

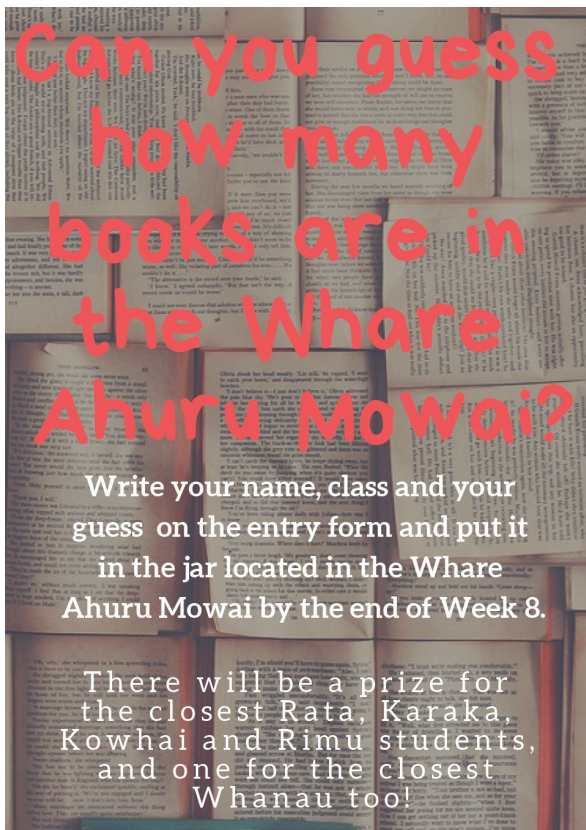
Tēnā koutou!

Swimming, splashing, races and water play were happening at YMCA Lagoon Pool last Friday. The Bailey Road Swimming Carnival was held in the outdoor pool and provided an opportunity for both Rimu and Kowhai teams to swim different strokes and for competitive lengths. Karaka experienced swimming in deeper water than our school pool and Rata participated in a variety of races in the pool. While the weather was not bright and sunny for us, we were still able to enjoy the day together. A BIG thank you to those parents who helped us keep safe in the water.

[Parent/Teacher Conference](#)

On Wednesday 6 March we will be holding our goal setting evening from 2pm - 6pm. This is a time for your child and you to meet with their teacher and look at what you can achieve together. Bookings are open, and can be made by going to - <https://parentinterviews.co.nz/book/welcome> and entering the code A9CADBAG and following the prompts. If you are unable to make an appointment time, please contact your child's teacher.

[Exciting opportunities...](#)



Can you guess
how many
books are in
the Whare
Ahuru Mowai?

Write your name, class and your guess on the entry form and put it in the jar located in the Whare Ahuru Mowai by the end of Week 8.

There will be a prize for the closest Rata, Karaka, Kowhai and Rimu students, and one for the closest Whanau too!



CONVERSATION

Tomorrow's Schools Review

Ngā Kura mō Āpōpō: He Arotake

Have your say and come to a meeting @ our school hall on Thursday 28 February at either 4.00-6.00pm or 7.00-9.00pm.

Walking School Bus

Have you thought about joining a school Walking School Bus?

A Walking School Bus is a group of adults and children walking together to and/or from school.

Benefits include:

- Improved fitness
- Making new friends
- Decreasing traffic around the school gates
- Improves safety
- Rewards

If you would like to start a Walking School Bus or find out more, please contact Claudia Claudia.moreira@at.govt.nz ; 487 585; 021 908 572

If you live further away, just drive to a Walking School Bus and join in ☺

We look forward to seeing you on the Walking School Bus!



[OUR LOCAL SPORTS GROUPS](#)

- Mt Wellington Rugby League - phone 09 579 4413, mtwellingtonwarriors@gmail.com
- Ellerslie Eagles Rugby League - phone 021 488 587 www.sporty.co.nz/ellerslieeagles
- Mt Wellington Rugby - jeff@mtwellingtonrugby.co.nz, check out our Facebook page
- Ellerslie Cricket Club - phone 021 873 150, www.ellersliecricket.co.nz
- GKR Karate - BRS hall on Tuesdays 6.15pm-7.45pm www.gkrkarate.com (09) 532 8680

