

Amuri Area School

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Nothing But The Best*

Raising Achievement; Realising Potential; Encouraging Excellence

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Tena Koutou Katoa

Our achiever of the month is Kara Easton who is demonstrating our school value of excellence each and every day. She has recently achieved consistent excellence grades in Maths and Geography and has a consistently positive attitude towards her learning and future. Keep up the great work as a role model to others Kara.



Congratulations to CMC for winning our interform soccer competition this week. Our lunchtime activities continue to be positively received and thanks to Mrs Shaw for all of her efforts in making these happen.



Next week our new Year 3 classroom with Ms Dryden starts up with a bit of a shuffle around to accommodate our increasing numbers in year four. For parent teacher interviews, if you have a child in Year 3, please book appointments with Ms Dryden not Ms Sopp or Ms Allison.

Next week is all about the production as we get final rehearsals underway. Tickets are on sale from the school office and we hope to see as many of you as possible at one of the three performances with 75 students taking part. This means the gym is out of action all next week.

School Parent /Teacher Interviews

Bookings for these are now open on the 5th, 6th and 7th July.

Step 1: Go to <https://www.schoolinterviews.co.nz/code?z=Mu2XpP>

Step 2: Enter the event code gke94

Step 3: Please talk to your child about which teachers you need to see and then follow the booking instructions carefully

Step 4: Please call the office if you are having difficulty making a booking

This year we are offering the choice of face to face or zoom. You will be asked at the booking stage which you prefer and the zoom links will be sent to you automatically. If you do not receive an email after submitting your booking please check your spam folder first then call us for help if needed.

Have a great weekend
Nga Mihi Nui

James Griggs
Principal

Amuri Area School presents

Peter Pan

Tickets are still available so get yours now!!

Three shows only:

- Friday 18th June at 7:00pm
- Saturday 19th June at 2:00pm
- Saturday 19th June at 7:00pm

\$20.00 per Adult
\$10.00 per Child (under 18)
\$20.00 per Family (2 adults/2 children)

Tickets available from the
School Office
email office@amuri.school.nz or
03-315-8233

Roll of Honour

Catalina Aguilera

Isla Blomfield

Lily Campion

Annabelle Cundy

Sophie Drummond

Clare Frame

Heath Habgood

Meg Habgood

Max Jackson

Gwen Manifold

Hasheesh Mercado

Angie Mones-Cazon

Anita Mones-Cazon

Daniela Panganoron

Cole Phillips

Van Samera

Alyssa Schenkel

Olivia Whittleston

1st Merit

Alejo Ballester

Angela Berrios

Bianca Jamieson

Maria Lim

Alex Shaw

Zedric Tabunaru

Junior School News

Kia ora Parents and Whanau

Over the last fortnight we have welcomed several new students to Amuri. Jessica has begun her school years with Mrs Johnson in Room 1, welcome Jessica! Last week saw the arrival of James in Room 3 and his brother Michael in Room 5 and this week we welcomed Felipe in Room 3 and his brother Vicente in 7CBN. We are happy to have you all at Amuri.

Last week we hosted Vas from 'Be Bright, Eat Right.' All our Year 1-8 students attended and were wowed by Vas as he educated us on the importance of eating a healthy and balanced diet. This was all demonstrated with some very impressive illusions to help cement the ideas. An enormous thank you must go to our very supportive PTA who covered the cost for our students to attend. We have a second performance on June 21st for Years 1-6. El Gregoe, a well-known magician, will be visiting with his show 'What you can be.' This show is all about acceptance and appreciation of others.



Next week we are starting up a new class of Year 3 students in Room 7 (in the prefab classrooms behind the main block). This is due to roll growth in the Year 3 and 4 area where numbers have grown considerably since the start of the year. Belinda Dryden is joining the primary team as the teacher of this class and the students have been working with her during this week to help their transition. We look forward to having Belinda as part of our primary teaching team.

We're all looking forward to seeing the efforts of many of our students and staff in the school production "Peter Pan" which is on Friday and Saturday of next week. Break a leg everyone!



Nga mihi nui
Kylee Habgood

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

June

14th - 15th	Year 11 Geography West Coast trip
18th - 19th	School Production - PETER PAN
21st	El Grego Magic Show for Year 1-6
23rd	CPS Cross Country - Halswell
30th	CPS Cross Country - Postponement

July

1st	Level 3 Chemistry trip to UC
1st	Caverhill Assembly @ 10:00am
2nd	Year 11-13 Formal - Enchanted Forest in Hanmer Springs
5th - 7th	Parent Teacher Interviews
9th	End of Term 2

ICAS : International Competitions and Assessments for Schools
HPSSA : Hurunui Primary Schools Sports Association
CCHS : Canterbury Country High Schools
CPS : Canterbury Primary Schools
TOSI : Top of South Island
SISS : South Island Secondary Schools
CSS : Canterbury Secondary Schools
NZAS : New Zealand Area Schools

Hot Choccies and Chats

Come along to a DROP-IN clinic by yourself or with a friend

for a **Hot Choccy** and a **Chat** with

Mischa, School Nurse

Wednesdays at Break and Lunchtimes.



Available for Term 2, while the cold descends upon us.

Feel free to just come and meet me, stay and share what's brightening your day or making it tough.

My listening ear is never far, so what are you waiting for?

HPSSA Cross Country

After all the rain last week we were glad the HPSSA Cross Country could go ahead on Friday in Waikari. The track was surprisingly dry in most parts with only a few slippery corners. All of our students who participated did a fantastic job with several students placing and qualifying for the Canterbury Cross Country later on in the term. Many thanks to the parents who came along to support on the day and a big thank you to the Burton family for once again holding this fun event on their farm.

Results: A big congratulations to the top 6 placing students in Years 5-8 who have qualified for the CPS Cross Country.

Year 4 Boys

Jake Van der Heyden – 1st
Sam Currie – 4th
Jackson Schenkel – 5th
Sam O'Neill – 10th

Year 5 Boys

Archie McCone – 8th
Zac Broom – 14th

Year 6 Boys

Alex Shaw – 6th
Caleb Parmar – 9th

Year 7 Boys

Owen Lewis – 1st
Zac Barbara – 5th
Max Kinney – 8th

Year 8 Boys

Jake Diederich – 2nd
Rory Palmer – 6th
Joe Neppelenbroek – 8th

Year 4 Girls

Kaitlyn Palmer – 8th
Molly Schuurman – 9th
Sarina Woodhouse – 12th

Year 5 Girls

Hannah Clegg – 9th
Rylee Gavin – 11th
Georgie O'Neill – 16th
Ashlyn Abernethy – 17th

Year 6 Girls

Bella Godfrey-Grant – 4th
Lexie Godfrey-Grant – 5th
Gwen Manifold – 6th
Lillie Schuurman – 9th

Year 7 Girls

Angie Mones-Cazon – 1st
Zoe Bailey – 3rd
Sophie Drummond – 5th
Sophie Ockwell – 6th

Year 8 Girls

Liv Dampier-Crossley – 7th
Martha McRae – 8th
Maddie Bell – 10th



Rangiora-Amuri Rugby Team

Tara, Bianca and Grace all scored two tries each in their win over the Rolleston-Lincoln team. It was Tara's last game for AAS.

Senior A Netball Team

The game on Wednesday was against Lincoln. Unfortunately they were on the wrong side of the scoresheet!



We are hiring!!

We are hiring temp staff for our upcoming Hanmer Springs Ice Rink event, from 28 June - 3 August. Job roles include Customer Service representatives and Skate Hire attendants.

If you are interested in being part of the team delivering this event please get in touch and apply online.

Either phone 027 233 0972

email sales@paradice.co.nz

or follow the link here, click on Hanmer Springs

<https://secure.paradice.co.nz/application/>

Amuri Maths Week - 9th to 13th August 2021



Category 2
MATHEMATICAL
MODELS



Category 3
WEARABLE ARTS



Category 1
MATHEMATICAL
POSTERS



Category 4 : EDIBLE MATHS

*We so appreciate everything that our wonderful learning assistants do for the students at AAS.
Thank you so much ladies*

