



# Mangakahia Area School

TE KURA TAKIWA O MANGAKAHIA

JUNE 2016  
WEEK 7, TERM 2

## MATARIKI

Matariki will be celebrated this year on Friday 1st July with an activities afternoon. There will be a scavenger hunt, darts and kite flying starting at 1.30pm. Parents and caregivers are welcome.

## TROPHIES

Please return all Show Day and Prizegiving trophies to the office.

## SHOW DAY

It's time to start planning ahead for Show Day in term 4. This year Show Day is Saturday 15 October. Calf, lamb, goat or puppy entries must be born after 1st July in the year of competition.

## Welcome to the New Board of Trustees

Mangakahia Area School would like to announce its new Board of Trustees. Nominations were received and due to their number, an election was required. Our new Board consists of the following people: Susan Henderson, Rangī Tuhiwai, Rachel Cocks, Anne-Marie Tito and Christine Marsh. Our staff representative is Leon van Rooyen.

We would like to thank Judi Laird for her hard work and dedication over the past years. The next BOT meeting is scheduled for Thursday 7th July 4.30pm in the Whare. During this meeting the BOT Chair will be elected.

## Student-Led Conferencing

### Year 1-8 Student-led Conferencing.

This year student-led conferencing for Year 1-8 will take place on Tuesday 21st and Wednesday 22nd June. It involves a student-led conference between you, your child and their teacher. The conference will take a full twenty minutes. A lot of preparation has been involved in class by your tamariki and we look forward to sharing this with you.

### Year 9-13 Academic/Career Conferencing.

Whanau of Year 9-13 students can conference with their whanau teachers also on the 21st and 22nd June from 3pm to 6pm.

All students have been given an appointment schedule for you to indicate your preferred times. Please complete the page and return to school by Tuesday 14th June. Please contact the office if you have not received one.