# LEABANK PRIMARY SCHOOL



HE AKONGA MUTUNGA KORE

## Te Kawerongo mō 15 ō Mahuru 2023

7 Dr Pickering Avenue, Manurewa, Auckland School Telephone: (09) 267 6939 <u>www.leabank.school.nz</u> Greetings, Tena koutou, Hola, Kia orana, Talofa Lava, Fakalofa Lahi Atu, Noa'ia, Namaste, Bula Vinaka, Malo e Lelei, Ni hao, Xin chao.

Dear Parents/Caregivers

#### <u>TE WIKI O TE REO MĀORI</u>

Te Wiki o Te Reo Māori. The theme "**Kia Kaha Te Reo Māori** – **making the language stronger**" continued this year picking up from where it left off in 2022. Māori Language Week has been celebrated in Aotearoa since 1975. This special week is an opportunity for the concentrated celebration and promotion of te reo Māori, helping to secure its future as a living, dynamic, and rich language.



For Te Wiki o te Reo Māori, each day Leabank School tamariki learnt five different phrases that they could use at school and also at home.

English	Te Reo Māori	Sentence in English	Sentence in Māori
WiFi	Ahokore	The WiFi isn't working	Kua raruraru te ahokore
Message	Karere	I will message you	Ka tuku karere atu ki a koe
Headphones	Kawe rongo	Where are my/the headphones?	Kei hea taku/te kawe rongo
Website	Paetukutuku	l really like this website	Rawe ki a au te paetukutuku nei
Charger	Pūhihiko	Where is my/the charger?	Kei hea taku/te pūhihiko waea?

#### LITTLE BO PEEP'S MOBILE FARM

Due to the unpredictable weather last week, the farm visit has been postponed to **Tuesday 19th September** next week.

Little Bo Peeps has a gorgeous barnyard of friendly animals and ponies available for interaction, education and riding for all occasions. Our animals are cherished family pets and all enjoy a fabulous free-range lifestyle at home. They are all extremely content, friendly and calm. A lot of them are rescued and rehabilitated with lots of TLC and others are pedigree/exotic and/or miniature breeds. This makes Little Bo Peeps something different from your average farm experience.

#### Term 3 - Week 9

#### INTER-SCHOOL BASKETBALL

**KA RAWE TE TIMA POITŪKOHU O LEABANK**! Well done to Leabank's Basketball team who placed 2nd in their pool. Unfortunately, they didn't make it to the semi-finals but kei te pai. The team played their hearts out and made our kura proud.

#### LAST DAY OF TERM 3

The last day of Term 3 is next week **Friday 22nd September**. We will be **finishing at the normal time 2:55pm**. Term 4 starts on Monday 9th October and goes through to Friday 15th December.

#### PHOTOLIFE CLASS, INDIVIDUAL AND SIBLING PHOTOS

Class photos, Portraits and sibling photos were all taken on the 30th of August. The process for ordering photos has changed. **School will no longer be taking orders or handling photo money.** Students will be issued a unique photo code or classroom code for their photos that parents can use to order and pay online. **ALL THESE GO DIRECTLY TO PHOTOLIFE**.

### ALL PHOTOS WILL BE READY IN TERM 4.

TERM 3 UPCOMING EVENTS				
19th September	-	Little Bo Peep's Mobile Farm		
22nd September	-	Caught Being Good Assembly		
	-	End of Term 3		
9th October	_	Start of Term 4		
12th October	-	Science in a Van		
23rd October	-	Labour Day		

Yours sincerely

R W Maddren Principal





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