



CARLA HAYES

Greetings to the Manurewa West Primary School Community,

I am privileged to be a mum of 3 beautiful children, 2 of which have attended Manurewa West Primary School. My son has been right through Manurewa West and is now in Intermediate and my daughter is currently at Manurewa West in Year 2. I also have a nephew at Manurewa West who is currently in Year 2 as well. I have been on the Board of Trustees here for 5 years now and have loved every minute of being a part of our children's education and a school that has dedicated, passionate management and staff who are student focussed in everything they do. During my time on the Board I have been Deputy Chairperson for the last 4 years and have been a part of setting up the Early Childhood Centre on our school grounds. I was also privileged to experience Global education first hand by going with a team of staff from the school to Singapore. The list could go on and on of the achievements that I have been privileged to be a part of and see happen from the wonderful team that makes up Manurewa West Primary School. Some of what I have most enjoyed is just being able to learn the ins and outs of the education system, and being able to support and serve the school community.

As well as the love and passion that I have for the children at Manurewa West to see them having the best education and succeeding in all that they do, that same love and passion for children spreads out to the wider community where I foster children through CYFS. I have been fostering children for the last 9 years, so have had the honour of having several children come and be a part of my family over that time. I am also the treasurer of the junior section of the Manurewa Rugby Club and have been a manager of a rugby team there now for 7 years.

I look forward to continuing to be a part of the exciting future that awaits the students and their families, the staff and Board of Trustees at Manurewa West Primary School and hope to serve you all to the best of my ability.