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Kia ora, Talofa lava, Malo e lelei, Kia orana, Fakaalofa lahi atu, Malo ni, Bula, Greetings...

I hope everyone is well and has adjusted to Alert Level Three. We have had a small group of children in school this week, certainly a very different experience given the number of health and safety procedures we have in place. It has been so lovely to hear and see all of the wonderful learning that is happening through our distance learning programme. The positive feedback has been wonderful for our staff to receive.

On May 11, the government is making a decision if we will move to Alert Level Two. I will email you when we have the details on when schools will re open in this Alert level.

At least once every two years the Board of Trustees is required to consult with the parent community about the school's Health education programmes. The purpose of this consultation is to outline the programmes that we are delivering, and for us to hear your views about what is important in this area. Opportunity to comment on our provision and programmes in this area is provided and we welcome your feedback as this allows us to develop policies and practices that reflect the needs of students at our school. Please <u>click here</u> to proceed to the survey by 4pm Friday 8th May.

Have a wonderful weekend everyone and enjoy the video our staff made for you all! Dr Sarah Brown Principal







School Uniforms: DD Gold is taking uniform orders via phone or email ph 09 4071527 or logo@ddgold.co.nz

#### KKPS's Got Talent (online edition)

We absolutely LOVE KKPS's Got Talent and so we are very excited to bring you... KKPS'S Got Talent (online edition). This won't replace the LIVE version in Term 4 but if you play an instrument, can sing, tell jokes, dance, draw, we'd love for you to share your talents on our school KKPS's Got Talent Flipgrid. Make sure you check in to see your friends performances.

Please make sure any music you use/acts/jokes are suitable for the WHOLE School. Upload your videos to <u>https://flipgrid.com/24b05bb9</u>



#### **Jolly Juicy Day**

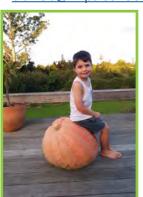
The KKPS PTA know that many of you had already purchased juicies via KINDO before school finished in term one. Don't worry.... as soon as we're back in the school together we'll make sure we honour the juicy day and will deliver to all those who've previously paid as well as giving others a chance to order.

#### **Giant Pumpkins**

Sadly we couldn't hold the planned Giant Festival this year but there were already some AMAZING Giant Pumpkins growing out there in the KKPS community. Thanks very much to the generosity of Waipapa's Plant Zone. Take a look at the Giant Pumpkin Padlet to see photos <u>https://padlet.com/claireb3/nnhffqrwizhi</u>. If you haven't sent photos in yet please do.... we'd love to see them <u>claireb@kkps.school.nz</u>









### Weekly STEAM Challenge

Each week we'll be sharing a STEAM challenge on Class Dojo School Story. You can work individually or as part of a family. Click on the links below.

#### Week 2's challenge was to:

Build a Boat using materials from around your home to create a boat that floats. See photos: Sabine Atkinson, Phoebe Atkinson, Victoria Choat, and Katy Davis's (pic with Sylvanian Families) Week 3's challenge is to make a marble rally. See page 3 for more details.



# **STEAM Challenge**







## Week 3

Can you make a Marble Rally?

How long can you make it? How long (time) does it take to go from the top to the bottom ?

Upload a movie to <u>https://flipgrid.com/f7bc849a</u> or email any pics to <u>claireb@kkps.school.nz</u>





Room 18 has been extremely busy and creative over the past few weeks from our online classroom workiing on all kinds of different things.

Some of our class have taken up the 7 day photography challenge and produced some funny, beautiful and unusual shots. Others are making fabulous models to show their 'journey through NZ'. There have been lots of notes taken about spiders which are now being used to write explanations. Plus, pretty much all of us, Ms H included, have increased our digital knowledge and skills . We keep trying new ways of working and new ways of sharing what we learn.

Ms H is hugely proud of how the students in Room 18 have risen to the challenge of distance learning, but she's is not surprised at the AMAZING things Room 18 are producing because ...Room are AMAZING!!



