

Newsletter

Monday 8th April 2024

Kia ora tātou

Our newsletters are published on the first day of the school week. To keep up to date with what is happening at school **please check the newsletter** on SkoolLoop or facebook, or let our office know if you would like it sent to you via email (if you haven't already) or a paper copy sent home.

Many thanks to our staff for organising another nutritious and filling breakfast the other day. Our students certainly made the most of the lovely food available.

We look forward to catching up with as many parents and caregivers this Thursday at the parent/teacher conferences. Please remember that school will close at 1pm this Thursday.

We are nearly at the end of Term 1 for 2024 so I wish you all a restful school break and look forward to seeing our students back on Monday 29th April refreshed for Term 2.

David Brock, Principal – Tumuaki

Term 2 School Bell Schedule

Our school bell times will differ slightly during Term 2, however the start and finish times remain the same:

8.55am School starts

10.30am Morning break eating
10.40am Morning break play
12.40pm Lunch break eating
12.50pm Lunch break play

3.00pm Home time

2024 Start Date & School Terms

Term 1: Tuesday 30 January to 13 April

Term 2: Monday 29 April to Friday 5 July Term 3: Monday 22 July to Friday 29 September

Term 4: Monday 14 October to Tuesday 17 December

Coming up:

Mon 8 Apr Student reports sent home
Wed 10 Apr Whānau meeting 3.15pm
Thu 11 Apr Parent/teacher conferences
Thu 11 Apr School finishes at 1.00pm
Fri 12 Apr Sausage sizzle & juicies for sale

Fri 12 Apr End of Term 1

Mon 29 Apr Term 2 begins

Mon 29 Apr BoT meeting 5.30pm

Parent/Teacher Conferences

Student reports will be sent home today, **Monday 8th April**, and parent/teacher conferences will be held this **Thursday 11th April**.

Bookings can be made via the SkoolLoop app, or manually at our school office.

Please note that school will **finish at 1.00pm** on **THIS Thursday 11**th **April.**



Whānau Meeting

Parents and caregivers from our Māori school community are invited to attend a whānau meeting this **Wednesday in the school staffroom at 3.15pm.**

Sausage Sizzle this Friday 12th April

\$2 sausages and \$1 juicies will be for sale at lunch break. Place orders at the kitchen window on Friday before 9am.



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Congratulations to both our teams who competed against other schools last week. They displayed all our school values, especially manawaroa (grit and determination). They worked well as individuals and collectively as a team to complete their challenge. A huge thank you to whanau for helping support our Year 7 & 8 team of Ben Ashby, Jacob Kidd, Byron Johnson, and Liam Le Roux on Thursday evening. Thank you also to Tyronne Peterson for transporting and staying with our Year 5 & 6 team of Isabella White, Malachi Peterson, Izzy Parkinson, and Mason Hopkirk. This was a nail biting finish for Tyronne to watch and our team came home with third place! This qualifies them to compete again against other schools.



Road Safety at Pick Up Time

Please accompany your child/ren walking across the road to your car at pick-up time. There have been a couple of near misses recently and we do not want an accident happening. Please help our students to stay safe.



Netball

Mrs Saunders still needs a coach for our Year 5 & 6 team. Please see her before Friday as this is when our entry is due. Thank you Kelly Taurua for once again offering to coach our Year 7 & 8 netball team.



Room 6 & 8 Camp

Please return any money raised from the sale of chocolates before the school holidays. We are hoping our new order of chocolates will arrive before the end of this term.



Te rerenga korero:

Neke mai! Move closer!

Hoki atu! Go back!

Sealey Street Roadworks

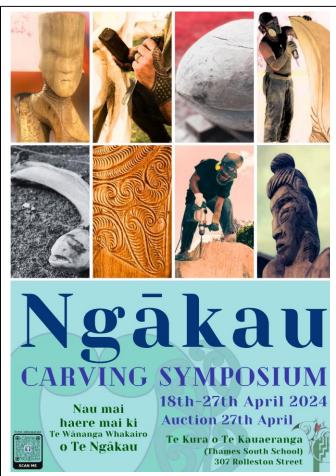
Currently there are roadworks underway on Sealey Street by the High School. This will not affect our seniors attending technology on Mondays as they will enter the grounds from Richmond Street during the road works.



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