



**THURSDAY 21 MAY 2026**

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

**Contact Details**

It is very important for schools to have the contact details of their students' families up to date and accurate. If you have moved, changed phone number or email address please let the office know.

**Keeping Informed with what is Happening**

Our school website: [tirimoana.school.nz](http://tirimoana.school.nz) is a great place to check on what is happening as is our Facebook page – we encourage you to follow us. We strongly recommend that you also download and use the Edge Mobile App. Through the app you can notify the school about your child's absence as well as receive school announcements, notifications and the weekly Newsletter. If you need an email address added please contact the office: [office@tirimoana.school.nz](mailto:office@tirimoana.school.nz).



**Celebrating Diversity**

Tirimoana is a very welcoming, inclusive and respectful school where all students should feel as though they belong. Students come from a diverse range of backgrounds. Some of our learners also have diverse learning, medical or behavioural needs. These learners are supported by their teachers, Teacher Aides and our Special Educational Needs Coordinator. Having such diversity makes Tirimoana a rich and vibrant environment that helps learners understand the uniqueness of their classmates and build social skills such as empathy, caring and acceptance.

**Starting the Day**

A reminder to our community that children should not arrive to school before 8:30am. Please aim to drop your children off between **8:30am and 8:45am**. This is especially important as the days shorten and the weather gets colder.

**Generative AI**

At Tirimoana School we recognise that generative artificial intelligence can be used as a tool to enhance learning and the efficiency of school operations. Teachers use AI for a range of different purposes to help them be more productive and develop lessons to best suit their learners. Teachers have started to write reports that are due to go out on Friday 19 June. Most teachers use AI in the writing process, this may be to check wording, phrasing and double checking their comments. Our [Generative AI policy](#) governs how teachers use AI which is reviewed regularly. Tirimoana ensures that we are compliant with the Privacy Act.

**What's Coming Up**

- PTA Meeting – Wednesday 27 May (3:15pm)
- King's Birthday – Monday 1 June
- Perform-Athon Starts – Tuesday 2 June
- Football Zonal – Tuesday 9 June
- Curriculum Day (school closed) – Tuesday 16 June
- Perform-Athon Quiz – Friday 19 June
- Mid-Year Reports go Home – Friday 19 June
- Parent Teacher Interviews - Tuesday 23 June
- Parent Teacher Interviews - Wednesday 24 June
- Ripa Zonal – Wednesday 24 June
- Te Atatū Matariki Celebration – Thursday 2 July
- Last day of Term 2 – Friday 3 July
- First day of Term 3 – Monday 20 July

**Kia Ora and Welcome  
to Tiri**

Krisha Tailor  
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