



## Welcome Back

Welcome back to another busy term. We hope you all enjoyed the holiday break. We have a few new families that have started with us this term. We hope they settle in well. If you have any questions, please pop into the office or give us a call 06 377 5297.

A reminder that school starts at 8.45am so students must be here by then. Any students coming to school late must come to the office for a late stamp. Parents, please call our office and leave a message if your child/children are absent 06 377 5297 or text 027 711 9021 with child's name/room/reason for absence, or you can also send a note with a brother or sister.

If a child is absent and we are unable to make contact with a parent, a notice will be sent home upon your child's return reminding parents of the Laws regarding Truancy and Truancy Services could be notified.

## School Photos

Our school photos will be taken on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> August. Envelopes will be sent home this week.

## MPS AWARDS

### House Winners for Term 2:

Takahe House - each student received an iceblock.

### Playground award winners for Week 10:

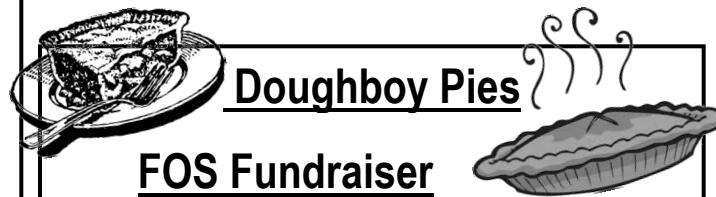
Anthony Whittaker Room 4, Jesse Reade Room 4 and Gabbrielle McLaren Room 7.

### Overall Term Winner was:

Lennix Thompson Room 13 who received a \$50 Masterbowl Voucher.

## Grocery Raffle Winner

Congratulations to Jane Ammundsen who won the MPS Grocery Raffle last term. Thank you to everyone who purchased tickets. All funds raised go towards our Year 6 Camp.



## Doughboy Pies

### FOS Fundraiser

Yes, these amazing Pies are back!! Order forms coming home today. All order forms to be returned no later than Monday 20<sup>th</sup> August 2018.

## Lucky Book Club

Lucky Book Club pamphlets coming home today. Orders are due back by Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> August.

## WHAT'S HOT - ENVIRO SPOT

Travis Paterson-Baker & Stevie Walczak

For collecting rubbish when Mr Feringa was away.

## Calendar of Events

- Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> August
- Wed 8<sup>th</sup> August
- Wed 12<sup>th</sup> & Thurs 13<sup>th</sup> Sep
- Friday 21<sup>st</sup> September
- Thurs 27<sup>th</sup> September
- Friday 28<sup>th</sup> September

School Photos  
Ball Skills Tournament Seniors  
Learning Conferences  
Whanau Day  
MPS Disco 4.30-6.00pm  
Last Day of Term 3

This week's assembly is run by:  
**Room 5**  
Friday 12.00pm  
Parents/Whanau  
Welcome.

PLEASE REMEMBER TO CALL/TEXT THE OFFICE IF STUDENTS ARE GOING TO BE AWAY. ALL LATE STUDENTS MUST COME TO THE OFFICE FOR A LATE STAMP. PLEASE DO NOT BE LATE!

## Student Achievement

I have been going to the Mens shed with Mike.

It's a place where you can build with wood.

My first project was a tool box, then a periscope and after that a stool.

My latest project is a woodworking bench for the juniors because they needed a new one.

Mike got the wood ready and my jobs were

- Sanding the wood with a belt sander
- Cutting the shelf corners with a jig saw
- Using a battery powered drill for the screw pilot holes
- Using an impact driver to screw everything together.
- And using a hot wire to write my name on it

It took 4 weeks to make and it's been a really cool project. Using the impact driver was the best!!!

Have fun using the bench I hope you enjoy it!!!

By Ja'Zaiyah Nootai



During our assembly last term Ja'Zaiyah Nootai with his mentor Mike Purcell present Room 9 with the woodworking bench.

## MPS HOCKEY DRAW

Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> July  
MPS Navy Sticks V St Pats Paddys  
5.05pm - JNLQ2

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> July  
MPS Jade Sticks have a bye this week.

## Treasure Island

Ahoy! Ready for some adventure? Then heave to me hearties, hoist the Jolly Roger and plunder that treasure! Join The Pantaloons and Jim Hawkins aboard the good ship Hispaniola for a swashbuckling tale of high drama, low cunning, villainous skullduggery and packed with jokes and mayhem! Plenty of audience participation, singing and dancing in this perfectly piratical pantomime!

Adapted from the classic children's story by Robert Louis Stephenson.  
Carterton Events Centre, Aug 5<sup>th</sup> at 10am & 11.45am

To book your tickets: [www.eventfinda.co.nz](http://www.eventfinda.co.nz)

**Sleep...** Getting enough quality sleep is important for good health and wellbeing throughout life. Sleep helps to restore energy and supports healthy brain function as well as growth and development.

Not getting enough sleep can have a negative effect on behaviour, learning, health and weight. There are some simple things that we can do to get more sleep—for example a recent report *"The Sleep and Mental Wellbeing Report - VicHealth and the Sleep Health Foundation"* found that teenagers who put their smartphones down one hour before bed gained an extra 21 minutes of sleep per night, and an hour and 45 minutes over the school week.

## Are you getting enough sleep?

Age	Recommended hours of sleep (over 24 hour period)
Newborns : 0-3 months	14 to 17
Infants: 4-11 months	12 to 15
Toddlers: 1-2 years	11 to 14
Pre-schoolers: 3-5 years	10 to 13
School-aged children: 6-13 years	9 to 11
Teenagers: 14-17 years	8 to 10
Young adults/adults: 18-25/26-64 years	7 to 9
Older adults: ≥65 years	7 to 8

## LUNCH ORDERS

### WEDNESDAY

**MPS Hotdogs**  
\$3.50 each  
Orders taken at the office  
Wednesday morning  
8.15am-8.45am  
NO LATE ORDERS

### THURSDAY

#### Subway

You can order online [www.subway.co.nz](http://www.subway.co.nz), select 'order online' the 'School Lunch Programme', you will need to register.  
or collect an envelope from our school office.  
**Mini subs \$3.00 - \$3.70**  
**6 inch subs \$4.00 to \$5.20**

### FRIDAY

#### Healthy Heart Tick Pies

**\$3.50 each**  
**Potato Top and Mince.**  
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