Ngāti Toa School

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Kia ora e te whānau

As winter gets colder and Matariki starts shining in the sky, it's a special time for our family to come together and celebrate nature, people, and our loved ones. Our kura wants to invite all our families to join us in celebrating the children. Our students will be sharing stories, waiata, and works of art based on how our tupuna used the stars, moon and the skies to find their way, and how this connects to our own learning journeys.

Then to continue with our Matariki celebrations, in term 3 we would love our whānau to join us at our Matariki dinner on Wednesday 19th July @ 6pm. Nau mai haere mai!



Mānawa maiea te putunga o Matariki Mānawa maiea te ariki o te rangi Mānawa maiea te Mātahi o te Tau Whano, whano Haramai te toki ata huakirangi Haumi e Hui e Tāiki e!



Ka pai tō koutou hararei, tamariki mā - Kathleen

Regional Cross Country

The Regional Cross Country has been postponed until Thursday 29th June. We have 4 students who qualified and will represent our Region in their events.

End of Term School Hui

There will be an end of term school hui on Friday 30th June at 12:15pm in the school hall. Classes will be presenting some of their inquiry learning on Rangi for the term. All are welcome.

Te Reo Māori night classes

These will begin on Thursday 27th July, 6-9pm through Kāuru and will be in our senior block across 4 classroom spaces. If you are keen to jump on this waka, haere mai!

Anei te hono ki te rēhita: https://www.tereochampions.com/
It is open to staff and whānau. Spaces are limited.

Mihi Whakatau

We will welcome new students and whānau on Monday 17th July, 9:30am in the school hall. Please join us if you are free.

All are welcome.





Dates to remember

29 June Regional Cross country Marama trip to Parliament

> 30 June School Hui 12:15pm Last day of Term 2

> 7 July Matariki Market at Takapūwāhia

> > 14 July Matariki



Senior Camp Fees and Hui

The next camp hui will be on the 24th July, 5:30pm in Room 9.

At this stage, the cost will be \$100 per child and can be deposited in the school bank account: Ngāti Toa School Board of Trustees

12-3254-0191023-00 / ASB

More details will be shared at the hui.

Illnesses

We have a lot of children away with a fever or vomiting. Please keep your child home until they are 100% better.

Medication in schools

If your child needs to be given medication at school, these need to be handed in at the office by the parent/guardian. A consent form will be ready for you to fill in and sign.

Sports notices

There is one more game left for Basketball at The Arena: Juniors - June: 27 & Seniors - June: 26 game has been moved to the 28th for those that registered.

Big mihi to all of the parents who helped coach our basketball teams.

Futsal season for years 3-6 will begin in Term 3 at The Arena.

Notices were sent home last week. Please send through by Wednesday if you haven't already.

Absent/Lateness

If your child is going to be absent, please contact the office as soon as possible, preferably before 9:00am. If they arrive after the 8:55am bell, they need to sign in at the office and will be given a late pass.

Lost Property

Thank you to those who have collected their items already. These will be donated to Free for All on Thursday 29th June.

Helpers needed for Road Patrol

Is anyone available to help supervise with after school road patrol for next term? If you can help, pop into the office.

Term 3

Dates to remember

17 July First day of Term 3 Mihi Whakatau

19 July Matariki whānau dinner

20 July Te Reo classes begin

24 July Camp Hui 5:30pm













Community Notices

FIFA Trophy Tour

Be part of history and see the FIFA Women's World Cup 2023™ Original Trophy in Wellington https://www.wellingtonnz.com/experience/events/fifa-trophy-tour/

Porirua Community Visit on Thursday 13 July: 12.30–2pm. Te Rauparaha Arena, 17 Parumoana Street, Porirua City Centre, Porirua.

Join Lia Lewis and Tazuni at Te Rauparaha Arena as they join Wests Football Club in some football activities. Grab a snap with the FIFA Women's World Cup™ Original Trophy.

Wonderplay

Join Wonderplay's production of Alice in Wonderland! Wonderplay has places available for kids drama in Churton Park on Tuesdays at Churton Park Community Centre; 4-5pm: Star Players (7-14 year olds). Contact Debs <u>debs@wonderplay.co.nz</u> 021-172-2836, <u>www.wonderplay.co.nz</u>

Titahi Bay Girl Guiding

We have places available for girls to join us at Pippins, Brownies or Guides in Term Three! Every term we do heaps of different activities to learn more about the world, help our community, explore the outdoors, and be challenged to try new things.

- Pippins (5 & 6 year olds) meet Tuesday 3.30pm 4.30pm
- Brownies (7 & 8 year olds) meet Tuesday 4.45pm 6.15pm
- Guides (9 12 year olds) meet Tuesday 5.30pm 7pm

All the units meet at Titahi Bay North School Hall. Fees for all ages are \$90 per term. If you'd like to arrange a free visit, you can email tbayguiding@gmail.com or enquire via the Girl Guiding NZ website.



Frequently Asked Questions

Do I need to book an appointment with my pharmacist?

All pharmacies will provide advice to people as they walk-in, however for these minor health conditions you may need some dedicated time and attention. To support this, pharmacies may offer a booking service for a consultation. Visit Healthpoint.co.nz for more detail.

What happens if I have a different condition?

After talking with a healthcare professional at your local pharmacy, you may be advised of medicine options to treat your condition or you may be referred to your GP or healthcare provider. You can also call Healthline anytime on 0800 611 116 for free general health advice and information.

If it's a medical emergency, call 111.

How do I prove my eligibility?

A healthcare professional at your local pharmacy will be able to confirm your eligibility such as age and ethnicity, through your National Health Index (NHI). There is no requirement for people to provide proof for Community Service Card (CSC) status.

Can I still see a pharmacist if I don't meet the eligibility criteria?

Yes, a healthcare professional at your local pharmacy will be able to provide you with advice about your health condition, over-the-counter medicine options to treat your condition, or advice on whether you should see your GP or healthcare provider.

This programme runs from 12 June 2023 to 30 September 2023



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