

TUESDAY 23RD JANUARY 2024
2024, START-UP

TĒNĀ KOUTOU
KATOĀ!



Āria School

* Newsletter *

PRINCIPAL'S NEWS...

TĒnā Koutou Katoā! Welcome to 2024

Happy New Year to you all! I hope the holidays have been great family times and you feel ready to tackle a new school year!

This newsletter includes a few reminders for you before school starts on **Thursday 1st February**.

Bring to school; Sunhat (bucket style), Togs and towel (**every day**), pen, pencil.

- * **Hats...** are **COMPULSORY**. All students **MUST** have a **NAMED** bucket hat that is to be left **AT SCHOOL**.
- * **Student Record Sheet...** will be sent home with your child the first day back at school. Return this form by tomorrow (Friday 2nd February) to go into a draw for a \$30 New World voucher.
- * **Waitangi Day...** Tuesday 6th February. School will be closed.
- * **2024 Board of Trustees Meeting...** first meeting for the year is on Tuesday 13th February 2024, 6.30pm - all welcome.
- * **Swimming...** is a compulsory part of the curriculum, if your child isn't swimming we do need a note please. We will phone to check arrangements immediately after school as you may not be aware that your child is choosing not to swim or leaving togs at home.
- * **Year 4-6 Senior Camp (Northland)...** is booked for Monday 18th March till Friday 22nd March. Cost per person (including parent help) is \$175. More details to will be send home early Term 1.
- * **2024 Two Day Trail Ride Event...** Āria School's annual fundraiser is scheduled for Saturday 24th & Sunday 25th February. If you are able to help out either during the weekend, or before the event assisting with setting up the tracks, putting signs out, manning the registration desk, marshalling, cleaning up post event - please let us know, otherwise someone from the bike ride committee will be in touch with you.
- * **Skool Loop App...** Skool Loop App is available to use. If you are unsure on how to download the app please contact Nicola.

DATES TO REMEMBER

First Day of 2024
Thursday 1st February

Board Meetings 2024 - Term 1
Tuesday 13th February
at 6.30pm - all welcome

Waitangi Day
Tuesday 6th February
School Closed

Year 4-6 Senior Camp Meeting
Thursday 15th February
7.00 - 8.00pm in Room 1

2023 Āria Two Trail Ride
24th & 25th February

Interschool Swimming - Te Kuiti
Friday 8th March

Year 4-6 Senior Camp
Northland
18th - 22nd March 2024

Good Friday
Friday 28th March

Easter Monday
Monday 1st April

Easter Tuesday
Tuesday 2nd April
School Closed

Last Day of Term 1
Friday 12th April

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PRINCIPAL'S NEWS CONTINUED...

* **2024 Class List...** is included.

* **New Families...** Do you know of any families interested in sending their child to Āria School. If so please contact the school office so we can send them our information pack.

* **Stationery...** All school families will find attached to this newsletter the stationery requirements for their child/ren. All students will be expected to have their stationery by the start of Week 2. All items can be purchased through the school. Please send the form back to school with the required items clearly marked. We will endeavour to return stationery purchases home within 2 days of receiving the order to enable you to check that your purchase is correct. Please return items back to school named. (Room 2 students are required to return **all** extra named pencils too as these will be held at school).

* **Absences...** If your child is going to be absent/late for the day please notify the school office before 9.00am.

* **After School Arrangements...** Please advise all changes to after school arrangements **BEFORE 3.00pm** each day either by phone or sending a signed note with your child to the school office. We require Parent/Caregiver notification and **will not accept this verbally from a child**. If you phone **AFTER 3.00pm** please ensure you speak to the person in charge of buses for that day.

* **Piopio Transport...** details will be confirmed via the minivan messenger group.

* **School Newsletter...** Is sent home to all school families on the first school day of each week (usually Monday) and delivered to the wider community either on a Tuesday or Thursday. Thank-you to Donald MacRae and Raewyn Cunliffe for their continuing support of Āria School by delivering the school newsletter on the Āria and Mokaiti RD.

Any advertisements or notices to be included in our newsletter must be received at the school office by Friday 3.00pm. We will be unable to include any late requests received over the weekend or on Monday. Please note: due to the size of the newsletter, advertising and community notices will not be included each week.

* **Swimming Pool...** Many thanks to Donald MacRae for continuing to maintain our pool so well. We are very grateful. Please ensure that the pool is covered when you leave to keep insects and leaves out. Please note the swimming pool will be unavailable to pool keyholders during school hours.

During the holidays we had issues with people leaving their rubbish, including baby nappies for us to deal with. **PLEASE TAKE ALL RUBBISH HOME WITH YOU!**

**Enjoy the remainder of your holiday,
Pam Voyce.**

2024 Staff

Year 3-6 (Room 1) - 3 Days
Whaea Ana Wiseman
Email: ana@aria.school.nz

Year 3-6 (Room 1) - 2 Days
Mrs Pam Voyce
Email: p.voyce@xtra.co.nz

New Entrant - Year 3 (Room 2)
Ms Alicia Benefield
Email: alicia@aria.school.nz

Office Manager
Mrs Nicola Alcock
Email: office@aria.school.nz

Teacher Aide
Ms Nicole Hurley

Teacher Aide
Mrs Rebecca Bates

Teacher Aide
Mrs Maria Palmer

Cleaner
Carol Tilyard

Caretaker/Swimming Pool
Donald MacRae

Gardens/Grounds
Kate Dawson

2024 Board of Trustees

Natasha Richardson - (Presiding Member)
Hannah Bodger-Kearns
Nicole Hurley
Liiwen MacRae
Philip Watkins
Raewyn Williams
Pam Voyce (Principal)
Ana Wiseman (Staff Rep)
Nicola Alcock (Minute Secretary)

OUR SCHOOL NEWSLETTER, NOTICES AND CALENDAR OF UPCOMING SCHOOL EVENTS ARE AVAILABLE ON OUR WEBSITE WWW.ARIA.SCHOOL.NZ

CLASSES FOR 2024

ROOM 1 WHAEA ANA / MRS VOYCE YEAR 3-6	ROOM 2 MS BENEFIELD NE – YEAR 3
Year 6	Year 3
Olivia Brown	Isaac Alcock
Izaiah Eccles	Zara Bangitao
Mila Ormsby	Taihana Bodger- Kearns
Mia Terry	Austin Cave
Tariana Turner	Lucas Foreman
Saskia Watkins	Manw MacRae
Kadius Young	Izzy Muraahi
	Antonia Pardo Yanez
Year 5	Kaylee Rasmussen
Legion Andrew	
Waitaria Bodger- Kearns	
Allegra Darke	Year 2
Cody Darke	Dantez Haupokia
Nevada Grace-Maurirere	Willow Le Feuvre
Beau Riley	Tilly Wishnowsky
Awatea Tangaroa-Smith	
Laveila Young	Year 1
	Zia Bangitao
Year 4	Toby Craig
Hatu Andrew	
Indy Brooks	Sarsha Foreman
Aria Buttar	Maggie Jones
Quayde Cannons	Nara MacRae
Hunter Cox	Amber Rasmussen
Billie Jones	Xylah Stinson-Carr Jacobsen
Eli Le Feuvre	
	New Students to Come:
Year 3	Mackay Hudson
Dylan Darke	Sebastian Inwood
Kaiani Muraahi	Ivy Darke
Pyper West	Elliot Cave
	Vinny Le Feuvre
	Chloe Brooks
	Andrew West
	Emeila Pardo Yanez
TOTAL PUPILS = 44	

ĀRIA SCHOOL VALUES

- A**ttitude - I always do my best.
Resilience - I am motivated and confident.
Integrity - I am honest, kind and caring. I treat all people with respect even when they are different from me.
Accept responsibility - I am organised and on task.

I am an ĀRIA student

TUESDAY 23RD JANUARY 2024

Aria

2-DAY TRAIL RIDE



Sat & Sun

24 & 25

Feb

2024

St Helen's
Domain

Kumara Road, Aria

Enquiries 027 529 0985



Aria 2 Day Trail Ride

Burn-out Comp

Moto X Track

3 Senior
Tracks

5km
Track

Mud
Run

Rider numbers restricted

★★★ **PRE-REGISTRATION ESSENTIAL** ★★★

\$60/day • \$100/weekend

Kids (15yrs and under) \$30/day • \$40 weekend

*Registrations close midnight Sunday 17th February
or when event is at full capacity*

Late registrations will only be accepted if numbers allow,
and will be required to pay increased entry fee
of \$80/day, \$140/weekend

- Tracks open 9.30am on Sat – no briefing – rolling registration
- Side-by-side passengers full price (must register)
- All rules and guidelines on registration form
- Breakfasts/dinner and all-day BBQ available to purchase
- Lions Caravan open Friday night
- Camping available Fri & Sat
- No dogs permitted

Info/Registration www.silverbullet.co.nz
or email aria2dayride@gmail.com

Many thanks to all the numerous property owners, supporters and ...

- King Country Honda • White Ridge Contracting • A & L Earthworks
- Tucker's Quarry • St Mary's Scout Group • T & K Alcock
- Progress Transport • Te Kūiti New World • Piopio Lions

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