

Westport South School

Newsletter

Week 7 Term 2
26 May 2020

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Fruit & Vegetables in Schools Deliveries Starting Week Commencing Tuesday 2nd June 2020

Congratulations to Jack Anderson and Ben Ritchie who took the opportunity offered by DOC to do a study on weeds. Their entry of Old Mans Beard won. Their prize was a trip in the Christchurch Helicopter and drop off at school. Well done boys. Special thanks to Robyn Cairns and Christchurch Helicopters for this awesome prize.



Thank you to everyone for your co-operation during Level 2. As the Government loosens restrictions we will be getting closer to normal. For our school we have decided to go back to the normal timetable from Monday of next week, with everyone breaking at the same time. Still no lunch orders or breakfast club please. Sanitiser procedures and sign in books will remain. We would still ask you to drop your child rather than accompany them in if you can and of course we are trying to keep the office as free as possible.

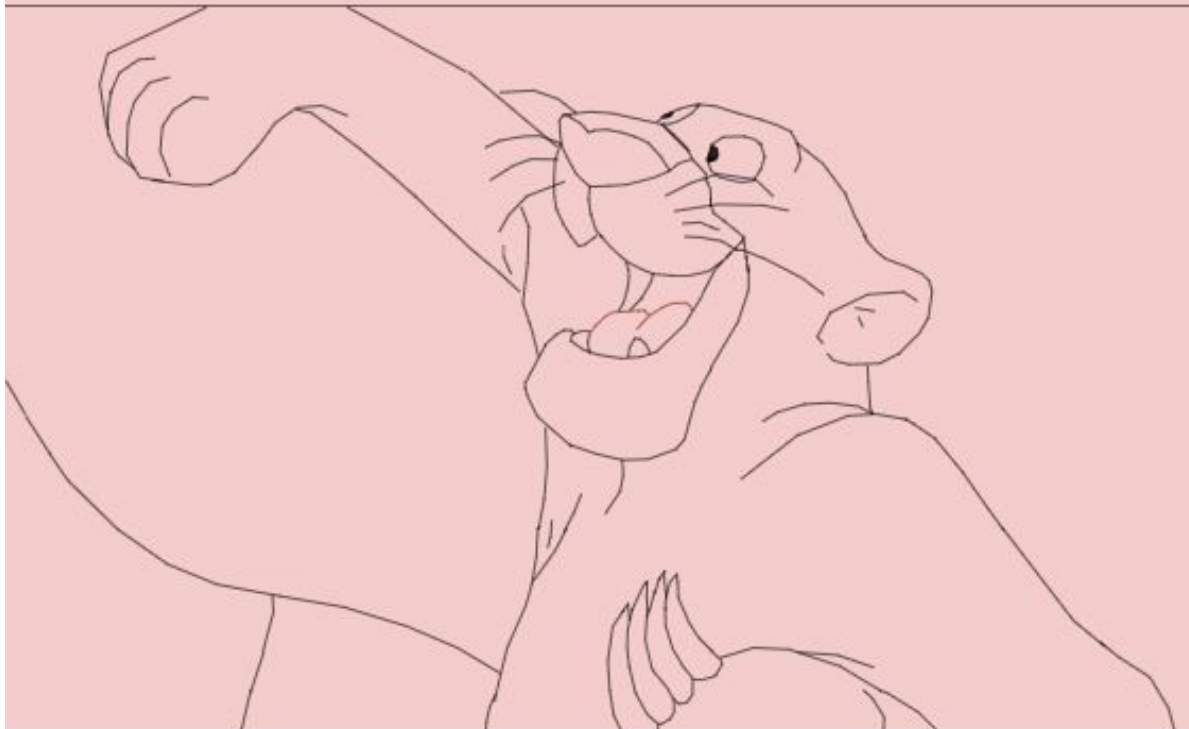
During level 3, and because the heating system was still being fixed, we allowed children to come to school out of uniform so they were warm, however the heating is on and school uniform is required. Red and Blue please. We have many assortments of jersey's coming through our doors and we need to tidy things up please.



Just a reminder that we have no problem with Parents paying off their account at the school office.

Bank account number 03 1354 0404349 00 please make sure that you put your child's name as the reference.

The Jungle Book is my favourite movie at the moment, so I decided to do a scene from that.



This scene is from hunt for the wilderpeople. This is the scene when Ricky Baker is learning to shoot.



Room 1 and 4 had some huge success with Google Classroom whilst the country was in lockdown. Mr A and Miss H have decided to continue using Google Classroom to supplement and build on classroom learning. The two pictures have been created on Google Drawing. The task was to recreate a scene from the children's favourite movie. Breanna Rolton used The Jungle Book as inspiration; Dylan Muir has been inspired by Taika Waititi's Hunt for the Wilderpeople.

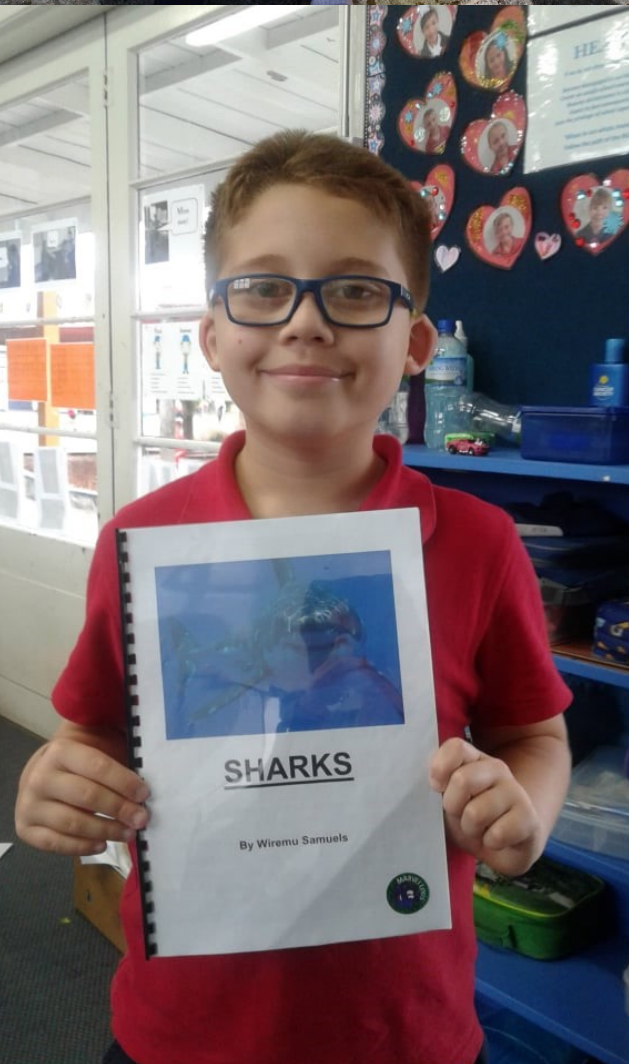


Room 10 have had lots of bubble fun over the past week.

Ruby Williams
blowing bubbles

Reef Fenn
catching bubbles

Below: Wiremu
Samuels Room 12
showing his book
on sharks that he
wrote.



LOST PROPERTY

We have a lot of lost property at school. Tina has put up some posters in doorways. Please get your child to have a look and see if anything belongs to them. If it does please let the office know so we can reunite clothing with children.



26 May BOT meeting and AGM 5.30 held in principals office.

1st June Queen's Birthday

29th June Junior School Cross Country.

Term two finishes on Friday 3rd July

Term three starts Monday 20th July.



Principal Awards:

Luke Watts: Positive contributions to the online classroom. You have also problem solved and shared ideas well at Meet time.

Jack Anderson: Quality, thoughtful and effective contributions to our online classroom.

Carlos Thwaite : Positive and entertaining contributions to our daily Meets. You have also completed work with a diligent attitude.

Emma Shepherd: The time and effort you put into completing this week's reading task. Your written responses show an excellent understanding of the article and interpretation of the Banksy image.

Erin Fick: Your diligence in completing online tasks. You take care to understand the expectations for each task and present all work to a very high standard.

Te Hana Makutu: Positive engagement in the online classroom. You made a great effort to attend the online chats and have worked hard to complete tasks.

Hawaiki Taurua: Showing confidence in trying new things.

Aaron Bradley: His hard work and great attitude in the first week back at school.

Finn Lemass: Continued hard work! Great focus and work ethic. Well done.

Hazyn Martini: Kindness and showing HEART to classmates.

Brody Burnie-Tagestad: The kindness and compassion you show to your peers. Thank you!

Kiana Harris: Making a huge effort with all written work. Well done Kiana!

Elijah Robinson: Completing all tasks to the best of his ability. Keep it up Elijah!!

Zak Clementson: Cleaning up the roadside near his house with his Mum as a part of pollution project.

Amika Soster: Active learner and timely submission of work.

Jack Neighbours: Showing enthusiasm for learning and putting in effort to get things right.

Porsha Carey: Contributing well to class discussions - sharing her knowledge with others.

Gus Bailey: For participating fully in see-saw and providing clear, interesting explanations. Plus, constructing an amazing Mother's Day card. Well done!!

Welcome To: Akain and Nithushi Hetti
Arachchinga Don

