'



Jacob Greenbank, talks to the class about, 'Crasycraft'.

Some of Akomanga 5 students are preparing to say their speech to the class. Well done to all the students for being brave and stepping outside of their comfort zone.

# Notices of Importance

## DENTAL THERAPISTS Arrives: 19 September

If you wish to attend a family dental appointment with your child/children please ph 021 487 914 to make an appointment.

Alternatively ph **0800 825 583 (0800 TALK**

**TEETH)** Mobile Dental Unit 10.

All enrolled children will receive a dental check-up and may bring home consent forms that need to be completed and signed then returned to school as soon as possible. These forms are required before treatment can proceed.

## Asha Prasad rehabilitation fundraiser

Otorohanga Club - **1<sup>st</sup> October 4pm** \$20 per ticket

**Wanted:** any clothing or accessories (handbags, scarves, jewellery) in good condition for a hand-me-down sale and **fashion parade**.

Some items will be modelled and then auctioned off at the event.. Anything leftover will be donated to Brigids charity shop .

If you can help with this worthy cause please drop off any contributions to the Otorohanga i-SITE or Little Scissors

Coat hangers are also needed if you have any spare?  
Tickets on sale at the i-SITE

## Girl Guides and Brownies

Te Kuiti Scout and Guide hall **Mondays 4:30 - 6pm** Term time only

Come along to the next 2 and have a look. Sept 12th and 19th

## Waitomo Newspaper

delivery person required.

Are you interested?

Monday - Wednesday.

Must be reliable and committed.

Phone Mihi Carr 8737139  
or OPS office for more information

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1 ½ cup nuts    1 ½ cup dates  
¼ cup coconut    2 Tbsp peanut butter

Soak dates in hot water for 5mins.  
Drain water and keep separately.  
Blend all ingredients in food processor until mixed. If too dry use some date water.  
Roll into 15 balls. Store in fridge.



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## WANTED: CAN YOU HELP? WANTED: CAN YOU HELP?

Good Guys Hire is willing to lend us a water blaster for free. We need someone to come down and use it. We are wanting the picnic tables, stage and senior playground completed. Love to hear from you 😊😊😊. TIA

Please tear off and return to school so your child(ren) get a chance to go into the draw. Please write clearly.

I intend to be at the Student-led conferences **Yes / No**

I can waterblast on \_\_\_\_\_ (day) I can pick it up **Y / N** Ph: \_\_\_\_\_

I can come and read to a small group or class during Book week **Yes / No** on \_\_\_\_\_

We believe success looks like? \_\_\_\_\_

Child/ren for the ice block draw