



MOANATAIARI SCHOOL

Newsletter

Monday 17th February 2025

Kia ora tātou

Congratulations to our Year 8 Leaders for 2025. Our house leaders are:

Te Paepae ki Rarotonga (Kakariki): Mila Tull and Addison Asafo.

Tainui (Weka): Lylah Bain and Lilly-Anne Sands-Gage.

Puhinui (Tui): Khloe Donaldson and Katelyn Sem.

Te Arawa (Kiwi): Mavia Shiriwastow and Alivia Takiwa.

Our enviro leaders are: Felix Welsh, Madeleine Hoskings, Logan Lee-Mason, August Reid and Lachie Corbett.

Our sports leaders are: Atticus Kanara-Tokoa, Caitlin Kenny, Joshua Le Roux and Cora Williams-Watene.

David Brock, Principal – Tumuaki

Family Fun Night

Everyone is welcome to come along **this Friday 21st February** to join us for fun and games from 5pm until 7pm. All children must be supervised by an adult.

Sausages and juicies will be provided.



2024 Start Date & School Terms

Term 1: Thursday 30 January to Friday 11 April

Term 2: Monday 28 April to Friday 27 June

Coming up:

Fri 21 Feb Family fun night 5 to 7pm

Mon 24 Feb BoT meeting 5.30pm

Mon 3 Mar Senior swimming sports

Wed 12 Mar Hockey Big Day Out

Fri 21 Mar Thames Valley swimming sports

Trailer Wanted

Unfortunately our school trailer is no longer road-worthy so we are looking for a cheap second-hand replacement trailer. If you have one available please phone our school office on 868 6504.

Hockey Big Day Out

Thames Valley Hockey 2025 big day out will be held on Wednesday 12th March.

Teams have been entered and more information will be sent home shortly.

Many thanks to those parents who have offered help and transport. We will confirm times soon.



Senior Swimming Sports

Our senior swimming sports will take place at Thames Centennial Pool on Monday 3rd March from 9am until 12. This event is for students aged 8 to 13 years old. More details will follow next week.



Te rerenga korero:

Whakamaua tō potae

Put on your hat

Tangohia tō potae

Take off your hat

Community Notices

Moanataiari After-School Care

Our after-school care service will continue to run from our school kitchen and Room 4 library. The service is structured with homework supervision and assistance as well as fun activities with our very experienced and qualified teacher aide, Donna Weir. Bookings can be made through our school office (868 6504) or by contacting Donna directly on 027 547 9407. Casual or regular bookings cost \$7.00 per hour per child.



The Incredible Years

Parents, teachers, and children training series

ENQUIRIES WELCOME

FREE Parenting Programme

(For parents of children aged 3-8 years)

14 weekly sessions

Starting: 4th March 2025

Location: Paeroa

Time: 9.30am – 12pm

To register or for further information

Contact Jo 027 429 3688 or Sharon 027 405 1414

Topics include:

- Building secure attachment through play, praise and positive attention
- Development of social and emotional skills
- Understanding children's developmental stage and temperament
- Household rules and routines
- Natural and logical consequences
- Problem solving skills

Basketball

Mini league Basketball start date Monday February 17th. Last date will be March 31st.

Times- yr 3-4 - 5pm-5.40pm

Yr 5-6 - 5.45pm-6.25pm

Yr 7-8 - 6.30pm -7.30pm

Cost- \$40

\$70 for 2 siblings

\$95 for 3 siblings

Online payment details A Hodgson

06 0457 0749353 01.

Please put child's full name for reference.

Any questions contact Adriene Hodgson at

adrienehodgson@icloud.com



Reminder - Thames Valley Basketball training for U12 boys and girls and U14 girls commence on Sunday 10 February 2025 9am to 10.30am at Jack McLean Recreation Centre, Thames.

Please bring non marking playing shoes and a drink bottle.

If there are any U14 boys who have not registered and wish to play please email rruka@outlook.com for all information

HOCKEY
APRIL HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

JOIN US FOR SOME HOCKEY FUN IN THE HOLIDAYS

Come for one or both days. Ideal for those new to the game or experienced players. New skills, games and challenges with great coaches! One day \$45, both days \$80. Suitable for primary school years 3-9.

YRS 3-9

WEDNESDAYS 16 & 23
APRIL 2025 9AM - 3PM

REGISTER NOW!

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