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Newsletter  
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# MT MAUNGANUI INTERMEDIATE

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Photos from the Mount Maunganui College Roadshow

## COMING EVENTS 2022

### MAY 2022

17	BOT Meeting
27	Super 11 Badminton

### JUNE 2022

2	Super 11 Squash
3	Teacher Only Day – No School
6	Queen's Birthday – No School
7 – 9	Leadership Camp
10	Super 11 Mountain Biking
16	School Photos - Photolife
17	Super 11 Ultimate Frisbee
21	BOT Meeting
23	School Cross Country
24	Matariki – No School
27 June to 1 July	Sports Camp – Totara Springs

### JULY 2022

1 July	Super 11 Indoor Bowls
8 July	End of Term 2
25 July	Start of Term 3

Tena koutou katoa

On Tuesday of this week, our school was lucky enough to be invited to Mount Maunganui College for a spectacular Arts performance. Having such a top quality performance in our own neighbourhood was such a bonus for us this term, as The Arts is the foundation of this term's inquiry across our whole school.

Having attended the second performance myself, I felt so proud of the students I recognised from their time at MMI. It was a pleasure to see them being such confident, skilled and creative performers on the Mount College stage. The calibre of each individual act was very high and the audience enjoyed the wide range of talent on show. These talented Mount College students are such great role models for our students to aspire to.

I so appreciate the sense of community that exists between our two schools. It really makes transitioning from school to school such a positive process for our mounties. Huge thanks to Wayne Flanagan and his team for putting the show together for us.



Another fantastic part of our community has been at MMI this week. The bowls tutors from the Mount RSA have been introducing and coaching our classes in the game of bowls. The kids have had a blast. This great group of people support us every year in this way, and it is great to see our students having access to such a cool sport. Huge thanks to the bowling experts for their patience, encouragement, feedback and skill development.



# USEFUL INFORMATION

<b>SCHOOL TIMETABLE</b> School Starts – 8.45am Morning Interval – 10.25am Lunch – 12.20pm Dismissal – 2.45pm	<b>ABSENTEE INFORMATION</b> Please inform us of your child's absence by using one of the following ways: <b>Text</b> – 027 232 0446 <b>Phone</b> – 575 5512 ext 1 <b>Email</b> – <a href="mailto:absentees@mtint.school.nz">absentees@mtint.school.nz</a> Your child's teacher will see their absence. Please do not email the teacher directly as they may not see it or they may be absent.	<b>BUS INFORMATION</b> Click here to go to the Bayhopper School Bus website – <a href="#">Bus Information</a>
<b>MEDICATION</b> If you child has a severe medical condition or needs to take medication at school please contact the office.	<b>TERM DATES</b> <b>Term 1</b> - 1 February to 13 April (14 <sup>th</sup> TOD) <b>Term 2</b> - 2 May to 8 July <b>Term 3</b> - 25 July to 30 September <b>Term 4</b> -17 October to TBA  <b>TEACHER ONLY DAYS:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Thursday 14 April</li> <li>Friday 3 June</li> </ul>	<b>TERM 2 FOOTWEAR</b> The footwear for winter is plain black shoes, ankle cut, leather look. If a sports shoe is preferred, it must be entirely black with no white/coloured emblems or labels.  We appreciate your child may have specific footwear requirements, due to severs, or other conditions. Please consult with us before you purchase shoes that may not fit with our uniform requirements.  For more information about uniform expectations visit <a href="https://mtint.school.nz/uniform/">https://mtint.school.nz/uniform/</a>
<b>DROPPING YOUR CHILD TO AND FROM SCHOOL</b> These are NOT drop off zones: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lodge Avenue Staff Carpark</li> <li>Lodge Avenue Turn Around</li> <li>The Bus Bay on Links Avenue</li> </ul> This is for the safety of your children, when dropping off or picking them up. <u>Please refrain from entering and parking in these areas.</u>	<b>SCHOOL TELEPHONE</b> The school office telephone is for <b>emergencies only.</b>  Please make sure your child knows what their after school arrangements are before they come to school. These calls are at a cost to the school.	<b>PARENT SUPPORT GROUP</b> We are calling for anyone interested in being part of the Parent Support Group (PSG) to contact us.  They are always looking for volunteers to join their team.  Please email if you are interested: <a href="mailto:mmintermediatepsg@gmail.com">mmintermediatepsg@gmail.com</a>
<b>PAYING STUDENT ACCOUNTS</b> Before you make a payment don't forget you can go onto the parent portal to check how much they may have on their account. Here is the link to the parent portal - <a href="https://mtint.school.nz/parent-portal/">https://mtint.school.nz/parent-portal/</a>	<b>ORDERING LUNCHES</b> We operate a lunch online system. You do need to register for this. The website for this is: <a href="http://www.lunchonline.co.nz">www.lunchonline.co.nz</a> .  You can order from 9 <sup>th</sup> February for the following days of the week:  <b>Tuesdays/Thursdays</b> – Pita Pit <b>Wednesdays/Fridays</b> – Subway <b>Thursdays</b> – St Pierre's Sushi	<b>CHANGE OF DETAILS</b> It would greatly assist us if you could please advise the office if you have any changes of address, phone numbers, email addresses and emergency contact details. In the event of an emergency, sickness or injury we need to be able to contact someone who can collect your child.
<b>COMMUNICATION</b> Checkout out our website, newsletters, daily notices and Facebook links.  <a href="https://mtint.school.nz/">https://mtint.school.nz/</a>  <a href="https://mtint.school.nz/daily-notices/">https://mtint.school.nz/daily-notices/</a>  <a href="https://www.facebook.com/Mtint.school.nz/">https://www.facebook.com/Mtint.school.nz/</a>  <a href="https://mtint.school.nz/newsletters/">https://mtint.school.nz/newsletters/</a>	<b>SPECIALIST FEES</b> Specialist Fees are \$40.00 per year. This covers the following specialist subjects we offer here at MMI:  <b>Food Technology</b> <b>Hard Materials/Electronics</b> <b>Media Studies/Robotics</b> <b>Music</b> <b>Visual Arts</b> <b>Dance and Drama</b>	<b>ONLINE PAYMENTS</b> <b>SPORTS FEES/OPTIONAL TRIPS ETC -</b> If you wish to pay online or by automatic payment you are encouraged to do so. Our bank account number is:  <b>12 3146 0104711 03</b>  Please put your child's name as the reference.  <b>PLEASE NOTE</b> – we have strict cut off times. When we give a due date this cannot be changed. Please do not be disappointed if you miss out if the date has passed. No correspondence will be entered into if you miss a cut off time.

## COASTAL VALUE CERTIFICATES 2022

### Term 2 – Week 2

1	Cooper Smith	Thank you for the commitment to your work and helping others out, including your teacher.
2	Gabbi McNamara	For constantly trying your best in everything that you do. You are dedicated, hardworking and such a role model for you peers!
3	Sienna Russell	For being a kind and helpful class member, particularly when the class had a reliever.
4	Miriamia Biu	For being a positive and encouraging member in whanau 4. She communicates well with others and approaches most aspects of school with a growth mindset.
5	Kahlanée-Carla Ringi-Tukaki	For persevering when you are faced with challenges and working hard on producing great writing. Tino pai!
6	Mahana Rowling	For consistently showing the Coastal Values, showing pride in his mahi, putting his best into class work and sports. Kei runga noa atu koe!
7	Kaesha Pryor  Aaria Berridge	For your outstanding support, and role as a tuakana during mihimihi. You have stepped up to help others this term Kaesha. I am grateful for your help and extremely proud of you. Mauri Ora e hine!!!  For your outstanding confidence to present your pepeha to whānau 7. I am extremely proud of you Aaria. Kia kaha, ngā mihi aroha.
8	Koby Eilering	For your awesome work during math, your score of 100% in the recent snapshot shows us that hardwork pays off! Well done Koby.
9	Jackson Kitching	For the extra effort you are putting into your learning, particularly your focus and enthusiasm with your Science Fair setup. Kei runga noa atu koe!
10	Lilly Akagi	For consistently showing the Coastal Values. You go above and beyond to look after the team devices. It is great to have such a responsible monitor. Thank you!
11	Sylvie Elsmore	For creating a meaningful piece of writing that showed care and consideration. Ka pai tō mahi, Sylvie!
12	Millie Crowe	For being a positive class member who always follows the Coastal Values and who is a role model to others. Keep up your great effort in all areas of your school work Millie. You are fabulous.
13	William Mitchell	For being focused and striving to be the best you can be. Your efforts do not go unnoticed. Keep up the good work!
14	Cayde Walker	For your positive attitude and helpfulness in all situations. Thank you.



<b>16</b>	Harrison Ellis	For your effort to remain on task within the classroom and get involved in all aspects of school life. Well done Harrison. Keep it up!
<b>17</b>	Zara Burch	For showing leadership qualities throughout everything you do and for being an outstanding class member. Kei runga noa atu koe!
<b>19</b>	Jayden Munro	Thank you for your outstanding effort lately, for your focus and completing your tasks.
<b>20</b>	Regina Taie	For your dedication and perseverance in maths. Mīharo Gina!
<b>21</b>	Milan Brown	For being an outstanding class member who is helpful, kind and a highly motivated learner.
<b>22</b>	Jivannah Barnsdall	For the care and attention you are paying to achieving the success criteria in all areas of your learning. You are improving heaps!
<b>23</b>	Alakris Coleman	For always focusing on your tasks and completing them to a high standard; along with volunteering for the lunchtime sports competition. You are a super role model in whānau 23. Ka pai hoki koe!
<b>24</b>	Maddox Brooking	For your focus and creativity during writing. Your ideas are fascinating to read and you have made a great effort to develop your writing skills.
<b>25</b>	Preah Lourie	For your efforts and attitude towards your learning. You have produced some quality work in maths and inquiry this week. You should be proud! Ka pai tō mahi!
<b>26</b>	Sienna Palmer	For showing an impressive attitude towards your learning that shows that you are in control and that you're putting effort in to improve. Ka pai tō mahi!
<b>Digi Tech</b>	Karter Samuels Room 7	For your interest and engagement when programming the Sphero robots. Tino Pai!
<b>Dance &amp; Drama</b>	Macie Flevill Room 24	For your keen leadership in collaborative activities and insightful contributions to class discussions. Mīharo Macie!
<b>Food Tech</b>	Lois Swinnerton Room 8	For your willingness to participate fully regardless of what is being learnt.
<b>Music</b>	Harvey Shaw Room 14	For creating a good digital project in Soundtrap.
<b>Visual Arts</b>	Masha Kolebaeva Room 21	For your conscientious attitude and consistently giving of your best in exploring a range of techniques and processes.

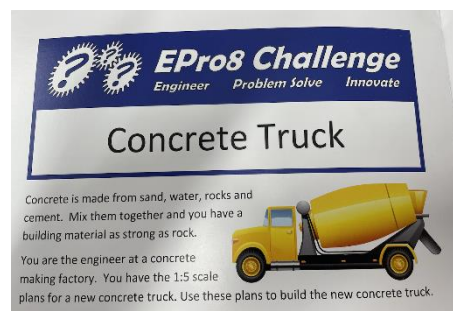
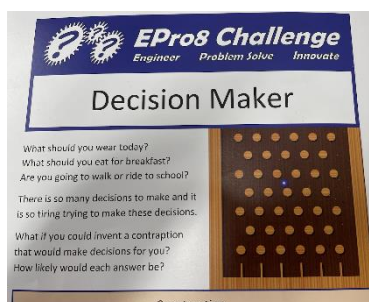


In the last week of term 1 we had 7 teams from MMI involved in an EPro8 Internal Event. The EPro8 Challenge is a science and engineering competition. The students were in teams of four and they competed for the title of the MMI EPro8 Champion.

On Monday, the students spent the whole day becoming familiar with the equipment and learning how to work through different challenges.

On Tuesday, students had 2 hours to compete and try to work through as much of the 3 challenges that they could. Each challenge has about 6 criteria and a hint to help students complete the challenges and score as many points as possible.

The 3 challenges for this event were:



I was really impressed with all of the students. They showed the ability to work together, resilience and thinking skills to help solve the various tasks. It was a great learning experience for all.

Our winning team was **Bezoz** - Jaxin Berkett, Charlie Olsen, Isabella McFadden, Max Farrar, Mitchell Everett and Miles O'Neill.

We had 2 teams who placed second equal -

**Moturiki Monkeys:** Christian Berkett; Belle Ririnui; Tasman Struthers; Aster Calland

**Matakana Blueberry Milkshakes:** Finn Crawford; Carter Horton; Lois Swinnerton; Stacey Shaw

Other teams and students involved were:

Majik	Kaleidoscopes	Matrix Makers	Magicians
Tobin Callihan Jed Richardson Max Dohanos Alethea Viljoen	Charlie Weir Jake Edmonds Max Jeffcoat Sean Lee Vitek Spinka	Cobain Jones Judy Kim Miller Borthwick Rhys Rogers	Henry Scott Hugo Hicks Kyla Wills Lily Acker

The two top teams will go through to an interschool event in term 2.

**(Bridget Ward)**

## SUPER 11 GOLF TOURNAMENT

Last Friday 6th of May, 4 MMI students competed at the Super 11 Golf tournament held at Te Puke golf club. Tobin Callahan, Oscar Tutt, Sean Lee, and Judy Kim represented MMI in an individual gross competition. Results are as follows:

Results:

Oscar Tutt 92

Tobin Callahan 95

Sean Lee 96

Judy Kim 121 (First place Girls) Pictured below.

Rotorua Int. Maroon won the team award, which was the best 3 team scores. A 79 and an 84 from 2 players, helped the victory. Some very impressive golf all round. We look forward to seeing how our golfers get on during AIMS week! Well done team.





## COMMUNITY NOTICES



**BIRD SHOW – MOUNT SPORTS CENTRE**  
**Cnr Hull and Maunganui Roads, Mt Maunganui**  
**500 birds over 17 different species**  
**Saturday May 21, 1pm – 5pm**  
**Sunday May 22, 8.30am – 1pm**  
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