

Tikokino Primary School Newsletter

Tikokino 100%
- Today, Tomorrow, Together

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Term 1, Week 6 3rd -7th March 2025



Dear Parents, Caregivers & Friends,

Thank you to everyone who came on Friday evening for our Term 1 Student Led Conferences. These are an opportunity for students, in a relaxed setting, to share goals, assessment data etc with parents. Next term we'll be hosting Three-Way-Conferences which are much more formal. These are also followed with a mid-year written progress report. I hope you all enjoyed the meal, well done to our Year 7 & 8 students who did all the work. Some of the meat in the sausages and burgers was the venison, which we successfully hunted on the Year 8 hunting trip at the end of 2024.

Last week our 1st Draft of our Winter Sports Teams came home. Thank you to everyone who contacted us regarding any changes that needed to be made. Please see the 2nd Draft attached and let us know of any more changes that need to be made.

Jack Gay from the Hawkes Bay Rugby Union is with us for three training sessions this term. This is for all students as it's very focused on broad skills, which promote hand eye coordination. Next term, he will return and work closely with our rugby players, focusing specifically on targeted rugby skills.

Our annual swimming sports with Sherwood, Ongaonga, Argyll and Kereru is today. We wish everyone all the best and I look forward to sharing with you all how it goes. Thank you to all parents who are helping with transport. Interschool Swimming Sports is next Friday 14th March. We will organise the team for this ASAP and let parents know.

Have a great weekend, hopefully the weather warms up a bit!

Regards,
Hamish.



Seniors
Technology
Lesson –
BBQ
Tables.



2025 Important Dates for Your Calendar

- 6th Mar: Swimming Sports @ AW Parsons
- 12th Mar: Jack Gay Rugby @ 1.30pm
- 14th Mar: Interschool Swimming
- 28th Mar: Teacher Only Day - School Closed
- 30th Mar: Peak Trail Blazer - Te Mata Peak
- 7th Apr: BOT Meeting @ 7.00pm
- 11th Apr: End of Term 1
- 28th Apr: Term 2 Begins



It is a National requirement that you let us know if your child is unwell or away from school for any reason. Please phone **027 2083358** or use the link on our website.

NOT ON THE BUS TODAY? Please let Hamish know if your child/ren are not on the bus and he will let Hayley know.



20km speed limit past a stationary school bus.

Community Notices

If you would like to advertise in our newsletter, please email the school: office@tikokino.school.nz

<https://www.facebook.com/TikoSchool1866/>



leukaemia & blood cancer NEW ZEALAND
Vision to Cure. Mission to Care.

Firefighter Sky Tower Challenge

Saturday
8th March 2025
10am-2pm
Tikokino Fire Brigade,
Owen St

Tikokino Fire Brigade Sky Tower Challenge Car Wash!!

All proceeds go towards Leukaemia & Blood Cancer NZ

SCHOOL FUND RAISER

from December 2024

Thank you for the Bales Dave, we sold them and made \$340.00. This money will go into the Boys and Girls Club and put towards future student activities, such as Camps.

OCEAN BEACH CAPE KIDNAPPERS TRAIL BIKE RIDE

WHERE: Taupapa Station Woolshed
233 Ocean Beach Road, Ocean Beach, Hawke's Bay (Sign posted from Road Bridge)

WHEN: Sunday, 30th March 2025

SCHEDULE:
Gates Open & Sign In: 8:30 - 9:30 AM
Briefing: 9:30 AM
Riding starts: 10:00 AM
Lunch: 12:00 - 1:30 PM
Course closes: 3:30 PM

COST:
Adult (15yrs+): \$75
Child (8-15yrs): \$50
Mini (under 8yrs): \$20 (including lunch)
Family 2+3 (under 15yrs): \$200
CASH ONLY

IMPORTANT: Must have a helmet, sturdy boots (no gumboots), long pants, and long-sleeved tops

All proceeds go towards Lindisfarne College 1st and 2nd XV Rugby tour to France, Scotland, and England in September.

CONTACT:
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Ongaonga School Fundraising Trail Ride

900 BLACKBURN RD
ONGAONGA, CHB
Clearly signposted from SH50

Sunday, 6 April

CLASS OF BIKE
TWO WHEELERS 80CC & UP
QUADS AND FARM SIDE BY SIDE
(NO PILLION PASSENGERS)
(NO BAJA STYLE SIDE BY SIDE)

RIDING GEAR

- Helmets
- Goggles
- Boots (No Gumboots)
- Long Pants

GATES OPEN 9.00AM
BRIEFING 10.00AM
RIDE STARTS 10.30AM
No Brief - No Ride

\$50 - ADULTS
\$30 - UNDER 14
BBQ LUNCH INCL @ 12:15
CASH ONLY AT GATE

ANY QUESTIONS?
CALL HAMISH - 027 777 6619

Also listed on the Silver Bullet website

- 23 km trail loop
- Advanced loop avail.
- Stunning views
- Closes at 3pm

KERERŪ HILL COUNTRY WALK/RUN 5TH OF APRIL 2025

Cash only event on the day

COME AND ENJOY A GORGEOUS AND CHALLENGING WALK OR RUN ON BIG HILL STATION, KERERŪ.

HOME MADE LUNCH PROVIDED.
APPROX. 18KM ROUND TRIP.
CONTACT SHERYN FOR MORE
INFO ON 06 876 0923.

TICKETS ARE \$55 EA.
TICKETS AVAILABLE THROUGH EVENTBRITE.
FACEBOOK SEE KERERŪ SCHOOL.
06 876 0923

STAY FOR A BBQ & ENJOY THE MARKET STALLS