1970

PRESENT PUPILS **NEW PUPILS** Paul Guillemot Brett Tolley Stuart Tolley Paul Guillemot Richard Hoy Morag Horne Russell Tolley Clifford Tolley Stuart Comrie Stuart Tolley Grant Tollev Edith Scadden Lance Tolley Ruth Scadden Malcolm McKay Michael Bartlett Helen Richards Ben Bartlett Ann Whyte Apa Bartlett Kay Lawrence Richard Gordon Sally Smith Gordon Kyle Wendy Kyle Stuart McKay Allison McPhail Malcolm McKay Jane Redman Warwick Young Kirsten Smith Mark Thompson Edith Scadden Karyn Janes

Maree Ward

Robyn McDonald **LEAVING PUPILS** Mark Graham Clifford Tolley Bernard Ward Morag Horne Apa Bartlett Robyn MacDonald Allan Janes Sandra MacDonald Andrew Ward Christopher Graham Ben Bartlett Mark Graham Warwick Young Stuart McKay Stephen Gordon Stuart Tolley Christopher Graham Paul Guillemot Angus Richards Ann Whyte Helen Richards Brett Tolley

Michael Bartlett Richard Gordon Gordon Kyle

Warwick Young HEAD TEACHER Mr JA McDonald Mark Thompson

Sandra MacDonald Kirsty McPhail

Ruth Scadden ASSISTANT MISTRESS Mrs SA McDonald Jeanette Comrie

Morag Horne Sandra McPhail Karyn Janes

COMMITTEE

KW Lawrence, Chairman HA McPhail, Secretary/Treasurer Messrs J Kyle and I Gordon

THE YEAR'S ACTIVITIES AND GENERAL INFORMATION

FEBRUARY Mr & Mrs JA McDonald took over as Head Teacher and Assistant Mistress respectively.

School Committee purchased a new motor mower. Junior classes visited Napier Airport and

the Doll's Hospital in Taradale.

Many items of maintenance carried out, i.e. new letter box, roller door on garage, doors on shelter shed, lockers in infant room, shelving and notice board in staffroom, fire escape door in junior room etc. Committee working bee - cutting of hedge and trimming of trees.

MARCH D&A Day at the Matapiro Domain; Swimming Sports at Sherenden.

Children from Mayfair School in Hastings visited us. They also visited two farms in the

district.

APRIL Senior children visited the Napier Museum and Aquarium.

Senior children visited Mayfair School for a day (return visit).

MAY: School painted, (outside only) Painting included Senior room, staffroom, toilet blocks and

sheds

Head Teacher and wife spent a month away from the school working as Recruitment Officers for the Hawke's Bay Education Board. Mr & Mrs L Shannon from Sherenden

acting as relieving teachers.

JUNE Winter sports programme started. Rugby and netball - home and away games with

local schools

Children from Otamauri School included in our teams. Second Rugby goal erected and field marked out.

JUNE/AUGUST Rugby and netball played against local schools. Considerable success esp. in rugby.

AUGUST Senior children visited the Children's section of The Kaweka State Forest. Carried out

a planting programme. Forestry donated 13 trees to be planted around the school grounds. Combined Country Schools' Representative rugby and netball teams chosen. Played games

against Fernhill and Havelock North.

School became affiliated to the Hastings and District Primary Schools' Sports Association. Winter Tournament - The school sent a rugby and netball team. Both teams did very well.

Mrs Mary Drummond resigned from Red Cross work at the school.

SEPTEMBER Padder Tennis nets and courts erected.

Inter-school home and away games of softball and rounders started.

All children vaccinated against German Measles.

OCTOBER Children made 'dummies to be exhibited at the HB

A and P Show as part of a display on farm safety.

School visited by six Colombo Plan Teachers from Malaysia. They were accompanied by

Mr G Cass, adviser to Rural Schools.

NOVEMBER Form I and 2 pupils spent a week at Camp Kaitawa. They were accompanied by Mrs

Whyte and Mrs Richards. New water supply system in operation. Connected to the

baths and toilets.

Senior boys and Head Teacher prepared and painted the school swimming pool for the first

time.

DECEMBER Children's Christmas Party held at the school. Organised by the Waiwhare

Country Women's Institute.

Breakup ceremony. Senior & Juniors both presented Maori Items songs, action songs

and hakas.

SWIMMING SHIELD: Jeanie Comrie



School painted, new sign, May 1970



November—Form 1 and 2 pupils went to Camp Kaitawa





September—Senior boys' woodwork projects - bridge building

October—Malaysian Colombo Plan teachers visited the school, accompanied by Mr G Cass, adviser to rural schools. Shown here with assistant mistress, Mrs S McDonald, and pupils.





August—1970 rugby team

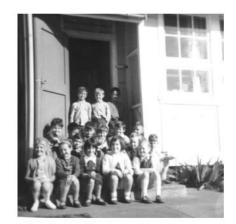
November—cleaning down and painting the baths











Room 1 children

October -Dummies for display at A&P Show



CHILD SAFETY

Waiwhare Pupils Helped Drive Home Message

THE TRACTOR had one child crushed under its front wheels, another wrapped around the shaft of the post-hole digger. Nearby was a second tractor, a child with its fingers in the fan and another impaled on the prongs of the front-end loader.

No, it was not a multiple tragedy but a demonstration of what can happen when children and tractors mix. It was given by Mr Tony Drummond, of the Heretaunga District Young Farmers' 'Club, at the recent Hawke's. Bay A and P Show.

Models

The "children" were full-size, stuffed models made by the pupils of Waiwhare Primary School in a competition organised by Mr Drummond. Anne Whyte and Kay Lawrence, both of whom made two models, shared first prize; the second prize went to Grant and Stuart Tolley, and third to Sally Smith. All the other young entrants received a cake of chocolate.

In addition to those already mentioned, further models drew attention to the dangers of children riding on tractors and trailers, or sitting on post-hole diggers to add weight, and each had a poster beside it to emphasise the message.

Two more were used in a display on water troughs. Near a covered trough was an uncovered one with a model floating in it beside a decoy duck, and a poster reading "Ducks swim - children drown."

The "children" were a novel touch that attracted much interest and comment, and gave an already effective display that extra impact which will ensure its message is not soon forgotten.



Xmas party

Juniors—breakup ceremony





Seniors—breakup ceremony



