

Newsletter

Monday 24th May 2021

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Kia ora tātou

Congratulations to our Rippa Rugby team, Grippit & Rippit – our Year 7 & 8 team – who won their section at the competition last week and have qualified to play in the finals day at Paeroa on Wednesday 23rd June. Well done all of you!

Our EPro8 participants represented our school so well, displaying all of our school values, particular manawaroa. A big thank you to whanau who turned up to support our students.

Attached to this newsletter please find my Taiari Times of Thames to learn more about what has been happening at school recently.

David Brock, Principal – Tumuaki

Coming up:

Wed 26 May	Place Friday lunch orders
Fri 4 June	Teacher only day – school closed
Mon 7 Jun	Queen's birthday
Wed 16 Jun	NYLD in Hamilton
Wed 23 Jun	Rippa Rugby finals in Paeroa

2021 School Terms

Term 2: Monday 3 May to Friday 9 July

Term 3: Monday 26 July to Friday 1 October

Term 4: Monday 18 October to Fri 17 December

Moanataiari School Bank Account:

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Weetbix, milk and fruit are available from our kitchen for anyone wanting breakfast **between 8.20am and 8.50am** each morning, Monday to Friday.



Our school is proud to be part of KickStart Breakfast! All are welcome to join us for breakfast.

Senior camp fundraiser – school lunches

Every second Friday, **starting this Friday 29**th **May**, school lunches will be available. Orders **must be placed and paid for** on **the Wednesday before** (26th this week) at our school office. As these are prepared offsite we cannot take late orders.

Please find the menu and order form attached for this week. *Many thanks to Cass at Bite for providing this wonderful food.*

Friday lunches will be available this term on 28th May, 11th June, 25th June and 9th July.

Teen Esteem

Our Year 7 students will be participating in Teen Esteem workshops Tuesday the 1st and 8th of June.

Gymfest

Letters were sent home last Friday for interested students. Please return these to our school office asap with the money. Training will begin this Friday at school from 3pm to 4pm. Thank you to Christine Swindells and Lisa Donaldson for offering to train these students.



Calendar Notes:

Term 2 2021 Teacher Only Day

The Friday before Queen's Birthday weekend – **Friday 4**th **June (next week)** – is an Accord day (training day) for our teachers, which means <u>school will be closed</u> on this day and add on an extra day to the Queen's Birthday weekend.

Term 3 2021 Mid-Term Break

Please note on your calendar that the mid-term break in Term 3 this year will be from **Thursday 26**th **August to Monday 30**th **August.** The additional day (Thursday) is an Accord day.



Yummy Stickers

Please collect up your Yummy apple stickers and cut-outs from bags and bring them into our school office so we can send them off in return for sports equipment. Every little one counts!

OPSM vision testing

For those people who received follow-up letters, please let us know if you are not able to take your child for further consultation.

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Moanataiari After-School Care

Bookings can be made through our school office (868 6504) or by contacting Donna directly on 027 547 9407.