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Newsletter
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MT MAUNGANUI INTERMEDIATE

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COMING EVENTS 2022

AUGUST 2022

17	MMI Information Evening
19	Super 11 Boys & Girls Rugby 7's
25	MMI Open Day 9am – 12.15pm
26	Calendar Art Due

SEPTEMBER 2022

5 - 9	AIMS Games
7	BOT Election Voting Closes 4pm
13	BOT Meeting
23	All 2023 Enrolments Due
30	Out of Zone Enrolments Notified of Ballot Outcome
30	End of Term 3

MMI INFORMATION EVENING

**6PM
WEDNESDAY 17 AUGUST**

In the school hall

PAYMENTS

When making payments to our bank account please ensure you put your child's name and what you are paying for as the reference so we can easily reconcile these correctly. We have large numbers of payments coming in at the moment, especially with AIMS games and winter sport and this would greatly assist us.

Here is the link to our parent portal if you would like to check out your child's account prior to paying <https://mtint.school.nz/parent-portal/>

If you wish to allocate a credit on your child's account please email admin@mtint.school.nz and advise us of this.

Thank you all so much.

Kia ora Parents and Whānau

This week, we farewelled our Board of Trustees ahead of the election. Both Lee Martin and Kate Burns are seeking re-election, so on Tuesday night, we formally farewelled Sarah Shivan, Adrian Tukaki and Shane Southby as parent representatives and Nicola Logan as our staff representative.

Sarah, Shane, Adrian and Nicola have all given so much in their roles as trustees. As board members they have always made considered decisions in the best interests of all children. They are a hardworking, cohesive, inclusive and supportive group of people who have given much to our community during their respective tenures as trustees.

I have so appreciated their time and love for our school. So; Sarah, Shane, Adrian and Nic; thank you from us all, for governing our school so well. I hope you enjoy some more spare time in the future and thank you sincerely for your service.

Election

You will have received voting forms in the mail for the new board. Please have your say on our new board. Your vote counts! I'm really grateful that 6 top quality people have been nominated and I look forward to working with the new board when they "take office" on 13 September.

New Buildings

Whānau 23 and whānau 24 moved into their new classrooms yesterday. There were some excited students and teachers as they moved into the lovely, modern new classrooms.

There are three other building projects in the pipeline for our school. Six new rooms are scheduled to replace the "temporary" classrooms on our field. We are working with the architect to make design decisions about these and hope to see them arrive during 2023. The Board of Trustees have decided to use board funds to erect a shade sail over half of the turf. This will allow for an all-weather PE programme as well as provide valuable shade in the hot summer months. Finally, a fence is being built around our perimeter. This is a Ministry funded project and is scheduled to be completed in term four this year.

AIMS

As always, the AIMS Games term is a busy one, with many pre-games tournaments offering our teams some practice ahead of the games. Practices are well underway and we are finalising payments and entries at our office. Our office is always a busy place, but it is particularly busy this term. Thank you to all parents who have paid AIMS Games fees promptly. This is much appreciated at our end.

Open Evening

Next Wednesday night (17 Aug), we are holding our Open Evening for next year's Year 7's and their families. Our student leaders predominantly run this evening and it's great to be able to open our doors and show our community what we are all about. If you have family or friends intending to enrol their child next year, please encourage them to come along next Wednesday to see what we are all about.

Lastly, it has been a beautiful day for our Super 11 Cross Country runners, we hope they had a super day.

Have a wonderful weekend everyone.

Ma te wa
Whaea Melissa

KIA MĀIA, KIA KAHA, KIA MANAWANUI

Whānau 1

Our daily life is affected by forms and transformations of energy.



Making our learning visible

One of our goals in this unit of inquiry is to make sure our journals reflect our ability and understanding.

We are learning how important it is to **show** our thinking. When we do, our teachers and co-learners can offer valuable feedback and feedforward to help our next steps in learning. We are becoming assessment-capable learners by using SOLO taxonomy to help us work out what level of understanding the task requires of us and whether we meet that criteria or not. We are developing our independence, interdependence and responsibility as we conduct scientific investigations and explore the forms and transformations of energy. We have learned to look closely, listen and record all our observations - scientist's notes need to be specific and detailed.



WHAKAUTE

We are showing empathy, using our manners and taking care of our environment.



ĀKONGA

We are learning resilience by controlling ourselves and managing our distractions.



WHAKAHĪ

We are learning to have each other's backs by being upstanding.



Tapa Design

We created our own piece of class tapa inspired by our environment.



Catapult Making

Cam, Connor, Henry and Jai won the catapult making competition.



Sketchnotes

We are learning tools in order to become effective and efficient inquirers.

MMI PROGRESS AND ACHIEVEMENT BOOKLET

Mount Maunganui Intermediate Progress and Achievement Booklet

To help with the communication of your child's academic progress we are making some slight changes to our reporting system.

As usual, your child's work will be uploaded onto Seesaw. However, this term your child's academic progress will all be collated within one booklet. We have called this booklet out Progress and Achievement booklet.

This booklet will include samples of your child's class work, assessment information, and learning reflections from Term 3.

The key pieces of work included in the Term 3 booklet will be:

Mathematics - Geometry - position, orientation and transformation.

Literacy - Including a reading and writing sample.

Inquiry - A reflection and assessment on our energy focus and an example of a completed class task.

We believe this new system will make accessing your child's progress easier and the document can be easily printed for your own records.



Mount Maunganui Intermediate

Term 3 2022

Progress and Achievement Booklet

Name:

Mōturiki Whānau
Room 23





MEDICAL FORM & MEDIA WAIVER

Below is the link for all competitors to complete for their medical form and media waiver. This has already been sent out to all competitors and participants for 2022.

It's important these are completed by end of today, Friday 12 August, by parents/caregivers.

<https://www.nzaimsgames.co.nz/register/registered-schools>

FEES

Each family received an AIMS newsletter with each of the sports fee amounts on Monday 1st August.

All payments for individual & team sports need to be paid by Friday 19th August.

Payments are to be made to the school office or online to our bank account 12-3146-0104711-03. Reference your child's name and AIMS.

OPENING CEREMONY

It is expected that competitors will attend the Opening Ceremony at TECT Arena, on Sunday 4th September. The cost for the competitors Opening Ceremony ticket is included in the fees.

All teams are attending the 3pm ceremony at Trustpower Arena Baypark with the exception of our futsal & swimming teams who will attend the 7pm ceremony because they are competing that day.

Each sports code has 1 x adult ticket purchased for the coach or teacher / parent in charge of the sport to look after the team at the opening ceremony.

Parents have the option of purchasing a ticket through Ticketek, information was sent out on Thursday 11th August.

Watch this space for more AIMS information.

USEFUL INFORMATION

SCHOOL TIMETABLE School Starts – 8.45am Morning Interval – 10.25am Lunch – 12.20pm Dismissal – 2.45pm	ABSENTEE INFORMATION Please inform us of your child's absence by using one of the following ways: Text – 027 232 0446 Phone – 575 5512 ext 1 Email – absentees@mtint.school.nz 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.	BUS INFORMATION Click here to go to the Bayhopper School Bus website – Bus Information
MEDICATION If your child has a severe medical condition or needs to take medication at school please contact the office.	TERM DATES Term 1 - 1 February to 13 April (14 th TOD) Term 2 - 2 May to 8 July Term 3 - 25 July to 30 September Term 4 - 17 October to 15 Dec (noon) TEACHER ONLY DAYS: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Friday 3 June 	TERM 3 FOOTWEAR 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 https://mtint.school.nz/uniform/
DROPPING YOUR CHILD TO AND FROM SCHOOL These are NOT drop off zones: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lodge Avenue Staff Carpark Lodge Avenue Turn Around The Bus Bay on Links Avenue 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>	SCHOOL TELEPHONE The school office telephone is for emergencies only . 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.	PARENT SUPPORT GROUP 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: mmintermediatepsg@gmail.com
PAYMENT OF STUDENT ACCOUNTS Thank you so much for continuing to pay your student accounts. When doing so please enter your child's name and what you are paying for. If you do not enter the reference we will credit the funds off the next item that is due. Many thanks from the office.	ORDERING LUNCHES We operate a lunch online system. You do need to register for this. The website for this is: www.lunchonline.co.nz . You can order from 9 th February for the following days of the week: Wednesdays/Fridays – Subway Thursdays – St Pierre's Sushi	CHANGE OF DETAILS 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.
COMMUNICATION Checkout our website, newsletters, daily notices and Facebook links. https://mtint.school.nz/ https://mtint.school.nz/daily-notices/ https://www.facebook.com/Mtint.school.nz/ https://mtint.school.nz/newsletters/	SPECIALIST FEES Specialist Fees are \$40.00 per year. This covers the following specialist subjects we offer here at MMI: Food Technology Hard Materials/Electronics Media Studies/Robotics Music Visual Arts Dance and Drama	ONLINE PAYMENTS SPORTS FEES/OPTIONAL TRIPS ETC - If you wish to pay online or by automatic payment you are encouraged to do so. Our bank account number is: 12 3146 0104711 03 Please put your child's name as the reference. PLEASE NOTE – 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 3 – Week 3

1	Casey Carswell-Evans	For sharing your insightful scientific and mathematical knowledge with your co-learners in a respectful and helpful way. Ka pai tō mahi!
3	Johnrey Agbay	For a great start in Whanau 3. Trying his best, listening carefully and getting on well with others.
4	Sapphire Service	For approaching her work with a willingness to learn. She has been a risk taker and an inquirer through asking open ended questions. Ka pai tō mahi.
5	Tahlia Batters	You have immersed yourself in whanau 5 and have shown our coastal values evidently in your class learning at MMI. You have shown perseverance outside of the classroom and set yourself for a successful finish to the year. Welcome Tahlia, whanau 5 are truly delighted to have you.
6	Devyn Lunjevich	For consistently managing himself, working quietly on his learning with focus and determination to learn and complete his mahi. He rawe Devyn!
6	Tehja Horne	For consistently managing herself, working quietly on her learning with focus and determination to learn and complete her mahi. Tino pai tō mahi!
7	Acacia Campbell	For your engagement in reading this week. You shared your ideas with the group, which is a big step. Know that we are here to support you in your learning journey always. Ka pai tō mahi!
8	Charlee-May Deane	For your fantastic effort and attitude towards all learning tasks. You are engaged, asking questions and working well with a range of different students. Ka pai Charlee-May.
9	Dylan Johns	For being kind and focused. You have started the term with a great attitude. He whetū koe!
10	Nico Wilson	For your hard working attitude and effort. You are making great improvements in Maths. Keep asking great questions!
11	Marcus Knight	For your consistently focused work and your general positive involvement in everything the class does. You have an excellent attitude toward your learning. Kei runga noa atu koe!
12	Riley Ramshaw	For your focus and effort in class at all times. You are a fabulous leader and always show and role model these skills. I love your leadership role on Friday mornings in "Riley Can". Fantastic work Riley.

13	Leo Skiffington	For fantastic attitude and effort towards all learning tasks (especially when leading your team in 'Fish Bowl'. It is awesome to see you striving to achieve your goals Leo. Mahi pai!
14	Ryder Matthews	For a really pleasing level of involvement and determination to contribute and improving because of this. Well done.
15	Cyla Ketye	For starting to show resilience in the classroom, especially during P.E. Ka pai tō mahi! Good work! 👍
16	Devontay Toko	For having great manners and getting involved in Whānau 16's learning this week. Well done Devontay, keep it up!!
17	Loncey Swann	For really making that effort to get his work completed independently and putting in his best effort - So lovely to see.
19	Ambar Flavell	For an outstanding contribution to a vast array sporting and extra curricular activities this year! Kei runga noa atu koe!
20	Jake Edmonds	For your focus and hard work with your learning activities. You are engaged and contributing to class discussions and lessons. Mīharo Jake - keep it up!
21	Chase Thomson	For being a focused learner who quietly gets on with his work and puts his best effort into all he does. Tino pai tō mahi!
22	Sienna Biugos	For getting stuck into all areas of your learning and collaborating well with other members of the class. Ka rawe!
23	Cruze Savage	For always showing pride in your classroom and making it a happy place; along with having a great attitude with your learning, by completing all your tasks. Kei reira katoa!
24	Sophie Harrison	For being so kind and thoughtful in Whānau 24 and helping Mr T set up the classroom. Tino pai!
25	Harlow Horn	For being a positive risk taker and great role model in Whanau 25. Ka pai, Harlow! Keep up the solid focus!
26	Jaziah Toko	For being actively involved with his learning and always trying to learn new things with a positive attitude. Kei runga noa atu koe!
Digi Tech	Mahana Rowling Whānau 6	For your persistence and creativity when designing your energy efficient house on Tinkercad.
Dance & Drama	Kaea Paki Whānau 5	For your commitment to characterization and staying in role in improvisation and demonstrating great leadership when designing your concept planning template for your group's movie trailer. Mīharo Kaea!

Food Tech	Kasanita Afu Whānau 3	For being an individual and not taking anything from anyone :) !
Music	Ahsan Atwal Whānau 13	For displaying a positive and patient attitude while learning new musical instruments.
Visual Arts	Everthon Figueiredo Room 14	For the accuracy, detail and shading to make your facial features look realistic, awe some work!
Hard Materials	Jedd Ryland Room 21	For excellent, totally focused behaviour. Great effort Jedd.

SCHOOL BOARD ELECTIONS



Nominations have closed for our Board of Trustees election and below are the candidates. Voting closes on 7 September 2022 at 4pm. Good luck to all our candidates!

KATE BURNS

ROSE GILMORE

LEE MARTIN

VICKY MCGREAL

DAN MEADE

DONNA TE WHEORO

COMMUNITY NOTICES



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Children of all ages are welcome, along with their friends and whanau. Practice sessions for children are currently being held weekly, every Sunday at 2.30pm at Arataki Park, Tauranga.

For more information go to <https://www.facebook.com/BOPFlagFootball/>



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