



THURSDAY 12 JUNE 2025

He aha te tupu i Tirimoana! What's happening at Tirimoana!

Earth-Athon

Learners have been busy learning their Earth-Athon facts; on Tuesday they will sit the Earth-Athon quizzes. Children will bring home their answer booklets to share with families what they have learnt. Children will collect tokens to go into the chance to win some amazing prizes. Please send all sponsorship money with your child to hand into their class teacher. The draw will be made on the last Friday of term.

Contact Details

It is very important for schools to have the contact details of their students' families up to date and accurate. Yesterday a form came home with students asking you to give us your contact details so that we can update our data base. Please fill this in and return it to your child's teacher as soon as possible. This is also important for school to update the parent electoral roll for the Board Elections.

Mathematics Curriculum Day – School Closed Monday 11 August

Teachers regularly work on improving their pedagogy. The Ministry of Education allows schools to close for professional learning twice a year. As such we will close for instruction on Monday 11 August as teachers work with Ministry of Education appointed facilitators to help teachers with the refreshed mathematics curriculum.



Wheels Day

On Wednesday we will hold a Wheels Day at lunch time. Students can bring bikes, scooters, rollerblades or skates, skateboards, remote controlled cars, prams – essentially anything with wheels! The bike track will be open, and a course will be set for those bringing other wheels. Those bringing skateboards, rollerblades, skateboards or roller skates will need to have a helmet.



Volunteers Needed for Our Walking School Buses!

Our after-school Walking School Buses are incredibly popular, and we need your help to keep them running safely!

We're looking for parent volunteers who can commit to regular days to support either the **McLeod Road Bus** or the **Kokiri Street Bus**. The time commitment is small: just **2:55 PM - 3:15 PM**. If your child uses one of these buses or you are interested in joining, please consider lending your support, even if it's just for one afternoon a week.

Your help ensures our learners get home safely and helps these fantastic "buses" continue. Please contact Mrs. Matthews if you can volunteer. julie.matthews@tirimoana.school.nz



Board Elections

In September, every school in New Zealand will participate in board elections for new boards to govern schools for the next 3 years. Every parent has the right to vote in the elections, and to nominate another parent or themselves for elections. This Wednesday the board will meet at 7:30 in the staffroom. Board meetings are open and if you would like to come along to see what it is all about then you are more than welcome to.

Moving Schools?

Families often move house, and this change can bring about a shift in school for children. If your child is moving on from Tirimoana please inform the office so that we can plan and manage your child's transition to their new school.

Important Update: School Medication Procedures

We've updated our school's medication administration procedures to align with our Medicines School Policy, ensuring the safety of all students and compliance with regulations.

Here are the key changes:

- All medication brought to school must be in its original packaging, clearly showing your child's name, dose, and instructions.
- Medication must be delivered by a parent or caregiver, not by students.
- A new Medicine Authority Form must be completed and returned for all medications. If we currently hold any prescribed medication for your child at school (e.g., an asthma inhaler or EpiPen), a separate notice will be sent home for you to complete and return this new form as soon as possible.

Thank you for helping us keep our tamariki safe.

Thank you Tirimoana School whānau from Attendance West.



Your support of the Attendance West Blanket Drive helped collect a great number of warm, clean blankets for local families. We are even more grateful to your school for teaming up with a retirement village. This is such a beautiful example of different generations coming together to support others. We're proud to be part of a community that shows up for each other.



What's Coming Up

Earth-Athon	Weeks 5-7
Wheels Day	Wednesday 18 June
Te Atatū Matariki Festival	Thursday June 19
Tiri Matariki Festival	Thursday 26 June 6pm-8pm
Last Day of Term 2	Friday 27 June
First Day of Term 3	Monday 14 July
Curriculum Day	Monday 11 August

Kia Ora and Welcome to Tiri

Amrit Kaur
Burhanuddin Hasan



Next week's PB4L Focus

Cloak Bays: Keeping Belongings Tidy

Graduate Profile Skill: Citizenship - I am a role model.

Learners will focus on keeping their belongings safe, putting things back where they belong, cleaning up after themselves and making sure cloak bay spaces are safe for everyone.



School App

To sign in, use the email address you have already given the school.

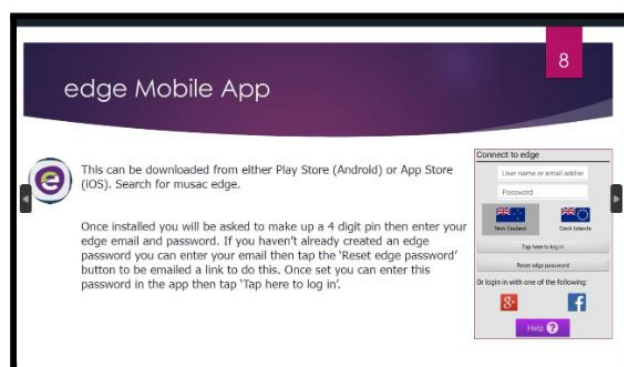
Features of the Edge Mobile App:

Notify the school about your child's absence.

Receive school announcements and notifications.

Need an email address added?

Email: office@tirimoana.school.nz to add additional addresses.



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OPEN DAY 2025

SATURDAY 14 JUNE
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Here are the key details for the leagues:

Trusts Miniball 5x5:

VENUE: The Trusts Arena, [65-67 Central Park Drive, Henderson, Auckland 0610](#)

COST: \$420.00 per team

DATES: MONDAYS - MAY 12th 19th 26th and JUNE 9th & 23rd

GRADES: YR 3/4, YR 5/6, YR 7/8 (PLEASE SELECT THE CORRECT GRADE!)

TIME: 4:30pm - 6:30pm

Registration Link - <https://membership.mygameday.app/regofrm.cgi?formID=118122&erMsg=1>

Registration Cut-off Date: 9th May 2025

We would love to see you all out there for the upcoming season! Whether you're new to the sport or returning, there's a place for everyone.

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Basketball Holiday Programme Starting July 1st.

Venue - Trusts Arena
Time - 9am - 3pm
Dates - July 1,2,3,8,9,10,11
Cost - \$40

Venue - Massey YMCA
Time - 12pm - 3:30pm
Date - July 4
Cost - \$25 for the Day

Weeks 1 Package Cost - \$100 (July 1,2,3)
Week 2 Package Cost - \$120 (July 8,9,10,11)

Rego Link: [Waitakere West Auckland Basketball Inc - GameDay](#)





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John and Bella are testing the waters with this new programme for younger students, to provide a fun introduction to basic drumming skills as well as group musicianship.

Reply to: tatmuze@gmail.com or John 0275 323 503



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