



Thursday 30 March 2023

## This week's PB4L Focus: Managing Our Emotions



This week in classes learners have been discussing the need to recognise how they are feeling and appropriate ways to express their emotions. Teachers have covered using "I Statements" and compassionate language. When learners can become more aware of their triggers it helps them to make better decisions and respond in more constructive ways. Please support your child to learn their triggers and some coping strategies.

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

## Parking Around the School



Our Board is establishing a group to inquire into the parking situation around our school and to identify any improvements that we can make. We know that parking is a problem for many families and that congestion around our school creates a potential risk for children's safety. Parents can expect that next term we will survey our community about the issue, and we will work with Auckland Transport and the Henderson-Massey Local Board of the Council to make any improvements.

**In the meantime, please park and drive responsibly around our school. Always remember that no matter how busy you are, our first priority should always be about children's safety. We are also mindful of the impact on local residents, neighbours of school, when people park illegally over driveways or block the road.**

Every now and then, Auckland Transport parking wardens patrol outside our gates and they will issue parking infringement notices to cars parked illegally. School has no control over any fines or parking infringement notices issued.



## New Walking School Bus Routes

We are hoping to establish new Walking School Bus routes next term. One Walking School Bus is proposed for children walking from Tirimoana Road, through the park to Cron Avenue, into Nui Mana Place and on into the school main entrance. A second route is proposed from McLeod Road East through Finlow Drive and into Divich Avenue/Metric Place entrance.

We need parent support with these Walking School Bus routes. If you think that you may be able to help, please contact Jenny in the school office or email [julie.matthews@tirimoana.school.nz](mailto:julie.matthews@tirimoana.school.nz). We hope to get a roster of parent volunteers.

## ANZAC Assembly - 26 April



**School opens after the Easter/April holidays on Wednesday 26 April to start Term 2.** On our first day back to school we will have a school ANZAC Assembly after lunch at 1.40pm. Children may wear their service uniforms, such as Guides, Scouts, Cadets, St John's Ambulance, to school for the special assembly.

## Term 2

**School opens again for learning on Wednesday 26 April.** Every school in New Zealand will be closed on Monday 24 April for a Ministry of Education approved teacher only day, and Tuesday 25 April is ANZAC day, which is of course a public holiday.

### Easter Raffle

All raffle ticket butts and money need to be back at school by Wednesday 5 April and the raffle will be drawn at assembly on Thursday 6 April.



Have you bought your raffle ticket yet?

Peter Kaiser

### Tirimoana Road Entrance to School - CLOSED

Next week we begin some exciting work on our bike track! This means that we will have heavy machinery accessing the school field via the Tirimoana Road entrance.

This entrance will be **CLOSED** to all children and families from **Monday April 3rd - Thursday April 6th** in the morning and in the afternoon.

You will need to use the alternative entrances at Metric Place or Kokiri Street. There is also an alleyway that comes up from Tirimoana Road to Nui Mana Place (located near the RSA village).

Please do not attempt to use the Tirimoana Road entrance as this will be a health and safety risk to your child and yourself.



Kia ora and Welcome to  
Tirimoana School



Khian De Guzman

Vanessa Lawrence

Western Turoa



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## Junior Athletics Day

Years 1 / 2 / 3

**Friday 31st March**

**9am-10.50am**

The junior team will be celebrating their athletics learning on **Friday 31st March**. Each child will be participating in a range of physical activities. This day is to celebrate your child's hard work and most importantly to have fun.

Learners **may wear active or sportswear and sports shoes** on this day. Please ensure your child brings a water bottle and hat.

Parents/Whānau are more than welcome to come and support their child.

The day will begin at 9.00am and will continue until Morning Tea. **The final races** will commence once every child has completed each activity which should be around 10.30 am.

We hope to see you there!

Ngā mihi,

The Year 1 / 2 / 3 Teams.

Tomorrow



## Daylight Saving Ends

New Zealand summer time ends on Sunday 2 April.

### Before School Care - Places available

Fun After Three has places available for before school care.

**Mornings:** 7 am- 8.30 am. Breakfast provided.

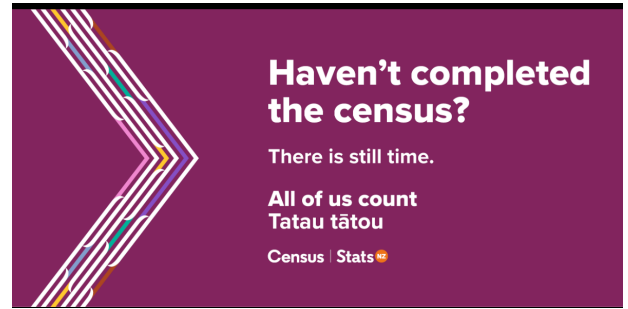
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There's still time to do the 2023 Census – and still time to do it on paper forms! If you don't have those already, and you'd prefer not to use the online census forms, here's what to do.



Order your paper forms:

- by calling 0800 CENSUS (0800 236 787)
- online at <https://online.census.govt.nz/census/request-paper-form/>

Forms will be posted out to you, along with a freepost return envelope.

- Fill them out as soon as you can. Each form should only take about 10 minutes.
- Put them in the return envelope.
- Then drop that envelope in an NZ Post posting box, and pat yourself on the back for a job well done.

### Why is it helpful to complete the census?

The information collected in a census is used by government agencies, local authorities, businesses, iwi, community organisations, and the public to develop and implement new policies, research, planning, and decisions about services in areas like health, education, housing, and transport.

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### APRIL, 2023

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NZ Native Animals and Flowers  
Beginning with pencil techniques to create a design which will lead on to developing a painting using acrylic paint.

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Wednesday 19th 9am - 3pm | Thursday 20th 10am - 12pm

Mosaic Pots \$150.00  
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Friday 21st 10am - 2pm

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