

## 6 November 2019 Term 4 Week 4

Kia Ora Parents, Caregivers and Whanau,

A very busy time at Merivale School this week. A large amount of highs but also a few lows. Hei aha, that's the nature of schools, and in particular, a school fast becoming known for raising its profile.

PLD Thank you to our school community for your consideration of last week's PLD session for all staff members. A great day was had by our staff with some excellent knowledge gained on trauma in children.

Senior Athletics. Congratulations to all those students who participated yesterday. A fantastic effort by everyone. Thank you to Matua Paora and his band of helpers who did an amazing job organising the event. Tauke to all the students who will represent Merivale at the Clusters athletics. Go hard! Junior athletics will take place next Tuesday.

Vandalism. As you may be aware, we have had a few incidents over the last month with the most recent taking place on Monday evening. Good news! We have identified some of these young people thanks to our Facebook post yesterday. This info has been passed on to police. Thank you to those who came forward and helped us with this situation.

Kia tu te pakari i te mua o raru  
Stand tall in the face of adversity

Nga Mihi  
Matua Tom

## Sports News –

### Senior Athletics

Thank you to everybody who contributed to a successful event in very hot conditions yesterday. See results below

### Junior Athletics

Our Junior athletics will take place in week 5, Tuesday November 12th starting at 10:30am this event will include year 0-3 students.

*We are in need of some volunteers to help out at our athletics days. Any help would be appreciated. We need recorders, people to measure throws etc and helping on rotations.*

**SUNHATS – we have new stock of Merivale School sunhats for sale in the office - \$18**

60 mtr sprints	100 mtr sprints	Shot put	Long Jump	High Jump	Discus
<b>Year 4 girls</b>	<b>Year 4 girls</b>	<b>Year 4 girls</b>	<b>Year 4 girls</b>	<b>Year 4 girls</b>	<b>Year 4 girls</b>
1st: Paepae		Kororia	Paepae, Shyla	Shyla	Shyla
2nd: Billie	<i>(Didn't run</i>	Capriess	Capriess	Paepae	Kororia
3rd: Shyla	<i>100 metres)</i>	Billie	Kororia, Billie	Kororia	Paepae
<b>Year 4 boys</b>	<b>Year 4 boys</b>	<b>Year 4 boys</b>	<b>Year 4 boys</b>	<b>Year 4 boys</b>	<b>Year 4 boys</b>
1st: Gaolo		Gaolo	Khamyne,	Gaolo	Gaolo
2nd: Kayzen	<i>(Didn't run</i>	Tu Whakarei	Waaka, Gaolo	Nathaniel	Tu Whakarei
3rd: Tu Whakarei	<i>100 metres)</i>	Kayzen	Nathaniel	Tu Whakarei	Nathaniel
<b>Year 5 girls</b>	<b>Year 5 girls</b>	<b>Year 5 girls</b>	<b>Year 5 girls</b>	<b>Year 5 girls</b>	<b>Year 5 girls</b>
1st: Manaia	Manaia	Manaia	Manaia	Magenta, Manaia	Tirairaka
2nd: Tirairaka	Jahkayla	Magenta	Tirairaka	Tirairaka	Jahmayka
3rd: Jahkayla	Magenta	Tirairaka	Jahkayla		Jahkayla
<b>Year 5 boys</b>	<b>Year 5 boys</b>	<b>Year 5 boys</b>	<b>Year 5 boys</b>	<b>Year 5 boys</b>	<b>Year 5 boys</b>
1st: Timothy	Stormy-Jaye	Timothy	Timothy	Stormy-Jae	Timothy
2nd: Stormy-Jaye	Timothy	Te Raihi	Stormy-Jaye	Uenuku	Uenuku
3rd: Christian	Christian	Raziah	Jontre	Timothy	Te Raihi
<b>Year 6 girls</b>	<b>Year 6 girls</b>	<b>Year 6 girls</b>	<b>Year 6 girls</b>	<b>Year 6 girls</b>	<b>Year 6 girls</b>
1st: Miriama	Miriama	Bella	Miriama	Savannah, Miriama	Miriama
2nd: Savannah	Savannah	Tiara	Savannah	Tiara	Tiara
3rd: Tiara	Tiara	Miriama	Tiara	Tiara	Bella
<b>Year 6 boys</b>	<b>Year 6 boys</b>	<b>Year 6 boys</b>	<b>Year 6 boys</b>	<b>Year 6 boys</b>	<b>Year 6 boys</b>
1st: Te Rongonui	Te Rongonui	Tino	Te Rongonui	Cyrus, Te Rongonui	Te Rongonui
2nd: Tino	Tino	Te Rongonui	Tino	Tino	Tino
3rd: Cruz	Danielle	Cyrus	Danielle	Cruz	Cyrus

## Tauranga Intermediate School –

Orientation Day for the 2020 Year 7 students will be held on Tuesday 19 November 9.30 am - 12.00 pm in the Tauranga Intermediate School Hall. We will be walking the students up to the Intermediate so PLEASE MAKE SURE THEY ARE AT SCHOOL BY 9AM IN CORRECT UNIFORM.

### UNIFORM REMINDER –

**A reminder that all students must be in the correct uniform every day. For the remainder of this year that can be the old uniform or the new uniform. In particular we have children wearing non black pants, these are not acceptable so please make sure your child has black pants on at all times.**

**Starting Term 1 2020 the new uniform will be compulsory and the old uniform will no longer be able to be worn. We have a good stock now of polos, shorts, skorts and hats so make sure you are prepared for next year. Hats are essential this term, it is getting very hot. These can be purchased from the office for \$18.**

### PHOTOLIFE -

Reminder that the photos are back, class photos have been sent home however if your child had an individual or sibling photo taken then these packs can be collected from the office.