



MOANATAIARI SCHOOL

# Newsletter

Monday 25<sup>th</sup> November 2024

*Kia ora tātou*

*Many thanks to everyone involved with our Room 7 camp at the Kauaeranga education camp last week. Your assistance helped to make this a great learning event for our students.*

*David Brock, Principal – Tumuaki*

## Thames Valley Athletics

Congratulations to the following students who have made it this far in our cluster schools athletics competitions. We wish them the very best for this Wednesday at Paeroa Domain, we are very proud of them all:

Malachai Peterson, Seughno Cho, Izzy Parkinson, Caitlin Kenny, Olivia Kenny, Denny Wallace, Theodora Reece, Alexia Russek, Lily Roath, Lylah Bain, Grace Epere and Pearl Newton.

Many thanks to Danielle Aitcheson for offering to manage our team, and to everyone else who has offered transport.



All of these students **need to be at school by 8.15am this Wednesday.**

## 2024 School Terms

Term 3: Monday 22 July to Friday 29 September

Term 4: Monday 14 October to Wed 18 December

## 2025 Start Date

Term 1: Thursday 30 January to Friday 11 April

## Coming up:

- Tue 26 Nov Thames High orientation day
  - Tue 26 Nov Super Smash cricket
  - Wed 27 Nov Junior trip to Kelly Tarltons
  - Wed 27 Nov Thames Valley Athletics
  - Wed 27 Nov R6 Thrive community day
  - Fri 29 Nov Assembly 2.15pm
  - Wed 4 Dec Helpers' afternoon tea 3pm
  - Thu 5 Dec Year 8 leavers' dinner
  - Thu 12 Dec BoT by-election closes at 4pm
  - Thu 12 Dec End of Year event at Civic Centre
  - Mon 16 Dec BoT meeting 5.30pm
  - Wed 18 Dec Last school day for 2024
- School finishes at 1pm**

## Junior Trip to Kelly Tarlton's

Our junior students will be visiting Kelly Tarlton's this week on **Wednesday 27th November**. We will be leaving school **at 7.30am sharp**. Any students arriving late will remain at school.



## School Helpers' Afternoon Tea

All of our wonderful helpers who have assisted throughout the year are cordially invited to our Helpers' Afternoon Tea on **Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> December at 3pm** in Room 8 to say "thank you" for all of the time and assistance so generously given to our school.





## Year 8 Leavers' Dinner

Our year Leavers' Dinner is on Thursday December the 5<sup>th</sup> at Thames Golf Course as we have a big group of Year 8 students this year. The cost of the meal is \$35 per person, which can be paid to our school office **before Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> December.**

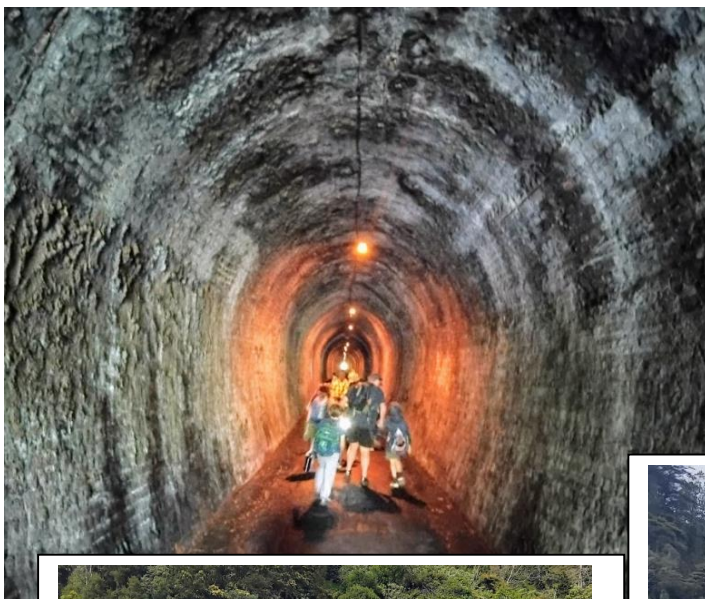


**Te rerenga korero:**

**He pātai pai tēnā**

*That's a good question*

Our students from Room 5 had a fabulous time at Karangahake Gorge last week:



## Prize-Giving Event

Our prize-giving event will be held on **Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> December at 6.00pm** at Thames Civic Centre.



## School Library Books

Please return any school library books and national library books to school **by Friday 6<sup>th</sup> December,** thanks.





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## MOANATAIARI SCHOOL BOARD OF TRUSTEES UPDATE

### Kia ora Moanataiari Whānau

The board would like to take the opportunity to thank those of you who have nominated yourselves/others for the upcoming bi-election. Being a part of our Moanataiari whānau it is your right to vote for who you think is best suited to join our board. Please take the time to do so!



Image:

<https://www.schoolboardelections.org.nz/becoming-a-board-member/>

Our junior toilet renovations are well underway and we expect to have the toilets up and running again by the end of next week. We thank the children for their patience in this.



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As the year is coming to an end, we are catching up with whānau who might have outstanding invoices. If you have any outstanding payments, please contact the school office to make arrangements for them to be paid. Invoices will be sent out shortly.



We are considering hiring out the pool again this year over the warmer weeks to help raise funds for a fresh coat of paint. There would need to be a minimum number of families interested before we go ahead. So please express your interest if you are keen on this.

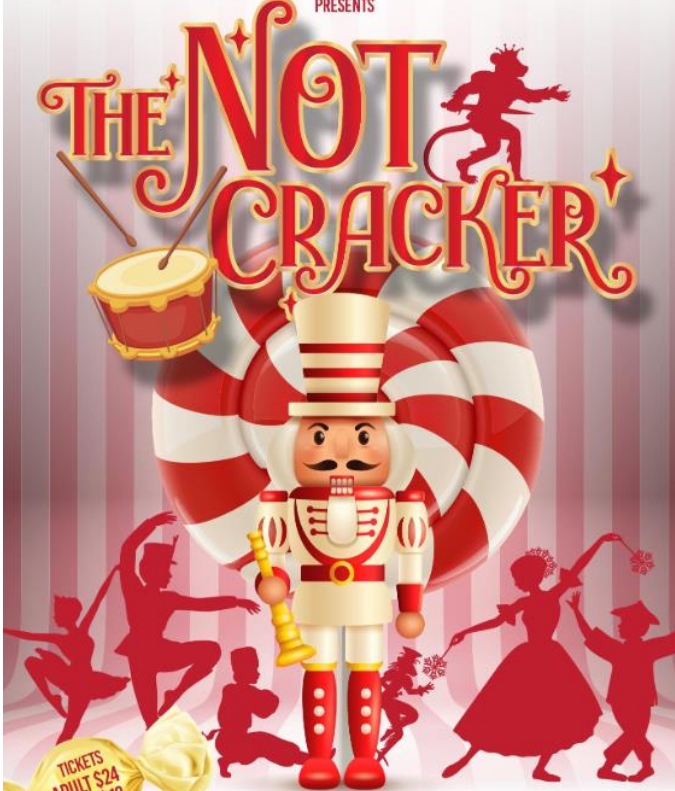


**Mā te wā**

# Community Notices

THAMES HAURAKI DANCE THEATRE  
PRESENTS


# THE NOT CRACKER




TICKETS  
ADULT \$24  
CHILD \$12

**SATURDAY 7TH DECEMBER - 2PM-6PM**  
THAMES WAR MEMORIAL CIVIC CENTRE, MARY ST, THAMES  
TICKETS AVAILABLE AT CARSON'S BOOKSHOP

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