

TAMAHERE

MODEL COUNTRY SCHOOL

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

Wiki/ Week 4 Happenings:

Kia ora everyone. We have just heard the latest Government announcements around the country moving into **Phase Three tomorrow**. What does this mean for us all?

We will be given more detailed information soon but the main gist seems to be these pointers:

- Schools will no longer be **tracking** all contacts and advising the Ministry - instead we will be letting them know individual details of positive cases only. e.g. Name, DOB & when last at school, etc.
- The definition of **Close Contacts** still remains the same within the new guidelines. and we will send you an email if your child is considered a close contact. The change is that **ONLY** Close Contacts who are household members need to stay home and **self isolate**.

After School Care: Next week, due to the low numbers and very limited programme available to our students, with very rigid bubbles, we will be operating more like we used to, with craft activities and a more flexi system. We will be running two inside areas, instead of three, to allow more staff to support different activities. The **Year 4-6** will be in one space - all masked for craft and indoor activities. The **Year 3 students may choose** if they wish to join the **Year 1 & 2 area** or put on a **mask** and join the senior bubble for inside activities.

We can have more flexibility at After School Care, as it is an extra, out of school curricular activity and we will follow those guidelines, as we do with sports teams. As numbers fluctuate, we will adapt our programme. We want to get back to having a more fun and enjoyable environment, with choices for our students, in this world of limitations.

Thank you everyone for your ongoing support during these times, leaving your children to go in

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and out of school independently and managing themselves during this time. We have noticed a significant improvement in self management, which is a great skill to develop.

Just to let you know, in this hot weather, our drinking fountains are now able to be used.

The health and wellbeing of our children, staff and school community is a top priority. It is predicted that Covid cases across New Zealand are likely to increase over the next couple of weeks. At school, we are monitoring the situation closely and tracking/over-seeing individual positive cases and any close contacts, in each class. If there is a significant increase in numbers we will immediately communicate this with our school community.

What you need to do

- You and your whānau should watch for symptoms
- If any symptoms develop, get tested immediately
- Then, stay at home until you receive the result

Symptoms of COVID-19

- A new or worsening cough
- Sneezing and runny nose
- A fever
- Temporary loss of smell or altered sense of taste
- Sore throat
- Shortness of breath

Less common symptoms include:

- diarrhoea
- headache
- muscle aches
- nausea
- vomiting
- malaise
- chest pain
- abdominal pain
- joint pain
- confusion/irritability

For more information, please go to:

<https://covid19.govt.nz/health-and-wellbeing/about-covid-19/covid-19-symptoms/>

COVID-19 FLOWCHART: Who do I need to contact and should I keep my child at home?

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Please click on the link below to take you to a flowchart, which we hope will help you understand what is required, if you find that one of your household members is either positive, a close or casual contact.

Please [CLICK HERE TO VIEW THE FLOWCHART](#)

Please contact reception@tamahere.school.nz if you have any questions or concerns.

Upcoming Teacher Only Day - Monday 14th March:

Just a reminder of our upcoming Teacher Only day happening in Week 7, on **Monday 14th March**. The school is completely closed on this day as teachers will be involved in Literacy Professional Development. After School Care will not be operating. We are sorry for any inconvenience that this may cause you, as you rearrange your family for one day. We have added it to a weekend to make it slightly easier for you.



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2022 Student Leaders - Tauira Taataariki

We are delighted to announce our main student leaders for 2022. All of our Year 6 students will get opportunities to take on other leadership roles, including Swing, Lunch, Recycling and TCC Monitors.

Our main Tauira Taataariki have been selected through Whānau Speeches and showing leadership in class. Once again we were spoilt for choice, with many students showing their abilities to be wonderful senior leaders. It is hard when we have to reduce down to fit the number of roles required. Congratulations and well done to all of our Year 6 students, who stepped up to the challenge of taking on these roles.

Congratulations go to our new Tauira Taataariki:

WHANAU LEADERS:			
TAKAHE	HOIHO	KOTUKU	KAKAPO
Harrison C	Henry M	Cadel H	Fergus G
Thomas B	Maxx G	Luka F	Josiah B
Liadán B S	Shyla J	Sienna L	Felicity B
Olivia C	Chloe P	Anahera G	Millie B
Emily C	Felicity C	Mikayla B	Sarina T
Lola D	Olivia Q	Caitlin O'	Kea W
KAIABHINA:			
Maxx G	Kea W	Sissi P	Quinn J
Anahera G	Mikayla B	Braxton P	Lila R
Ben J	Henry M	Fergus G	Paige S
Sienna L	Axel F	Kaylee V	Samantha B
Mila D	Jessie H	Tayla G	Mikah J-M
Sophie A			

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PEER MEDIATORS:			
Emme H	Chloe P	Holly C	Devon T
Cadel H	Tyler J	Aaron M	Fletcher F
Harrison C	Summer M		
AMBASSADORS:			
Ellemae B	Adam R	Kaylee V	Jarryd I
Ben J	Zoe S	Ella C	Tayla G
LIBRARIANS:			
Matthew R	Eva M	Valentina M	Ellemae B
Carolee N	Olivia Q	Caitlin O'	Millie B
Anthony T	Lyra R	Sarina T	Olivia C
Felicity B	Evelyn B	Emily C	Ella C
Damien K	Lola D	Lachlan H	Annika H
Tilly D			
BUS MONITORS:			
Alex G	Anthony T	Sophie A	
Aaron M	Anahera G	Samantha B	
AFTER SCHOOL CARE MONITORS:			
Fletcher F	Quinn J	Paige S	Evelyn B
Anthony T	Damien K	Cooper T	
SOUND TECHNICIANS:			
Thomas B	Luka F	Valentina M	Oliver F
AUDIO VISUAL:			
Felicity B		Elise P	
PHOTOGRAPHERS:			
Lachlan H	Sissi P	Tyler J	Jarryd I
Tilly D	Dora J	Mikayla B	

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ENVIRO MONITORS:			
Matthew R	Braxton P	Summer M	Paige S
Millie B	Alex G	Emily C	Sienna L
Fletcher F			
ROAD PATROL:			
Lola D	Tilly D	Shyla J	Felicity B
Kea W	Chloe P	Aaron M	Lyra R
Josiah B	Elise P	Felicity C	Olivia Q
Lila R	Holly C	Liadán B S	Harrison C
Valentina M	Emme H	Jessie H	Luka F
Emily C	Millie B	Tom B	Quinn J

We are sorry that a few children were absent today and missed out on being included in our Leadership Photo's. These students were: Elise P, Aaron M, Jessie H, Thomas B, Eva M, Sissy P and Dora J.



2022 WHANAU LEADERS

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2022 KAIABHINA



2022 PEER MEDIATORS

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2022 AMBASSADORS



2022 LIBRARIANS

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2022 BUS MONITORS



2022 ASC MONITORS



2022 SOUND SYSTEM MONITORS



2022 PHOTOGRAPHERS



2022 ENVIRO MONITORS



2022 ROAD PATROL MONITORS

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PB4L - Positive Behaviour for Learning

Students of Week 3 <i>'I am enthusiastic, curious and, ask questions'</i>	
NIKAU 1	Denver T
KAURI 2	Greta C
KOWHAI 4	Elle D
TITOKI 6	Tommy M
RIMU 7	Jackson McC
POHUTUKAWA 8	Hana K Jamie J
RATA 9	Benjamin McC Nikora K-C
TOTARA 10	Frankie L
MATAI 11	Mayan M K
TANEKAHA 12	Flynn H
MIRO 13	Macie M
PUKATEA 14	Maxx G
KARAKA 15	Poppy C
MANUKA 16	Lauren W Aaron M
TAWA 19	Rhylan E



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Duathlon Certificates Presentation

Earlier this week, certificates were presented to the boys and girls, who came in the top 5 places in our Duathlon. Our Pirongia and Maungatautari students were presented their certificates via a Syndicate Google Meet and our Taupiri students were awarded their certificates in the fresh air.

Congratulations to all our students, who took part in our 2022 Duathlon event. Here are our Taupiri placegetters below:



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