



PRINCIPALS PEN

This week we have seen lots of **LEGENDs** getting '**organised**' for our school athletics in a couple of weeks. This year, athletics will be held on site and Matua John has been so '**determined**' to get the track and field '**organised**' for the day. We have had Kelly Sports on site supporting classrooms by teaching the proper techniques needed for safety as well as giving our **LEGENDs** a solid basis to develop more skills from. We have the athletics banners up for grabs for each year group and the house banners are looking pretty close at the moment!

Next week, we will have some **staff LEGENDs** attend the hikoi on Tuesday in Wellington. If your whānau is attending and your **LEGEND(s)** are attending and will be away, please make contact with the office. There will be lots of opinions about what is happening within Aotearoa. As a school, our focus for the last 3 years has been around Te Tiriti and how we honour Te Tiriti in our classrooms, in our learning programmes and in our kura. We have worked hard with Rangitāne to ensure pūrākau have been incorporated into all our learning and your **LEGEND** will be able to talk to you all about Whangai Mokopuna. You would have seen this in some of the Seesaw posts, through our school panui and the learning being shared. We have also had 7 staff attend a conference in Waitangi this year and I was fortunate to travel overseas to places of significance following the waka migration.

A FRIENDLY REMINDER FROM OUR ROAD PATROLLERS

Road patrollers place the cones over the yellow lines, so this is just a reminder to not park over the cones while dropping off your **LEGENDs**. It is illegal to stop or park on a broken yellow line. This helps to keep all our **LEGENDs** safe.

TEACHER ONLY DAY LAST WEEK

Our **staff LEGENDs** had a great day of professional learning. We began the day in groups cooking fried bread and steam pudding so that we could all teach this confidently in the classrooms. We learnt about the Polynesian Panthers, the alignment with Ngā Tamatoa, learnt more about Whaea Leianas trip and how this will support the teaching and learning next year. We spent the afternoon unpacking more of our learning around Kupe and then brainstorming all the learning experiences that could come through science, social sciences, maths, reading, writing, health / physical education, digital technology and histories curriculum. We have some great ideas for learning for next year and have the time now to find the most effective resources.

YEAR 6 LEGENDS MOVING ON TO INTERMEDIATE FOR 2025

With only a few short weeks left with our Year 6 **LEGENDs**, whānau please make sure you have them all enrolled at their new school for next year. If you need any help with this, please make contact with their classroom kaiako.

Golden Tickets – Congratulations to these students who were drawn from our **LEGEND** box this week....

L – Aurora Rm 4, Achaius Rm 13, Lexus Rm 8, Alicia Rm 9

E – Lucy Rm 6, Aaliyah Rm 9, Zariah Rm 6

G – Taylen Rm 11, Aaliyah Rm 12, Rico Rm 4, Kruz Rm 3, Sicarius Rm 12

E – Logan Rm 13, George Rm 12

N – Journey Rm 7, Phoenix Rm 9, Aria Rm 2

D – Charlotte Rm 4



ISPORT SPORTS BALLS

Westpac in partnership with iSPORT are delighted to announce that our school has won a box of sports balls due to Maggie Leota's thoughtful nomination of Matua Tyson and it is a testament to the positive impact he is having on our **LEGENDs**, and Westpac is so pleased to support his efforts. *'Matua Tyson from Cloverlea School, Palmerston North Matua Tyson is not only an inspiration to the kids in the classroom but also shares his love for sports outside of the classroom with the kids of Cloverlea School. He's super positive, encouraging, kind, caring, big energy with a great sense of humour that provides kids a fun and safe environment when engaging in sports with Matua Tyson.'* #Legendary Nominated by Maggie Leota

NGĀ KAUPAPA E HAERE AKE NEI
Coming Up 

UPCOMING EVENTS

- 29 NOVEMBER** Last day for 2025 ballot
- 29 NOVEMBER** Athletics day
- 3 DECEMBER** Term 4 sports celebration
- 6 DECEMBER** Year 6 road patrollers reward
- 6 DECEMBER** Te Waipuna trip to the Esplanade
- 9 DECEMBER** Manawatū trip to Memorial Park
- 11 DECEMBER** Ruahine Year 6 Graduation celebration at the Lido
- 12 DECEMBER** Tararua final assembly
- 12 DECEMBER** Te Waipuna & Manawatū final assembly
- 13 DECEMBER** Ruahine final assembly

WE ARE LEGENDS!

BALLOT FOR CLOVERLEA SCHOOL

Just a reminder that the ballot for all year levels that have spaces closes on the 29th of November 2024.

The board has determined there will be 40 new entrant places, 2 spaces for year 2, 0 spaces for year 3, 8 spaces for year 4, 1 space for year 5 and 1 space for year 6.

Please come into the school office for a ballot form.

ATHLETICS DAY
FRIDAY 29 NOVEMBER

This year, due to the Massey track being renovated, we are holding our athletics day here at kura.

The day will begin with our house relays at 9.10am and then the athletic events will kick off from 9.30. There will be six events followed by the sprint finals with the aim to finish by 1.15pm.

Whānau are more than welcome to come down and watch their tamariki. We would love to see you here.

All LEGENDs need to come in clothes that are comfortable to move/run/jump in and suitable for the weather, ie. shorts, jersey and sneakers. They will be wearing their school pōtae and there will be sunscreen available around our kura. They will need to show **nahanaha (orGanised)** with some packed kai and a full drink bottle.

SPORTS/UNIFORMS/CAMP FEES

All fees are now due. If you are unsure how much you owe, please check with the office.

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POSITIVE POST: Congratulations to these LEGENDs for being drawn from the positive post box. These LEGENDs are recognised for their “Excellent” behaviour when other staff are in the room. Well done Kasen, Rico and Adam.



ATHLETICS PRACTICE!

With our kura athletics coming up, the Manawatū team have been out practising for the different events. Two of their favourites so far have been the long jump and high jump where our LEGENDs have shown rae pakari (Determination) to learn and develop their skills and manawaroa (rEsilience) when they don't quite achieve what they were hoping to. Check us out...

