

Tauhoa School Tattler 2022

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For Your Diary

May

- Survey out on Homework lunches and other matters
- 27th Swap over day

June

- 6th Queens Birthday School Closed
- 8th June Vision and Hearing screening
- 14th-17th June Activity Week
 - o 14th Te Hana Marae Senior Rooms Sleepover
 - o 15th on-site activities Senior Rooms Sleepover
 - o 16th Auckland Museum Trip/ Whole school Sleepover!
- 24th Matariki School Closed
- 27th <u>Teacher only day</u>
- 28th RRS Soccer / Hockey years 4-8

Ngā mihi o te tau hou.

It's wonderful to see our school growing and we welcome Mackenzie, Hunter and their mum, Marianne to our school community. As I review our roll and future enrollments, I have to make the decision to do a quick room change. Cleasby, although purpose-built to be a junior room, does not have the size for the number and space a new entrant class needs. On Friday 27th May, we need to shift the Seniors, all 12 of them, into this room and bring the junior class up into the larger room. Yes, Hoteo will now be in the junior room as of June!

To do this successfully we would really value a helping hand from some adults in our community. If you can, please touch base with Jody in the office

Staff Vacancies

Part-time Property Manager

Tauhoa School is looking to employ a permanent Part-time Property Manager. Only 5 hours of paid time a week, this job covers a wide range of skills including odd jobs and maintenance of grounds, school pool and minor repairs. We have a ride-on lawnmower and tools to support this role. Training where and when required will be given.

For a job description and application form please contact the school office in the first instance at office@tauhoa.school.nz or 094225722.

Teacher Aid

Tauhoa School is requiring a Teacher Aid for a short period. Please contact the office for more information. Immediate start. This job could become an on-call position or run for the whole term depending on funding.

Netball

We started the season well with our year 5-6 winning both their grading games last weekend. Well Done Tauhoa TauTaps!

All teams will be playing this weekend.

RRS Soccer /Hockey 28th June

Students will need mouthguards for this day they can be purchased at the office if you still need to purchase one.

Activity week

This is going ahead and today you're receiving a permission slip for the week. I am asking for a donation towards the extra costs a week like this brings. We will also need to have police vetted parents for the sleepover and will need some volunteers to help supervise other days. More details are in the form attached.

Covid

Welcome to School under Orange!

At Orange, face masks are no longer required at school.

However public health advice is that masks continue to be strongly encouraged when indoors. Wearing a mask is a key health measure that slows the spread of COVID-19 in indoor settings. For that reason, we ask that visitors to the school, including parents and whānau, wear a mask whenever they are indoors on school grounds.

Mask UP Date

We asked everyone to wear them again as we thought we were about to have a large breakout. This hasn't occurred. Therefore rather than saying you don't have to wear them. I will say you don't have to but you should. The decision is up to you from today whether your child needs to wear a mask. I still will change it from being optional if needed.

But please (if they are Year 4+) all students need to continue to bring a mask to school every day. There may be times that we'll ask them to wear a mask, too – for example, when we are having an assembly. If there are a high number of cases at school or in the community, we may ask that masks be worn in classrooms for a time.

AG Day

Yes, you read that right. AG Day

We will need to order chickens in the next couple of months and we will start to find sponsors for this year's event. Have a think about what animals you will want to have your child show at Ag Day and if you can help promote or sponsor this event. For our new families, all animals have to be born after July 1st.

Dental Clinic

I have spoken to the dental service, they cannot operate safely in a covid situation. We are on top of the list when they can come to us.

If your child is needing dental care, please contact the Mobile Clinic at Warkworth school.

09 422 2714 021 419613

Website https://www.warkworth.school.nz/dental-care

Vision and Hearing Screening

Vision and Hearing technicians will be visiting our school on Wednesday 8th June.

Tae noa ki muri. Vivienne Goldsmith Principal

Staff and Board Contact Details 2022

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