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**Term 3
Week 1**

Hello everyone,

It's great to back at school for what promises to be a very busy 10 weeks.

Next week sees our annual Spelling Bee competition and hopefully the children, with your help, have been busy learning their word lists. Spelling Bee day is always an exciting (and sometimes nerve-wracking) experience, and we look forward to seeing which children take out the first trophies of the year!

Week 4 will be busy with it being 'Maths Week' and then the annual winter sports day on Friday the 16th of August hosted by Matauri Bay School but taking place at our school and at Whangaroa College.

New Zealand Playhouse will pay us their annual visit on the 29th of August before all attention turns to the highlight of the term (and the year) our whole school production. It has been a while since we last had a production but for those that have been part of the community long enough to remember the last one you will no doubt be looking forward to Week 10 when all of the children will be appearing on stage.

There will be other things come along over the next few weeks but lots to look forward to and lots to do!

Kind regards,
Paul Barker.

Message from The Board of Trustees - Principal Appointment

Thank you to all of those that took the time to give your thoughts about the qualities and attributes that you would like to see in our new principal. We will use these ideas as we continue along the process to select our next principal.

The position will be advertised shortly, and we expect to appoint our new principal in the middle of September with the successful applicant beginning their time with us at the start of 2025.

Dates to remember:

1 August	Spelling Bee Day
5 August	BOT Meeting
7/8 August	Parent Interviews
16 August	Winter Sports Day
19 August	NZ Playhouse Visit

Honours Board – Term 2

It isn't easy achieving Honours Board status and children must display the school values of Learning, Loving, Contributing and Growing consistently across the whole term to achieve same.

Congratulations then to Term 2's Honours Board children and encouragement to those children that have yet to make the Honours Board this year to keep working hard and behaving positively – you can do it!

Here are last terms proud Honours Board people:



Congratulations to - Ruby-Rose, **Starlyn**, Georgia, **Naia**, Alexis, **Keani**, Logan, **Kahlia**, Mila, **Kaeo-Valley**, Hera, **Mahayla**, Braxton, **Kaleigh**, Tupu, **Harli**, Hunter, **Lauaki**, Moana, **Eva**, Leo, **Mia**, Airini, and **Molly**.

"Nothing is as important as passion. No matter what you want to do with your life, be passionate."
- Jon Bon Jovi.