3 June 2010 - Week Seven - Term Two

Dear Friends and Families

It has been a very cold week and we still have lots of sickness in the school. We will be reinforcing the healthy practices of catching sneezes in tissues, disposing of tissues carefully and washing our hands well and regularly. Thank you for keeping sick children at home, to let them recover and to stop them passing it on to others. We appreciate the phone calls or texts to let us know that your child is sick and won't be at school.

This weekend is Queen's Birthday. I hope you have a wonderful long weekend and we'll look forward to seeing everyone on Tuesday.

We welcome Isabella, Indiia and Corey our school.

Weekly Challenge

Week Challenge Winners

Junior	Alex	1 hour 30 minutes
Middle	Sammie	23 km
Senior	Eva	5.75 (6 rounded)

This Weeks Challenge

Junior	Name one book you have read by a New Zealand author this year. Include the title and author.
Middle	The Duffy book project was started by a famous New Zealand author Alan Duff. Name three books he has written.
Senior	Margaret Mahy is a famous New Zealand children's author. Where does she live and when was she born?

Responsibility

Some examples of how we are being responsible include:

⇒ Returning gear back on the PE trolley

⇒ Having inside things to do on wet or cold days

Young Leaders Day

Fifteen student leaders attended the National Young Leaders Day last Tuesday, with Mr Randles and Mrs Dixon. We had a very interesting day, full of fun and interesting speakers, who shared their perspective on how we can "P" our potential.

Student's comments about speakers:

The speakers they most enjoyed were:-

Rob Harley— lots of things to show, how a disability can not stop you from doing what you want.

Nick Tuitasi—-He was funny and a good speaker, leadership and gave messages for life.

Message they took from the National Young Leaders Day was-

Choose your friends wisely, plug into your potential, don't worry about what other people think, it's impossible to be who you are not, so why not just be who you are!

National Young Leaders motivated them to-

Feel good about themselves, dream big, leaders don't look at problems, they see through them, young people to become young leaders.

As a Marton School 'STARS' Leaders, they will be using the idea from Young Leaders that-

It's not what happens to you, its what happens in you that counts, watch out for who you hang out with because they also determine who you become, wait 24 hours before you respond, everyone has something that is good about them, so use them, in a good way.

Young Leaders showed them-

We will all think differently and will never be the same, go for your goals and never give up, how to use my obstacles around me, I am not the only Beaver and to lead your group in the right direction, you have something good about you, so you need to show the world.

Winter Sports

Netball—No Netball –Queens Birthday Weekend

Basketball Draw
Tuesday 8 June
4.45pm Yr 5/6 Marton Leopards vs Junction Jets

Hockey— No Hockey– Queens Birthday Weekend

It was an expectation that all sports fees were paid before the start of the season. Unfortunately there are a few families that have not done so. These students will be stood down from games, until this is done.

Marton School Disco

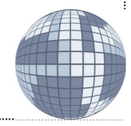
Friday June 18

Year 0—5 5.30pm—6.30pm

Entry $3.00 includes fluro band, drink and chips

Year 6—8 7.00pm—8.30pm

Entry $2.00—Tuck Shop open



"Caught Being Good"

Javan
Olivia
Simone
Fergus
Jordan
Mikaera
Paige

Community Notices

Rangitikei College Taster Morning

Wednesday 16 June 9.20am—12.30pm

For all Year 8 Students, Parents and Teachers
Fun-based activities in the classroom
A taste of College life

Open Evening

Wednesday 16 June 5.30pm—7.00pm

We invite all Year 7 & 8 Students and their Parents to an evening in the new School Hall to hear and see what Rangitikei College offers. Come and see our modern and progressive school.

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Fundraiser for Rangitikei College OPC trip
Pre sold Tickets-$15.00
Saturday 12 June
Pick up from Rangitikei College
Contact school office on 327 7024 for tickets

Marton OSCAR Holiday Programme

Enrolments are now open for Term 2 Holiday Programme 5—16 July. Variety of fun activities, arts and crafts plus a Mystery Trip away on the Wednesday. Enrol your child now to ensure a placing. Phone 027 248 2101.

Marton School Stars

3 Blue Cards:

Bronze Awards:
Mykaela, Junior, Lavinia

IMPORTANT TERM 2 DATES

- **Friday 4 June: Tuck Shop Open**
- **Monday 7 June: Queen's Birthday holiday**
- **Tuesday 8 June: BOT Meeting 5.30pm**
- **Wednesday 9 June: Year 8 Tree Planting**
- **Monday 14 June & Tuesday 15 June: Shane Rufer—Soccer Training**
- **Wednesday 16 June: Rangitikei College Taster Day**
- **Friday 18 June: Disco**

Regards Brya Dixon

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