

KATIKIDS THE MONTH THAT WAS APRIL/MAY 2024

KIA ORA KATIKIDS WHANAU AND WELCOME TO TERM 2 FOR 2024.

What a great start to the term with lots of beautiful weather. We again have new children joining the Katikids Whanau, as well as a new Katikids Tutor to help with our increasing numbers.

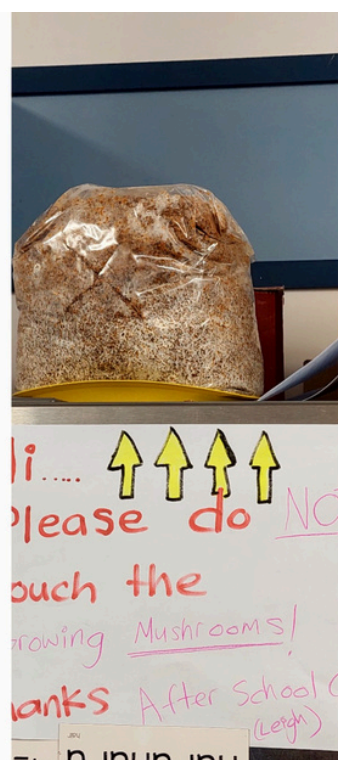
WELCOME TO JANE MUNRO

Jane has come to work for us at Katikids to assist us with our increasing numbers and help to maintain a healthy child to adult ratio. Jane and husband Jason have 3 adult children and are local Katikati residents. Jane has spent many years caring and homeschooling 2 local Katikati children. In her spare time Jane runs Bay Dollz. Jane is a registered NZFC Ragdoll Cat breeder, and raises the most gorgeous Ragdoll kittens. The Katikids children have warmed to Janes friendly caring nature, while providing lots of new ideas and activities. We are very excited and lucky to have Jane join our whanau.



MUSHROOMS THANKS

Katikids would like to say a huge thank you to Bianca and Esther from Shesthers Mushrooms. Esther brought in a mushroom block for the children to learn how mushrooms grow. They had to spray it with water once a day, and then sit back and watch. The speed these Oyster mushrooms grew was very exciting for the children to watch and understand how the mushroom growing process works. If you would like some more information about growing your own mushrooms then please email shesthersgourmet@gmail.com.

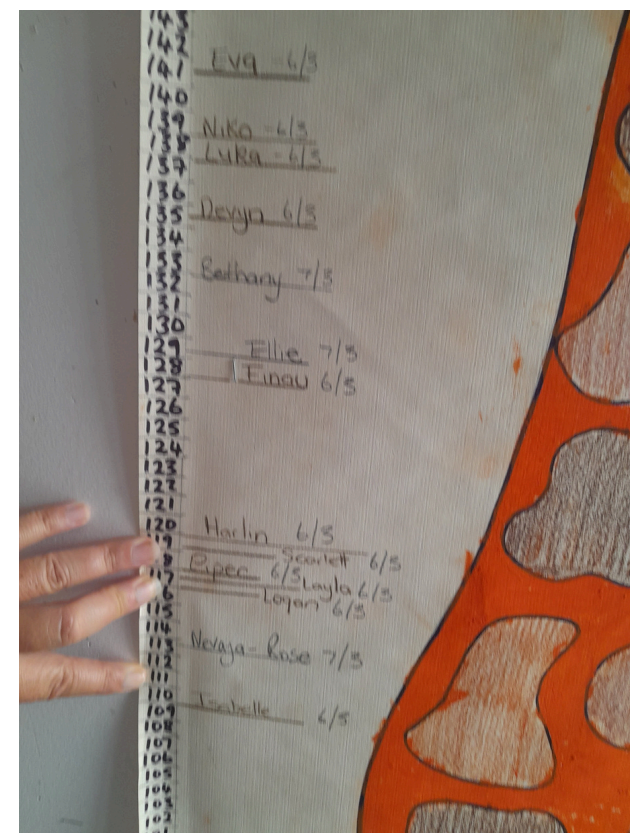


PLEASE REMEMBER TO TEXT [02102952728](tel:02102952728) OR E-MAIL SHP@KATIKATICOMMUNITY.NZ IF YOUR CHILD IS ABSENT FOR ANY REASON BEFORE 10AM, AS CHARGES WILL APPLY FOR LATE CANCELATIONS.

KEEPING BUSY

The children have had lots to do outside, making the most of the beautiful sunny weather at the end of April. We have been visiting the Katikati College Playground. Spending time in the sandpit, picking up rubbish missions around the school, stenciling, playing board games and enjoying each others company.

It is always interesting having new children start with us. Getting to know each other, exploring different areas of the school, that not all students are allowed in during school time. The Tutors at Katikids find this a great time to remind our Katikids what our rules are around staying safe, being kind and supporting each other with encouraging words while caring for our friends.



HOW TALL AM I?

At the end of last term the children were playing with a sewing measuring tape. They were measuring how long the table was, how big their feet were, when Finau said, "How tall am I?" The question inspired us to measure how tall we were, and to see how quickly we grow. We drew a large giraffe and the children helped to colour it in then we measured everyone to see who was the tallest and who would grow the most over the term. At the end of Term 2 we will measure everyone again to see how tall they have grown.

ADULT CLASSES AVAILABLE

WEAVING
(Raranga)

5 x Weekly Workshops with Whaea Martina

Start: Wed 29th May

Time: 5:30pm - 7:30pm

Cost: \$20 (incl. basic tools)

Place: Katikati Community Centre

PINK RIBBON BREAKFAST

Friday 31st May at
Katikati Community Centre
8-10am

\$8 per ticket - (tickets limited)

Tickets available from reception at Katikati Community Centre
45 Beach Road - 549 0399 for more information

CARE AVAILABLE 2:50 PM - 5:20 PM

REGULAR BOOKINGS

2.50PM - 4PM \$10.00
2.50PM - 5.20PM \$16.00

CASUAL BOOKINGS

2.50PM-4PM \$13.00
2.50PM - 5.20PM \$20.00