

Tikokino Primary School Newsletter

Tikokino 100%
- Today, Tomorrow, Together

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Term 1, Week 4 23rd – 27th February 2026



Dear Parents, Caregivers & Friends,

Week 4 is here and the big event of the week is Room 4 tramping into Daphne Hut. It is going to be a real challenge but I know we will get there, even if it takes us five hours or more. We really look forward to sharing how it goes in next week's newsletter. A huge thank you to our parents who are coming, we can't do these trips without you. Well done to students who did a great job hiking 14km to the end of Holden Road and back last Friday morning as a training walk.

Next week Rooms 1, 2 and 3 are tramping into the Ruahine Ranges, Room 1 doing the Swamp Track and Rooms 2 & 3 going to Sunrise Hut. Room 3 is the first class of Year 5 & 6 that we have had stay at the hut. You would have received information for this trip with gear lists etc. Again, a huge thank you to our parents who are able to come on this trip.

Swimming Sports information has come home. We are really looking forward to this. Well done to students who are training hard for this. Training for swimming sports also prepares students to have fun outdoor experiences in New Zealand. For Example, all our senior camps have a water sports exponent to them so it's very important that we are all reasonable swimmers. There are far too many drownings in NZ.

School Triathlon, you would have received the information through the Hero App.

A huge thank you from all the students to Pete and Valerie Norris who gifted a new trampoline to the school. It is already getting plenty of use.

Home and School's AGM and first meeting of 2026 will be held next Wednesday at 7pm to look at what we can invest in to improve our playground further. Please come along if you are interested in being part of our very important fundraising team.

Have a great weekend everyone.

Regards,
Hamish



The Bike Jumps are Back!



Room 3 Working Away with Miss Beachen



Rm 4 – All Gear Checked and Ready to Go



2026 Important Dates for Your Calendar

- 26th Feb: Room 4 Daphne Overnight Tramp
- 4th Mar: Home & School AGM, 7pm at School
- 5th Mar: Sunrise Hut Tramp & Camp Years 1-6
- 9th Mar: BOT Meeting @ 7:00pm
- 12th Mar: SH50 Swimming Sports with Sherwood, Onga, Argyl & Tikokino
- 13th Mar: Tiko School Triathlon
- 14th Mar: (Saturday) Agrikids Hastings
- 20th Mar: Interschool Swimming Sports
- 27th Mar: Car Club H&S Fundraiser
- 27th Mar: BBQ Conference - evening
- 2nd Apr: End of Term 1
- 20th Apr: Start of Term 2



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.

Optional bought lunch tomorrow - menus are attached to the student's hardcopy of the newsletter. Please remember to fill in your child/children's full name, class and how you are paying, as this paperwork is for the Sawyers Arms and not the school.

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/>

Home & School AGM First Meeting for 2026

We are always looking for more members!

This is a great time to get involved!!

Wednesday 4th March 7pm at Tikokino School

TIKOKINO



LINE DANCING

**CHB
BOOTS N BEATS**

**Tikokino Hall Monday
Nights 6-8pm**

Lots of fun, low impact fitness
meet new people.

Bring a water bottle, wear
sneakers and bring a friend
\$5 a class (first class is free)

Waipawa M&D Presents...

STAGES OF LIFE

A JOURNEY TOLD THROUGH BROADWAY HITS

TICKETS NOW ON SALE!

**CHB MUNICIPAL THEATRE
13TH - 21ST MARCH 2026**

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Kererū Hill Country Walk & Trail Run

Saturday 28th March 2026 | Kererū Station | Hawke's Bay

Don't miss this chance to explore spectacular private farmland - walk, run, and soak in the sweeping rural Hawke's Bay vistas.

For more info:

- Approx. 20 km loop - shorter 14 km loop available
- Delicious lunch included - hearty homemade food
- Sweeping views of Ruahine Ranges
- Adults: \$55
Child: \$30

All funds raised support **Kererū School** and **Kererū Community Hall**
For more information, scan the QR code, find us on Facebook or contact office@kereru.school.nz | 06 876 0923

WOMEN & GIRLS | **Table Tennis** New Zealand | International Women's Day

Have-A-Go-Session

SERVE, RALLY AND SMASH YOUR WAY TO FUN.

EVENT INFO

From beginners to pros,
all women and
girls are welcome.
Meet new people and
have a blast with friends.

Hosted by:
Table Tennis Hawke's Bay
Women & Girls Have-A-Go Session (Free)
7 MARCH 2026
1:30pm - 4:30pm
Baptist Church Hall Hastings, 300 Karamu Road
South, Hastings 4201
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