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**Term 2
Week 9**

Hello,

An early newsletter this week as we lead up to tomorrows Matariki Day.

It has been a great week at school celebrating Matariki some of the events so far are documented on the reverse side of this newsletter.

Tomorrow, is Matariki Day, and there will be a range of activities across the school and for our children a shared hangi lunch followed by what I am sure will be another stunning performance by our Kapahaka Ropu.

A big thank you to everyone who has kindly contributed to our Matariki Week - especially Whaea Mereana Tua, the Whangaroa College Kapahaka Group, those who contributed to the hangi in some way either sending us some food or doing the hard yards peeling, preparing and cooking it.

Thanks too to Whaea Gee and Miss Campbell who planned the week and to Whaea Gee and Bobbie Sutton who support and lead our Kapahaka group so well.

Tau Hou hari!

Paul Barker.

Whakataetae Kupu.

We had an exciting Whakataetae Kupu yesterday with a lot of children showing their Te Reo Maori skills and that they had worked hard to learn a number of new words and phrases.

Congratulations to the following winners:

Juniors:

- 1st: Erana Todd
- 2nd: Jemma Murphy-Moka
- 3rd: Jazzlyn Hills

Seniors:

- Mako Stewart
- Azure Te Pania Puru
- River Hape

Students of the Week

Well done to the Students of the Week for Week 8 – Tyrus, Izayiss, Rosealee, Isobel, Raumati and Kawiti.



Headlice:

Headlice are, sadly, a fact of life at school but are an annoyance all the same, treatments from the chemist can be expensive. A recent article in the Listener magazine suggests that purchasing a nit comb and a bottle of conditioner will work. Simply wet the child's hair and put conditioner through it. The conditioner will stun the lice making them stop moving for around 10mins and they can simply be combed out. Once off the child's head the lice will die. It may take a few goes but it will work and your child will have lovely shiny hair I guess!

Term Ends

Term ends next Friday the 7th of July at 1pm and begins again on Monday the 24th of July – time for rest and getting over the winter bugs!

*'He aroha whakato, he aroha puta mai
(If kindness is sown, then kindness you shall receive).*