



CLOVERLEA SCHOOL

Friday 16th October 2026

Kia Ora, Talofa lava, Malo e lelei, Namaste, greetings to you all

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PRINCIPALS PEN

The term started off busy with some special manuhiri (visitors) visiting and hearing about our journey with Te Wheke, our tomokanga. They didn't get around to speaking to all our **LEGENDs** due to privacy and not having permission from whānau to appear on the news. The staff who got to speak to Hon Chris Hipkins and Ginny Anderson (who holds the education portfolio) shared lots about what we do, as well as some of the things that are happening in education that we don't agree with. We clearly understand as a community, that everyone learns differently, that tamariki have different things they are passionate about and also that the jobs our **LEGENDs** will be doing in 10–15 years are probably not yet invented. It is really important for our **LEGENDs** to continue to critically think and ask questions. Please make sure you and your whānau are enrolled to vote.



GOLDEN TICKETS

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

L – Arayhiah-Jae Rm 11, Aurora Rm 6, Iva Rm 13, Frank Rm 7, Leah Rm 11

E – Zoë Rm 4, Lacie Rm 1, Mia Rm 4

G – Te Aomihia Rm 4, Fenton Rm 6, Riley Rm 9

E – Waiora Rm 4, Claire Rm 2

N – Billy Rm 10, Curtis Rm 9, Cora Rm 1, Lily Rm 10

D – Fenton Rm 6



POSTIVE 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 Harlow and Charlotte



TERM 4 SPORTS

We have **15** sports teams this term and some **LEGENDs** playing in a couple of different codes. We know that we are still waiting on a uniform order and will let whānau know when these have arrived. **LEGENDs** are expected to show our values on site and off site. Next week we have some senior **LEGENDs** playing rippa and we look forward to them practising their **resilience**. All fees now due.



2027

To help us organize classes and staffing for next year, please inform the school office as soon as possible if your child will not be returning in 2027. We are already working on classroom numbers, and this information would be really helpful with our planning.

TERM 4 LEARNING

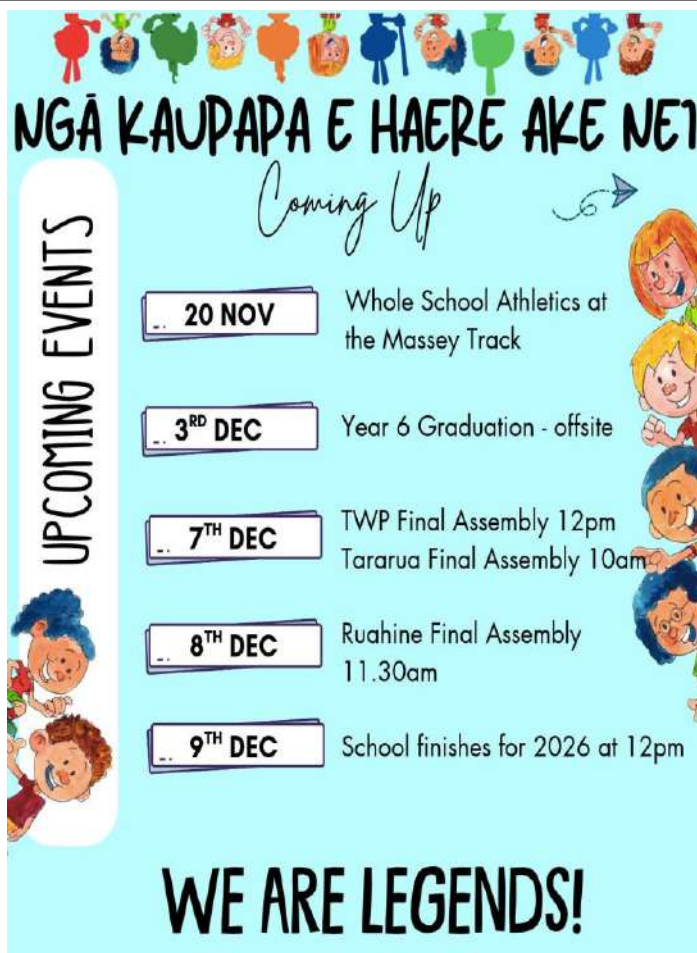
This term our school wide kaupapa focus is Tane and the 3 baskets of knowledge. This is a nice way to learn about the strengths and skills that everyone brings and also around decision making.

CHESS CLUB

We have some LEGENDs who have been learning how to play chess in their lunch breaks. Next week, we are taking some senior LEGENDs to Takaro to play some of their tamariki who are also learning how to play chess.

BILINGUAL UPDATE

The tono for being part of our newly established bilingual classes next year has closed. We know some whānau and LEGENDs will be disappointed, as more who wanted to be part of this than there were spaces. We are currently working on the classes ensuring that there is a mix of gender, age, year group and social needs. We intend to let those know who will be offered a place next week. There are some clear expectations for our bilingual spaces while we establish these and expect that part of this is that whānau are supportive of any kaupapa māori initiative and that our LEGENDs want to be in that space to learn more te reo and tikanga.



The poster features a light blue background with a row of colorful cartoon characters at the top. The title 'NGĀ KAUPAPA E HAERE AKE NEI' is written in large, bold, black letters. Below it, 'Coming Up' is written in a cursive font. A vertical banner on the left side reads 'UPCOMING EVENTS'. The events are listed in a table-like format with dates in boxes and descriptions to the right. At the bottom, 'WE ARE LEGENDS!' is written in large, bold, black letters. On the right side, there are illustrations of children's faces.

DATE	EVENT
20 NOV	Whole School Athletics at the Massey Track
3 RD DEC	Year 6 Graduation - offsite
7 TH DEC	TWP Final Assembly 12pm Tararua Final Assembly 10am
8 TH DEC	Ruahine Final Assembly 11.30am
9 TH DEC	School finishes for 2026 at 12pm



Te Waipuna
LEGENDs were
outside today
between the
rain showers,
enjoying our
bike track.



2027 Cloverlea School Ballot

Enrolment at Cloverlea School is governed by an enrolment scheme. Parents of students who live within the home zone and **intend enrolling their child at any time during the next year** should notify the school as soon as possible to assist the school to plan appropriately for next year.

Out of Zone Students

The board has determined that up to 25 New Entrant/Year 1 places are likely to be available for out-of-zone students in Priorities 2-6 for the next year. The exact number of places will depend on the number of applications received from students who live within the school's home zone. There are also: 4 spaces in Year 2, 1 space in Year 3, 1 space in Year 4, 5 spaces in Year 5 and 4 spaces in Year 6

In 2027 there will be **seven** enrolment periods as set out below. Please email your intention to: Angela Allan reception@cloverlea.school.nz If the number of out of zone applications exceeds the number of places available, students will be selected by ballot. If a ballot for out-of-zone places is required, it will be held on the below dates. Parents will be informed of the outcome of the ballot within three school days of the ballot being held.

Ballot details for 2027:

First Ballot

Date of ballot (if needed)

18 February 2027

Ballot open:

28 October 2026 - 19 February 2027