 Whakatauki:   Kia mau ki to PAPATEWHAITANGA! ‘Hold firm to all that is Papa te Whai’

**Our VISION Statement:  Is to Connect, Create and ACHIEVE**.

**CELEBRATING OUR TAMARIKI SUCCESSES**.

**School Newsletter - Number 8 Term 2                        Date 5th July 2019 Friday**

  
**Note from the Principal.**

As we draw the curtains on the last day of Term 2, it is important to reflect and align some of the successful highlights for our students and whanau within our ***CONNECT, CREATE AND ACHIEVE VISION STATEMENT***.

* Majority of students participated in schoolwide./class speech competition. In both Te Reo Maori and/or English.
* High levels of Success at District Schools Te Reo Maori and English Speech Competitions.
* Students involved in planning successful money maker activities for the Gala Fundraiser.
* Hosting tamariki from visiting local kura for Matariki Celebrations.
* Winning overall District Schools Trophy for Cross Country, 30 Participants, (highest score placements). 16 Students to EBOP Cross Country Champs and 4 Qualified to BOP Cross Country Champs held in Rotorua last Tuesday. 3 Participated.
* Students having the opportunity to lead in Report Evening Interviews with Whanau.
* High profile Robotics programme for Year 6 to 8 students run by Te Whare Wananga o Awanuiarangi Team (ROBOPA).
* Successful- Weekend sports Rugby and Netball Teams and whanau support and Midweek Netball following.
* Successful- Rumaki Whanau meeting and shared information for strategic plan (Part 1).
* Room 10 and Room 7 Presentations. Room 10s ITEM KAWARIKI and the SHARKMAN can be view on youtube.  
  <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qa5QoxdxXfc&feature=youtu.be>
* Hosted a very successful BOT Governance Essentials 1- Hui.

Indeed a very full term calendar. Thank you to my staff and all whanau who contributed throughout the term. Enjoy the holiday break with your tamariki. Be safe.

**Our Ashbrook Board of Trustees**. Maude Maxwell (Chairperson) Tina Boynton, Alex Dobie, Dale Pene.

Staff Rep. Kararaina Dobie.

Next term- District Rugby + Netball Tournament (run by Ashbrook)

* BOT Meet and Greet other District BOTs. TBC.
* Aims Game Tournament
* DUFFY THEATRE
* Delamere Cup
* Sponsored Bike Challenge.
* Learn to Read -Read to Learn. Volunteer Tutors wanted.

ELECTIONS COMING UP WHANAU FOR COUNCIL- YOU HAVE TO BE REGISTERED TO VOTE.

REGISTER BEFOR AUGUST 16.

Naku noa Richard Mitai Principal