

KAIMAI KORERO

TERM 4 WEEK 5
7TH NOVEMBER 2025



Strive and Honour

Kia ora koutou,

What a change a couple of weeks can bring! The sun is out and the days are getting warmer and warmer. We had a great athletics day last week and we've been working to get our pool ready. The good news is that from Monday next week, our pool will be open for our classes to use. Please start sending togs and towels to school with your children every day. We'll be in touch soon about community keys.

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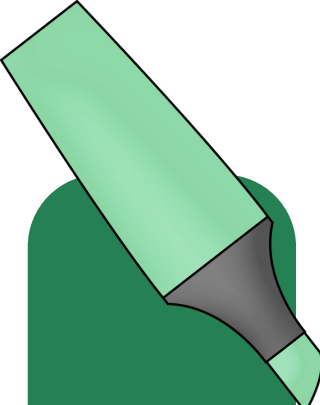
We've confirmed our 2026 term dates. These are included later in the newsletter and have been added to our school calendar. I'm also aware that there are some questions in our school community regarding what our classes and staffing will look like next year.

Kaimai School is fortunate to have been provided with a small amount of additional staffing that will allow us to appoint a Learning Support Coordinator (LSC) in 2026. This person will work with children with learning support needs and with relevant support agencies. As a result of this, we need to work through our appointment process before we can confirm what our exact staff makeup and classes will be.

My intent is to have this completed by Friday 21 November. Rest assured that the board and I are committed to providing a solution that will best meet the needs of our students and enable us to run a quality and engaging learning programme. If you have any questions or concerns about this, please reach out to me directly.

Ngā mihi nui,

Matthew Jackson
Principal



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

NOVEMBER 14

West Cluster Athletics Day
(Year 5 -6)

NOVEMBER 14

Kaimai School Hui at 2:15pm

NOVEMBER 27

Schools' Orange Day 2025
(Bus Monitors)

DECEMBER 4 - 10

Technology at Taumata School
(Year 7 - 8)

DECEMBER 5

Tall Poppies Dance
(Year 8)

DECEMBER 15

Kaimai School Prize Giving
from 5:30pm

DECEMBER 16

End of the School Year
1/2 day

FEBRUARY 3

Start of Term 1 2026

APRIL 2

End of Term 1 2026

FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT OUR WEBSITE,
THE SKOOL LOOP APP, OR KAIMAI SCHOOL'S
FACEBOOK PAGE.

PHOTO GALLERY



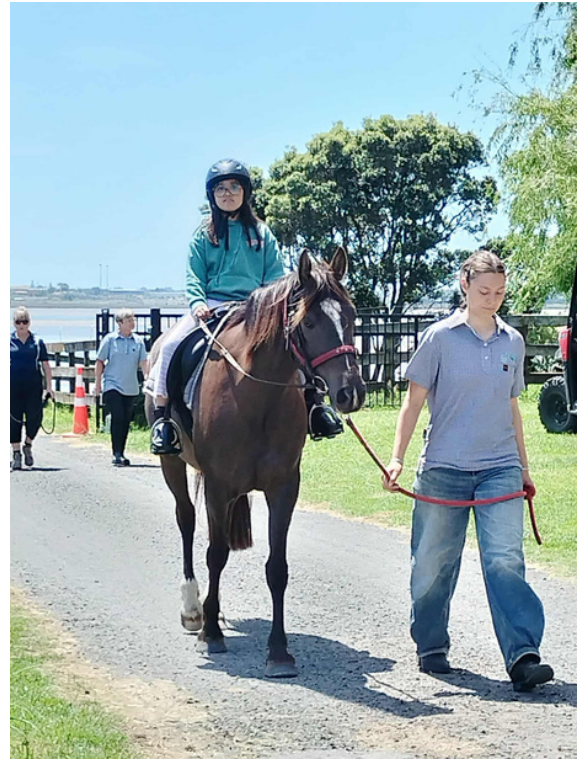
Week 4 Kaimai Values Certificates



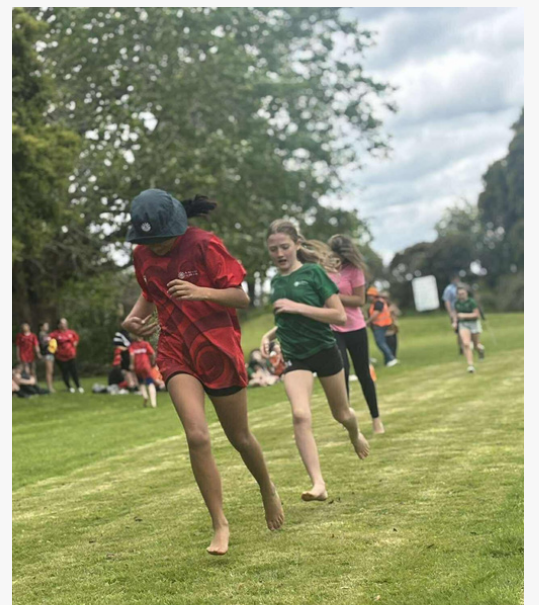
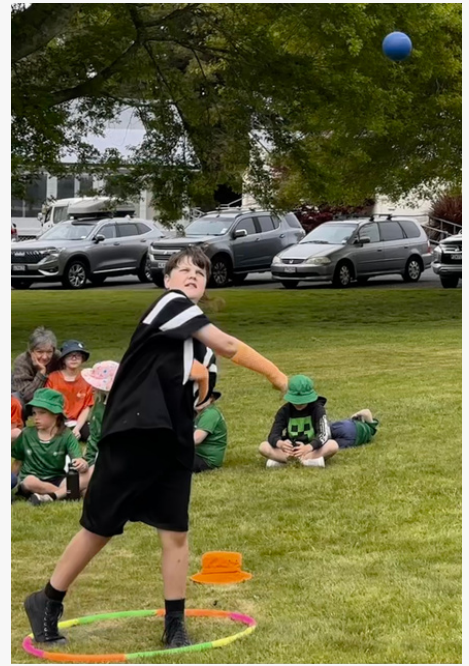
LEARNING IN ACTION AND TEAMWORK WITH RUMA TUI.



A GREAT DAY FOR OUR RIDERS AT RDA



2025 KAIMAI SCHOOL ATHLETICS DAY



Thursday, last week, was a great day for the 2025 Kaimai School Athletics Day.

Well done to all our students who tried their very best in our track and field events. It was awesome to see tuakana-teina in action within our hapū groups, as our senior students supported our juniors.

The students displayed our school values of Tūrangawaewae | Belonging and Whakawhetai | Gratitude throughout the day as they cheered on their peers and celebrated each other's accomplishments.

2025 Athletics Field Champions

Boy's Discus - Braysyn Morey

Girl's Discus - Chloe Waghorn

Boy's Shot Put - Lincoln Marshall

Girl's Shot Put - Lexus Nicholas

Boy's High Jump - Asher Marshall

Girl's High Jump - Chloe Waghorn & Taumata Hikatangata

Boy's Long Jump - Braysyn Morey

Girl's Long Jump - Honor Carswell



KA PAI KAIMAI KIDS

ON SATURDAY, 1ST NOVEMBER MAHLIA AND ELLA COMPETED IN THEIR FIFTH CHEERLEADING COMPETITION OF THE YEAR IN AUCKLAND, CALLED 'SUPER NATIONALS'. IT'S THE BIGGEST COMPETITION OF THE YEAR WITH OVER 9,000 ATHLETES TAKING PART.

THEY WERE UP AGAINST FIVE OTHER TEAMS, AND THEY WON FIRST PLACE. THEY'D PLACED THIRD AND SECOND AT THE OTHER FOUR COMPETITIONS FOR THE YEAR SO THEY WERE THRILLED TO TAKE HOME A GOLD MEDAL AT THE END OF THE YEAR.

MAHLIA AND ELLA COMPETE FOR BAY TWISTERS CHEER ACADEMY. THEIR TEAM IS RUN BY HEAD COACH ANNA, A WORLD CHAMPION WHO HAS COMPETED IN AND WON NUMEROUS INTERNATIONAL COMPETITIONS, AND COACH SASHA, WHO WON THE CHEERLEADING WORLDS IN THE USA LAST YEAR.

BAY TWISTERS IS BASED LOCALLY IN TAURIKO, AND IS OPEN FOR TRYOUTS TO ANYONE WHO WANTS TO GIVE CHEERLEADING A GO!

WELL DONE MAHLIA AND ELLA!



If you have a story for 'Ka Pai Kaimai Kids' please share with us so that we can celebrate their success.

Touching Base

- *If you need to touch base with your child's kaiako then we would like to hear from you.*
- *If you have any queries about your child, then their class teacher is the first point of contact.*
- *Teachers are not there to discuss other children!*
- *Sometimes you may be lucky enough to catch kaiako after school on the same day of your question.*
- *Alternatively, you can email them and ask to make an appointment at a time that suits you both.*
- *In your email, include what it is that you would like to discuss.*
- *Sometimes we may need some time to investigate a concern and may need a day or two to get back to you. It is better that we have time to get all the information and a suitable conclusion than a rushed wrong one!*
- *We are all here for the same reason - happy ākonga that enjoy coming to school!*

Ruma Kereru - Mrs Harris

Ruma Ruru - Mrs Cooper

Ruma Tui - Whāea Amie

Ruma Kiwi - Mrs Haack

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NEWSLETTERS

EVERY FRIDAY ON ODD WEEKS

ASSEMBLIES

EVERY TWO WEEKS ON FRIDAY AT 2.15PM

NEXT ASSEMBLY ON 14 NOVEMBER

TERM DATES 2025

TERM 4 - 6 OCTOBER TO 16 DECEMBER 2025

TERM DATES 2026

TERM 1 - 3 FEBRUARY TO 2 APRIL

TERM 2 - 20 APRIL TO 3 JULY

TERM 3 - 20 JULY TO 25 SEPTEMBER

TERM 4 - 12 OCTOBER TO 15 DECEMBER

ATTENDANCE MATTERS

Notify Us Of Your **Child's Absence** Within
Seconds On Our **Skool Loop App**



Are you interested in a real Christmas tree?

**These can be pre booked through the school for
delivery in December before school closes on the
16th December.**

**A percentage of the cost of the trees will go to
Kaimai School.**

**The trees will range in size from 5.5ft to 7ft and will
all be \$70.00 each.**

Please contact the office to place your order

Phone: 07 543 0999

- or -

Email: admin@kaimai.school.nz

