Tikokino Primary School Newsletter

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- Today, Tomorrow, Together

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Term 4, Week 1 12th – 16th October 2026

Dear Parents, Caregivers & Friends,

Welcome back to Term 4, this term is always a busy one and heaps of fun with lots of events taking place. We have athletics, touch rugby, cricket, summer hockey, senior camp to Mahia, middle school to Pourerere, Room 1 to Makaroro River and finally, our seniors to The Bush Block.

During the holidays we had a number of students taking part in sports events. Congratulations to Harry B, George and Nui who participated well in the Lower North Island Year 7 & 8 Hockey Festival. Congratulations also to Leo, Wallace, Harry C, Arlo & Sid. Both teams competed well in both tournaments. Congratulations to the boys who won awards at the CHB Ross Shield Prize Giving.
Leo Baker: CHB Best and Fairest
Arlo Wilkinson: CHB Most Promising
Wallace Natusch: CHB Best Back, CHB Coaches Cup & HB Ross Shield Tournament Team.

We welcome our student teacher, Gemma Watson who is here for 4 weeks. Gemma is in her 2nd year of training and will be working alongside Miss Beachen in Room 3. We hope you enjoy your time here Gemma.

Unfortunately, athletics has been postponed due to the forecasted weather today and tomorrow. The new date is Thursday 29th October. More info will come home regarding this.

Following Labour Weekend, our Year 6, 7 & 8's are off to Mahia Camp. It should be a great week of camping, swimming, surfing, fishing, biscuiting, jet boating and snorkelling. Hopefully the weather plays its part. **We have a parent info evening planned for Tuesday 20th October @ 6.00pm that all camp parents need to attend.** Parents who are not coming are still more than welcome to attend too.

Next Thursday the 22nd October is a Teacher only day. This works well as it allows students and families to attend the A & P Show or head off early to the long weekend. Yes, staff will be in school!

Have a great weekend.

Regards,
Hamish



Welcome to Fletcher – our newest 5 Year old.



Welcome to Gemma Our student teacher into Room 3.





Student of Week:

Room 1: Ella for not giving up while practicing the high jump for athletics.
Room 2: Charlotte for working hard in all areas and staying focused. She has come back to school with lots of enthusiasm and dedication to her learning.
Room 3: Ronan for his persistence and determination with athletics practice.
Room 4: Amelie for her focus and enthusiasm in the classroom. You consistently give your best and always have a positive attitude.
Afcare: Willa for initiative and self-motivation to tidy the Sports Shed on last Afcare afternoon of the term 3. Two peers then joined to help her. They did an amazing job.

2026 Important Dates for Your Calendar

20th Oct: Mahia Camp – Parent Info Evening @ 6pm
22nd Oct: Teacher Only Day – School Closed
23rd Oct: HB Anniversary Day
26th Oct: Labour Day – School Closed
27th-30th Oct: Yr 6-8 Mahia Camp
29th Oct: SH50 Athletics @ CHB College
2nd Nov: Touch Rugby starts for 5 weeks
3rd-6th Nov: PP Yr 6-8 Mahia Camp
10th Nov: Pourerere Camp – Parent Info Evening @ 6pm
16th Nov: BOT Meeting @ 7:00pm
12th-13th Nov Yr 3-5 Pourerere Camp
18th Nov: School Photos
20th Nov: CHB College Transition Day Yr 8's
20th Nov: Room 1 Overnight Camp
26th Nov: CHB Inter-School Athletics
27th Nov: PP Room 1 Camp
3rd-4th Dec: Bush Block Hunting Trip Years 6-8
10th-11th Dec: PP Bush Block Hunting Camp



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.



Please can last years cups be returned for this years Prizegiving – thank you!

Community Notices

If you would like to advertise in our newsletter, please email the school: office@tikokino.school.nz
https://www.facebook.com/TikoSchool1866/



Tikokino Interdenominational Church
Trustees Board
Annual General Meeting
to be held Tuesday 20th October 2026
@ 7pm at the Tikokino Hall, Tikokino
All welcome.



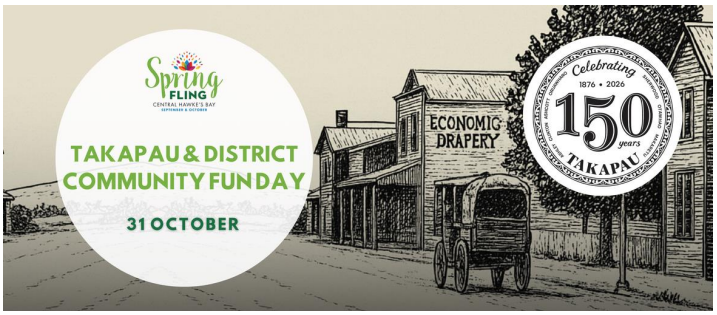
*Thank you to the CHB Cancer Society & **Centralines for the Grant** to cover the cost of Sunscreen for all CHB Sunsmart Schools.*

HB A&P Show: 22nd -23rd October 2026

Central Hawke's Bay A&P Show
Mitchell Street, Waipukurau
Saturday 14th November 2026
8:30am - 4:00pm







Ranui Farm Walk, Ranui Farm Park, 785 Nicholls Rd, Waipukurau
Saturday 31st October 2026 10:00am - 2:00pm

