

LEARNING TO CROCHET

With the advancement of technology many craft skills are being lost to new generations, so our Year 7 & 8 girls are learning to crochet. The staff and girls are learning together the basics of how to hold the hook and wool, chain, slip stitch and double crochet. We hope to master the art of making "Granny squares" which we can then assemble into blankets and other items for our families. Any whanau willing to help us learn are welcome to contact the office on 092639060.



PERSONAL EXCELLENCE MOSES VAKA

Moses Vaka is our first Enterprise student to be the recipient of our Personal Excellence Award. To receive this Moses has had to earn 6 other honours badges during the last 2 years. Each badge is a different colour representing the rainbow and covers Academic, Service, Support, Arts, Citizenship and Whanau. With his positive attitude, determination and perserverance, Moses has received that final award of Excellence.

Congratulations Moses we are very proud of you.



Welcome to all new students and families—we hope you settle into your new class and make many new friends: Jade Moa, Kaminieli Ratuibau, Jordan and Santana Tamarama-Rikiti, Janiece Faletau, Jewlius-B Ipinui, Jacky and Yoyo Lip, Viliami Ngata, Shiloh Taotua and Azeala Folauphola

MASTERCHEF AT DEEJAYS FOODS

This term the year 7 and 8 students are participating in our very own Masterchef challenge. Each week a different class has been visiting the commercial kitchens at Deejays in East Tamaki. During this time students are taught how to make a simple, cost effective dish by Deejay's Head Chef, Nicola Crump. After watching her prepare and present the dish, gaining chef tips along the way, the students are given the opportunity to recreate the dish themselves. They chose their food platters, presented the dish and added garnishes to finish.



Throughout the process they were judged by the three chefs on their group preparation, aprons, hair nets, hand washing, gloves, tidiness of their kitchen area, team work, presentation and food taste. The students enjoyed eating the dish they had created. At the conclusion of their session they had a question and answer time with Nicola. She explained how she became a chef, her passion behind cooking and the places she had visited around the world. This was an exciting and inspiring session and thank you to Deejay's for allowing us in the kitchen.



SKYPE

Over the past few weeks we have been developing our Digital Citizenship in Enterprise by using Google Suite. We have held online meetings using Google Meet as a way to communicate important pod messages, updates on school sports and reminders for upcoming events.



Thank you to everyone for your support of our Daffodil Day Fundraising. **We raised \$844 for the New Zealand Cancer Society**

Redoubt North Kindergarten

We have spaces available at the moment for children 3+yrs. We offer 20 free hours, dependent on space and availability. So if you have an eligible 3 year old please come in and see us or call Marie on 2639192.

Jane Milner-Principal

1 September 2017
Masterchef
Tell me your story, sing my your song
Visitors to school
Museum trips
Learning to Crochet
Excellence award
Daffodil Day
Skype activities
What's On?
Brainwaves Parent Evening 5 September
International Day 6 September
BoT Meeting 20 September
Cultural Exhibition 21 September
Last day Term 3 29 September
First Day Term 4 16 October

TELL ME YOUR STORY.....SING ME YOUR SONG.....

This is the major theme our school is studying this term. We are sharing our culture, heritage, knowledge and items that are important to us. Family and Whanau are learning with us and we are grateful to them for sharing their knowledge. Our special thanks to Maaka Pepene, for joining Challenger 2 and Malo Toe in Endeavour 3, also to Aterina Sapolu Tupou for teaching Apollo pod a Samoan dance, and all the parents who have assisted students to collect treasures from home.

We are learning so much from you.....



The children in Voyager have enjoyed sharing their cultural boxes with their class in the last couple of weeks. It has been great fun learning about the different cultures that are within each of our classes. A big thank you to all the parents and family members for their help!



On the 29 August, we had the privilege of having Mr. Pepene Hohaia visit Challenger Two. He taught the students the meaning of Ka Mate and demonstrated how to play different Maori musical instruments. The students had the opportunity to try out movements using Ti Rakau and they especially enjoyed the Pūtātara. Thank you so much Mr. Pepene Hohaia, the students really enjoyed it.



Apollo 1 learning a Samoan Dance with Ms Aterina Sapolu Tupou.



E1 was privileged to be visited by Malo Toe, a Tulafale (Orator Chief) and Radio Host on Radio 531pi. Malo shared the story of Sina and the Eel with the students. He also demonstrated a traditional method for opening a coconut and the students enjoyed tasting this afterwards. We are very



Museum visits for the school are now complete with all children learning about the mighty waka migration to New Zealand, the origin of Tapa cloth, how it is made and many other interesting topics instructed by the Museum staff. Thank you to the many parents and whanau who accompanied us.

