



## School Newsletter

Term 1 Week 8, 2025



What a busy start to Term 1! We have enjoyed lots of extra events this term, bringing whanau, students and staff together.

Our focus this term is on using manners at all times, including when at sports events or on other trips, representing our school.

Teachers have been setting routines in classes and focusing on structured literacy and mathematics. Students are responding well to using new resources.

A large number of our students joined cricket and our team has had absolutely fantastic games, and we are currently top of the table with 3 wins under our belt. Our students have been working hard and improving their cricket skills each week.

### **Winter Sports - Basketball, Netball and Soccer**

Winter Sports registration forms have been emailed to all parents. Please fill in the online form so Miss McKibbin can organise teams for this season. Miss McKibbin will be in contact with you to confirm your child/rens teams for this season. Please note rugby is not a winter sport offered by the school. If you want your child to play rugby, they need to contact SURF who are the local club for rugby.



### **Year 7 and 8 technology classes at Forest View High School -**

Students will need to be at school by 8.35am if they wish to travel to technology classes in the school van. Parents are welcome to drop their children off at Forest View High School. We will pick up all students at the end of the classes.

## Music Fest 2025

We are seeking interest from students who wish to be in the choir for this festival. The commitment for this will be choir practice throughout Terms 2 & 3, plus three evening performances and one matinee in week 2, Term 4. If your child is interested, please contact their teacher.

## Maths Curriculum Day (Teacher Only Day) 2nd of April- school closed

### Term 1 Dates 2025:

- **Zero Waste in Schools - Roncalli** - 14th and 21st of March
- **Board of Trustees Meeting** - 25th March
- **School Closed for Teacher Professional Development-** Wednesday 2nd April
- **Term 1 Ends-** Friday 11th April

### Term 2 Dates:

- **School starts** 28th April
- **Board of Trustees Meeting** - 22nd May

## Forest View High Open Day and Orientation

Open Day -Wed Aug 27th 11am-12 50pm

Open Parents Evening- Wed 3rd Sept 4pm-6 30pm

Orientation Visit-Wed 3rd Dec 11am-12 30pm

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# After School Programs at the Tokoroa Library

211 Leith Place Tokoroa 3420  
4pm to 5pm



<p>CODE CLUB TOKOROA LIBRARY TUESDAY 4:00-5:00PM PUTARURU LIBRARY THURSDAY 4:00-5:00PM</p>	<h2>Tuesdays</h2> <p>Ages 9-13</p>	<p>STEAM</p>
<p>Crafty Corner</p>	<h2>Wednesdays</h2> <p>Ages 6-11</p>	
<h2>Thursdays</h2> <p>All Ages are welcome</p>	<p>CHESS CLUB</p>	
<p>LEGO CLUB</p>	<h2>Fridays</h2> <p>Ages 4-12</p>	