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PRESENT PUPILS		NEW	LEFT
Tim Marfell	Form 2	Samantha Robinson	Serena Goulding
Katrina De Vries	Form 2	Steven Keesing	Caroline Robinson
Daniel Ward	Form 1	Tyler Keesing	Tim Marfell
Amy Roydhouse	Form 1	Harriet Roil	Tamati Wall
Serena Goulding	Form 1	Dean MacKenzie	Geordie Wall
Amy Roil	Form 1	Christopher Bishop	Remy Lee-Kelleher
Tamati Wall	Form 1	Megan Eyles	Katrina De Vries
Caroline Robinson	Std 4	Nick Prescott	Rochine De Vries
Elesha Purcell	Std 4	Joshua McCallum	Steven Keesing
Richard Ward	Std 3		Tyler Keesing
Christopher Ayres	Std 3	STAFF	Dean MacKenzie
Joanna Ward	Std 3	PRINCIPAL	Melissa Jordan
Sam Roil	Std 3	Keryl Lee-Kelleher	
Kylie Marfell	Std 3		
Rachel Robertson	Std 3	TEACHER	
Maree Wallace	Std 2	Margaret Henricksen	
Michael Robertson	Std 2	277	
Matthew Marfell	Std 1	RELIEVING TEACHER	S
Geordie Wall	Std 1	Keren Wallace	
Remy Lee-Kelleher	Std 1	Sally Cunningham	
Steven Keesing	Std 1	Emily Nelson	
Megan Eyles	Std 1	Ray Mettrick	
Melissa Jordan	Std 1		
Hamish Fountaine	J2	READING RECOVERY	
Jamie Roil	J2	Pam Gunson	
Nick Prescott	J2		
Rochine De Vries	J1	TEACHER'S AIDE	
Samantha Robinson	J1	Carol Ayres	
Tyler Keesing	J1		
Harriet Roil	NE	DISC. TEACHER'S AIDI	E
	NE	Lyn Elliott	
Joshua McCallum	NE		
Dean MacKenzie	Std 2	CLEANER	
		Carolyn Clarke	

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27 January Teacher only day held for staff. 30 January The school opened with a roll of 24.

Staff - Margaret Henricksen Scale A, NE - S2 (9 children)

Keryl Lee-Kelleher Principal, S3 - F2 (15 children)

Carol Ayres Secretary/teacher's aide, Discretionary teacher's aide

Lyn Elliott Discretionary teacher's aide, job share

Jarreau Purcell & Raewyne Leech Caretakers

Cleaner Carolyn Clarke

Bus drivers Jane Fountaine & Raewyne Leech. Samantha Robinson, who turns 5 on 12/2 began her introduction to school.

2 February BOT meeting - Chairperson Graham Lawrence, treasurer Simon Robinson., property

Peter Roil, policies Tony Ward, staffing Annette Marfell.

3 February S4 - F2s went to Pukehamoamoa School for land pre-training on the Optimist yachts in preparation

for next week.

7 February Joined Pukehamoamoa School, 9 of us, 17 of them, for sailing in Optimist yachts at Pandora Pond. A

great experience for them all. They got the hang of it pretty quickly. S3s worked with Margaret.

8 February Visit from Heather Mathieson - science co-ordinator for the core contract.

9 February Principal's release - Keren Wallace taking seniors.

10 February Second day of Optimist yachts and also took the children to Onekawa pool to test distance swimming

for Aquapass.

14 February Science cluster inservice in Napier, both teachers attending with Sally Cunningham and Keren

Wallace relieving.

15 February Margaret on 14 days LWOP to attend son's wedding in Los Angeles.

16 February Taihape Road schools' swimming sports at Sherenden. A perfect day with excellent viewing. Great

support from parents' team with 4 male and 1 female. Need more training, though, to be in the money.

Parents' evening - 12 people present.

20 February 9.30am, Sarah Hakes from Audit NZ re financial report, Simon Robinson attended meeting as well in

capacity of treasurer. Hastings Districts schools' swimming sports at Aquatic Centre, Frimley, Three

children staved behind.

21 February PAT testing began. 1pm Reading Recovery meeting regarding programme for Mathew Marfell once

off the RR programme. As Margaret was away Keren took the whole school and I attended meeting. Other members Pam Gunson, RR teacher, Isabel RR tutor, John Medcalf, SES, Annette Marfell, Helen Wildbore, CCS and myself plus discretionary teacher's aides. Meeting followed by IEP plan.

After school I had the first of the new style report and interview sessions.

22 February Maureen Grapes, health nurse, called in.

25 February Waiwhare Sports Day.

27 February S3 - F2 went to Crownthorpe School after lunch to attend a workshop by Aboriginal kite maker and

flyer, Michael Alvarez. All children made a simple hexagonal kite which were very successful in

flying. These are to be decorated in preparation for Friday's international kite day.

28 February Kim Whitta presented his version of "Jack and the Beanstalk" called "The Giant and the Goose" at

Sherenden hall, 1 - 2.30pm.

1 March Margaret returns from leave today to a day of strike action as least year's negotiations on a new con-

tract have still to be settled. School is open but parents are advised to keep children away as there is

no instruction

2 March Second day of strike action.

6 March Principal's release. Staff meeting of teachers and DTAs re Matthew's hours at 9am.

10am library development meeting with Jeannie Wright from School Library - Carol Ayres, Margaret

and myself to attend.

7 March 3pm meeting with chairperson. 10.30am school took buses to Sherenden School to see the Variety

Club Bash cars and people. Lots of fun. Water fights - free giveaways and plenty of autograph

hunting. The stars continued over the Taihape Rd.

10 March Seniors took bus to Anderson Park, Taradale, for the International Kite Festival. A hot, windy day

meant the children were ready for home after an hour. They didn't get an opportunity to fly a kite with a kite flyer and the space to fly their own kites was too small. They flew them in a separate area

instead

13 March Received a selection of books from Ashton Scholastic for a library buying session. Spent \$300 and

had 40% commission on books on top of that, making a total of \$420.

16 March Last BOT meeting before the elections at the end of the month. Three current members not re-

standing. Have approximately 4 nominations plus staff rep.

17 March Principal's release - visit by Murray Jamieson, relieving rural adviser. Arrival time expected 9.30am,

actual time 10.30 after he had reached the first station past the Gentle Annie and been re-directed

back.

21 March Maths evening with adviser to introduce and talk about the new maths curriculum. Seven parents

attended.

22 March Maureen Grapes, Health Nurse, worked in junior class am and senior pm with the "Keeping Ourselves

Safe" programme and the showing of videos.

27 March Family maths evening at school taken by maths adviser. Excellent evening 5-7pm with only four

families not attending. Approx 18 adults and 18 children made for a noisy, fun time.

31 March Principal and rural adviser to discuss achievement objectives.

Margaret attended "Language and Reading the Mary Palmer Way" 1-7pm. I took the whole school for 4 April

the afternoon.

6 April Kingfisher book rep called in.

7 April Shortland Publications book rep called in.

1.30pm bus meeting at Pukehamoamoa re new MOE proposals. Tony Ward and Ian Paton attended.

Novice gym festival at Havelock North Intermediate. 12 children attended from all class levels and did 11 April

very well. Children also had a swim at John Beaumont's pool.

Heather Mathieson, science contract co-ordinator, spent an hour in each classroom taking science 12 April

activities.

AGM and BOT meeting - no extra attendances, just past, present and new BOT members. 13 April

1pm Jeannie Wright library development contract - worked with Margaret, Carol Ayres and myself. 19 April

Keren Wallace relieved and took the whole school.

Margaret attended Maths Link course re new Shortland Publications, 1.30 ->, I took the whole school. 20 April 21 April Main gym festival at McLean Park - 2 teams of 4 participated in the country grade, acquitting them-

selves well. Started at 10 so our competition was over by approx 11-11.30am. Children had swim at

Onekawa indoor pool then lunch and play at Anderson Park before returning home.

25 April Anzac Day. School holiday.

Principal's meeting of the four Taihape Rd schools held at Sherenden. Discussed winter sports 1 May

organisation.

2 May Keren Wallace relieving - I was on sick leave.

5 May End of term one.

#### TERM 2, 1995

22 May Beginning of term 2.

1-3.30pm, school library development contract with Jeannie Wright, library adviser. Keren Wallace 24 May

relieved and took the whole school for sport/PE.

25 May Winter sports at Waiwhare. Netball, rugby, hockey, soccer and small games. Beautiful clear sky, no

breeze. Just managed to get the field mowed in time thanks to Marfell's ride-on.

26 May Principal's release.

30 May Cindy Good, Kiwisports, and All White Soccer player Chris spent morning with children doing Kiwi

Dex and soccer skills.

1 June Winter sports at Crownthorpe - beautiful day.

7 & 8 June I attended a 2 day oral language 1st Steps Literacy programme course. Keren Wallace relieved. 8-11 June

Teaching principal's retreat at Taupo. Of particular interest, NZEI kit on appraisal and the Privacy Act.

Also checked out camp accommodation.

14 June Science starter activities with Lyn Shannon. I attended. Keren Wallace relieved.

Day 2 of science contract, Margaret and I attended. Funded by the MOE. Keren Wallace relieved. 15 June

Junior and senior winter sports. Emily Nelson relieved in senior class then juniors in afternoon.

Harry Hood course, "Left to Write". I attended and Keren Wallace relieved. 21 June

Community meeting held that evening - main purpose, school camp. Fairly good turnout - approx 13 of the 17 families present. Finished before 9.30pm. Three children watched videos in staff room. Had a

small supper afterwards.

22 June Waiwhare was to hold winter sports, cancelled due to poor weather.

26 June Heather Mathieson, science co-ordinator, took senior class for post box activity on rocks in the morning

and junior class for "Is it a fruit or vegetable?" She then spent 12-1 talking with the junior teacher about science developments. Afternoon was spent with principal going over the curriculum statement and

programme over 3 years.

Special BOT Meeting held to discuss possible amalgamation between local schools and how we are

going to tackle/plan the investigation into this.

Watties 7-a-side Rugby Tournament was held at Hastings Boys' High School. Players were Serena 27 June

> Goulding, Daniel Ward, Tamati Wall, Chris Ayres and Sam Roil. They combined with Sherenden and entered the up to F2 grade that went up to 45kg. Despite opposition being bigger and heavier they still won one game and drew another out of the four played. Next year it would pay to enter them in the

contributing grade up to 35kg and Std 4. Perhaps include enough girls to make a full team.

Library contract 1pm with Jeannie Wright. Weed non-fiction section, review objectives achieved so far 28 June

and plan for 1996.

26 June S2 - F2 children left at 9am for a day of Kiwisports at Crownthorpe. Weather had not been good overnight but appeared to be improving at Crownthorpe. Bus company AGM held in evening followed by a community meeting intending to inform people about the rumours going around re school's amalgamation. Peter Roil attended Crownthorpe's meeting which was held for the same purpose. 30 June Mid-term break begins. Zebang storyteller at Sherenden Hall followed by a public speaking workshop for senior classes. 10 July 13 July Winter sports at Sherenden cancelled due to heavy overnight rain. I was away sick. Keren Wallace relieved. 14 July 19 July Science Roadshow at Karamu High. Took S3 - F2s, 10.25am session followed with a visit to National Schools' library for children to select a book for badge work and class books for social studies unit. Meeting at Sherenden hall of the 4 school BOTs to discuss amalgamation. Meeting called by MOE. Soe Schofield with Graham Thompson from Wellington office. It was decided an investigative working party be formed with 2-3 reps from each board. Jillian O'Sullivan from Sherenden came up for the afternoon to show the children some line dancing. 26 July After school staff asthma education at Pukehamoamoa. Michael Leyden, rep, called in at lunchtime. Winter sports held here at Waiwhare. Another fine day. 27 July Children put into teams for Ngaruroro Rover tournament. 2 August Royce Lincoln checked children for eyes and ears as well as F1 colour. No problems. Margaret away on a two day First Steps Writing course. Mrs Jan Beeden from Crownthorpe relieving. 6 August Murray Jamieson, rural adviser, visited in the morning. Winter sports at Pukehamoamoa although weather poor we weren't attending as tournament date changed to while we are away on camp and the rest of the schools were practising. Linda Ward and I visited Frimley School to see Learning Link Network in action. Assembly today contained lots of good narratives, line dancing demos and stock games by the seniors. 4 August 8 August Whole school visited Otatara Pa. We had Nigel Hadfield guiding us, who was excellent and we learnt a great deal more than if we had gone alone. Very interesting for everyone - over 2 hour of discovery. 9 August Farewelled Katrina and Rochine de Vries who are moving out of the district into Havelock North. 10 June S2 - F2s folk dancing at Sherenden hall. 14 August Whole school less 1 (23 children) depart after 9am for a week in Taupo. We went with Alf Godwin's bus - Hawke's Bay Rowing Club and George was our driver. Two problems on the way - windscreen wipers and fuel line. Made it to Taupo without stopping for lunch by 1.30pm. Stayed at Lake Taupo Christian camp - Mission Bay. Excellent weather, Tuesday and Wednesday, wet on Friday but we departed then. We had 8-9 adults with the children at various stages. Some juniors left Thursday afternoon. Excellent camp venue and food. Only difficulties involved health of children. Arrived back 3-3.30 Friday afternoon. 21 August Vicky Barnett spent the week helping out in the senior classroom, mainly as preparation for Teacher's College application. Keren Wallace relieved full day - 1st half sick release for me, 2nd half library contract, last session for 23 August writing of development plan. BOT meeting in evening, 7.30pm. IEP meeting for Matthew Marfell at 3pm. John Medcalf spent an hour with Matthew prior to meeting. 24 August Attended by Mrs Marfell, Margaret, John Medcalf, Carol Ayres & I. End of term 2 and assembly. Viewed unedited tape of camp. 25 August **TERM 3, 1995** Principal's meeting at Sherenden re cross-country and any other matters. 11 September Received ERO notification of assurance review in October. Two new pupils started - Steven (S1) and Tyler (J1) Keesing. Also notified Geordie (J2) and Tamati (F1) Wall are leaving the district. BOT meeting held in Information Centre (Library). 20 September Carol Ayres and Lyn Elliott attending Teacher Aides course as part of their year's development 22 September (professional).

Margaret and Lyn Elliott attending Swimsafe tutorials. 23 September

27 September East Coast Principals' conference run by HB Principals' Association. Day one, Attended for 1st time.

28 September Principal's release, school photos with Grant Shanley. Sandra and Bev - oral language First Steps

advisers.

Visit by book rep for Nelson Price and Milburn after school.

29 September HB Principals' conference - attended last day.

Keren Wallace attended course for optimist yacht training. Margaret and I attended final science cluster 3 October

session. Sheryl O'Connell and Sharon Peez relieved. Both relievers new to school and had a very

enjoyable day.

4 October Community meeting - agenda, amalgamation report, pubertal change course, religious instruction, bus

runs and camp video if time.

5 October Visit by Ray Mettrick who will relieve the 5 weeks while I am on LWOP maternity leave.

Christine Hardy, Lands End rep, called with a selection of books.

6 October Ray Mettrick again in the morning - familiarising himself with children and class routines.

Cross-country at Pukehamoamoa, 12.30 - 21 out of 24 children attended. Children did exceptionally

well with the following placings 5yr girls 3<sup>rd</sup>, Harriet Roil

7yr girls

8yr girls

2<sup>nd</sup>, Remy Lee-Kelleher 1<sup>st</sup>, Maree Wallace 2<sup>nd</sup>, Kylie Marfell, 4th, Joanna Ward. 9yr girls

3<sup>rd</sup>, Rachel Robertson 10yr girls

2<sup>nd</sup>, Sam Roil, 3<sup>rd</sup>, Richard Ward 10yr boys 2<sup>st</sup>, Sain Koli, 3<sup>s</sup>, Rehald Wald 1<sup>st</sup>, Serena Goulding, 5th, Elesha Purcell 1<sup>st</sup>, Amy Roydhouse 1<sup>st</sup>, Daniel Ward 11yr girls

12yr girls 12yr boys

10 October Hastings District Cross-country postponed to Thursday 12th.

Children were taken in to the Equestrian Centre and met by Ray Mettrick as I was taken ill. Children 12 October

did very well with some excellent placings.

I began six week's maternity leave. Ray Mettrick relieving. 16 October

27 November I return to work for the last 3 weeks of the year.

29 November Maureen Grapes took S4 - F2s for puberty change video and discussion.

Library contract review after school with Jeannie Wright.

Group of children went after school to Nelson Park for Twilight Athletics. This was organised by Ray 4 December

Mettrick. Children did very well with several getting placings in finals as well as heats.

5 December Senior class had full day visit to Waimarama School and the beach, again organised by Ray. Pro-

gramme included a powhiri at the school followed by games, swim and then after lunch activities on the

beach - sand dune races and sand sculptures.

End of year breakup. Children went home at 2pm to come back at 4pm. Held at school - very hot. Low 7 December

key affair with children giving speeches, singing and line dancing as well as "toots 'n' tunes" items.

Children and community farewelled myself with wonderful gifts and flowers.

Everyone had a barbecue tea afterwards and children swam. Most went home from 10pm onwards.

15 December Last day of school for 1995.



# Yachting at Pandora Pond 7/2/95













Gym Festival, McLean Park, Napier, 21/4/95

Back Row L to R: Elesha Purcell, Tamati Wall, Daniel Ward, Amy Roydhouse,

Serena Goulding

Front: Kylie Marfell, Joanna Ward



Standing: Rachel Robertson, Joanna Ward, Amanda & Samantha Robinson Front: Maree Wallace, Remy Lee-Kelleher, Elesha Purcell, Serena Goulding, Chris Ayres

Taupo-Rotorua Trip, 1995

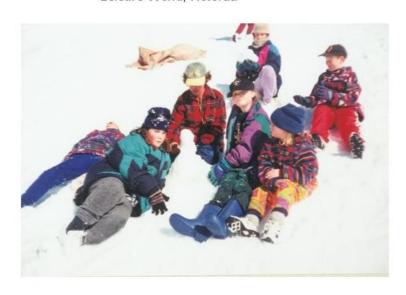




Waiotapu



Leisure World, Rotorua









Back row left to right: Keryl Lee-Kelleher (principal), Christopher Ayres, Amy Roil, Caroline Robinson, Sam Roil, Kylie Marfell, Joanna Ward, Margaret Henricksen (teacher) Middle: Rachel Robertson, Elesha Purcell, Amy Roydhouse, Daniel Ward, Serena Goulding, Richard Ward, Tim Marfell

Front: Samantha Robinson, Tyler Keesing, Hamish Fountaine, Matthew Marfell, Maree Wallace, Dean McKenzie, Steven Keesing, Harriet Roil, Jamie Roil, Michael Robertson, Remy Lee-Kelleher, Christopher Bishop



Back row left to right: Keryl Lee-Kelleher (principal), Rachel Robertson, Elesha Purcell, Amy Roydhouse, Daniel Ward, Serena Goulding, Richard Ward, Tim Marfell Front: Christopher Ayres, Amy Roil, Kylie Marfell, Caroline Robinson, Joanna Ward, Sam Roil



Back Row L to R: Hamish Fountaine, Michael Robertson, Steven Keesing,
Dean McKenzie, Maree Wallace, Remy Lee-Kelleher, Margaret Henricksen (teacher)
Front: Samantha Robinson, Harriet Roil, Jamie Roil, Tyler Keesing, Christopher Bishop,
Matthew Marfell



Back Row L to R: Raewyne Purcell (bus driver), Keryl Lee-Kelleher (Principal), Carol Ayres (secretary)

Front: Lyn Elliott (teacher's aide), Keren Wallace (relieving teacher), Margaret Henricksen (teacher)

## Breakup 7/12/95





Line Dancing Demonstration

Peter Roil, (chairman of Board of Trustees) presenting a certificate to Joanna Ward. Principal, Keryl Lee-Kelleher right.

