



# Kaeo School



*Learn, Love, Contribute, Grow*  
 Aim High—Stand Tall - Taraia nga taumata E tu teitei  
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**Term 3**

**Week 4**

Hello,

A big thank you to everyone who took the time to attend parent/teacher interviews last week. Your making the effort to come out on a cold evening is appreciated and makes a real difference to your child's learning.

Thanks too to those of you who took the time to complete the Board of Trustees School questionnaire. If you believe, as I do, that positive, kind relationships are at the heart of good teaching and learning then knowing how we are doing is very important to the Board of Trustees and to me.

I am happy then to report that your feedback was very positive and affirming of our work. 85% of your children are always happy at school or love school with the remaining 15% usually happy at school.

100% of respondents felt that their child is safe at Kaeo School and that their child is always valued and supported at school.

96% of people felt that the school accepts and acts upon problems should they occur and 97% of people feel welcome at Kaeo School. Finally, 100% of people feel that Kaeo School is usually (9%) or always (91%) an open and friendly place.

This is good news and a testament to the work that our staff does each day – well done to them but also to our community whose understanding and support is always appreciated.

Kind regards,  
Paul Barker.

*"What wisdom can you find that is greater than kindness?" - Jean Jacques Rousseau*

### Students of the Week.

Congratulations to our Students of the Week and top Kiwi Cannors for Week 3 – Chicca, Te Ruki, Wyn, Rangi, Serena, Falcon. Dominic, Aranui and Kenneth.



### Dental Health

Good news – the mobile dental van is now back at school and children will begin being seen soon. If your child has a particular dental health need and you would like them to be seen as a priority please let the school office know.

### Coastguard Whangaroa

Coastguard Whangaroa are offering a free course aimed at wives, girlfriends and children that aims to teach those not usually at the helm how to manage the boat if needed and in particular in times of emergency. The course runs on Saturday the 7<sup>th</sup> of October at the memorial Hall in Kaeo from 9.30. Contact Jeanette at [cqwhangaroa@gmail.com](mailto:cqwhangaroa@gmail.com) for enquires and to register.

### Dates for your Diary

31 August

11 September

13 September

14 September

20 September

21 September

26 September

29 September

Trip – Kaeo Township

BOT Meeting

School Speech Contests

Trip – Lonsdale Park/Beaches

Waipapa Rotary Speeches

Trip – Kerikeri Basin

Years 3 and 4 Rippa Day

Term 3 ends.