



OPUA SCHOOL



Room 2 were challenged to show ways they could make 12 using what they could find in the maths area. They were not allowed to use pencils! They chose a buddy to work with and then rose to the challenge by finding numerous ways to display 12. We then had time to look at and learn from other groups' ideas.



Advertising Space Rentals

The two year agreements for the advertising panel spaces on our fence are coming up for renewal soon. These are a vital way of trying to raise some extra money to support projects at school for the direct benefit of the children. We see these as community-orientated and mutually beneficial to the school and to local businesses. We will have a minimum of two panel spaces coming available. If you are interested in acquiring one, we are keen first to offer this opportunity to Opua businesses that have a direct relationship with the school [via, for example, owners having children at school]. If you are interested, please pop in to see me at school or send me an email [principal@opua.school.nz] and I will send you all the details.



VET CLINIC RECIPE

Begin with a room full of caring vets
and a dose of animals in need of help.

This will make it packed.

Also squeeze in some dog trainers.

Add a teaspoon of hope

And a cup full of cuddly fur.

Mix with a spoon of open hearts and caring
owners -a drop of tears is optional.

For added love give a large pounding heart

Next ,stir in some happy dogs' friends or some
tasty treats.

In order to bake ,pour in a teaspoon of flea powder and a drip of
shampoo

Bake for 30 minutes until you hear excited barks

And serve with some toys and food.



By Annie

THE WILD BOAR

As the ferocious boar charged towards us, he sniffed suspiciously,
suddenly he was slowing down 10 feet from us. The muddy hill
we stood on was so steep and slippery he couldn't stop! Soon he
was 8 feet away then 6, 4, 2...

Automatically we split up and jumped straight into the long
overgrown grass on both sides of the dirt track. The boar skidded
straight passed our hiding places and slid to a halt a few metres
away. He crouched down and trotted towards us, re-tracing his
steps, sniffing the path with his large, upturned snout. His small
beady, black eyes were narrowed with concentration as he came
closer and closer...

By Rosa

KEEPING OURSELVES SAFE

This is a notice letting you know about our upcoming teaching unit Knowing What To Do - Me Mohio Kea Pehea, which is part of the personal safety programme Keeping Ourselves Safe. Please read this information and keep an eye out for the activities which will be coming home next week.

Keeping Ourselves Safe has been designed to give children the skills to cope in situations involving abuse. It has three overall aims:

1. to develop and strengthen children's skills to keep themselves safe with other people;
2. to support and encourage abused children to get help from caring adults;
3. to make teachers and parents more aware of the need to keep children safe from abuse by adults or other children.

Knowing What to Do Me Mohio Kia Pehea will be taught by your child's teacher, with help from the local Police Education Officer as required.

To be successful, Keeping Ourselves Safe needs your help and support.

Your child will have Home Book Activities to work on with you. You will also get a copy of a publication Keeping Kids Safer, which will give you information about child abuse.

It is important that you participate as much as possible and talk to your child about what they have been learning. This will help reinforce the messages the school is giving, and help your child to use his or her new skills with confidence.

If you have any queries please do not hesitate to pop in and see a teacher or Simon.

NETBALL DRAW

Lady Birds V DDF Divas
10.30 Court 7

HOCKEY

SATURDAY 10th June 2017
OPUA v SPRINGBANK
11 AM

Please be there 20 mins before start.

Friday training as usual

THIS FRIDAY - TOTORA SHARING 2-3PM

ALL WELCOME

19TH - 23RD JUNE - KEEPING OURSELVES
SAFE WITH CONSTABLE ROB.

WHOLE SCHOOL

27TH JUNE - BAY OF ISLANDS COLLEGE
VISITS YEAR 8S - PARENTS WELCOME!

11.30-12.30

29TH JUNE MATARIKI DAY -
WHOLE SCHOOL - HELPERS NEEDED

PLEASE

30TH JUNE - MAROMAKU RUGBY NETBALL
DAY - HELPERS NEEDED PLEASE

5TH JULY - PARENT TEACHER EVENING

SCHOOL LUNCHES

WEDNESDAY - MEAL OF THE DAY
SOMETHING DELICIOUS! \$2.50

PLEASE REMEMBER TO BRING
A CUP/BOWL AND SPOON FOR YOUR LUNCH.

FRIDAYS - SAUSAGE 'N' BREAD
\$2.50

PLEASE PAY AT THE SCHOOL OFFICE BEFORE 9AM.

THANK YOU TO BEN AND HELEN FOR PROVIDING YES-
TERDAY'S DELICIOUS BOIL-UP, BY ALL ACCOUNTS
THE MEAL WAS DELICIOUS! IF YOU ARE ABLE TO HELP
PLEASE COME INTO THE SCHOOL OFFICE TO DISCUSS.

EXPENSES CAN BE REFUNDED

PLEASE CHECK YOUR CHILD'S UNIFORM
LABELS TO SEE IF THEY DO INDEED
BELONG TO THEM.

AMONGST OTHERS, WE ARE ON THE LOOKOUT
FOR A NEW, SIZE 6 JUMPER WITH THE INITIALS

SH ON THE TAG.

IF YOU FIND IT PLEASE HAND IT INTO THE
SCHOOL OFFICE OR GIVE TO SCARLETT.

THANK YOU!

SCHOOL SHARING - FRIDAY FROM 2 - 3PM. TOTORA
HOUSE WILL BE SHARING THEIR WORK WITH EVERY-
ONE. ALL PARENTS/CAREGIVERS/GRANDPARENTS/
FAMILY MEMBERS ARE WELCOME TO COME ALONG!