

Tikokino Primary School Newsletter

Tikokino 100%
- Today, Tomorrow, Together

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Term 1, Week 4 17th – 21st February 2025



Dear Parents, Caregivers & Friends,

We were very fortunate to have a sunny, dry day for our annual school triathlon. A dry road has to lower the chance of accidents with kids racing around the village on their bikes! Congratulations to all students who put in an excellent effort. Thank you to all parents and grandparents who were here to support our students, I hope you're as proud as we are of the effort all students showed.

	1 st Place	2 nd Place	3 rd Place
Year 1 Girls	Ella Tuomoa-Mullan	Aria Delamere	
Year 1 Boys	Beauden Maihi		
Year 2 Girls	Blake Green	Molly Shewan	Freyja Pattison & Bardot Wynn
Year 2 Boys	Jack Riddell	Marlin Verschuuren	Hunter Tuffrey
Year 3 Girls	Maelee Wilkinson	Hetta Worsnop	Kiera O'Dowd
Year 3 Boys	Jackson Green	Kyon Warner	Reid Foote
Year 4 Girls	Emerson Baker	Imogen Warner	Harriet Shewan
Year 4 Boys	Dalby Mouat	Louie Kroot	Sam Voelkerling
Year 5 Girls	Willa Bradley	Aubree Natusch	Tilda Worsnop
Year 6 Girls	Amelie Jefferd	Hailey Van Heuckelum	
Year 6 Boys	Arlo Wilkinson	Sid Trotter	Hunter Bradley
Year 7 Girls	Willow Archer	Ocean Curtis	Georgia Rapson
Year 7 Boys	Wallace Natusch	Leo Baker	Harry Charteris
Year 8 Girls	Indie Oliver	Pippa Wilkinson	Maggie Jefferd
Year 8 Boys	William Gray	Jayden Grant	

We are looking forward to our tramp into the Ruahine Ranges tomorrow. Our juniors will be tramping the Swamp Track, studying the different native plants etc. Years 3-5 have the hardest day ahead with tramping to Sunrise Hut and back in one day. Years 6-8 will be staying the night, hopefully seeing the sunrise Friday morning, tramping up to Armstrong Saddle before heading home. Thank you to all parents who are coming on the tramps. Please note the different times that classes are leaving.

Please remember to get your Te Mata Peak Trail Blazer entries back to school ASAP so I can get them loaded. We need this completed by the end of February.

Regards,
 Hamish.



It's great to have the Dept. of Conservation here today teaching the Year 3-5's how to rebate a stoat trap. We will be rebating the Sunrise Hut track traps on our journey tomorrow.



Team up with Tremains – thank you to Kathie Davies for another \$500 donation.



Some of the Cyclists from Triathlon:



2025 Important Dates for Your Calendar

- 20th Feb: Sunrise and Swamp Tramps
- 28th Feb: Jack Gay Rugby @ 1.30pm
- 28th Feb: BBQ Conference
- 3rd Mar: BOT Meeting @ 7.00pm
- 4th Mar: Jack Gay Rugby @ 11:30pm
- 6th Mar: Swimming Sports @ AW Parson
- 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 BUSTODAY? 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.

21 FRI - FEB	9AM SLOW & STRETCHY FOR ALL YOGA CENTRAL - 61 BRIDGE ST
22 SAT - FEB	9AM SLOW & STRETCHY FOR ALL YOGA CENTRAL - 61 BRIDGE ST

Tikokino Home and School AGM
Place: Science Hub of the School
When: 5th March @ 7.00pm
Everyone Welcome!

Community Notices

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

St Francis
Undenominational Church
Service

Sunday
23rd February at 5 pm
Baptist service by Bob
Wakefield

Followed by tea & coffee
at Sawyers Arms dining
room.

All Welcome!

Springhill BBQ Night
All BBQ night's are BYO
Starts at 5.30 pm