



FAIRFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parent / Caregiver,
Kia ora, Malo e lei lei, Talofa, Salaan alaykum,
Sues-Day,
A warm welcome to all our new students and families:
Javontae, Romeo, Sharika, Tony and He-Kotahi.

MAORI TIKANGA WEEK

Tikanga week at Fairfield Primary kicked off with karakia on Monday morning. Activities during the week have included waiata, crafts, games and teachers sharing their mihi with the students. Room 10's retelling of Maui and the Sun captivated their audiences on Thursday. Today was a huge day of celebration with kapahaka, a powhiri, a whole school shared lunch and karakia to end of the week.

A big thanks to all our whanau who assisted with the kai to our staff for all their contributions during the week



Room 10 –retelling Maui and the Sun



Monday morning karakia



Powhiri on Friday



Class rotations
Room 6
Rakau sticks

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Year 5 Girls

Freestyle 1st Sharleen, 2nd Noame, 3rd Darlene
Backstroke 1st Sharleen, 2nd Precious, 3rd Noame
Breaststroke 1st Shaquila, 2nd Precious, 3rd Darlene

Year 6 Girls

Freestyle 1st Juahn, 2nd Tearoa, 3rd Fushia
Backstroke 1st Cecilia, 2nd Juahn, 3rd Fushia

Senior Swimming

Year 5 Boys

Freestyle 1st Hikairo, 2nd Tiyrhin, 3rd Kotuku
Backstroke 1st Hayden H, 2nd Hikairo, 3rd Ngatai
Breaststroke 1st Hikairo, 2nd Tamehana, 3rd Ngatai

Year 6 Boys

Freestyle 1st Izaeus, 2nd Alex, 3rd Uru
Backstroke 1st Dylan, 2nd Izaeus, 3rd Uru

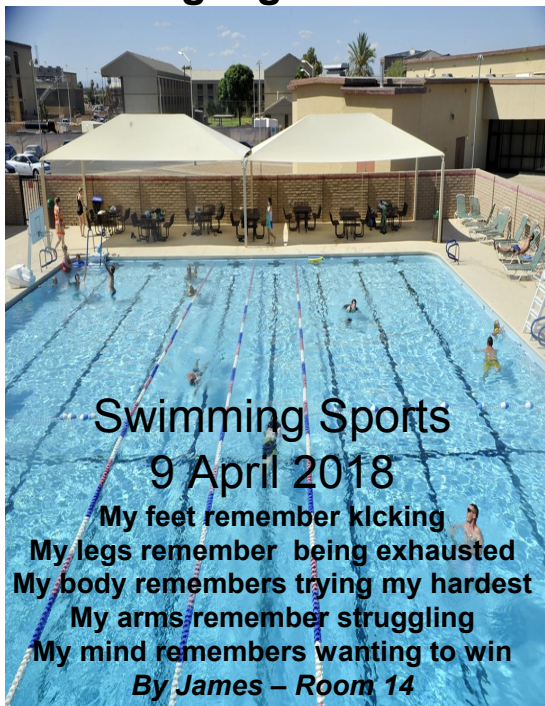


Swimming Sports House results:

1st Tangaroa, 2nd Tane,
3rd Tawhirimatea, 4th Ruaumoko



Highlights from our swimming season



Swimming Sports

9 April 2018

My feet remember kicking
 My legs remember being exhausted
 My body remembers trying my hardest
 My arms remember struggling
 My mind remembers wanting to win
 By James – Room 14

I love swimming because Whaea Jacqui taught us breaststroke. She lets us have five minutes free time and she lets us dive into the water. The best, best, best part of swimming was free time, diving and breaststroke. The part I hated was doggy paddling, kicking and splashing. Once we swam with three classes and that was Room six, Room eighteen and Room three. Whaea Jacqui even taught us backstroke and freestyle. I love breaststroke because it helps me swim better.

I think I got better and better at it. We learned torpedo kicks, and breathing techniques and I think I practiced all those skills. When we all had to get out of the pool we shivered to the changing shed. Whaea Jacqui was proud of Lilah-Jane because she got dressed first!

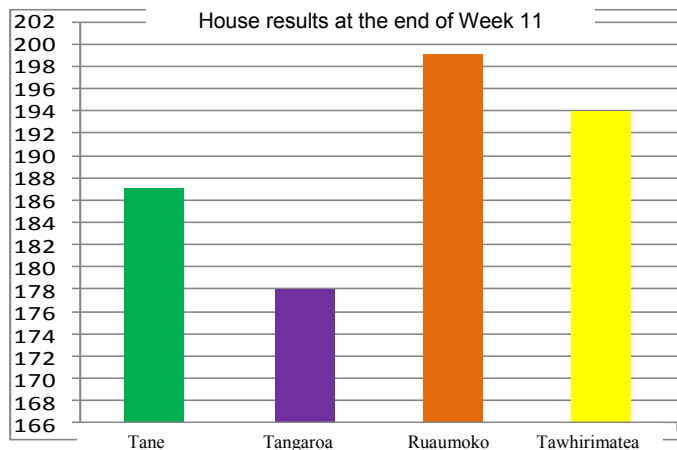


What I loved about swimming the most was diving into the water like a torpedo and then kick like a dolphin. I learnt how to do three new things. The first one was I learnt how to dive into the water like a dolphin. The second one is I learnt how to backstroke like my brother. The last thing I learnt was life saving skills. Rikki taught us life-saving skills. We had to wear pants and a t-shirt. It was so hard to swim with pants on. First Vinsen saved me by using a noodle and then I saved him. I had to use a rope to save him. We had to make coils so we could throw it out further. It was so weird wearing pants and a t-shirt. If we got to swim in winter I would improve on backstroke.



**TERM 1 ENDS TODAY
 FRIDAY 13TH APRIL
 TERM 2 STARTS
 MONDAY 30TH APRIL AT 8:40AM**

A huge thank you to all the parents/caregivers who came along to the Waikato show with the Junior and Middle school last Friday. Without your assistance, this trip would not have been



**CONGRATULATIONS RUAUMOKO
 HOUSE WINNERS FOR TERM 1**



FAIRFIELD LEARNER VALUES

The following students have won a goodie bag in our weekly Fairfield Learner Values draw.

Week 10 Meela-Grace - Room 12 - I always give my

best

Week 11 Romeo - Rm 15 - I never give up, even when its hard

JUNIOR SCHOOL WEEKLY "ON TIME" ATTENDANCE INCENTIVE

All Junior children who arrive at school on time for the week go into a prize draw.

Congratulations to:

Week 11 winners Harlem - 15

FAIRFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOLS ENROLMENT SCHEME

A reminder that our enrolment scheme takes effect from the beginning of Term 2 2018. (30th April)

Details of the scheme are available at the school office and also on our school website. www.fairfieldprimary.school.nz

All new In-Zone enrolments must now provide specific documents showing proof of address. This can be a current power bill, tenancy agreement, Sales and purchase agreement or other utility bills.

Please talk to the office if you have any queries regarding enrolment.

Kind regards

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