

TAMAHERE

MODEL COUNTRY SCHOOL

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Nurturing Our Future - Growing Together
Kia atawhai aa mua - Kia tipu ngatahi

Week 9 Happenings:

EASTER HOLIDAY BREAK - INCLUDING TUESDAY

We wish to remind families that school will be closed on the following days for the Easter holiday:

Good Friday 2nd April

Easter Monday 5th April

Easter Tuesday 6th April

Please note: Easter Tuesday is a school holiday by law for all state and state integrated schools. This means we must close on Easter Tuesday.

We hope you all have a wonderful Easter with your beautiful children and everyone comes back safe and rested for the last 2 weeks of term!

LEARNING CONFERENCES:

A reminder that our Learning Conferences (Parent Teacher Interviews) are running from 2.20pm through to 7.00pm, next Wednesday 7th April and from 2.30pm until 5.00pm on Thursday 8th April.



Upcoming Dates:

APRIL	
Friday 2nd	GOOD FRIDAY
Monday 5th	EASTER MONDAY
Tuesday 6th	EASTER TUESDAY BREAK
Wednesday 7th	Student Learning Conferences - ***School day will finish at the earlier time of 2.00pm***
Thursday 8th	Student Learning Conferences
Friday 16th	Last Day of Term 1
MAY	
Monday 3rd	1st Day of Term 2
Wednesday 5th	TEACHER ONLY LAST HOUR - school day ends at 12.30pm

Please note: On Wednesday we will be having a shortened lunch hour and the school day will finish at the earlier time of 2.00pm. The bus will be running half an hour earlier and After School Care will also start half an hour earlier.

Normal school hours will resume on Thursday 8th April with our learning day concluding at the usual time of 2.30pm. Conferences will start after this. If you haven't already booked a time, please book your Learning Conference times by clicking on the links provided below.

We suggest you allow gaps between your different children's interviews to allow time to get from room to room.

MAUNGATAUTARI Learning Conference [link](#)

TAUPIRI & PIRONGIA Learning Conference [link](#)

PB4L - Positive Behaviour for Learning

Last week our PB4L vision focus was **"I make good choices"** and the teachers selected one student from their class to receive the Principal Award this week, with this focus in mind.

Our Principal Award recipients for Week 8 Term 1 were:

Students of Week 8 "I listen, share, and contribute"	
NIKAU 1	Eva H
KAURI 2	Mika P
KOWHAI 4	Aaron Y
PURIRI 5	Michael McK
TITOKI 6	Asher J
POHUTUKAWA 8	Rocklynn J
RATA 9	Ryan O
TOTARA 10	Lachlan H
MATAI 11	Lauren W
TANEKAHA 12	Teacher Absent
MIRO 13	Chloe P
PUKATEA 14	Lola D
KARAKA 15	Harry T
MANUKA 16	At Camp
MAHOE 17	At Camp
HARAKEKE 18	James L
TAWA 19	Aria Q

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Junior Country Cluster Tabloids

Last Thursday morning we welcomed four of our local cluster schools for a morning of exciting tabloid games and events. It was a lovely day filled with laughter, smiles and excitement! We want to express our sincere thanks to the parent helpers who supported student groups and ran the sausage sizzle. We are so grateful for you all.



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Pukeatua Pod - Camp

What an amazing time we had on camp last week, with rooms Karaka 15, Manuka 16 and Mahoe 17!!! We couldn't have asked for better weather for our outdoor activities. The children demonstrated many aspects of our school vision, with their confident attitudes and respect for each other and the environment.

Thank you to the 25 parents who gave up their time to make this camp possible.

As you will see from the photos below, we tramped, kayaked, created amazing sand sculptures and had a fun, educational day learning about the gold industry in Waihi.

Mrs Searancke, Mrs Murphy-Curtis and Mrs Dunton



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Winner of The PUMPKIN NIGHT RAFFLE

As previously shared in our Week 7 Newsletter, Paige S was the winner of our **Pumpkin Night Raffle**, winning a ladies Reid Classic vintage bike, which was donated by EVO CYCLES. Once again, a huge thanks to Sam and Alesha Fletcher!!! The bike came in a choice of 11 colours and as you can see, Paige decided on a yellow bike.



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Junior Syndicate Parents Dinner Invitation



Junior Syndicate Parents Dinner

An invitation for all Taupiri parents of Year 0, 1 & 2 children, to a fun gathering, making new friends and enjoying a relaxed night out!

When: Thursday 15th April 7pm

**Venue: The Boundary Restaurant + Bar,
65 Devine Road Tamahere**

Please RSVP by email to:

Frances McKenzie : francesmcknz@gmail.com

Maura Hodgson : hodgsonmaura@gmail.com



The head chef is preparing a set menu for us, which will be forwarded prior to the event and pre-payment will be arranged.

Thanks so much and we look forward to seeing you there!

P.S. we understand family pressures and babysitting costs, so please don't feel that both parents need to attend, for those who miss out this time there are lots of other fun social events the PTA have coming up!

THE BOUNDARY
RESTAURANT + BAR

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Jr Syndicate Parents Dinner

SET 3 COURSE MEAL \$65 PER PERSON
SET 2 COURSE MEAL \$55 PER PERSON

THE BOUNDARY
RESTAURANT + BAR

TO START

GARLIC BREAD

Herbed garlic creme fraiche GFO

CRISPY CHICKEN

Buttermilk crispy fried chicken served with side salad, house made BBQ sauce and aioli GFO, DFO

MAIN

SCOTCH FILLET

Truffle potato mash, herbed portabello and seasonal vegetables finished with port wine jus GF, DFO

FREE RANGE CHICKEN BREAST

In house marinated chargrilled chicken breast, served with kumara mash, baby carrots and finished with orange glaze GF, DFO

MUSHROOM RISOTTO

Medley mushrooms, herbed risotto, finished with parmesan and truffle oil GF, Veg

DESSERT

CARAMEL CREME BRÛLÉE

Caramel candied creme brûlée served with seasonal fruit and berry gel GFO

ICE CREAM SUNDAE

Trio of Kowhai Creamery gelato or sorbet served with berry compote and chocolate sauce GF, DFO

To preorder, please bank transfer to 06-0197-0927132-00 and include your names in the reference. Please email us on manager@theboundary.co.nz with your name, meal order and proof of payment.



REMINDER of our Teacher- Only Last Hour - Wednesday 5th May

To enable our whole staff to fit in a four hour First Aid Refresher Course, we are needing to take an hour of learning from the school day to be able to fit in the training. We hope this is the least inconvenient way we can achieve this. We will have a longer middle learning block and ask **families to pick up children at 12:30pm on Wednesday 5th May**. We do apologise for any inconvenience this may cause you in **Week One of Term 2**. After School Care will be available from 12:30pm on this day, for those that need it on a pre booking basis. Children who are booked into ASC from 12.30pm on this day will need to bring their usual packed lunches.

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OfficeMax MySchool Rewards



Thanks to the amazing uptake of the MySchool online stationery ordering for the start of 2021, we have had a rebate of \$1,134.69 returned to the school. Thank you very much for your support.

You can purchase stationery through the MySchool ordering system at any time during the year, nominate Tamahere School and the rewards

will continue to accumulate for our school. Or you can click on the following [link](#). Once again thank you for your support!

PTA Survey

Thank you to everyone who has responded to the Annual TMCS PTA Survey and passed on suggestions and offered your time to help!!

To fill in the survey, please click the link below:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/5YBM8WP>

Your time and assistance is greatly appreciated.

Feel free to contact us at: pta@tamahere.school.nz

TMCS PTA



Tamahere School NZTA Survey

'Waka Kotahi The NZ Transport Agency have heard the feedback of the Tamahere community around pedestrian and cycling safety at the Tamahere interchange. We are doing a study looking at walking and cycling improvements in and around the interchange. Students and parents of the Tamahere School are important users in this area so we have developed a quick survey to gather information to help us come up with ways to improve the interchange.

Please share your travel patterns and experiences to help us get this right by completing this survey link: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/Tamahereschool>



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Spanish Club in Term 2



Spanish Club- Term 2

Fun Languages offers an opportunity for children aged 2-12 years old to learn Spanish. Our team are all fluent or native Spanish speakers and passionate about taking children on a journey of discovery through the language and culture of Spanish speaking countries. The focus is on fun games, activities, songs and crafts that will enable them to use their new language for real purpose.

When: *Fridays 2:30pm-3:30pm*

Where: *Tamahere Community Centre*

9 week term: *7th May-9th July (No club 18th June- Teacher only day)*

Cost: *\$15 per session. 9 week term = \$135*

FIRST SESSION IS FREE TO TRY

NEW STUDENTS CAN JOIN ANYTIME



Please register your interest at
amber@lcfclubs.co.nz or call 022 199 3958

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Sign Up for The Gymnastics Academy in Term 2



AIR TRACK TUMBLE CLASS TAMAHERE SCHOOL

*Beginner and advanced classes for all school years
Plus optional Tumbling Championships event this term!*



**Term
2**

Monday 12:30-1:15pm. in hall
3rd May - 28th June
For 8 weeks with graded certificate

\$125

Book online at
www.thegymnasticacademy.com

Call Marie **0211705426**
for more information

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Cambridge Netball Club - Fundraiser Quiz Night



LET THE GAMES BEGIN!

CAMBRIDGE NETBALL CENTRE FUNDRAISER QUIZ NIGHT

FORM GROUP OF UP TO 8 PEOPLE

April 6 | Start at 7:00PM
Five Stags Leamington

Register a team by following the link or
emailing cambridgenetball@gmail.com

<https://bit.ly/3cB2Y9t>

ENTRY \$10 PER PERSON
WAITER & BAR STAFF AVAILABLE

REGISTER YOUR QUIZ TEAM HERE: <https://bit.ly/3cB2Y9t>

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