

Congratulations to our week 6 class certificate recipients:



Keeping Ourselves Safe (KOS) Programme

A reminder that we are beginning the KOS programme on Monday. Information for parents can be found at this web link:

<https://www.police.govt.nz/advice/personal-and-community-advice/school-portal/resources/successful-relationships/keeping-1>

If you have any further questions, feel free to contact your child's teacher.

A message from our Public Health Nurse

As you may be aware there are currently multiple outbreaks of measles in New Zealand and at least 140 confirmed cases reported so far in 2019. Measles is a serious, highly infectious viral disease that is easy to prevent through immunisation. **If your child has had two doses of the Measles, Mumps and Rubella (MMR) immunisation they are protected.**

As there is a high chance that measles could spread to Hawke's Bay, we urge you take the following steps to make sure your child is protected:

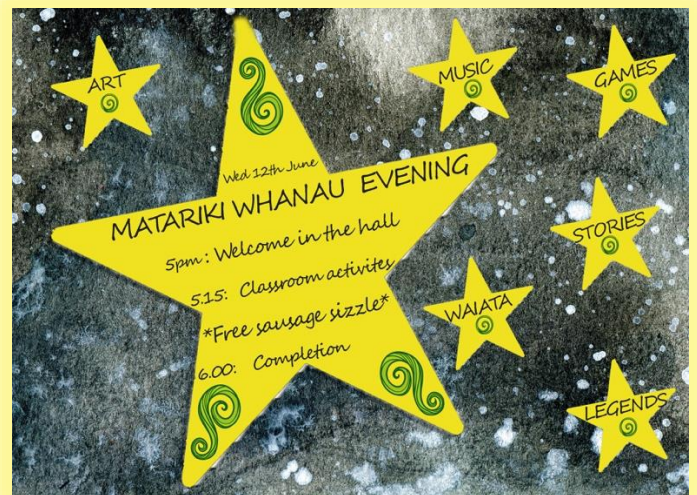
Check your child has had two doses of the MMR immunisation.

- If your child only has a record of receiving one dose of MMR they should have another as soon as possible
- If your child has no record of MMR immunisation they should have one dose now and a second dose FOUR weeks later.
- **Immunisation is FREE from your GP or Practice Nurse.**

Please make sure your child's school has a copy of their immunisation certificate. If your child has contact with a person with confirmed measles they may be asked to keep away from school for up to two weeks if there is no record of them having been immunised against MMR.

Immunisation is highly recommended as it protects your child and helps prevent the spread of infection in the community when an outbreak occurs.

If you require further information, you can find out more from the Ministry of Health's website www.health.govt.nz/measles



An action shot of our new school environmental group, 'Kaitiaki' (guardians), cleaning up fallen leaves



Term Two Seesaw Update

Check out these amazing facts!:

4710 Total Items Posted
3470 Comments
14175 Hearts (likes)
10251 Total Parent Visits