

St Bernadettes School Whānau Hui held 05 April 2017 in the School Staff Room, 5pm.

Nāu te rourou, nāku te rourou, ka ora ai te iwi. With your contribution and my contribution, all will be well.

Present: Jan, Neil, Tim, Ann-Marie, Sharon, Keith, Cherie, Corey, Michelle, Sharleen, Amy, Lauana.

Apologies: Gerard, Jane, Nicky, Katrina, Richard, Amelia.

Purpose of the Whānau hui: Home School partnership. Te Reo me ōna Tikanga is for everyone. Focus is on student achievement with Te Reo me ōna Tikanga. All Adults will be able to learn with the children during positive and natural opportunities. Evidence-based Research finds whānau engagement raises student achievement.

Whanau Future Communications so that information is available to all: <http://www.stbernadettes.school.nz/>

Mercy Values & Family Whānau Book: Karakia for families- Whānau to use. Page 53-55.

<http://www.stbernadettes.school.nz/files/a7beea2bdc347e71/folders/1/Family-whanau-book.pdf>




Ehara te toa I te toa takitahi, he toa takimaha kē

The strength is not the strength of one, it is the strength of many.

- **A pānui in the newsletter will promote the Puaka Matariki Marae Visit to invite the school's community participation.**
- **We are all cognisant of the challenge/desire to empower everyone with pronunciation and fluency tools/ strategies.**
- **Ko te tamaiti te putake o te kaupapa. We are doing this with and for our children. The child is at the heart of the matter.**

KEY POINT

- **If all adults are comfortable and have fun learning Te Reo then so too will our children. Less stress, more attachment. We are allowed to learn by our mistakes Eg. Tuakana/ Teina model, Website link to PPT with sound, explicit mihi progressions to be scaffolded, flashcard prompt, positive reinforcement, Buddy Mihi sessions..... Te Reo Matatini** 

Cherie to contact Jan re Queens High School visits. Lauana & Amy to share Mihi PPT with sound and Mihi progressions via the website. The southern pōwhiri process DVD "Mana Whenua ki Ōtākou" will be shared in Term 2 to prepare for the Marae Visit. Jan will submit the Puaka Matariki DCC application. Corey and Lauana to support teachers to consider/ prepare for the Kaikaranga and Kaikōrero role if desired. Many thanks is extended to Board of Trustees and Home School Association for their support.

Whānau goals/ targets discussed for each term.	
Term 1, 2017	Learning Education Outside The Classroom Marae Visit coordinated.
Term 2	Puaka Matariki (Māori New Year) Marae Visit. Te Reo in the NZ Curriculum topic: MIHI
Term 3	Otago Māori & Pacific Island Festival. Te Reo in the NZ Curriculum topic?
Term 4	Te Reo in the NZ Curriculum topic?

Next Whānau hui: Term 2, week 9, Wednesday in the School Staff room 5pm-6pm.

Te Tapu o te tangata	Te Tika	Te aroha ki te rawakore	Te aroha	Te āwhinatanga	Te manaakitanga	Te mana whakahaere
Human Dignity	Justice	Concern for the Needy	Compassion	Service	Hospitality	Mutual Empowerment

We believe, We Care, We Learn