END OF TERM AND DUFFY ASSEMBLY

An end of term school assembly will be held tomorrow, Tuesday 19 September, at 9.30am under the sunshade (weather permitting). This assembly will include a visit from a Duffy Books in Homes role model Stella Moana Schmid. Parents are very welcome to attend the assembly. Following the assembly students will receive their Duffy books to take home.

TOUGH GUY, TOUGH GAL

We had 4 tough gals and 4 tough guys enter the mud run in Pukekohe last week. These students had been training for two terms for this event. Whaea Anet said the team was the fittest we have ever had. Their fitness was evident by how

well they finished. Fast and with lots of energy.

Eljay and Trinity both won spot prizes.

Some comments the students made were:

It was so muddy I got stuck.

There was a big mud puddle that I went for a swim in.

It was cold but the showers were warm.

I went down the mud slide and bumped into someone. Then I got mud on my face.

It was so muddy, it was funny!



CONCERNS OR COMPLAINTS

Parents are reminded that if you have a concern or complaint regarding your child, another student or any issue that has happened at school this needs to be addressed with a staff member. Your first point of contact should be your child's classroom teacher. The Leader of Learning for your child's roopu, one of the Deputy Principals or the Principal are also options to discuss issues of concern.

Sometimes a matter of concern is able to be resolved at the time it is first raised. Sometimes school personnel may need to investigate the issue further by talking to students and/or other staff members. This will be done as quickly as possible and feedback provided to you about what was found out and what has been done as a result of the investigation.

Under no circumstances is it acceptable for parents to take matters into their own hands and approach students directly. Please help us ensure our school is a safe environment by reporting matters of concern appropriately.

TE WIKI O TE REO MAAORI - RAP COMPETITION



Winners of our RAP in Maaori competition for Te wiki o te reo Maaori were: Ellena from Room 20
Diarn from Room 20
Tiakina from Room 17.

CASUAL VACANCY FOR A PARENT REPRESENTATIVE

A casual vacancy has occurred on the school board for an elected parent representative.

The board has decided to fill the vacancy by selection.

If 10% or more of eligible voters on the school roll ask the board, within 28 days of this notice being published, to hold a by-election to fill the vacancy, then a by-election will be held. Request for a by-election should be sent

to: Stacey Morunga
Presiding Member
Wiri Central School Board
PO Box 97148
Manukau. 2210

by Tuesday 16 October

HIGH SCHOOL ENROLMENTS

A final reminder that high school enrolments for Year 8 students need to be completed. If you would like any support with enrolment, please contact the school office (phone 262 0594 or 027 262 0594, or come in and see us).

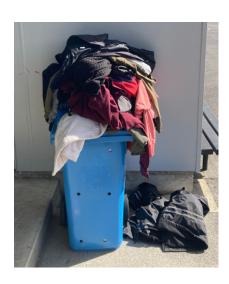
LOST PROPERTY



If you have lost an item of clothing, check out the Lost Property bin outside Room 5. Parents, you are welcome to come and check the bin as well.

We have a huge mountain of unclaimed clothing at present. Lost property will be displayed during the week. If you see an item that belongs to you, please take it home.

At the end of the week all unclaimed clothing will be donated to charity.



WHĀNAU REWARD - PLAYGROUND FUN AT HAYMAN PARK

We have four whānau groups at Wiri Central School: **HOKIANGA**, **KAIPARA**, **MANUKAU** and **WAITEMATA**. Whānau tokens and class points build towards a winning whānau reward. Students earn tokens for demonstrating the school values of **kotahitanga**, **manaakitanga**, **whanaungatanga** and **rangatiratanga**. Whānau rewards are held twice each term, in the middle and at the end of each term. The whānau with the most points at these times attends the afternoon reward session. Our next whānau reward is scheduled for this Thursday, 21 September. The winning whānau will be announced at our school assembly tomorrow morning.

The reward this time is a visit to the playground at Hayman Park, Manukau. Students who are in the winning whānau will travel by bus to and from Hayman Park on Thursday afternoon. If your child is in the winning whānau they will bring home an individual notice and permission slip tomorrow. Please sign it and return it to school.

Term 3 finishes this Friday, 22 September. Term 4 starts Monday 9 October