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2016 NZIS PRINCIPAL APPOINTMENT

We are pleased to announce the appointment of **Karl R. Signal** as the new Principal of NZIS. Karl is a native of New Zealand and has had significant teaching and school management experience. He is now working for a Malaysian private company called LeapEd. The programme is a school improvement programme intended to transform leadership, teaching and learning in Malaysian National Schools, through ongoing workshops for leaders and teachers. He has also worked as a deputy principal at a major high school where he performed significant leadership roles.

His educational qualifications are as follows;

- Master of Educational Administration – with First class honours.
- Post Graduate Diploma of Arts – English
- Diploma of Teaching, Christchurch College of Education
- Massey University Scholar (in Humanities)
- Bachelor of Arts, Massey University (Humanities) majoring in English

We are very confident that he will provide excellent leadership to the continuing development of NZIS.

From
The Yayasan

Around the SCHOOL This Week

Dance Classes

There has been much excitement around NZIS primary this week with our Year 2 – 6 classes beginning the first of their 6 dance lessons, in preparation for our End Of Year Performance. This year our performance will tell a story adapted from the original text 'Giraffes Can't Dance' By Giles Andreae. The teachers have been very impressed with the students' abilities to follow the choreography of the dance instructors! It promises to be the best NZIS End Of Year Performance yet!



2015 SCHOOL TERM DATES

As below these are our term dates for next term.

Term 4: Oct 05 - Dec 08

A full 2015 Academic calendar is on our website so visit www.nzis.school.nz to stay up-to-date.

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JASIS ATHLETICS CARNIVAL



This week permission forms went home to some of our athletes inviting them to compete in the annual JASIS (Java Area Small International School Association) Athletics Carnival to be held in Bogor Gardens on Saturday November 7th. All these students in the 7yrs to 11 yrs categories, are required to travel to the event on the bus with their NZIS team members, but are free to return with parents, if they decide to come along separately and enjoy the day by cheering on our NZIS team. All permission forms should now be returned so that the team can be confirmed and final arrangements made by our host school. (Parents please do this first thing Monday morning if not already done.)

Book Week

LET'S JOURNEY THROUGH BOOKS has been the theme for the NZIS Book Week celebrations. There have been a range of fabulous activities held all week to promote a love of literature and promote greater interest in reading.

Read Around the Rooms – Each day for ten minutes after snack time a teacher read to a different class around the school.

Drop Everything And Read – At two random times throughout the week..... within any lesson the bell sounded and everyone was encouraged to drop whatever they were doing and read for ten minutes.

Been Caught Reading – during snack and lunch breaks students who were caught reading outside or in the library might receive a Ka Pai Award.

Book Cover Competition – In each year group children were encouraged to design a new book cover for a specific book. Some classes allowed students to choose their own book, while others concentrated on the 'Journey' theme book for the week! Winners were announced at assembly this morning and their names are included below.

Guess the Number of Library Books – In library lessons this week the students were challenged to guess the number of books in our NZIS library.



PRIMARY POST!

On Tuesday the children enjoyed a visit from a 'Story Telling Family' who performed an Indonesian folk tale, 'Dangerous Journeys' in the Yr 3 & 4 classrooms in the afternoon. There was lots of student interaction at this event.



On Wednesday we launched our **Book Fair** with students visiting our Early Years lobby throughout the course of the day to complete their Wish List! We had two providers this year and the Fair was held from Wednesday morning until 11am Friday.

On Thursday we enjoyed our **Book Swap**. All students had to do for this was donate two books and then receive a coupon to be able to get one new one at the SWAP! It was held in the primary area behind the front office.

Today we had a lot of fun at our annual **Book Parade**. There were prizes given out to the Best Dressed Student from each class, as well as for the winners of the most creative new design for a Book Cover, and for the child and staff member who guessed the number of books in the NZIS library. This was won by **Ms Sophia** and **Seo Jun** from 2 Whanake, who guessed around 10,000 books.





After all the presentations, the classes paraded around the primary playground and had their photos taken. There were lots of great book characters portrayed by students and staff!



PRIMARY POST!

BOOK COVER AWARDS

Yr 6 Rangatira - White Shoes – **Georg**
Yr 5 Manaia -Alice In Wonderland – **Tiara**
Yr 4 Mana- How To Train a Dragon- **Seo Young**
Yr 3 Tane Mahuta – The Ant Bully – **Eli**
Yr 2 Uenuku – The Gruffalo – **Kyoung Nam**
Yr 2 Whanake – The Gruffalo – **Dong Woo**
Yr 1 Tuatara – Captain Siblntan - **Anna**
New Entrant Ika – Paddington Bear – **Gabrielle**



BEST DRESSED AT BOOK WEEK PARADE WERE:

Jae Min – Tui, **Holly**-Kiwi, **Seo Eun**-Kea, **Yu June**-Ika, **Gun**-1 Tuatara, **Finley**-2Uenuku, **Seo Jun** – 2Whanake, **Victoria**-3 Tane Mahuta, **Ryan**- 4 Mana, **Faye** – 5 Manaia, **Nathalie**-6 Rangatira. **Ms Tri** and **Ms Paula** won the Staff/Parent awards. Congratulations to all our great book characters today!



Around The School **Next Week** (Week 4)

HALLOWEEN DISCO

Don't forget, next week we have our NZIS annual disco in the Early Years lobby on Thursday October 29th from 5pm (Pre-school & kindy students), and from 5:30pm for Primary/Secondary students. There will be refreshments on sale, and prizes for the best dressed! Parent admission is free and all students should be accompanied by an adult, and be ready to leave promptly at 7pm, following the final song. We are looking forward to seeing everyone there! Parent volunteers are invited to assist with decorations from 2pm in the Early Years foyer. Music is being prepared by our Yr 6 students with the assistance of Mr Agung. Thanks to our Year 6 students who have been busy displaying posters of this event around the school.

Enjoy your weekend ahead!

Denise Roache
Head of Primary

PSG HALLOWEEN Disco

Thursday October 29th
at Early Years Building

Put on your dancing clothes or come as favourite **HALLOWEEN** character.

Food and Drinks on Sale

Charge of Rp 25,000 per Child (parents free)

Raffle & **BEST DRESSED Prizes!!**

Early Years: 05:00pm - 05:30pm.
Secondary/Primary: 05:30pm - 07:00pm

Mana journey of the Maori

Tēnā koutou, tēnā koutou, tēnā tatou katoa

Waka



Mana have learnt about the Maori people's long journey and how they migrated from Hawaiki.

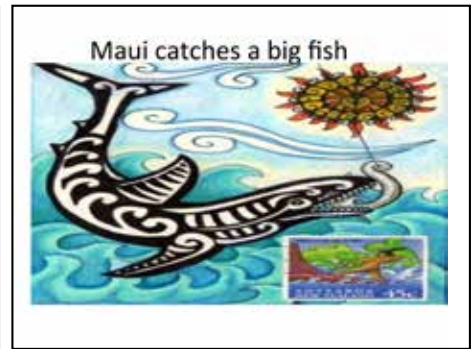
Where is Hawaiki? We still don't know, but the Maori people travelled by waka (canoe) and travelled throughout the Pacific for 15,000 years before finally reaching Aotearoa/New Zealand around 1,700 years ago.

On their journey the Maori learnt many skills, such as poi which was used to develop coordination and develop muscle skills for hunting, fishing and even war. Mana had fun learning to use poi to Beyoncé's song: Move your body.

We also learnt about rakua, another traditional stick game, which Maori children learnt from the age of three as it helped them to learn patterns and trained them to be coordinated and ready to learn.

We can use rakua and follow the beat in the song Sugar by Maroon Five.





Our favourite Maori Myth is about Maui and the big fish. We read the myth and wrote about it for our assembly. The story is of Māui who dreamed of the day that he could go fishing with his older brothers. But they would not let him until one day he hides on the waka and spun his line out to sea. The line sunk deep to the ocean floor, down into the depths of the domain of Tangaroa, and instantly the hook was taken. In time Maui's giant fish became known as the North Island of Aotearoa, and Māui's canoe the South island.

Mana have been studying sound during science and have worked out that sound travels by vibrating and can move through a range of mediums: air, water or even a solid. Maui called to his ancestors to help him through both water and air.

During art we looked at the tattoo patterns of the Maori people. We drew ourselves and added a tattoo while using mixed media in the background. We have learnt a lot about the Maori people and how they lived both in the past and today.

Have a nice relaxing weekend.

Mana



SECONDARY STANDARDS!

Secondary has been moving full steam ahead with their examinations. Year 9 have had a mammoth week, completing all of their checkpoint exams.

The next few weeks will continue to be a busy time but we know our students are up to the task!

Mr Rocky's maths class have been applying mathematical concepts to the art of origami and have produced some outstanding origami elephants. Origami takes time and patience and I think the boys were very happy to have the girls supporting them all the way!



Miss Stacey was especially proud of her year 10 scientists this week as they attempted some year 13 genetics with great success. 'The students in this class always rise to the challenge and are not afraid to take risks. Keep up the hard work guys!'