

Tikokino Primary School Newsletter

Tikokino 100%
- Today, Tomorrow, Together

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Week 1, Term 2, 2nd - 6th May 2022



Dear Parents, Caregivers & Friends,

Welcome back to Term 2. Like always, our students have slotted straight back into school life after a couple of weeks off.

This term is always a busy one with the start of winter sports of miniball, soccer, netball, hockey and rugby. Each week, there will be the game times printed in the newsletter, or, the link to the website. It is best to use the link to the website and always check the game times, even on the day of the game as games can change at short notice! Like always, please sing out if you have any queries. All the best to our Miniball and Netball teams who start this week.

Looking back, thank you very much to everyone who have been able to attend the firewood and school working bee. The firewood is selling very well, and will be a great chunk of our school camps paid for!

Next Tuesday 10th May, we have our first day of Three-Way-Conferences. This information will be sent home to confirm times, and if need be, what times are available if you still need to book. Please contact Kate in the office or to change your time. Remember that Tuesday 10th is a half day of school with AFCARE starting at 12:00pm. Conferences on Tuesday 17th start at 3:30pm so it is a normal school day.

During the holidays, staff had a positive time with Julian, our science adviser. Julian is also coming next week to spend time in classrooms as we begin our new topic of Planet Earth and Beyond. We want our students to think like scientists and understand how scientists study the world around them to develop theories and answer questions. Depending on their age, we want our students to develop an understanding of why our planet is the way it is. What was Gondwanaland? What is continental drift? What are tectonic plates? What is global warming? Why does it rain? What are fossils? Where do we find fossils? We also look forward to field trips to enhance what we are learning in the classroom.

For those who are duck shooting this weekend, stay safe!

Regards,
Hamish.



Students lead the National Anthem at ANZAC



Nathan enjoying the Booster Reading Programme with Mrs Frater.



Indie practising her catching skills. We are really focusing on this and it will become part of home learning too!

2022 Important Dates for Your Calendar

- 5th May - Options Start (4weeks)
- 10th May - Three-Way-Conferences 12.30-5.30pm
- 11th May - Hockey Starts (13 weeks after school)
- 17th May - Years 7&8 Discovery Day @ CHB College
- 17th May - Three-Way-Conferences 3.00-5.30pm
- 16th May - BOT Meeting @ 7pm Room 4
- 24th Jun - Matariki Public Holiday
- 27th Jun - BOT Meeting @ 7pm Room 4
- 8th Jul - Term 2 Finishes
- 25th Jul - Term 3 Starts
- 15th Aug - BOT Meeting 7pm Room 4
- 19th Sept - BOT Meeting 7pm Room 4
- 30th Sept - Term 3 Finishes
- 17th Oct - Term 4 Starts
- 21st Oct - Hawke's Bay Anniversary Day (School Closed)
- 24th Oct - Labour Day (School Closed)
- 25th-28th Oct - Room 3 Camp, Wellington
- 10th-11th Nov - Room 2 Camp, Wakarara
- 7th Nov - BOT Meeting 7pm Room 4
- 5th Dec - BOT Meeting 7pm Room 4
- 16th Dec - Last Day of Term



It is a National requirement that you let us know if your child is unwell or away from school for any reason. Please phone the office on 856 5833 and leave a message, text 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 Pam know.



20km speed limit past a stationary school bus.

Sport:

Miniball: Friday (tomorrow) @ 4.10pm
Netball: will be messaged to all parents whose children are playing - multiple games on Saturday.

The School Pool is now closed for winter - please return your key to the school with your name attached.
Thank you!



Community Notices

Call 8565833 if you would like to advertise in our newsletter or email office@tikokino.school.nz

PIGLETS FOR SALE

Weaners: Berkshire x large black
\$100.00
Phone 8565419
Text 027 9436406



We've got your small jobs covered. Call Ian Cover today!
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Tikokino Home and School Fundraisers:

150mm x 40mm
Rough Sawn Cedar Timber
484 Lineal Metres
\$10 / metre

100mm x 50mm
Rough Sawn Cedar Timber
52 Metres
\$6 / metre



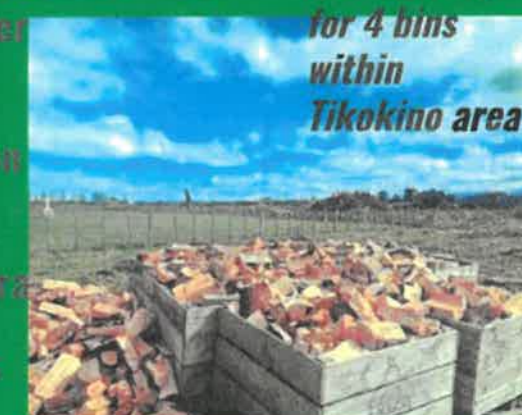
Tikokino School are Selling Dry Macrocarpa Wood



\$70 Per Bin

\$20 delivery for 4 bins within Tikokino area

Fundraiser for Wellington & Wakarara Camps



Autumn Sale

Keep yourselves warm for winter.

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Tikokino Playcentre is open for Term 2 and we would love to see some new families. All whānau are welcome.

Open Tuesdays and Fridays, 9.30am - 12.30pm. Bring a lunch box, come and play. Any queries please contact us on 8565539 or Kristyn at kristyn.stehfest@playcentre.org.nz Find us on Facebook @TikokinoPlaycentre