

Wednesday 7 August 2024

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Term 3: Monday 22 July – Friday 27 Sept
Term 4: Monday 14 Oct – Wednesday 18 Dec

Festival Day is Sunday 27 October



CAMP DATES:

R1: 1 night at Quinney's Bush: 5 Dec.

R3: 2 nights in Marahau: 12/13 November

R4: 3 nights in Marahau: 12/13/14 November,

R5 4 nights in Totaranui: 2-6 December

Parents and caregivers: If you wish to volunteer to be a camp helper and stay overnight, we will need to complete a police check, and plan this well in advance. Please get in contact Amanda in the office to begin this process. Please also indicate to your class teacher that you would like to be a parent camp helper. Thank you.

What to look forward to in the next few weeks!

Wk 3: This week

Thurs 8 Aug – Smash cricket for all classes

Wk 4:

Wed 14 Aug – Board meeting 6pm

Thurs 15 Aug – Junior Winter Tournament for Y4-6 students

Fri 16 Aug – Senior Winter Tournament for Y7-8 students

Wk 5: Tues 20 Aug - Tennis with Vanessa for all classes

Wk 6: Tuesday Tennis with Vanessa for all classes

Friday 30 August is Daffodil Day

Wk 7: Conservation Week

Tues 3 Sept: EPRO8 Challenge for selected Y7/8 students

Wed 4 Sept: EPRO8 Challenge for selected Y5/6 students

Wk 8: Tues 10 Sept: Interschool's Speech Competition at Upper Moutere School



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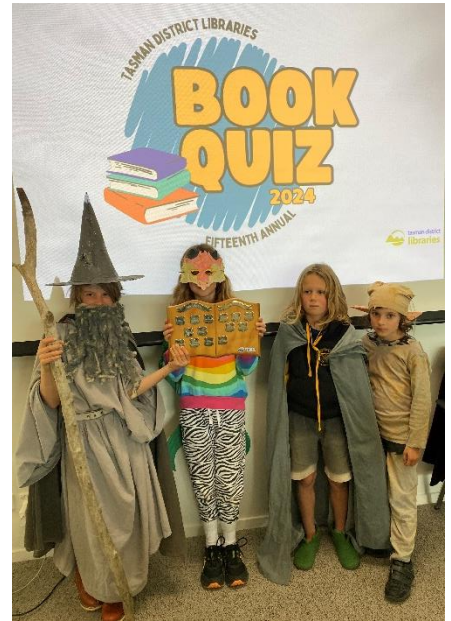


Congratulations to **Flint, Stella B, Alex & Orrin**, who won the Tasman District Library Book Quiz! What amazing costumes, and excellent knowledge to go with them!! Well done! Thanks, Sarah, for transporting and supporting our team.

Left: Orrin & Flint as Gandalf & Gollum.

Right: Flint, Stella, Alex & Orrin with the winning trophy!

Petrol Vouchers Parents, did you know that our parents' group have petrol vouchers available to help with your costs if you transport students to school events? Ask Amanda in the office if you want to take up this offer. Thanks everyone!



Room One Gymnastics Nelson Yesterday our juniors had a wonderful trip!

Theia wrote I like the bars and the foam pit, and I like the beam because I had to balance and I like to jump the bars.

Thanks to parents Alisa, Savana, Andy, Drew & Barbara who transported our students or went along to join in!





Yesterday we were privileged to have had a rugby training session with our senior students from Joe at Tasman Rugby. Excellent!



Room one students were drawing pictures of the Eiffel Tower. This is Rita showing us her drawing. Innovative and Excellent!



Congratulations to Flint on your 11th Birthday coming up this Friday!

Reign will also celebrate on Friday when she will turn 6 years old! Have fun both of you, from everyone here at school!

Cakes for sale Fridays Each Friday we have a parent baking roster to provide cakes for sale to our students. Funds raised go towards parent group funds. Watch out for your name on the termly roster and when it's your duty day, please bake enough for approximately 30 pieces of cake/slice to sell for \$1 each. It would be helpful if you label any special ingredients, e.g. gluten free, too. Each Friday, please send your child with \$1 for a cake if you wish (no Juicies this term). Your children should also bring a healthy lunch on Fridays. **Laura Townley** is our parent cake roster coordinator. Contact Laura 022 084 2606.



FESTIVAL NEWS Thanks to all the parents who attended last Friday's planning meeting. Positive progress was made! Stall holder forms and invitations have now gone out and spaces will fill up fast! We have team leaders assigned to most areas. Parents who do not yet have a festival job are invited to volunteer please, specifically in the areas highlighted below. Contact the school office to be added to the roster or to find out who to direct queries to. Team leaders will finalise rosters and times for their department.

Parking & Traffic Management	Entry gates	Café	Recycling stations	Washing up truck	Ice cream stall	Animal Tent / Cow Pat Bingo
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There are many parents already busy behind the scenes making bookings, asking for donations etc etc. If you have anything to offer to the silent auction (any goods, services and products that may attract bids) and/or treasure trove (quality second hand goods), please let us know!

Thank you to Marian who has created a Ngatimoti Festival 'event' on Facebook.

<https://www.facebook.com/share/ZXn2EcEftP6rZQ8q/>

If you "attend", share etc this is a good way to get more of the free advertising that comes with sharing. If you are able to help with the admin for the festival page and take some load off Marian, please contact her on 021 240 0416.

Plant Stall We would love 6 cell pots for the plant stall, specifically the square ones. If you have any lying around, please pop them to school. If you are at the Mariri recycling station or Mitre 10 both places have a bin where people drop unwanted plant pots for recycling or swapping. The Mitre 10 one is in the carpark near the main door and the recycling station one is between the bins for glass etc. If you are at either of these places, please check the fruit bins for 6 cells and grab them for school. Thanks in advance.

WELCOME to Ngatimoti School!
This week, Archie has joined us in Room One! Welcome Archie and family, we hope you all love it here in the valley!

TERM 3 PARENT BAKING ROSTER
9 August: Ianthe (Vincent) Lisa (Sahara, Nico)
16 August: Jacqui (Leah) Kate (Ella P)
23 August: Melissa (Amelia) Phoebe (Ella, Yuri)
30 August: Claire (Connor) DAFFODIL DAY Charlie (Lucy)
6 September: Nathalie (Rafael & Eleanor) River (Flint)
13 September: Jola (Piko) Briar (Kaidyn)
20 September: Amy (Eva) Barbara (Sam)
27 September: Emelie (Loke, Viggo) Laura (Thea, Maisey)

BIG COMMUNITY WEEDING EVENT!
11 August, 10am - 1pm
Park at Pokororo Hall, Motueka River West Bank Road

The MCC invites you to join us and others in the community to remove Old Man's Beard vines from native trees near Haycocks Bush. Kai and cuppa afterwards at Pokororo Hall.

For info and to register scan the QR code, email dana@motuekacatchment.org.nz or go to surveyMonkey.com/r/N3HBRKF

HEALTH ALERT:

We have reported cases of scabies at school. If your child develops an unusual rash, get them checked out at your GP. If they are otherwise well, they are only required to stay home for one day after beginning treatment.