



THURSDAY 28 AUGUST 2025

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

Board Elections

Voting is open for the Board Elections. Our candidates are Andrew Anisi, Serena Cappellini, Kim Dolman, Samantha Johnson, Sam Judson, Anna Lemalu, Tapuaki Pahulu, Corinne Piu-Fagataele, Aleem Shah and Ben Wood. After national and local elections, voting for school boards is the largest democratic process in New Zealand – please add your vote!

We Need Your Vote



Te Mata Reo Rua 2026

We are looking for current Year 4 and 5 students to enrol in our bilingual Māori/English class, Te Mata Reo Rua. If you are interested, we are hosting an informative hui in the library on Tuesday 2 September from 6.30pm to 8.00pm. Our current students will host the formalities, share their learning from this year and serve a steamed hangi that they themselves will prepare earlier that day. Please contact Whaea Kura on kura.tuhura@tirimoana.school.nz if you are planning on attending so that we can cater appropriately.

Daffodil Day

Spring is just around the corner, ducklings are in the fields, and the daffodils are starting to blossom. We are a strong supporter of the Cancer Society and will be selling Daffodils outside the hall and the office to support them tomorrow morning. Please bring a gold coin to purchase a daffodil so that we can continue to support their work.



**Cancer Society
Daffodil Day**

Children Staying After 3pm

Children need to leave school grounds as soon as possible after 3pm. There has been an increasing number of children who are not being picked up at 3pm. If you are unable to pick up your child at the end of the day you will need to make arrangements for after school care. West Wave and Skids have an after-school programs if you need

Speech Finals

Tomorrow morning, we have our annual Oral Language Festival. We have 14 Year 5 and Year 6 finalists in their speech competition along with presenters in Year 3 and Year 4 who will be presenting short stories and poems. All parents are welcome to come and watch. We will be starting in the hall at 9:10.

What's Coming Up

Friday 29 August – School Oral Language Finals
Friday 5 September – Men's Morning
Wednesday 10 September – Board Election Closes at 4pm
Thursday 18 September – Science Expo
Friday 19 September – Last Day of Term 3
Monday 6 October – First Day of Term 4

Kia Ora and Welcome to Tiri

Yanna Buan
Atareta Henry



Next week's PB4L Focus

Acting Responsibly: Using appropriate playground behaviour and language
Graduate Profile Skill: Social Skills - I am a team player. I am a friend to others.

Edge School App

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The poster features a collage of images: a group of children in traditional Māori dress performing on stage, a child in a blue shirt working on a craft, and a child in a Māori costume. The text is in Te Reo Māori and English.

**TE MATA REO
RUA HUI
2026 INFORMATION EVENING**

Are you interested in your child being able to speak Te Reo Māori confidently or increasing their confidence as a Bilingual New Zealander?

We are looking for current Year 4 and 5 students to enrol in Te Mata Reo Rua Programme for 2026.

If you and your whānau are interested in finding out more about Te Mata Reo Rua please join us for a hāngi and learn about our class. Please contact Whaea Kura on kura.tuhura@tirimoana.school.nz to RSVP.

**Tuesday 2 September
6:30pm-8:00pm
Tirimoana School Library**



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