

Kia ora koutou, isn't it lovely to have the lovely warm weather returning. The lambs and calves in the paddocks and the blossoms on the trees makes it such a lovely season. This reminds me that we are getting ready for two key events in the first week of term 4... Carterton School Pet Day on the first Friday of the term and the A & P Show with various art projects submitted for judging.

Recently, I have heard that some cars are parking too close to, or even on the crossing, by the gate on the Holloway Street / Dixon Street corner. We need to have good visibility for our Road Patrollers to see and be seen by drivers, so please park in one of the spaces nearby. Thank you.

This lovely sunny morning also reminded me, next term children are expected to wear school hats with a brim for their protection from the sun during each break time and learning times outside the classroom.

Have a great week!

We are having a plant stall at the local Farmers Market on Sunday 4th of November to fundraise money to 'Beautify our School'. We have some plants but we would like to have a trailer full of plants for sale. If you have any plants that you would like to donate for the stall, please send them to Room 5 or contact Whaea Mel on 0221089935 or the school office. We can do pick ups. Thank you



Pet Day Term 4

Carterton School Pet day will be on Friday 19th October (that's the first Friday of term 4). Due to the concerns regarding mycoplasma bovis - we will not have a calf section at this year's pet day. We are sorry for any inconvenience but we hope that children who have other pets will still bring them.

You can complete your pet registration online using the following link

<https://goo.gl/forms/xpPIBHSS1tviYPQV2> or a paper copy can be picked up from the school office, or Mrs K in Room 14

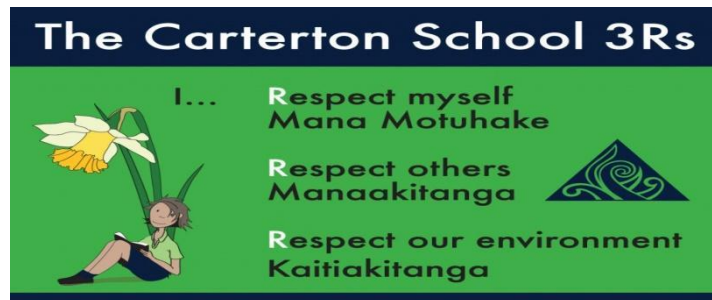
Teaching Respect: Carterton School 3Rs



Hi my name is Kimberley and I have been the parent representative, since last year, on the team which implements our school behaviour management system affectionately known as 3 R's

You have probably heard your child chatting about clicks, badges, mahi pai, or mention green, yellow, orange or red cards. They may have arrived home with a star of the day/student of the week certificate, or are now proudly sporting a pink, yellow or blue badge and as end of term draws near hear talk about upcoming end of term movie or park visit.

If you haven't quite got your head around how these all relate to each other – these are some of the tools used for teaching positive behaviour which is implemented primarily through our 3R's.



The rewards and milestones show your child understands our school rules and has demonstrated positive behaviour in relation to themselves, others and our environment. Be proud of their achievements.

What you may not realise is the amount of work the teachers put into administering, recording and following up in support of this programme and our children. Behind the rewards is a structured system of not only positive reinforcement planning and organising rewards, but restorative practice and corrective consequences for children who step over the boundary into unacceptable behaviour.

Since 2015 data show the number of behaviour incidents at school has almost halved

In future newsletters, I will present you a more in depth view of our school system which I hope will give you a better understanding of how it operates and how it benefits your children.

If you have concerns about any behavioural issues impacting your child, in the first instance talk to their teacher. If you want to understand more about how the system works, pamphlets are available outside the school office, or on the school website.



WEETBIX for sale at the school office. \$3 per box

Dates for your Diary

Tues 18 th Sept	BOT Meeting 7.15pm
21/22 Sept	Yr 8 Powell Hut
27/28 Sept	Wairarapa Schools Kapahaka Festival
Fri 28 Sept	9.10am Certificate Assembly 3pm End of Term 3
Mon 15 Oct	Start of Term 4 – Welcome Powhiri for new students and families.
Fri 19 Oct	Pet Day
Mon 22 Oct	Labour Day – School closed



FINDING YOUR WAY

October 8th - 11th
Carterton District Library

REGISTER NOW!

CARTERTON
Eastern & Central COMMUNITY TRUST
MATHS IS FUN

The poster features a grid with a coordinate system. A path of footprints starts at the origin (0,0) and moves to (2,5), then to (4,4), and finally to (4,1). Labels include 'my house' at (2,5), 'the shop' at (4,1), and 'x axis' at the bottom right. A compass rose is also present.

Join Online

- <https://www.emailmeform.com/builder/form/939EcjadeUp7>

Ages 5-13

“Finding Your Way” is a family orientated ‘Maths is Fun’ Programme for children from five to thirteen, at no cost families.

This holiday programme has now been successfully run and supported by the Eastern and Central Community Trust for the past twelve years, and has been expanded to 24 centres from Te Ararua to Levin and Featherston.

The Eastern and Central Community Trust, keen supporters of educational initiatives across the region, have funded the programme since its inception, and their continuing sponsorship is what enables us to bring the programme to Carterton

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‘Finding your Way’ will be delivered at the Carterton District Library during the October school holidays (8th-11th) by experienced teachers.

Each child registering for the programme will spend the equivalent of one day, broken into appropriate sessions and they will receive a take-home pack of fun, relevant equipment and games to use with family at home.

There will be a Whanau Finale at the end of the programme, with a family maths challenge and to celebrate the efforts of the participants with their families.

Registrations are open. However numbers will be limited within each of the 4 year bands, with a total of 50 places available.

If you are interested, you can join online above or pop in and see us at the library.