

Tena koutou katoa nga mihi ki te whānau o te Kura o Koputai – greetings to all families of Koputai (Port Chalmers) School.

As the end of the term is upon us, I took the opportunity to visit each class this week. I asked them to reflect on the term and what things they have enjoyed most then what their wonderings were about the upcoming term. Here is what they had to say...

Rūma Mangō

- Making and testing our bottle rockets was fun
- “Mine went the highest” said Bene
- “Learning about how the different weights and fin sizes affected the rockets and their flight” said Carlos
- Maths - learning division and improving our times tables
- Doing PAL's training

We wonder what we will do for Matariki next term. We have Polyfest and the Fun Run to look forward too.

Rūma Paua

- Learning new marimba songs and te rakau
- Creative writing using different story starters and publishing
- Our presentations for our speeches
- Assembly

We wonder about having new songs for school singing and performing at Polyfest. Will we start athletics too?

Rūma Wheke

- Sharing at our assembly
- Persuasive writing
- Kapa Haka
- Health
- Marimbas – playing White Flower and Anti-Gravity. They are our favourites.
- Writing our own graphic stories
- Chapter chat
- Reading stations – particularly using book creator, the Wheke store and doing twister maze
- Reading stamina activities – Epic, silent reading, reading in the tent and blocks

We wonder what we will do in our new reading stations and what our new book for chapter chat is going to be?

Rūma Tepetepe

- Writing poems and choice writing
- Handwriting
- Bookweek – we especially liked dressing up as a book character and making our diorama's
- Drama
- Measuring in maths
- Plays
- Winter art and cinquain poems

We wonder what art we will do next term, maybe some drawing or even origami? We would like to do more writing too.

Rūma Pipi

- Sharing at our assembly
- Book week and dressing up as a book character
- PMP
- Doing our crayon and dye art
- Writing imaginative stories
- Heggerty to help us learn our letter sounds

We wonder if we can do more art and learn other legends and have more Te Reo.

Peta Hill (Assistant Principal)

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Port Chalmers School Community Voice Survey

The Port Chalmers School Board of Trustees is asking our school whānau and learning community their thoughts as we plan for learning in the next 3 -5 years. We are keen to work alongside and engage with our community to focus on delivering excellent learning opportunities for all our tamariki.

We have created a survey to gather this important voice.

The link to the [survey is here](#). We have also created a QR code which you can use on your device to access the survey.



Hockey Fee of \$55 is now due

Our Bank Account number is 06-0901-0216749-000



We would like to thank all our helpers who have given of their time to support our tamariki this term. We could not achieve all we do without you.

Ka tino mihi matou (We are truly grateful.)

Secondary Schools Open Days and Nights

Logan Park High School	Sunday 23 rd July 11:00am
Otago Girls High School	Tuesday 25 th July 6:30pm
Queens High School	Wednesday 26 th July 6:30pm
Otago Boys High School	Wednesday 26 th July 6:00pm
Kings High School	Thursday 27 th July 6:30 pm
Trinity College	Sunday 30 th July 12 noon

Sushi Johnny Price Increase

From the 3rd of July 2023, Sushi Johnny's new prices will be:

**Vegetarian or Chicken RICE BALL=\$4.50,
Vegetarian or Chicken SUSHI 5pc=\$6.00
Crispy Chicken on RICE=\$8.50.**

People Feelin' Beats - FREE weekly kids' disco - 3.30-4.15 every Friday during school term @Pioneer Hall Port Chalmers. All ages, parents/caregivers & family members welcome. This week we will be joined by a special guest, Daisy Sanders, the Australian dancer who has received the International Caroline Plummer Fellowship to Dunedin! Come along to find out more!

Tots to Teens Magazine

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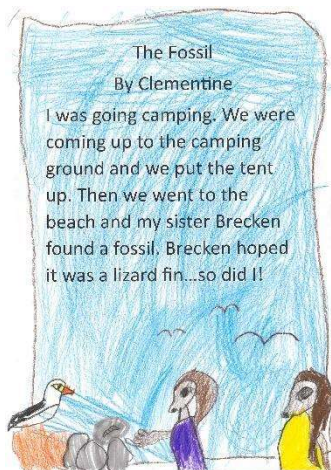
Port Chalmers Library book club will be on in the first Monday of school holidays (3rd July)
As usual, from 3.15-3.30 snacks are available followed by book chats and galactic crafting from 3.30-4.30.

Some Writing from Rūma Pipi

The Fossil

By Clementine

I was going camping. We were coming up to the camping ground and we put the tent up. Then we went to the beach and my sister Brecken found a fossil. Brecken hoped it was a lizard fin...so did I!



The Fight

By Ragnar

I saw a ninja and it attacked me. I kicked it in the back. It fell on its bum sucker!



Laser eyes

By Mahalia

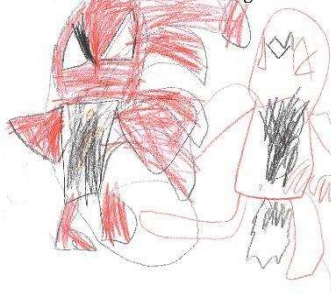
I saw a jellyfish it was swimming and stinging everybody. I stung it back with my laser eyes!



The Fighting Ninja

By Remy

Once upon a time a ninja did karate and we had a fight in the stadium. I won the fight!



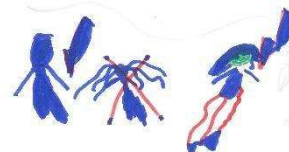
The Mermaid
By Aylah
The mermaid had a rock home.



The lonely mermaid

By Macie

The mermaid was swimming in the sea looking for a boyfriend.



The Train track

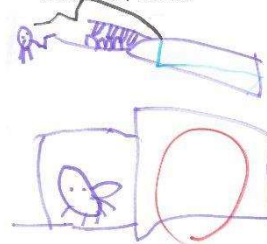
By Caius

I went on my motorbike to the train track. I did a wheelie!



By Riki

I went to close to a crocodile and it nearly bit me!



Win a custom frame to go around your school holiday creations!

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There will be **ONE WINNER** from each age group chosen by Michelle at The Artist's Room Gallery. These winners can choose their own framing to go around their winning artwork.
Plus their caregiver will also receive a special 15% off voucher for their next framing job.

Age Groups:

- 5 - 9 Years Old
- 10 - 13 Years Old
- 14 - 18 Years Old

Send a photograph of **YOUR ORIGINAL ARTWORK** or get your caregiver to send it to us if under the age of 14) to framer@theartistsroom.co.nz by **Sunday 16th July at 5pm. PAINTING - DRAWING - TEXTILES ONLY** (some no digital works on this occasion).

Dimensions:
No larger than A4 paper/ canvas size (210 x 297mm)

Open to all Otago residents - however prize winners outside of Dunedin will be subject to freight costs to and from Dunedin if required

Principal Awards Week 10

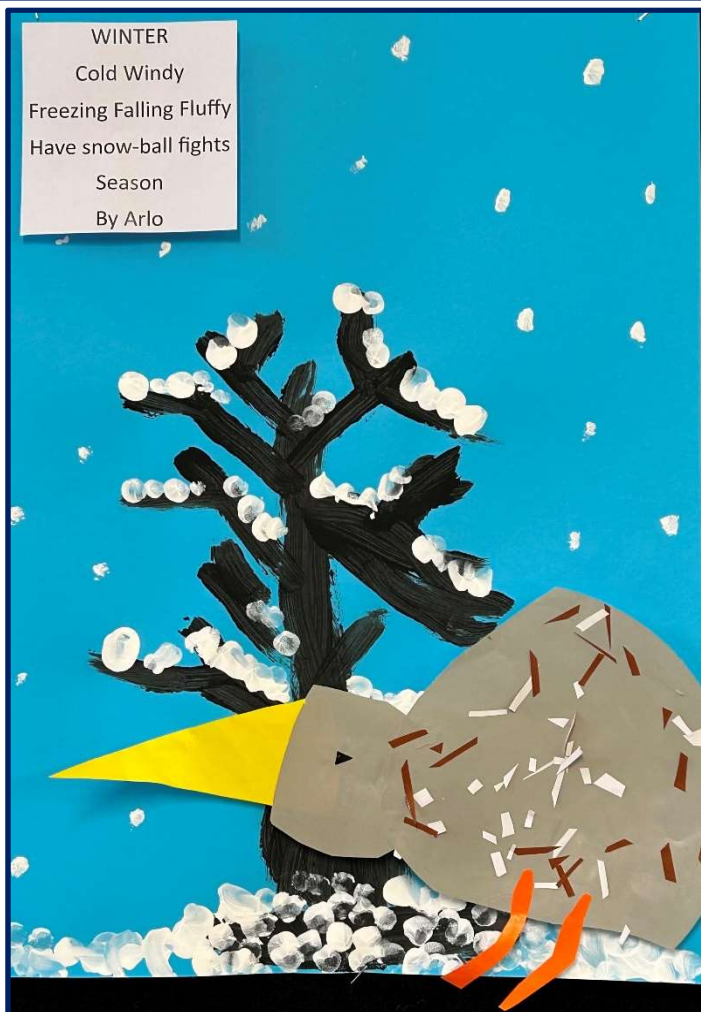
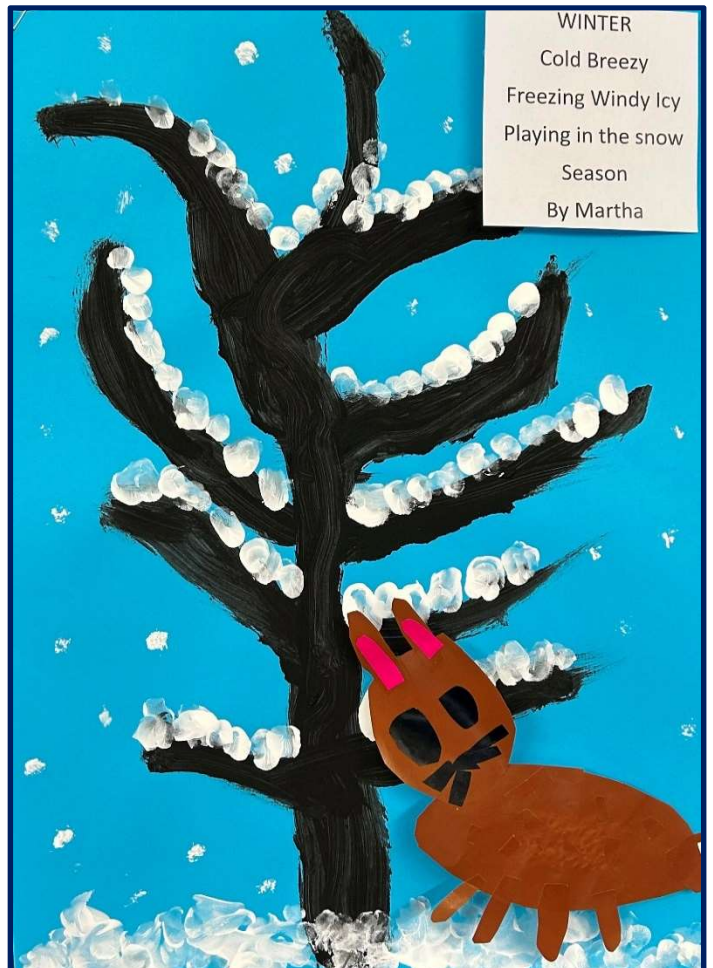
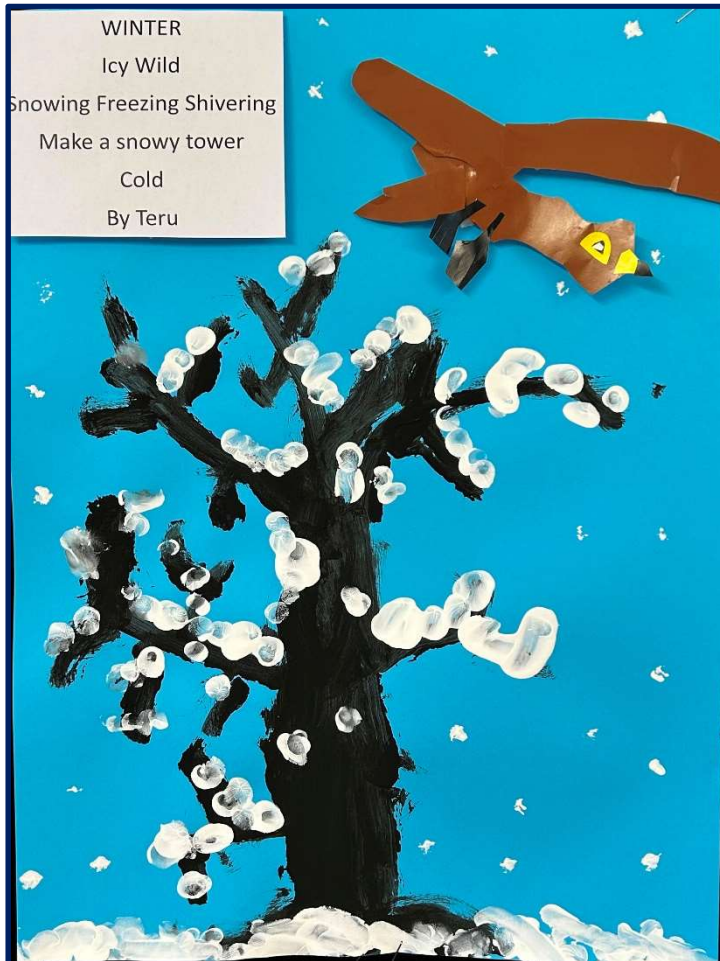
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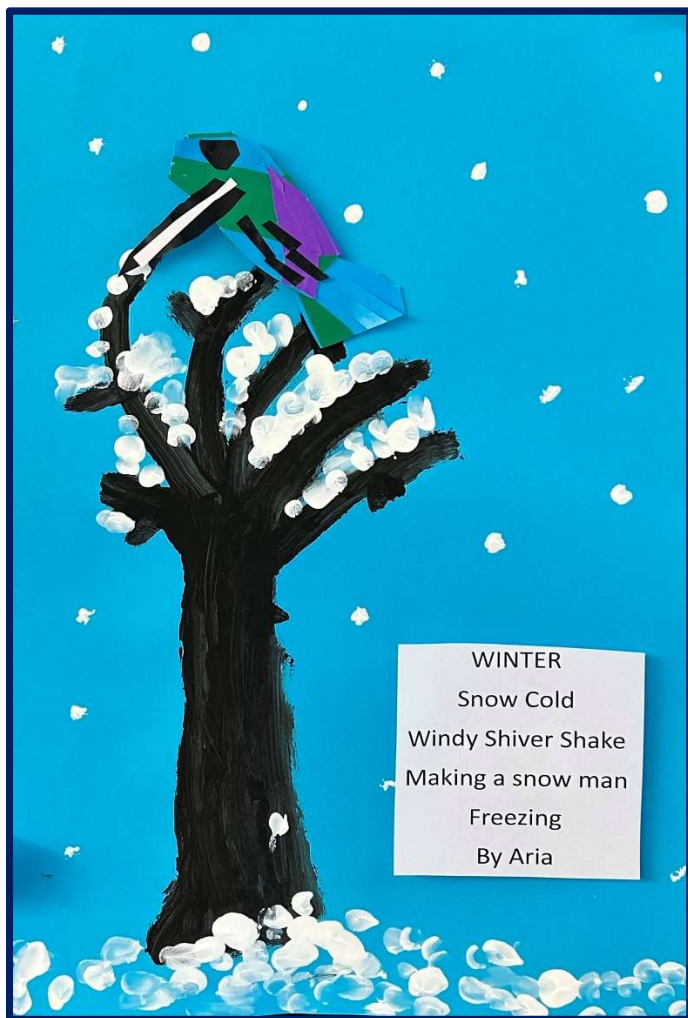
Krew Rūma Tepetepe
Martha Rūma Tepetepe

Calendar of Events

17 th July	Term 3 Begins
21 st July 7:30 am	Matariki Breakfast
Assemblies	
23 rd June	Rūma Tepetepe & Pipi

Some Cinquains from Rūma Tepetepe





Port Chalmers School

**YEAR 7 & 8
DROP-IN
INFORMATION
SESSION**

Tuesday 1st August
Anytime between 4:00 pm & 6:00 pm

30a Albertson Ave, Port Chalmers

Te Kura o Koputai



Matariki Breakfast

Planning is underway for our Matariki breakfast on Friday 21st July 7:45 am (the first Friday back after the holidays)
We are looking for some people to help serve the breakfast. We will need you from 7:15am until about 8:30am. Please put your name down at the office.
We can't wait to be at school in the dark and celebrating Matariki.
We hope you can join us.

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MATARIKI ACTIVITY WORKSHOP

Saturday 15 July 1pm – 3pm
Pioneer Hall, 45 George Street, Port Chalmers
Koha: gold coin per person, \$5 per family
Contact: emmakatelamb@gmail.com
0277797708

INFORMATION

FOR PARENTS

MULTI-SPORT PROGRAMME

Programmes run weekly on one day a week for one hour.

This term we will focus on the following sports:

- ✓ Dodgeball
- ✓ Basketball
- ✓ Rippa Rugby
- ✓ Kids Choice

This weekly programme gives children skills and confidence in a fun and enjoyable environment. It also encourages their enthusiasm for sport and the life skills that such involvement brings – giving them confidence to join sports clubs and teams in the future.

For Year 0-8 students.

\$100 FOR 10 WEEKS

Port Chalmers School – Wednesdays, 3:10pm–4:15pm
19 July - 20 September

(Sawyers Bay School children welcome to join)



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Hockey Results

On Wednesday 28th of June, the Port Chalmers Hockey Team played against the Outram Turtles. They won 4-1 and got some great feedback from the referee.

Player of the day this week was Samson.

