## Happy Holidays!

## Kia ora e te wh**ā**nau

Wow! Here we are at the end of a term that has been full of wonderful celebrations with Matariki, the completion of Whakaruruhau (our canopy), our Mihi Whakatau, Tawhai Values t-shirts and some amazing accomplishments for our cross country runners.

I would like to acknowledge all our passionate staff for their commitment to our tamariki. It hasn't been an easy term managing illnesses and sharing classes, but your support, kindness and care for each other has got us through.

Everyday I feel blessed to have such wonderful tamariki, staff and school community.

## Learning Conversations

In Week 2 of next term we will be inviting parents to Learning Conversations. At the beginning of the year these were via zoom, we are all very excited that next term we are back to face to face meetings.

This is an opportunity for you to review the learning goals that were set in Term 1, check in with progress and set goals for Term 3 and 4.

On Monday 1 August school will be closing at 2pm so we can start the learning conversations asap.

There will be supervision for children that need to remain at school until 3pm.

Bookings will be open at the start of Term 3.

We have had one confirmed COVID case since Monday's communication. Hopefully these holidays will provide a circuit breaker for both COVID and all the winters viruses spreading

around. .

Important dates:

- Term 3 starts Monday 25 July
- Photos week 1 Monday 25 28 July
- Ngā Manu Island Bay trip week 1
- Learning Conversations Week 2
- Footsteps Dance throughout the term.

Stay safe wonderful whānau. Rest, relax and enjoy some fun time with whānau and friends.



Ng**ā** mihi nvi Karen Poole