

## Principals News....

Week 5 already done and dusted! The term is just flying by!

### Rural Principals conference

I'm writing this newsletter from Wellington at the Rurals Principals conference. It has been a busy few days attending workshops and listening to other leaders of schools and from many different professions. I have certainly enjoyed the time and have found it valuable.

### Sickness

There has been plenty of illness around. Colds and flus have been the most common, with a few stomach bugs also. Please keep your child away from school if they are unwell. This stops the spread of the bugs around school. We also ask that you don't send your child back until they have fully recovered. Children need to be well to learn.

### Bus Behaviour

Please remind your children about bus behaviour. We bring this up at school often and remind students that the same rules apply on the bus that do at school. This includes how we treat others on the bus.

We are respectful and kind to other students always. If I feel a student's behaviour is unacceptable, they may be removed from the bus for a time.

Any communication about buses can be directed straight to me.

### Technology Days

On Monday June 10th, we have our annual technology days. The students in Room 1 and 2 will head up to Kurow and do their technology challenges at Waitaki Valley School. These two classes have been practising for this. Room 3 and 4 will stay at Duntroon School for their technology day. The home-challenge is due back to school on Wednesday June 5th .

### King's Birthday and Teacher Only Day

A reminder that Monday June the 3rd is King's Birthday and the day after this,

Tuesday June the 4th, is a teacher only day.

School will be closed on both of these days.

School opens again on Wednesday June the 5th

Have a great LONG weekend!

Nga Mihi Nui

Mike and Staff



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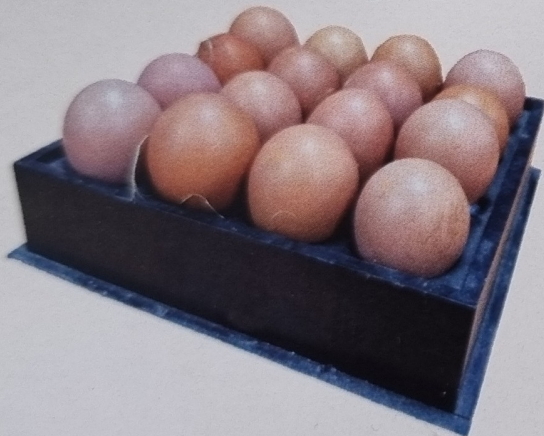
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"I don't need to learn how to subtract. I'm going to work for the government."

# FRESH EGGS

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# **DATES TO REMEMBER**

## JUNE

3rd June—Kings Birthday—School Closed

4th June—Teacher Only Day—School Closed

6th June—Tech home challenge judging

7th June—St John appeal mufti day

10th June—Tech Challenge

11-14th June—Tech Week

17th June—Duntroon speech finals

28th June—Matariki—School Closed

## JULY

4th July—Winter sports day

5th July—Last day of term two

22nd July—First day of term three

## AUGUST

5th August—Cross country—Omarama

August 6th-9th—Tech Week

August 7th—Clued up Kids

# Team Tahi Newsletter

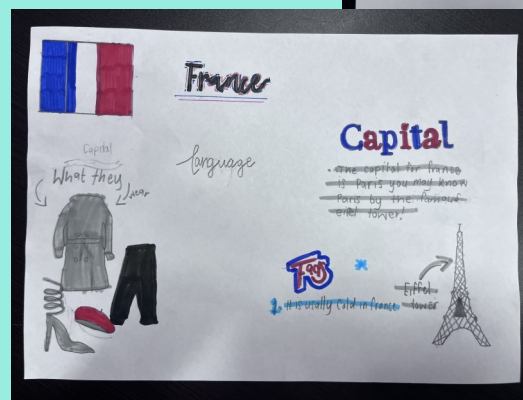
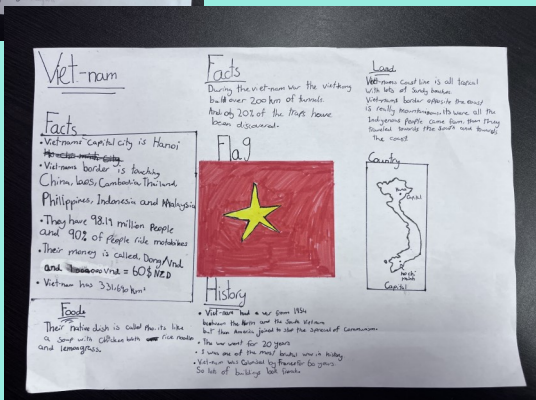
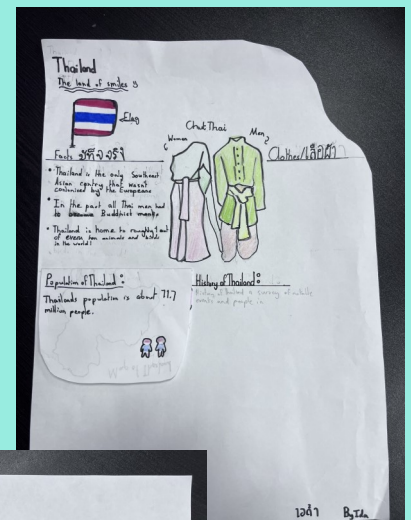
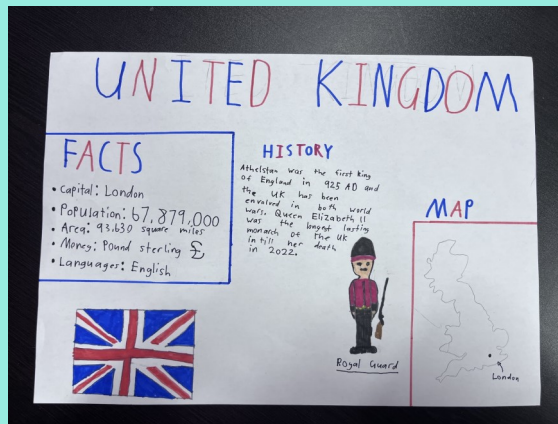
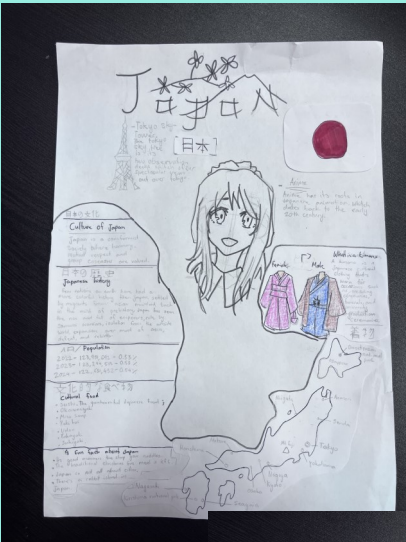
What a great term so far in Team Tahi! We have been lucky enough to welcome two new students to our class in the last couple of weeks, welcome Reco and Laila!

At the end of last week our Year 8's went to the rural schools leadership overnight camp at Iona. Some of our highlights were orienteering, learning about search and rescue operations and playing games with students from other schools. It was a great opportunity for us to meet new people and learn about our leadership styles.



For our topic this term, we are learning all about rockets, how they fly and space travel. In groups, we have been designing and creating our own bottle rockets to launch. Our aim is to have the bottle rocket that stays in the air the longest.

During reading we have themed 'choice boards' to work on independently. These have several options of independent activities. One option this week was to choose a country and create a poster to inform others about that country. Here are a few examples - some are still a work in progress:



# Welcome to...



## **RECO HODGETTS**

**RECO LIVES WITH HIS MUM, JOSH AND SISTER, RIVAH.**

**HE HAS A DOG NAMED SHARPAE..**

**RECO LIKES RUGBY AND HE ALSO LIKES TO PLAY VIDEO GAMES. HIS FAVOURITE GAME IS GTA.**

**KFC IS THE FOOD HE LOVES THE MOST AND HIS FAVOURITE COLOUR IS RED.**

**WHEN RECO GROWS UP, HE WOULD LIKE TO BE A FARMER.**

**RECO MOST ADMIRES COHEN. "HE IS A GOOD FRIEND TO ME"**

**WELCOME TO DUNTRON SCHOOL RECO.**

# New to Duntroon....



## Laila Samara

Laila lives with her Mum, Step dad, Nick and her younger sister, Billie. At home Laila has nine dogs, 5 are working dogs and 4 are pets. She also has a cat.

Laila's favourite colour is red and the food likes the most is Sushi. In her spare time, Laila likes to watch Home and Away and also Shortland Street.

When she grows up, Laila would like to be a Soccer player. The person that Laila admires the most, is her cousin Ophelia, because she is fun to hang out with, and she is an amazing person.

Welcome to Duntroon School Laila.



**WGHS  
NETBALL**

email  
lhueppauffewaitkigirlshigh.school.nz  
with any questions

**DATES: 9-10:30am**

**1st June**

**22nd June**

**6th July**

**Location: Waitaki**

**Community rec centre**

# **SKILLS SESSIONS**

**WGHS are holding netball skills  
sessions for Primary School  
children Years 1-8.**

**Run by our Year 9, Year 10  
and Senior tournament  
teams**

**Register via the google  
form**