

also joined in to help raise as much as we can to reach our school's goal. Thank you in advance for all of your support whanau!

Lego Day

A massive THANK YOU to Whaea Alleena for organising Lego Day on Tuesday. Our tamariki and staff had so much fun. We are so thankful to the organisers for gifting every single Rongomaite with their very own lego pack. Fa'afetai lava!

Board Nominations

- All of our parents should have received a nomination form in the post.
- If you want to nominate someone or yourself, think of some good reasons why you or the person you are nominating should be on the board.
- If you nominate another person, make sure that you and the person you're nominating sign the form.
- If you are nominating yourself, make sure you sign both sections (candidate and nominee).
- Once completed, send it to CES or hand it in before 12pm next Wednesday 3rd August and not a minute late. Your nomination will not be accepted if it is handed in late.
- Any person who wishes to be on the school board but hasn't any children at Rongomai, will need to be nominated by someone on our parent electoral roll.

Rongomai School Jubilee

As most of you know, we were unable to host our jubilee dinner and day event last year due to COVID restrictions. Nevertheless, the Jubilee Committee has decided to go ahead and host the Jubilee dinner this year at the Papatoetoe Cossie Club, as well as a short day event at school on Friday 19th August.

If you would like to order more Jubilee merchandise, now you can by completing an order form. If you would like to attend the day and/or dinner event, please complete a registration form. All attendees must register for catering purposes. Both forms can be located on our Rongomai Facebook page or our school website.

Te Epetoma o te reo Māori Kuki Āirāni

Next week is Cook Islands Language Week and our Kuki Team is planning some exciting challenges and lessons for our school. As always we will begin our week with the raising of the Cook Islands flag and anthem and end the week on Friday with kai (feed) for our tamariki, presentations, and a turou (Cook Islands powhiri/welcome) to formally welcome all staff, students and their families who are new to Rongomai School. Can you please send your child in their cultural attire every day next week. If you can't then try for Monday and Friday only. Meitaki ma'ata!

Kia manuia,
Whaea Paeariki Johnson