

Pāmapūria School Newsletter



Friday 14 February, Term 1; 2025

KUPU MIHANA ~ MISSION STATEMENT: Whakakahangia ngā taura o enei ra, kia mau tuturu ai ki ngā wero a āpōpō - empowering today's learners to meet tomorrow's challenges.

MOEMOEA ~ VISION: Guiding Pāmapūria Learners to Thrive!

PAMAPURIA SCHOOL BOARD OF TRUSTEES (BOT): Our trustees are Sera Latu (Presiding Member/Chair), Sharon Mane, Ian Bamber, Jolene Saunders (Staff Trustee) and Cheryl Bamber (Principal). We sincerely thank our Board for wanting to make a difference for our tamariki, community and staff of Pāmapūria Kura #pamapuriaproud #makingadifference #guidingpamapurialearnertothrive

~~ Celebrating the learning and successes of our tamariki weeks 1-3, term 1, 2025! ~~



Whakatau for our new tamariki, kaimahi and whānau

Pāmapūria School, RD2, Rapid 6970, SH1, KAITAIA 0482

School Website - www.pamapuriaschoolnz.strikingly.com **School App** - Skool Loop

Facebook Page - <https://www.facebook.com/Pamapuria-School-140699616266120/>

Office & all finance matters: Tina on 4084 294 - office@pamapuria.school.nz

Principal: Mrs Bamber on 4084 297 or 021-215 4586 - principal@pamapuria.school.nz

Acknowledging our Rangatahi

R2 (Y3) with Mrs Bamber because Whaea Mandy was away



Darsea and Mihi

R3 (Y4/5) with

Matua Jono

Neriah, Albert &
Haedeez



R6 (Y7/8) with Whaea Jo



Bryers & Wirihana

R7 (Y5/6) with Matua Liam



Connor & Adara

Tumuaki Awards with Mrs Bamber



Michelle and Zara-Leigh both in R2. These two young ladies display leadership in their class because they are always willing to help others, try new things and generally just do their best. #rangatira

Hari rā whānau - birthday celebrations Happy birthday to Connor and Rawhiti

WHG - Whānau House Groups

Ryder representing Te Paatū, handing over the tewhatewha to KC and Michelle from - Ngāti Kahu



Kura haerenga ki Peria



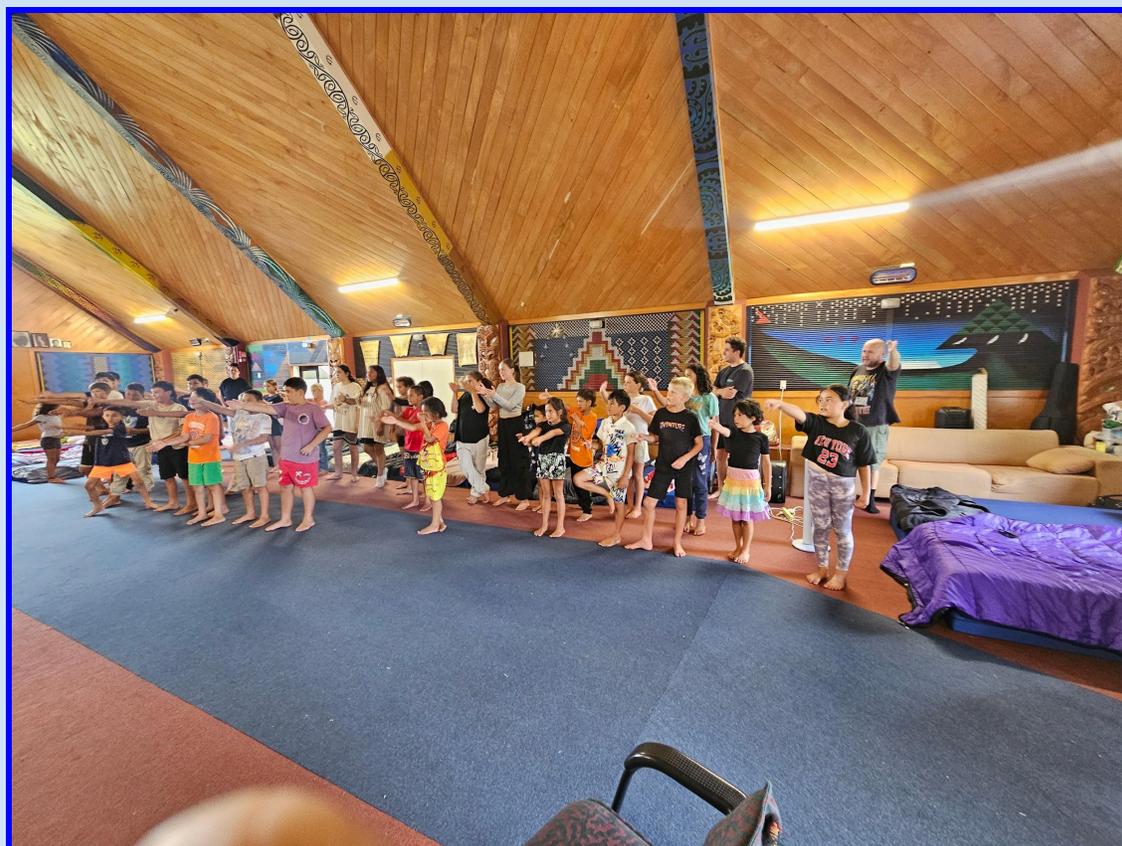
Ngā mihi nui to Peria Kura, Whaea Ari and her team of kaimahi, whānau and tamariki who were at Kauhanga Marae to pōhiri our entire kura on Monday 10 February. Their tamariki did an amazing job throughout the whole kaupapa, with special mention to the koro (young males) who were sharp with their mihimihi. We are extremely grateful to them for their tautoko towards us. After some kai and a bit of a play, our juniors travelled by bus and our middle/senior classes walked to Peria Kura, alongside our new Peria whānau.



Then we explored their kura (loved their huuuuuge slide), ate from their food forest (reka/yummy), had our lunch and then bused back to our Marae for some more fun and games. Our 2 junior classes went back to Pāmapūria and our 3 older classes prepared to stay the night.



Matua Te Ikanui Kingi-Waiaua came that evening to kōrero about the hītori/history of Peria and the Rangatira. As usual, he is dynamic in his delivery and had the tamariki hanging on to his every word. He is a fountain of knowledge and we are so very lucky to have him helping us.











Skool App

FYI for our new whānau - go to Google Play or App Store and download Skool Loop (education) then click on 'select your schools' and search for Pāmapūria, select it with a tick and hit the big orange button (chose). You will get notifications of events, can send an absence message and find our latest newsletter amongst other things. This app is very useful to have on your phone whānau.

Downloading the Skool Loop app - a step by step guide

Once you have downloaded the Skool Loop App, via either your Google Play or App store, please follow the below instructions to select your school -

- Open the Skool Loop App - you will land on a welcome page.
- Click the 'Select your schools' this will bring you to a menu you can either search your school or follow the country/region prompts.
- Once you reach your school, select it with the tick on the righthand side.
- Tap the 'select schools' button in the top right corner.
- Tap the big orange chose button. This will load your school and bring you to the settings page.
- Subscribe to the groups that are relevant to you, then click the 'go back' button on your phone, which will bring you to the main screen of your schools app.



School Policies available online to look at and review/make recommendations

We use SchoolDocs for all of our school policies and procedures, please go to <https://www.schooldocs.co.nz/> and search for our school using the button (top right). Our username is; **pamapuria** Password; **respect** Whānau can regularly review and comment about our policies, if you feel changes may need to be made. From the home page, click 'current review' and click on the link to the policies shown below. Read the information about that policy then click 'start your review'. **Term 4 Review Schedule:** Finance and Asset Management, Managing Income & Expenditure, Financial Conflicts of Interest, School Donations and Activity Payments/Attendance Dues and Other Income, Expenditure, Asset Management and Protection, Property Planning and Maintenance, Prevention of Bribery, Corruption, Fraud and Theft.

Upcoming Important Dates & Events:

- *Wk1, Mon 14 Oct* - First day for term 4 with a whakatau in the hall 0945
- *Wk2, Mon 21 Oct* - Haerenga ki Victoria Valley. Learning about Victoria Valley
- *Wk2, Fri 25 Oct* - Far North Teachers Only Day - no school for tamariki - also Labour Weekend
- *Wk3, Mon 28 Oct* - Labour Day - no school for tamariki
- *Wk4, Mon 04 Nov* - Whole School Athletics here at kura
- *Wk4, Thurs 07 Nov* - Y0-3 Western Zone Junior Athletics here at kura
- *Wk5, Mon 11 Nov* - Y4-8 Western Zone Senior Athletics here at kura

Contact details for kaiako/teachers

If you would like to contact the teacher of your tamariki, please see the following emails.

Whaea Sinead in R1 (Y0/1) = sinead@pamapuria.school.nz

Whaea Mandy in R2 (Y2/3) = mandy@pamapuria.school.nz

Matua Jono in R3 (Y3/4) = jonathan@pamapuria.school.nz

Matua Liam in R7 (Y5/6) = liam@pamapuria.school.nz

Whaea Jo in R6 (Y7/8) = jolene@pamapuria.school.nz

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Ko Te Paatū



te Marae



Ko Ngāti Kahu te Iwi

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Ngā mihi e te whānau - Cheryl Bamber: Tumuaki