

# Newsletter

# Monday 17<sup>th</sup> June 2024

#### Kia ora tātou

Many thanks to everyone who purchased pies for our junior end of year event fund-raiser. We had another great response.

Thank you also to everyone who helped with the tree planting last week.

It is national volunteer week this week, so we would like to express our gratitude to everyone who contributes their time to help our students and our school in various ways. Your assistance is very much appreciated.

We wish all of our gymsport competitors the best of luck at the competition tomorrow.

David Brock, Principal – Tumuaki

#### Mufti Day this Friday – 21st June

We are holding a mufti day this Friday to raise funds for one of our families. The father of Aruka and David Charles was involved in a car accident a few days ago while visiting his sick mother in India, and he is now in a critical condition in hospital. Aruka and David need to travel to India this Wednesday to be with their father and we would like to raise funds to assist their travel.

Please bring your mufti donation to the office on Friday. Any other donations for the family can be left at our school office and we will pass them on.



#### 2024 Start Date & School Terms

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 17 Jun	BoT meeting 5.30pm
Fri 21 Jun	Disco
Fri 28 Jun	Matariki holiday – school closed
Fri 5 Jul	PTA mufti
Fri 5 Jul	End of term 2
Mon 22 Jul	Term 3 starts

#### Matariki Disco

#### THIS Friday 21st June - 5:30pm - 8:00pm

Join us under the school COLA, \$5 per person. You can pay in advance at the school office. This event is for Moanataiari School students.

Dress up as your favourite star - celebrity, Matariki star, or your unique take on a star. Junior students must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.

Show off your moves in the dance competition! Participate as an individual or form a group. Prepare a dance routine and join in with the fun. Awards are up for grabs!

Dance competitions and dress-up are both optional.

A permission slip is coming home today and please return this ASAP so we can confirm your attendance at the event. Please remind your children this is a no-phone event. The school phone can be used in emergencies.

Food and drinks will be available for purchase as well. Cash or EFTPOS.

Music will be provided by Kiwi Beats. See you under the stars!



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#### **Gymsports**

Gymfest is **tomorrow**. All participants have been working hard to learn their routines of the floor/mat, beam, and vault. We do not have a vault at school so have been unable to practice this.

All students participating must be wearing tightfitting clothing (school sports shirts have been handed out today – **please make sure they are worn tomorrow**) and please ensure these tee shirts are tucked in tightly. No jewellery is to be worn, long hair must be tied back and no shoes or socks must be worn on the gym floor. You can take your bags with water and lunch/snacks in them.

Thank you to those people that are helping transport our students to the event and to Danielle Aitcheson who has been coaching the students on Wednesday.



#### **Lost Property Uniforms**

We currently have a number of un-named school jumpers in our lost property, some of them even with the new logo.

Please check the bin or ask at the office if you have lost a school jumper.

Please ensure that you **clearly name all items** of your uniform so that we can return them to you.

#### Matariki Public Holiday

Enjoy your Matariki celebration holiday on **Friday 28th** June.



#### Scam Alert

We have been informed that a woman is going door-to-door selling crystals, claiming to fundraise for our school, possibly for our school camp. Please be aware that Moanataiari School has not authorised any such activity and is not associated with this person or the fundraiser.

If you encounter this individual, do not make any purchases, and please report the details to us. Stay vigilant, and please spread the word to keep our community safe.

Thank you for your cooperation and support.



#### **Thrive Room 9**

We have two weeks left of Thrive with Samanda and Rachel. Due to ki o rahi being on the last Thrive session, Wednesday 26th June, we are having our celebration this week. Could every student in Room 9 please bring a plate of food to share on WEDNESDAY 19th June.



#### Hand Sanitiser Fundraiser

We have 200ml pump bottles of lemon scented hand sanitiser for sale from our school office for just \$2 per bottle and 500ml bottles for \$4. Funds raised will go towards our senior camp.

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#### Te rerenga korero:

Kia tau, e hoki, hīkoi Stop, go back and walk

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Here's a few shots of our wonderful tree planters:





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# **Community Notices**



THAMES HIGHSCHOOL GIRLS FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT WEEK FUNDRAISER

# 7PM SATURDAY 6TH JULY

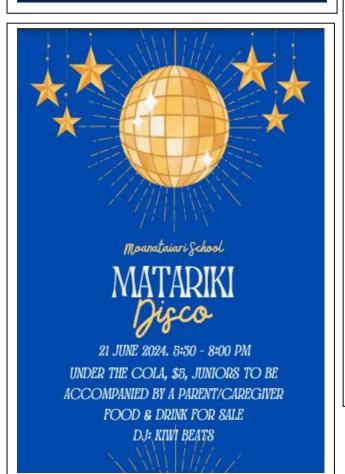
R18 BYO DRINKS FOOD PROVIDED



@ THS HALL

PRIZES, RAFFLES, BEST DRESSED, AND AUCTIONS!

REGISISTER NOW BY THAMESHIGHFOOTBALL@GMAIL.COM



## Free Ear Clinic Service for Children Term 2 Drop In Clinic

8.30am to 11.30am Thursday 11th July at Porritt Park (by The Warehouse) Phone 07 838 3565 for more information

## School Dental Van

At the back of Thames Hospital

From Monday 27 May 2024 Monday to Friday during school hours

Phone 021 356 297





Two Great July Holiday Camps!

Week 1: Edventure Advanced Explorers \$635 @ Ngatuhoa Lodge (10-13 yrs)

Week 2: Edventure Young Explorers \$650 @ Aongatete Lodge (8-12 yrs)

We have an amazing week lined up with bush walks, archery, air rifle, fire building and cooking, hut building, orienteering, team building, confidence activities, night activities and much more!

### **BOOK HERE**

Hamilton & Tauranga Pick-up/Drop off options available

For more information: Todd Burton todd@edventure.co.nz 0275349949







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