

Nga mihi nui Pukeokahu families and Community from Jan, Carol, Sara and Jenna.

The class has been concerned about plastic bags killing sea animals. They wrote to Adrian Rees at New World and he offered to meet them! Because of sickness, only three of the class interviewed him with their prepared questions.



Adrian surprised them by explaining the measures New World has already undertaken with hessian bags, clear plastic trays for meats and biodegradable paper bags for fruit and produce. He gifted each family a hessian bag to use and receive 5c off their grocery bill. Adrian agreed to their idea of having a bin in the supermarket to return plastic bags. However, he has challenged them to research how they will be disposed of. Afterwards, they were given a tour of supermarket.

Overnight Sleepover at the Lodge: Thank you Janey and all of River Valley for letting the children sleepover last Thursday.



New date for School Camp: 28 August to 1 September

Ibike for Kids: Good luck for our families that will be in PN this Sunday for a fun ride

Hall Bar Tabs: A firm reminder from the Hall Committee to have these paid by the end of May, so "The Books" can go to the auditors. Thanks.

Upcoming Events

Thursday 18 May
BOT Meeting

Friday 19 May
Sports Wanganui at school

Sunday 21 May
Ibike in PN

Monday 29 June
Deaf Aotearoa visit to school

Tuesday 30 May
Bike Day at School.

Monday 5 June
Queen's B/day holiday

Friday 9 June
Fun sports at Mataroa

Monday 12 June
Matauranga Māori at REAP
at 9.30am

Friday 23 June
Zero Waste visit to School

Monday 3 July
Matauranga Māori at REAP
at 9.30am

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To the people of Pukeokahu

John and I would like to thank you all for the support and care you have shown us. We feel humbled by your response and grateful to be part of such a strong caring community. Despite 'rumours' to contrary, the food was amazing and most welcome.

Thank you,
John & Carol