

A quick newsflash to know to keep you up to date with what's happening at the school...

Pink Shirt Day - TOMORROW - Friday 19 May

Students are encouraged to wear pink
to show they're willing to speak up and stand together to stop bullying!



The poster features a vibrant pink background with a large rainbow heart in the center. The heart is filled with a rainbow pattern and contains a yellow flower. To the left of the heart, the text reads: 'Speak UP #PINKSHIRTDAYNZ STAND TOGETHER STOP BULLYING KŌRERO MAI, KŌRERO ATU, MAURI TŪ, MAURI ORA'. Below this, it says 'FRIDAY 19 MAY 2023'. To the right of the heart is a circular logo that says 'PINK SHIRT DAY 23'. At the bottom right, the Mental Health Foundation of New Zealand logo is visible with the text 'mauri tū, mauri ora'.

Senior Camp Fundraising: Upcoming event to support our Year 7 & 8 end of year camp

Our next fundraising event for the Year 7 & 8 senior camp will be a



Mid-Winter Disco in the school hall - Next Friday 26 May

JLH & Room 3: from 5.00pm -6.00pm Rooms 1 & 2: from 6.30pm - 7.30pm

Food, drinks & treats available to purchase
Gold coin donation entry.



What else is coming up this month...

- **Thursday 25 May: Weetbix TRY Challenge** ALL of our Year 5-8 students (Rooms 1 & 2) will be travelling to Opunake to take part in the Weetbix TRY Challenge event next Thursday. This is a fun obstacle course event - not a tryathlon. All participants will receive a t-shirt and a medal. *A notice with full details will be sent home early next week.*
- **Wednesday 31 May: South Zone Ripa Rugby Tournament** For Year 1-6 students We're hoping to have enough players to enter a team into both of the age group levels of this tournament. Teams entered will be dependent on the number of permission slips returned and the amount of parent transport available. *Permission slips will sent home next week with any children who say they want to play.*

Along with our regular community run programmes...

- **After School Programme Monday to Friday 3.00pm-5.00pm** This Ngāruahine Iwi Authority run programme operates out of Manaia School and offers a range of multi sensory activities including place-based activities. Literacy and numeracy support is available by arrangement with the managing supervisor, who has 30 years or more experience as a classroom practitioner working with Preschool to Year 9 children. It is important to keep this service in Manaia and provide programmes, facilities and much more for our community. Nau mai, Haere mai!
For more information please contact Angie Cassidy 0275554715 / Angelina.Cassidy@ngaruahine.org
- **Kool Kids Club: Tuesday afternoons 3.00pm-4.30pm** A Christian based programme teaching children about making the right choices. Afternoon tea is provided and kindly sponsored by Yarrows. Kool Kids runs from the school hall and is open to children aged 6-12 years. **A permission slip must be signed by a parent/caregiver before children can attend.** (If your child has attended before and your details haven't changed there is no need to fill out another one). Permission slips are available from the school office so call in and grab one if you'd like them to take part.