



Roto Review

We live by
our motto of
AIM HIGH

Roto-o-Rangi School Country Fair
 Saturday 5th November
 Time: 11am - 4pm
 5 Kairangi Rd, Roto-o-Rangi

Free entry !!

- ★ Mechanical bull rides
- ★ Games
- ★ Snail races
- ★ Cake auction
- ★ Live country music
- ★ Hunting competition results
- ★ Petting zoo
- ★ Trash and treasure stall
- ★ Carnival stalls
- ★ Pony rides
- ★ Prizes to be won
- ★ Candy floss, Toffee apples, Spit roast and more
- ★ Vintage tractor rides

Eitpos available



Trash and Treasure Stall

If you have anything that you don't want any more, please bring it to school for our Trash and Treasure stall. Ask your family and friends too.

Clothes, homeware, tools – anything! But only items that are clean and still work please.

Donations

Sugar for our candy floss and toffee apples.
 Beer bottles – need the Steinlager ones with the long stem. We need 18.

Beer crates: has anyone got 6-7 of these we can borrow?

Hay bales: we need quite a few of these to borrow (i.e. to sit on and listen to the band)?
 Gazebos: do you have one of these we can borrow? Non flimsy- that won't fly away...

Bakers:

We are selling muffins and cookies on sticks. Who can bake a batch of these? We can get you a recipe for the cookies.

Helpers on the day

We are going to need each family to volunteer on the day. It might be to help out on the food stalls or run a simple game like knock down the cans. We will put a couple of families on each thing so that you can run shifts and organise amongst yourselves when and how you can help. A form is in the newsletter that you can return or please contact Pip at cpearly@xtra.co.nz about where can help and she will allocate you a job.

KIDS FOR KIDS CONCERT

The senior classes will be travelling to Hamilton on Wednesday 26th October for a practice and organising morning in preparation for the big event that night. To accommodate this, we will need to transport the children to Hamilton on the school bus. As we are required to be in Hamilton around 9am we will be meeting at school at 8am that morning and on the road by 8:10am. Hence, there will be **NO COUNTRY BUS RUN** that morning as the bus will be on its way to Hamilton. Children brought to school because there is no bus run will be supervised by the remaining teachers and can be dropped off when the older children are brought to school.

If this change is going to cause those families a problem please contact Mr D asap to see what we can sort out.



MONDAY LUNCHES

Hotdogs	\$2.50 (Tues 25/10)
Chocolate Milk	\$1.50
Hamburgers	\$2.50 (01/11)

Wednesdays are Hot Food Days

Food is to be brought to school in a wrapping suitable for going directly in a pie warmer – tin foil, heat proof container, paper.

AG DAY

Another excellent Ag Day was held last week. Thanks to Lorraine for all her work organising the day, Graeme Norvill and Nick Dawson for setting up all the rings and organising equipment, the PTA for the HR (stewards, food for judges and kindergarten visitors, etc). Everybody working in together makes a smooth running event, and it was certainly that.

Well done to all the children who competed with animals, in the gardening or baking. It all adds to the real life learning that only a country school can offer.

You could tell that this year all animal competitors had spent a good deal of time with their animals. Their handling and relationships were noticeably strong. Even Mahe Drysdale's little girl was really good and she would barely be at pre-school.

	Champion	Reserve Champion
Calf - Leading	Jacoba Gread	Max Fraser/Campin
Rearing	Jacoba Gread	Kade Sorenson
Lamb - Rearing	Jimi Trubshaw	Travis Adlam
Call Follow Run	Kaylee Grantham	Bethany Hopkins
Leading	Kyla Petersen	Madison Judd
Goat	Hannah Stuart	Toby McAlpine



WELCOME BACK

Term 4 began with much nicer weather than we had in the holidays. I am sure everyone was pleased, especially the children, to be able to get out of the house and do something.

Term 4 is very busy, so keep an eye on the school calendar and newsletter for up and coming events.

Tomorrow is Group Day, and we have a rather disappointing turn out of competitors. With Ag Day being a huge success, 33 children competing with an animal and even more with the garden in a gumboot and baking, knowing only 5-6 children are going to Group Day is disappointing.

Next week, Wednesday, is the Kids for Kids concert in Hamilton. The senior children have been spending a lot of time practicing and are sounding beautiful.

As part of the rural curriculum we are planning on some Friday specials – local people who have achieved great success coming in and talking with our children, a Young Farmers morning demonstrating some farming skills, and our overnight camp and trip up to Maungatautari. Dates and venues being confirmed.

Then there are the Athletics days, the pool opening for swimming lesson (thanks to Graeme Norvill for a huge amount of work fixing the pool filtering system), end of year assemblies and leadership workshops. Mandarin lessons continuing in Room 5 and Friends for Life programme for Room 4.

BUT of the course the most exciting part of term 4 is the Country Fair. We look forward to the whole school, every family and the wider community getting behind this event and making it a huge success. See you all on Saturday November 5th somewhere between 11 and 4.

WELCOME

Welcome to Mason and Beverly who have started in Room 1 this term. They have had a great start to school and you would think they had been here all year as they look so at home.



EVERY DAY COUNTS

Research confirms that student performance is related to school attendance. The attendance rates within a school can have an impact on the achievement overall of the students attending that school. That does not mean only children who are away often do not perform to their potential, it also covers children who intermittently miss school. So, every day counts! Don't send children when they are sick, but certainly make every effort to get children to school outside of that: take holidays during holiday time, a birthday isn't a day off...

My Mum

My mum has soft blonde hair. She has blue eyes and she always needs to wear glasses. The only time she doesn't wear glasses is when she goes to work.

She only gets one day off work a week and that is a Tuesday. On Tuesdays she cleans up the house. My Mum is funny and smart. She is always nice to me and my brother.

She likes to wear earrings, she has big loopy ones. She has three earring holes in her ears. She wears them everyday! I love her so much. She means everything to me.

By Ruby Cox

ROTO SPEECH FINALS

Congratulations to all the speech finalists at the end of last term. Again, the bravery of the Year 1 and 2 children to stand up in front of an adult audience to recite poetry is incredible. The quality of the speech writing and delivery from the Year 3-6 students was of a very high standard yet again.

	1st	2nd	3rd
<i>Year 1/2</i>	Rheeahn D	Josiah T Emma D	
<i>Year 3/4</i>	Kade S	Lucy D	Madison J
<i>Year 5/6</i>	Webb S	Charlotte	Amber H-M



ASSEMBLY

Assembly will be held tomorrow at 9.40am. Rm 5 presenting.

MINIBALL FRIDAY 21ST OCT

Roto Dynamos v Karapiro All Stars, Court 1, 7.55 pm
 Roto Breakers v Karapiro Hot Shots, Court 2, 7.15 pm
 Roto Thunderbolts v Goodwood Lakers, Court 1, 7.55 pm

UPCOMING EVENTS

- 21/10 Group Day & Rm 5 Assembly
- 24/10 Labour Weekend holiday
- 26/10 Kids for Kids practice – 8am @ school
Kids for Kids concert – 6:30pm Activate Church
- 28/10 Local Success stories - TBC
- 02/11 BOT Meeting 6:30pm
- 05/11 Country Fair 11-4pm**
- 08/11 Yr 5 Leadership Day
- 11/11 Young Farmers demo morning - TBC
- 18/11 Roto Athletics
- 25/11 Rural Athletics
- 29/11 BOT Meeting 6:30pm
- 30/11 Whole School Overnight Camp - venue TBC
- 02/12 Cambridge Schools' Athletics
- 08/12 Prizegiving Assembly: 7pm in Roto-o-Rangi Hall
- 15/12 Leavers Dinner: 6pm in Roto-o-Rangi Hall
- 16/12 Last day of 2016

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Te Miro Mountain Biking Club are holding a Junior Mountain Bike Race on Sunday 20th November. Details and registrations via their website: <http://temiroclub.co.nz/product/junior-race-entry> Or contact Linley on 027 236 3778. Poster also posted on Roto School Facebook.

Carer needed for 2 children aged 12 and 9 before school from 6:30am to 8:00am. Will need to have a drivers licence to drop children off at bus stop and at school. Starting term 4 - Monday 10th October. Afternoons may be needed in the future. Please contact Emily Stewart on 027 236 532 after 5pm for more information.



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