

LINTON COUNTRY SCHOOL

‘Learning Together For Success’

Ka ako tahi kia angituu



TERM 2 | WEEK 10 | 5TH JULY 2019

NEWSLETTER

LEARNERS NEWS

Dear Parents/Caregivers



Introducing Meka and Kayla, (with ‘Jet’ the school labrador) our newly appointed producers of our school newsletter. Well done girls we look forward to seeing what features you create with your innovative strengths!



Welcome to our newest student, Ezykiel. We hope you enjoy your time at Linton Country School, as we do!

The younger children have been collaboratively working together to identify and classify shapes according to their attributes.



Here Ezykiel and Trey are identifying shapes in our school playground. Great work Ezy and Trey!



Trey, Harley and Chloe discussing the attributes of their shapes and sorting.



Well done Hannah, you’ve earned your bronze medal for completing your mathematics tasks and earning points.

On the 9th of May 2019 Kayla and Alexander participated in the swimming sports at Linton Military Camp. They reported it was an amazing experience. The following table shows their results. They did Linton Country School proud.

STUDENTS CONSISTENTLY DEMONSTRATING OUR VALUES

**Kayla, Animeka,
Hannah & Ezy**

Demonstrating

**Team Work -
Whakawhanungatanga**

**Respect -
Whakaute**

**Creativity -
Auahatanga**

**Perseverance -
Manawanui**

**Love of Learning -
Arohhatia mataranga**

LEARNERS NEWS CONTINUED...

Alexander:
25m Freestyle 1st
25m Backstroke 1st
25m Breaststroke 1st
75m Medley 1st
50m Freestyle 1st

Kayla:
25m Freestyle 1st
25m Backstroke 1st=
25m Breaststroke 1st
75m Medley 2nd
50m Freestyle 1st

Good Job Kayla and Alexander!

This term we have been learning about static electricity. We did some amazing and crazy experiences. First we experienced rubbing balloons in our hair. Our hair turned all crazy and it stuck up in the air. We thought we all looked like Albert Einstein!



We also did some artwork relating to electricity. We all love our wonderful artwork!



While we were doing our artwork we learned how to put things into perspective. If we wanted to make it look like it was in the distance we drew our power poles smaller or if we wanted them to appear close we made them bigger.

By Animeka



By Hannah



By Kayla



We have a construction room next to our main class room where we play and create. There are a selection of dress ups where we often make up our own plays and dramas. We also have a selection of lego where we can create structures. Currently one of our students is building a sports stadium. We have a selection of farm animals and utilities that support our imaginative play. Jewellery making is a large component of this room too. We all love creating in there! We also have a table outside for wood work which is part of the construction room. So far the students have constructed things like skateboards, seats and string artwork connecting to nails.



LEARNERS REPORT CONTINUED...

This term we have created a nice garden bed ready for planting and have planted beetroot, lettuce and marigold. We have planted marigolds to eliminate the bugs.

Thelma volunteers to help us with our garden. She is a lovely lady and is someone who came in and believed we could make our garden better. She comes in every fortnight to help us weed and teaches us to know more about vegetables and plants. We really thank Thelma for all her hard work.



Also this term Thelma came into school and brought Carol her friend to help teach us how to make lavender buddies. These were made from socks and stuffed with hobby fill and a mixture of lavender and rice and other things nice. We had to plait wool for the arms, twist pipe cleaners for the hair, attach rope for the legs and glue on eyes and other craft decorations. The smell of lavender filled the classroom and made us all feel really calm. Thelma and Carol thank you so much for coming in and giving up your time to teach us how to make lavender buddies, we had so much fun.

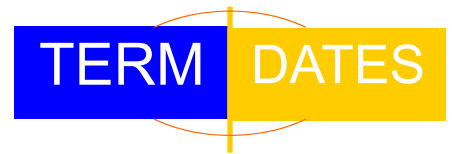


Happy and safe holidays!

Katy Marsh, Claire Gregory, Karen Lett and Rochelle Pratt



Hararei hari! - Happy holidays!



School Dates 2019

Term 3: Monday 22 July - Friday 27 September

Term 4: Monday 14 October - Friday 13 December

WHAT'S ON?

BOT Meeting
29th July

Tough Guy/Gal
Challenge
2nd August

Kind Hearts Event
14th August

SCHOOL NEWS

BOT News

Kia ora LCS community

I'm sure you will all join me in congratulating our new board, welcome back to Nick, Claire, Graham and Judy and welcome too Nicole and Martin, I look forward to working with you all to sustain and grow LCS. Our first meeting will be in term 3 and we will keep you well informed of our new and pursuing directions in the coming months. Huge thanks to Jo, Mark and Robyn for their dedication and service over the last few years, LCS would not be where it is today without your commitment and love for our little country school. Arohanui

LCS BOT Chair

Vanessa Brougham

PET & CRAFT DAY TROPHIES

Reminder for all pet and craft day trophies, could you please return these to school as soon as possible cleaned and ready for the next recipient please.



REPORTS

Reports will be sent home on Friday.

Student lead conferences will be held early next term.



SWIMMING RESULTS

CLUSTER SWIMMING SPORTS

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25m Freestyle **1st**
25m Backstroke **1st**
25m Breaststroke **1st**
75m Medley **1st**
50m Freestyle **1st**

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25m Backstroke **1st**
25m Breaststroke **1st**
75m Medley **2nd**
50m Freestyle **1st**

Congratulations fantastic!

FOR SALE

FIREWOOD

We still have firewood for sale. If you know of anyone who wants firewood please contact the office or Graham Irvine on 0212345736 as soon as possible.

Every dollar raised is a help to our school!

SCHOOL VALUES

Values:

Our School Values have been developed through consultation with all stakeholders. These values are intended to form the foundation of our curriculum and foster the attitudes of our lifelong learners.

**Love of learning -
Arohatia matauranga**

**Fun & enjoyment -
Rekareka**

**Team Work -
Whakawhanungatanga**

**Respect -
Whakaute**

**Creativity -
Auahatanga**

**Perseverance -
Manawanui**

TE REO

**TE RERENGA
KŌREREO O TE WIKI**

**PHRASE OF THE
WEEK**

**He ngahau te
kura!
School is fun!**

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