

# Matamata Intermediate

2nd November 2023

Teenaa taatou e te whaanau

Camps are off to a great start and although the weather didn't come to the party to start the week, it didn't put a damper on the first classes who enjoyed their time at Epworth. Over the next few weeks, all our classes will experience this camp EOTC (Education Outside The Classroom) experience and we need to say a massive thank you to those adults who are able to join us to enable this to happen. I have also attached a message from Matamata Principals, who collaboratively have been working on EOTC.

Sitting alongside our learning this week, we have also had a CCC focus on E Tuu Taangata means 'Stand Together'. We have looked at what it means to support each other and to make others feel valued. How do we talk to each other in positive ways, to build others up? What impact does our behaviour have on others? Camp is a great environment to practise positive behaviours.

Ngaa mihi nui Debbie Currie

# **IMPORTANT DATES**

Monday 6th - Wednesday 8th November -Rm6 and Rm9 Camp

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**Tuesday 7th November -**Inter-Intermediate Softball

Wednesday 8th - Friday 10th November -

Rm12 and Rm14 Camp

Monday 13th - Wednesday 15th November -

Rm3, Rm5 and Rm11 Camp

**Tuesday 14th November -**Inter-Intermediate Lacrosse

Wednesday 15th - Friday 17th November -

Rml and Rml3 Camp

Wednesday 22nd November -

Year 8 Immunisations

**Monday 27th November -** Teacher Only Day

Wednesday 29th November

Year 8 Visits to Matamata College Kia ora Whānau

Recently, schools from within the Matamata area came together to discuss the important issue of EOTC (Education Outside The Classroom) and how current legislation impacts our schools. It was our intention to align expectations and procedures across our schools as best we could so that parents and whānau see similar school expectations regardless of where they attend in the area. We have made a great start and will continue collaborating on this. Hopefully, our efforts will make it easier for parents and whānau as they transition through the schools or from one to another if they have to shift.

In light of tragic events that have happened on school-based trips over recent years, all schools in Matamata have been reflecting on their processes and systems, which may mean some changes in the way that we take steps to reduce risks. Please know that this is all in an effort to ensure the highest possible standards of safety for your tamariki, whether that's during a day trip, camp, interschool activity, or extracurricular sport. Our aim is to ensure all learners in Matamata have enjoyable and meaningful experiences outside of the school environment with their safety and wellbeing our top priority.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact your school's principal or EOTC coordinator for further clarification.

Ngaa Mihi, Matamata Schools

# **PRIZEGIVING DATES:**

# **Sports Prizegiving**

• Wednesday 6th December. Arrive at 11.15am ready for an 11.30am start



Whaanau Celebration Day (all Prizegivings arrive at 11.15am ready for an 11.30am start)

- Mangawhero (Wk 9) Friday 8th December
- Piako (Wk 10) Monday 11th December
- Waihou (Wk 10) Tuesday 12th December
- Waitoa (Wk 10) Wednesday 13th December

#### **Graduation Dance**

• Thursday 14th December. 7.00pm-Parents arrive at 9:20pm for the last dance @ 9.30pm

# **Formal Prizegiving**

• Friday 15th December. Arrive at 12.30pm ready for a 12.45pm start

# **TEACHER ONLY DAY**

On Monday 27th November - School will be closed for instruction on this day and the Ministry of Education have allocated all schools a Teacher Only Day to address the implementation of the New Curriculum.

# **ORIENTATION DAY**

On Tuesday 21st November, we look forward to meeting all our incoming year 7 students for 2024.

# CAMP HIGHLIGHTS Rm8/Rm4 and Rm10/Rm7

# **ATHLETICS RESULTS**

#### JUNIOR GIRLS RESULTS

#### 100m

**1st: Indie Gamble** 2nd: Jade De Leoni 3rd: Tenley Hudson 4th: Indie Bolten

#### 200m

**1st: Indie Gamble** 2nd: Ruby Farmilo 3rd: Zoe Tolovae

4th: Frankie-Jean McGrath

#### 800m

**1st: Indie Gamble**2nd: Tenley Hudson
3rd: Frankie-Jean McGrath
4th: Jade De Leoni

#### 1500m

1st: Frankie-Jean McGrath

2nd: Tori Martin 3rd: Khloe Marie 4th: Patricia Treymane

# **High Jump**

**1st: Nika Nekhaieva** 2nd: Pearl de Jong 3rd: Leah Steward 4th: Penny Baigent

#### **Long Jump**

1st: Jade De Leoni

2nd: Frankie-J Johnson-Metua

3rd: Indie Bolten 4th: Millah Turner

# Cricket Ball Throw 1st: Kahoki Rawiri 2nd: Tenley Hudson

3rd: Manaia Bonnar-Bay 4th: Indie Gamble

#### **Discus**

1st: Zoe Tolovae

2nd: Hinetapora Aoake 3rd: Tenley Hudson 4th: Maia Horne

#### **Shot Put**

**1st: Tenley Hudson** 2nd: Chazayah Rawiri 3rd: Maia Horne

4th: Jaydah Poananga-Niha

#### JUNIOR BOYS RESULTS

#### 100m

1st: Ken Wedding

2nd: Hunter Goddard-Lichtwark 3rd: Geoff (Nigel) Humilde 4th: Zakeal Tuhakaraina

#### 200m

1st: Hunter Goddard-Lichtwark

2nd: David Landar 3rd: Zakeal Tuhakaraina 4th: TK Shailer

#### 800m

**1st: Kayden Carswell** 2nd: Fletcher Rae 3rd: Armani Wright 4th: Roman Watkins

#### 1500m

1st: Kayden Carswell 2nd: Armani Wright 3rd: Fletcher Rae 4th: Roman Watkins

# **High Jump**

1st: David Landar

2nd: Zakeal Tuhakaraina 3rd: Johnny Dalton

4th: Mano Wilson and Hunter Goddard-Lichtwark

#### **Long Jump**

1st: David Landar

2nd: Carter Raupita 3rd: Zakeal Tuhakaraina

4th: Tuki Te Iringa and Justyce Wilson

# **Cricket Ball Throw**

1st: Justyce Wilson

2nd: Fletcher Passey 3rd: Kaea Bedggood-Noa 4th: Zakeal Tuhakaraina

#### Discus

**1st: Hosea Webber** 2nd: Shay Johnson

3rd: Liam Ryan 4th: JJ Polaschek

#### **Shot Put**

1st: Zako Olivier

2nd: Kohen Perkins-Gibbs 3rd: Keremete Wilson 4th: Hosea Webber













# **ATHLETICS RESULTS**

#### **SENIOR GIRLS RESULTS**

#### 100m

1st: Tori Richmond

2nd: Maya McCullum 3rd: Willow Watkins 4th: Paige Perston

#### 200m

1st: Willow Watkins

2nd: Amber Cressy-Lucchesi

3rd: Tori Richmond 4th: Hazel Lang

#### 800m

1st: Willow Watkins

2nd: Hazel Lang 3rd: Lily Heyns 4th: Evelyn Yorke

# 1500m

1st: Willow Watkins

2nd: Hazel Lang 3rd: Lily Heyns 4th: Scarlett Smellie

## High Jump 1st: Lily Zander

2nd: Muhlisa Saidakmalova 3rd: Charlotte Yeoman 4th: Amber Cressy-Lucchesi

#### **Long Jump**

1st: Maya McCullum

2nd: Scarlett Smellie 3rd: Hazel Lang 4th: Nadia Jeffares

# Cricket Ball Throw 1st: Peyton Tuhakaraina

2nd: Hazel Lang 3rd: Tori Richmond 4th: Miya Henderson

#### Discus

1st: Hazel Lang

2nd: Peyton Tuhakaraina 3rd: Paige Perston 4th: Isla McIntyre

#### **Shot Put**

1st: Antaeus Rawiri

2nd: Peyton Tuhakaraina

3rd: Hazel Lang 4th: Cora Lepper

#### **SENIOR BOYS RESULTS**

#### 100m

1st: Dahnell Witika \* New Record of 12.5sec \*RECORD WAS - 12.52sec set by Troy Loveridge in

2nd: Carter Matehaere 3rd: Jacob Brogden 4th: Lewis Jiang

#### 200m

**1st: Rayden Laurent** 2nd: Carter Matehaere 3rd: Kase Cawker 4th: Lewis Jiang

#### 800m

1st: Hunter Rae

2nd: Shepherd Richards 3rd: Jake Dawson 4th: Korbin Todd

#### 1500m

1st: Hunter Rae

2nd: Jake Dawson 3rd: Shepherd Richards 4th: Korbin Todd

# **High Jump**

1st: Dahnell Witika

2nd: Lewis Jiang 3rd: Carter Matehaere 4th: Josh Corrin

#### **Long Jump**

1st: Dahnell Witika

2nd: Carter Matehaere 3rd: Lance Tuhakaraina 4th: Deklyn Lipscombe

#### **Cricket Ball Throw**

1st: Dahnell Witika

2nd: Rayden Laurent 3rd: Jake Dawson 4th: Hunter Rae

# **Discus**

1st: Dahnell Witika \* New Record of 35.46m \*RECORD WAS - 32.95m set by Lucas Broyden in 2008

2nd: Lachlan Neal 3rd: Jacob Kerr 4th: Rayden Laurent

## **Shot Put**

1st: Dahnell Witika

2nd: Deklyn Lipscombe 3rd: Carlos Marunui 4th: Lachlan Neal













# **COMMUNITY NOTICES**

I have continuously been working to improve my artistic passion and now am wanting to give back to the local community by teaching Drawing Lessons for your artists. I find this to be a major gap in the market for Matamata as I would have loved a passionate mentor to improve my skills while growing up!

Where: Railside by the Green, 41A Hetana

Street Matamata

When: 4 weeks: November 12, 19, 26 &

December 3rd Who: 8-13 years old

How to book: Link or QR code

https://www.trybooking.com/nz/PZQ

The Great Kiwi Summer Festival has something for everyone to enjoy.

We are sure the kids will be excited to have a go on inflatable Waterworld, or the on-land inflatable fun from Event Fun, completing the Armistice kids Challenges, More FM's gumboot throwing competition, have a go kayaking, or watch the BMX Big Nationals take place..... there is heaps more for the whole family including boat displays, camping and fishing displays or find out more about the local cycling trails. Plus we will have LOADS of yummy food trucks – so come along and enjoy a day out at the lake.

FREE entry for spectators and FREE parking (some activities are pay to play).

You can see more here https://www.greatkiwisummer.co.nz/whats-on/



Want to learn new skills, get outdoors, and have fun? The skills you learn in athletics are the perfect foundation for almost any sport. Every student can give athletics a go. Our local Matamata athletics club is welcoming new members now and we encourage students to get involved and get active.

Contact details for all athletics clubs nationwide are available here athletics.org.nz/clubs/find-a-club/ and become a member.

