



Thursday 8 December 2022

This week's PB4L Focus:

This week learners have had fun playing games using te Reo. Learners have been able to use and create meaningful opportunities to use te Reo in authentic contexts. Playing games in another language develops compassion and respect and allows learners to practice new vocabulary while having fun at the same time. Try playing some of your favourite games with your child in te Reo or another language.



He aha te aha? What's on top? - with Mr Kaiser



As the year draws to a close we begin our celebrations and farewells to staff and students:



Year 6 Graduation Assembly

On Wednesday we began the farewell for 106 Year 6 Tirimoana School students. Over 70 of these students started Tirimoana School as a 5 year old. Our Graduation Assembly was supported by teachers, other learners and by many family members. Our Year 6 graduates were proud of their achievements, and so are their teachers and families. Check out a film of this on our school facebook and website. Our students will be leaving our school well equipped for their future learning.

Congratulations to you all - nga mihi ki nga akonga!

On Friday evening the students will celebrate their years at Tirimoana School with a Graduation party in the school hall.

Kia ora and thank you to the parents and year 6 teachers who will make this a memorable night for our Year 6 leavers.

Year 0-3 Learning Celebration Tomorrow

Tomorrow Year 0-3 learners will celebrate their year of learning in their classroom with their teacher and whānau. Parents are warmly invited to come along to their child's class.

New Class (2023) Assembly

This will take place on Tuesday morning. This assembly is for teachers and for children.

Awards Assembly Wednesday 14 December

Next Wednesday morning, our End of Year Awards Assembly takes place in the school hall. This event celebrates the achievement in cultural, sporting and academic achievement of students in Years 3-6.

Reports home on Monday

A paper copy of your child's End of Year progress report will be sent home with your child. We encourage you to celebrate with your child their progress at school this year.

Farewells



Fiona has worked as a Teacher Aide at Tirimoana for over 18 years.

Fiona has supported hundreds of young learners during her time at Tirimoana School



Nat has been the school part time gardener for many years. It has been Nat's "green fingers" that have made our Tirimoana gardens grow and thrive.

We wish them all the best in their retirement.



Congratulations and farewell to Mrs Kirsten Harris. Kirsten has accepted a teaching position at Henderson Primary School.



Christmas at Tiri- Cancelled

We have made the difficult decision to cancel this year's Christmas at Tiri. The long range weather forecast is predicting more rain and wind. Not a good outlook for festivities outdoors!



2022 Consultation Survey - We would appreciate it if you could complete our annual survey.

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/TXRS6PH>



Thank You!



School finishes on Friday 16th December at midday.

Please make sure you plan for your child to be at home from the afternoon of the 16th.

Nga mihi *Peter Kaiser*

Tonight! Come along!



PTA Fundraiser

Visit Toyworld Henderson on the
8th December 2022 from 5.30pm - 7.30 pm
and receive 20%-50% discount storewide (including Lego)

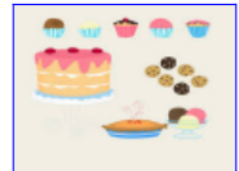
A percentage of the nights taking is donated to Tirimoana School PTA

Thank you

**Final Cake Stall for the year
tomorrow**



**Friday Cake Stall
Tomorrow!**



3.00 pm outside the front of the hall.

Come along and buy some delicious cakes, slices or biscuits for the weekend.

Christmas Raffle



Tirimoana School Christmas Raffle

1st Prize: Large Christmas Tree of gifts

2nd Prize: Large Hamper with Nescafe Dolce Gusto Coffee Machine

3rd Prize: Angela Daniel Sterling Silver Necklace valued at \$229

4th Prize: Angela Daniel Sterling Silver Ring valued at \$189

PLUS: 5 Christmas Hampers

PLUS: 24 Children's Prizes

\$2.00 per ticket

Raffle drawn 14 December

More Tickets available at the school office



Can you sell more tickets? Please email jenny.atkins@tirimoana.school.nz and we will send more raffle books home.

After School Hockey Certificates

On **Wednesday 14th December** we will have a final Hockey practice under the Tirimoana canopy with some fun games and participation certificates.

Please come along if your child has played 'Monday After School Hockey' this Term. 3pm until 3:45.

Please note: Monday Hockey will be held again in Term 1 2023 so keep a look out for a notice in the Tiri Newsletter next year. :)

Thank you for your support

Miss Telfer



Please return all library books and school readers to school



There are still **95** books missing.
Please continue to look at home.

We are approaching the time of year where all library and school reading books are required to be back at school.

Please look around your home and send any library or Tirimoana Reading books back to school.

Thank you.



Do you have a large lego head that you would like to donate (or sell) to the library for a display ?

Please contact Mrs Croft if you can help
sharon.croft @tirimoana.school.nz



Will your child be leaving Tirimoana School at the end of the year?


Please email Jenny jenny.atkins@tirimoana.school.nz if your child (Years 0-5) will not be returning to Tirimoana School for the 2023 school year.

Thank you to the families who have already passed this information onto us. This information helps us allocate children to classes.



End of term events and dates

Please continue to refer to the School calendar on our website.

2022	
Friday 9 December	Year 0-3 Learning Celebration in classes Year 6 Graduation Disco 6.30pm - Year 6 Tirimoana Students only
Monday 12 December	Reports go home
Wednesday 14 December	Year 4-6 Award Assembly (including Year 3 Certificate recipients) Christmas Raffle Draw
Friday 16 December	School finishes for the year at 12pm. 
2023	
Tuesday 31 January	Teacher Only Day
Wednesday 1 February	Teacher Only Day
Thursday 2 February	School starts
Monday 6 February	Waitangi Day (school is closed)

Before School Care - Places available

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**SEEKING APPLICATIONS FOR
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Waitakere College has students arriving from all over the world! The students need a caring home life during their stay in order for them to make the most out of this amazing opportunity!

We are seeking applications from families living in West Auckland who are interested in hosting students in Term 1 and 2.

You will receive fortnightly reimbursement as well as ongoing training and support.

CONTACT OUR HOMESTAY COORDINATOR

☎ 021 0272 9184

✉ studenthomes@waitakerecollege.school.nz

INTERESTED IN HOSTING INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS?

Hosting international students can be a very rewarding experience and is a great opportunity to meet new people and learn about other cultures.

Homestay families are to provide accommodation and meals for their international students during their enrolment.

Create shared memorable NZ experiences that have benefits for your own family and form long lasting relationships!



Carpe Diem Kids

Carpe Diem Kids Flanshaw will be having a fun Holiday Programme at **Flanshaw School** from **16th to 23rd Dec 2022** and from **9th to 27th Jan 2023**.

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