



# TE KURA O MIMITANGIATUA

**Where the Country,  
Coast and Classroom meet we Think,  
Ask, Do, Discover Together.**

**20th March 2024**

## Mimi School Values

This year we will continue to unpack and develop our understanding further in relation to our school values, while explicitly teaching these daily. The hope is for our tamariki to apply these in everything that they do around our kura, at home and our community.

Our school values **Ngākau Mahaki - Respect**, **Kia Maia - Courage**, **Mana Motuhake - Independence** and **Kia Manawanui - Perseverance** are the four cornerstones to the Mimi School curriculum. As a school whānau we believe that instilling our children with these cornerstones will provide them strong foundations to live by.

To acknowledge our tamariki who are uplifting these qualities during break times kaimahi (staff) will continue to give out 'Ka mau te wehi' cards where a weekly draw will take place at assemblies. Students drawn will receive a juicy or a prize from the prize box. A major draw takes place in weeks 3, 6 & 10 of each term. All 'Ka mau te wehi' cards are put into a box and two names are drawn. Students will either win lunch on Matua to the value of \$10 or a sports ball.



**NZEI Paid Union Meeting -  
READ CAREFULLY AND TAKE  
NOTE OF DATE**

**Monday 25th of March** our teachers have a **PAID UNION** meeting. Therefore, the board has agreed to **close school at 1.30pm** for instruction. **Please note: Supervision will be available for those who require it, but ask if you can do so to please pick up tamariki, as it will just be Beverly and I onsite.**

The purpose of the paid union meeting is for members to discuss and consider important issues, including how they might collectively:

- Ensure the historic Mana Taurite | pay equity process properly values the skills, and intellectual and emotional effort of our work as teachers
- Shape union priorities for 2024

The board, staff and I appreciate your understanding that ensures our kaiako can attend their union meeting.

## Absences

If your child is absent from school, please make sure you let the school office know **before 9am**, or notify us through the HERO app.

## Be Sunsmart!

Just a reminder that it is the parents' responsibility to ensure their child/ren are putting sunscreen on every day. There is sunscreen available at school also. Remember that hats have to be worn in Terms 1 and 4.

Be sun smart - lip slop slap!

## School Accounts

If we could please have all outstanding school accounts from 2023 paid as soon as possible. That would be greatly appreciated.

23 Pukearuhe Road, RD 44, Urenui, 4377

Phone 752 3617, mobile 027 752 3617

Email [admin@mimi.school.nz](mailto:admin@mimi.school.nz)

[www.mimi.school.nz](http://www.mimi.school.nz)



## Te Poari o Mimitangiatua - Mimi School Board

A casual vacancy has occurred on the school board for an elected parent representative.

The board has decided to fill the vacancy by selection.

If 10% or more of eligible voters on the school roll ask the board, within 28 days of this notice being published, to hold a by-election to fill the vacancy, then a by-election will be held.

Request for a by-election should be sent to:

Janine Vollebregt  
**Presiding member (chair)**  
**Mimi School Board**

### Address

153 Waitoetoe Road  
RD 44  
Urenui 4377

by: 2nd April 2024

## PLEASE NOTE:

### Front Gate Area - School Bus

Whānau, we ask that from **3.20pm - 3.40pm each school day** that you park or do pick up from the wood shed up or the lamp post down towards the soccer field. This allows the bus to safely drop off our tamariki in the afternoon.

The pahi (bus) is rather large and when you park close to the front gate it is a struggle to pull in to ensure our tamariki enter and exit the bus safely.

## Sign Out Sheet

If you need to pick your child/ren up before 3pm for any reason, please sign them out in the office.

## Duffy Book Awards

This week our recipients of the 'Caught Being Good' award was given to Norton, Tu Ahurei and Logan.

Ka mau te wehi koutou - Awesome!!



## School Lunch orders:

**Fridays are lunch order days.**

Please place your orders at the school office before 9am.

Thank you to those parents who have offered to help with picking these up from the Four Square

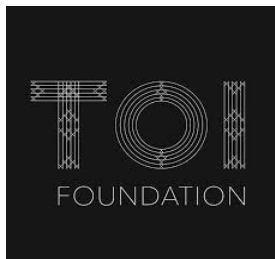
**22nd Mar - Jade**

**29th Mar - GOOD FRIDAY- School Closed**



## Funding Grant Acknowledgements

On behalf of Mimi School I would like to acknowledge Toi Foundation, Pelorus, Aotearoa Gaming Trust, Lottery Grants Board, Pub Charity and NZCT for their generosity and continued support with grants.



**AOTEAROA  
GAMING  
TRUST**



**Lottery Grants Board**  
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COMMUNITY

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Manukorihi Intermediate School's

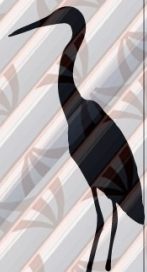
**50TH  
BIRTHDAY  
CELEBRATIONS**

Friday &  
Saturday

3rd  
4th

May  
2024

For registration information  
please contact  
office@manukorihi.school.nz  
or phone (06) 754 8025



## Term 1 Calendar

**SCHOOL CLOSED FOR INSTRUCTION FOR HALF DAY**

Tues 25th Mar

**PURPLE DAY FOR EPILEPSY**

Tues 26th Mar

**CLASS SPEECHES**

Thur 28th Mar

**GOOD FRIDAY (Closed)**

Fri 29th Mar

**EASTER MONDAY (Closed)**

Mon 01st Apr

**EASTER TUESDAY (Closed)**

Tues 02nd Apr

**SCHOOL SPEECH FINALS**

Wed 03rd Apr

**CLUSTER SPEECHES**

Fri 05th Apr

**LAST DAY OF TERM**

Fri 12th Apr

\* Trips that require parent transport

Please contact Tiaki or Connie for further information.

## Weetbix Tryathlon 2024

This is on next **Wednesday 27th March, 2024.**

If your child is interested in participating, you can enter them online. We have set up a school group. Please use the following link:

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<https://raceroster.com/registration/847a3d09-c3c6-4ce7-9aa6-ee1d4b0bafde/entry?team=563938>

**AGM**

Mimi Home and School Association  
will be holding their annual **AGM** on  
Monday the 25th March 2024

7.30pm in the school staff room

**ALL WELCOME**

