

Tumuaki Korero

Tēnā koutou katoa,
Nau mai hoki mai — a warm welcome back to Term 4. I hope the break provided a chance for rest, whānau time, and a moment to recharge. As we head into the final leg of the year, there's a real sense of momentum and purpose across the kura.

Term 4 always brings a unique energy — from end-of-year celebrations, transitions, and reflection, to planning and aspirations for the year ahead. It's a time where we see our ākonga take big strides, and our collective efforts as a school whānau really come to fruition.

We're looking forward to several key events this term, including senior and junior prizegiving, transitions for new students and lots of EOTC activities (please see the upcoming events). We encourage all our whānau to stay connected and involved as we celebrate learning and look ahead together.

Ngā mihi mahana ki a koutou mō te tautoko me te manawanui i ngā wā katoa.
Let's make it a strong and positive finish to the year.

Hei konā mai i roto i āku mihi,
Sharlyn Holt
Tumuaki



PPTA AND NZEI STRIKE ACTION

The board has carefully considered the availability of non-union teaching staff, and unfortunately decided that we can't provide normal instruction during the strike

so the school will officially be **CLOSED** for instruction during
Thursday 23rd October.

Accordingly, it is important that you make alternative arrangements for the care of your child / children under 14 years of on that day as no supervision can be provided.

Thursday 23rd October: SCHOOL CLOSED FOR INSTRUCTION

On Wednesday last week, the year 1-3 team went down to Tokaanu. We walked around the Tokaanu Thermal track, went to the Tokaanu Wharf to have lunch then back to the pools for a swim. It was fun!



Trades students docking at Rangatira E Trust.



Kea Crossing at Tongariro School

We have had our Year 5 - 7 training hard these last 2 weeks for Kea Crossing
Kea crossings are very important because they provide a safe, controlled environment for
children to cross the road at our kura.

Teaching our tamariki proper road-crossing habits
(like waiting for the pedestrian signal, looking both ways, and walking, not running)
instills lifelong safety practices.

These habits also serve as an example for other children and even adults.

Mauri Ora



**Super proud of all our students that participated
in the KCRU Tūrangi Tournament.**

**It was a successful day for our Kura. We have 4
teams that have qualified for the Taupō
tournament.**

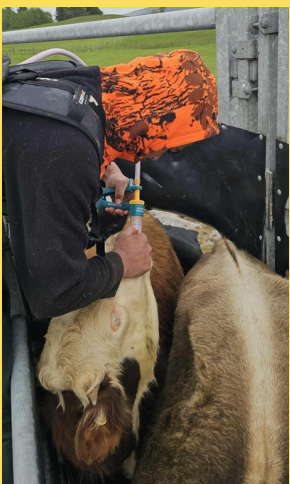


Alternative Education

AE students are visiting local businesses to look at future pathways, first visit was to Tuwharetoa FM, Wairere did a small recording.



AE students drenching young bulls at Oraukura



Kapa Haka Uniforms



We are on the look out for the following Kapa Haka Uniforms from Taiopenga, and we are asking for your assistance in locating the missing uniforms.

If your child has inadvertently brought home a uniform, or if you happen to find one at home, please kindly return it to the school office as soon as possible.



We appreciate your help in ensuring all the uniforms are returned so that our kapa haka students can continue to perform with pride.

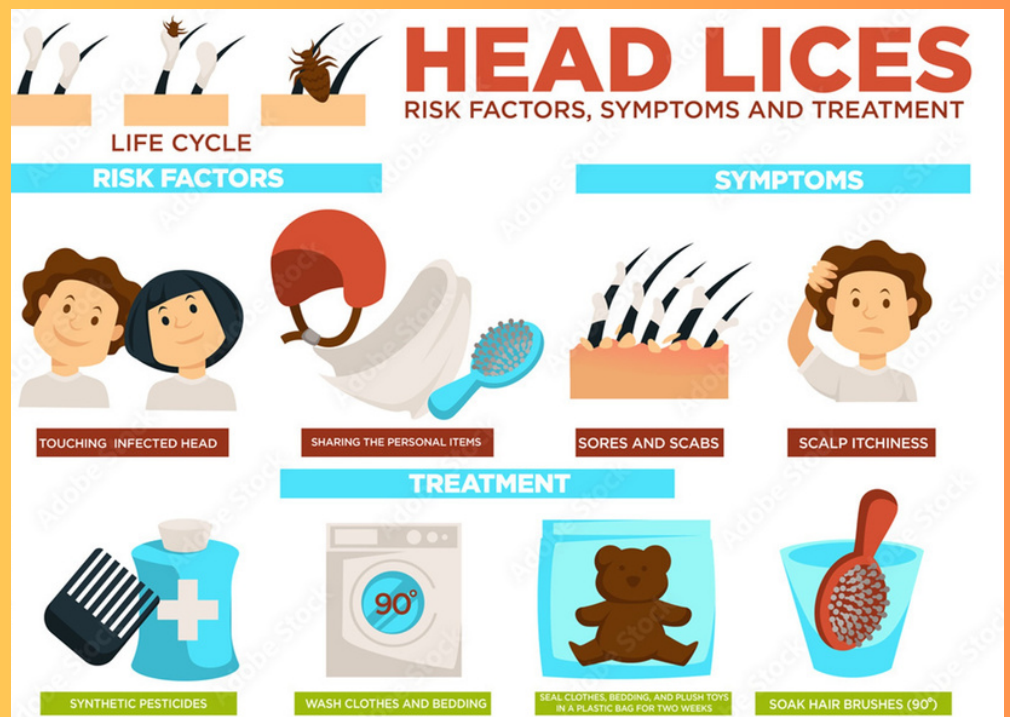
✦ Kua tae mai ngā Nits!
(The Nits Are Back!) ✦

Kia ora e te whānau!
Those sneaky little nits are on the move again!

Please check your tamariki's hair regularly and treat straight away if you find any visitors.

Once treatment has started and there are no live lice, your tamaiti can come back to kura.

Let's mahi tahi (work together) to keep our kura itch-free, happy, and healthy!



Please see the ladies in the front office for Nit Treatments and Combs

Congratulations!

to the following students who passed the
last round of
Literacy and Numeracy Assessments



Reading.

Sabrina Battailard-Moon
Haydin Hallet
Shaedyn 'deBreeze Hamilton
JJ Kingi
Rose Mariu
Callan Stewart
Havock Tahau
Alma Whitmore



Writing.

Shaedyn 'deBreeze Hamilton
Aaliyah Lacey-Reid
Rose Mariu
Ashlyn Pohe
Havok Tahau
Brendan Topp
Alma Whitmore



Numeracy.

Tei-Ngariki Henry
Aaliyah Lacey-Reid
Rougan McLaughlin
Merenia Naden
Reka Teinaki
Alma Whitmore
Mckenzie Wihongi



He Kākano Art Exhibition



**Tongariro School Hall
Wednesday 5th November 2025
4:30pm - 6:30pm**

**Join us to celebrate the creativity and growth of our ākonga.
Through art, storytelling, and expression, we honour our
roots, our learning, and our shared future.
Each work is a kākano — a seed of identity, nurtured by
connection and care.**

Annual Scholastic Book Fair

Tongariro School

The annual Scholastic Book Fair has arrived and will be open to students and parents from Wednesday 22 October to Monday 3rd of November.

The Book Fair is like having our very own book shop at school where students, staff and whanau can purchase brand new books - Pay & Take Away! Our school then receives free books based on the amount of sales we have.

Classes will come through to take a look at what the Book Fair has to offer and students will bring home a wish list of what interested them.

With Christmas just around the corner books are an ideal gift for all ages.

For further details contact Whaea Paula on 07 386 8684 ext 822.



Attendance Notices



Chronic

87 students have chronic attendance
25.58 %



Moderate

47 Students have moderate attendance
13.82%



Irregular

89 Students have irregular attendance
25.58%



Regular

109 students have regular attendance
32.05%

CHECK THIS OUT!

Hone Jensen, Charlie Bellas & Mazikeen-Suede Turu-Cork
have absolutely smashed it!!! ...
moving all the way from Chronic to Regular Attendance!
That's such an awesome comeback - Ka mau te wehi!

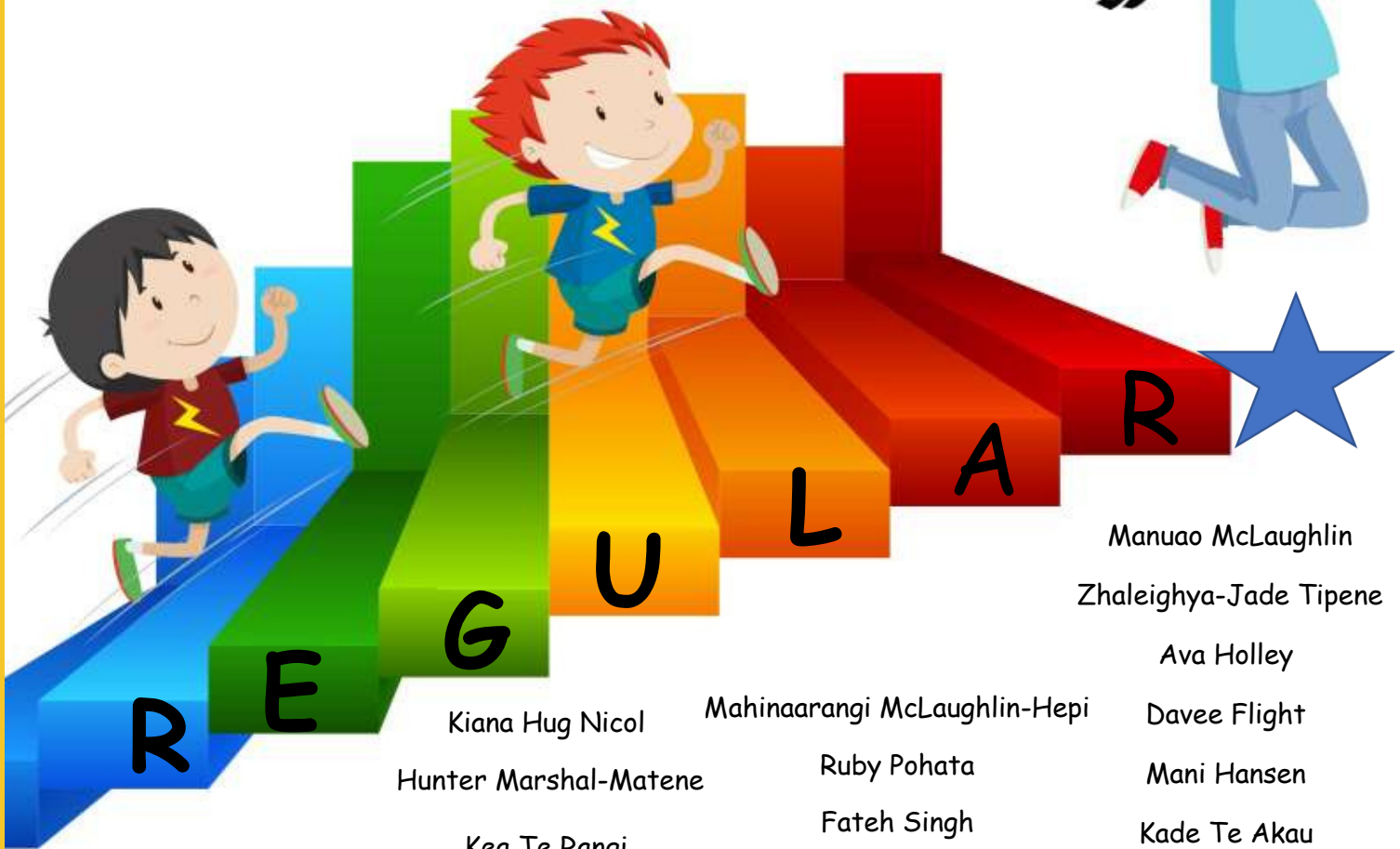
Massive shoutout to these awesome students! 🎉 You've moved up from chronic attendance to a higher level — that's such an epic effort!
So proud of you all! 🙌🏻

Zaedyndyn-Ray Albert, Pounamu McLaughlin, Te Haeata Mariu-Fraser,
Raven-Rau Monaghan, Oliver Curry, Precious Erridge,
Arian Walker, Hamiora-Arapeta Te Rangiita, Rose Mariu,
Izabella Te Moananui-Raukawa, Failan Te Rangi-Church

Big shout-out to these legends who've moved up to our top Attendance Level



Ka rawe koutou! You're absolute champs and awesome
role models for everyone at our kura



Manuao McLaughlin
Zhaleighya-Jade Tipene

Ava Holley

Davee Flight

Mani Hansen

Kade Te Akau

Winnie Toko

Logan Foothead

Kaino Lacey-Reid

Tamwara Uatin Navana-

Jean Vickers

Belinda-Lee Higgins

Cassius Jensen

Kiana Hug Nicol

Hunter Marshal-Matene

Kea Te Rangi

Ngarangi Te Rangi

Reign Lacey-Reid

Rose Toko

Kauika Naden

Vala Whitmore

Fergus Whitmore

McKayla Furze

Mahinaarangi McLaughlin-Hepi

Ruby Pohata

Fateh Singh

Te Kahui Tamou

Estee Waru

Violet Curry

Thomas Wallace

Tyson Lacey-Reid

Natasha Sibley-Ireland

Noah Wihonga

Aaliyah Lacey-Reid

Lily Wallace

Leon Naden

Brooklyn Coward

Tamakopiri Higgins

Maia Flight

Violet Hansen

TERM FOUR Up and Coming Events 2025

WK	Mane	Turei	Wenerei	Taite	Paraire
3 Swimwell year 1-3 All week	20/10	21/10	22/10 Apiary Visit	23/10 NZEI STRIKE School Closed	24/10
4 Swimwell Year 1-3 All Week Alternative Education End of Year Trip	27/10 LABOUR DAY School Closed	28/10	29/10	30/10 Services and AKO 4 EOY Trip EOTC Yr 4-6 Floating Classroom	31/10 Services and Ako 4 EOY Trip
5	3/11	4/11 First Aid Course Seniors 4/5 Nov	5/11 He Kakano Exhibition Te Wharekura Overnight to Tauranga	6/11 Year 1-6 Swimming Sports	7/11
6 Year 1-3 activities in Taupō	10/11	11/11 Rongoa workshop	12/11 Year 7 - 13 Awards Prizegiving	13/11 Year 4- 6 Rotorua Trip	14/11 Year 7 whanau class trip
7 Kai/Culture class trip to Korohe	17/11 Board Meeting	18/11 Kiwisports BOP Rugby League Tournament	19/11	20/11 Kiwisports BOP Ruby League Tournament	21/11
8 Kai/Culture class trip to Wairakei Terraces ORS EOY Trip	24/11	25/11 Year 10 Waikato University Visit	26/11 Year 1-6 Awards Prizegiving	27/11	28/11 Teacher ONLY DAY NO SCHOOL
9 Year 1-3 trip to Motion Te Wharekura Noho and Hot Pools Trip	1/12 Board Meeting Activity Week Year 4-6	2/12 Rongoa workshop Activity Week Year 4-6	3/12 Activity Week Year 4-6	4/12 Activity Week Year 4-6	5/12 Activity Week Year 4-6
10	8/12 Attendance Party Turtle Pools	9/12	10/12	11/12 Colour Run And Last day of School	



Te Miro Mountain Bike Clubs

Thursday Night Summer Race
Series is proudly sponsored by
Riverside Adventures Waikato!

Racing runs from the 30th of October to the 11th of December 2025 & the 22nd of January to the 12th of March 2026.

20th Nov, 29th Jan, 26th Feb will be **ENDURO RACES**. (Courses will be advised week of the enduro, your best 2 races will determine the enduro winner).

Rego opens at 5:45PM, closes at 6:20PM.

Racing starts at 6:30PM.

3 XC tracks to choose from. Tracks for all skills, ages & fitness levels. Race last for 60 mins. Your best 10 races will determine this years summer series winners!

Free for Te Miro club members. \$10 non members.

Please pre-register for your first race by 4:00PM using the link provided or on our website under events.

<https://www.webscorer.com/register?raceid=408938>

Any questions please email temiromtbevents@gmail.com
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