



Te Miro School Panui

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WE ARE ...**CURIOUS CARING CREATIVE AND COURAGEOUS**



Te 2 o Hui-tanguru
2nd February 2024

2024
Tahi



Next week

Monday 5th February

Teacher Only Day

Tuesday 6th February

Waitangi Day



Wednesday, 7th - Friday, 9th February

Camp Raglan

A [permission form](#) has been sent out for all to fill in and is due back today.

Please make sure you have made payment before your child attends camp. New entrants attending for just the day visit on Wednesday, there will be no school on Thursday 8th, and Friday 9th of February. Information regarding camp and a gear list has been sent to you.

Contact Michaela if you haven't received it.

Coming Up

Tuesday 13th February

Guitar lessons start

If you would like your child to have guitar lessons (held during class time every Tuesday), please contact Crystal Campbell simonandcrystal@extra.co.nz 027 281 3956

Wednesday 14th February

Rata classroom information morning and afternoon

If you're a parent of a Rata classroom student, please join us either from 9:00 am to 9:30 am or from 3:15 pm to 3:45 pm to learn more about our plans for the Rata classroom in the upcoming year. Follow this [LINK](#) to let us know which session you will be attending.

Tumuaki Kōrero

Welcome to 2023! We hope that you have enjoyed a refreshing summer and managed to dodge those cyclones that came our way! We are excited to welcome you back for another wonderful year of learning, connection and fun at Te Miro School. Our team have loved seeing our learners back at school as we get the 2024 school year underway. This is a brief 'all you need to know for week two' newsletter. Our next newsletters will come out in week 4, 7, and 10.

Can't wait to see you all on camp. We have had an amazing response from parents wanting to come too. So look out Raglan..here we come!!

Thanks so much for your support so early in the year.
Ngā mihi nui, Your Te Miro Team



Information on how to access the Edge mobile app is [here](#). This [LINK](#) gives you information on how to navigate the app. Emails from staff sent via Edge will come from a no-reply email address. Please check your junk mail to make sure you don't miss anything. We're still collating and updating information so please be patient during this time of transition. We hope to have everything up and running by the 1st March.

Coming Up & Highlights

Thursday 15th February - 6pm

Community BBQ

Families and community members are welcome to arrive early for a refreshing swim under parental supervision. Following the swim, join us at 6 pm for a warm welcome and a brief overview of the upcoming year.

- Principals' Welcome - sharing of our Strategic Direction
- A word from the class kaiako (teachers)
- BoT - Janie will share a few words about the direction and hopes of our school
- PTA - Some information shared about how you can support your children



Afterwards, we will have a shared BBQ. Please bring a salad and/or dessert to share, something to sit on and your own plates and cutlery. Our Year 7 and 8 students will be in charge of the BBQ, offering yummy items available for purchase. All proceeds will be directed towards funding their exciting ski camp scheduled for later in the year.

Tuesday 20th February

Kowhai and Rimu Parent/Teacher goal setting meetings

2.30 pm - 6.30 pm

To book a time with your child's teacher, please click on this [LINK](#).



For all children who ride bikes and scooters at school, please wear closed in shoes.

Friday 1st March

Rural Schools Dooathlon

Held at Te Miro School for years 3-8.

Friday 15th March

Te Miro Summer Swimming Celebration

Friday 22nd March

Rural School Swimming Sports



WELCOME

We warmly welcome the following children, together with their families, into our Te Miro School community:

James Manion
Maverick Thompson
Archie and Lily Bruce
Veronica Chester Wallace
Saria Darlington
Lucy Rowdon (our lovely Rimu classroom teacher)

Sunday 24th March

Working Bee

Many hands make light work! We'd love all the support we can get painting the playground. 9am - 1pm.

Friday 29th March - 2nd April

Easter Break

Friday 5th April

Cambridge Interschool Swimming Sports

Friday 12th April

Last day of term 1

Monday 29th April

First day of term 2

REMINDER

Wide brimmed hats (no caps) are compulsory this term



This mornings mihi whakatau

Information

Before School

If you need to drop off earlier than **8.30am**, then please get in touch with the office to see if this can be arranged for you unless you have done so already. For all other children, please drop them off at school no earlier than 8.30am.

After School Care

Our After School Care Facilitator Lyn Hunt is available Monday - Fridays 3.15pm - 5.30pm. Please contact the office if you require care prior to the day. However, phone the school if you need to make a last minute booking and we'll see what we can do.



Te Miro School Parents Facebook Group

We have a parents' Facebook private group should you wish to join. It is a place for parents to connect, share and learn about what's going on behind the scenes at school. It is a private group for only school parents/caregivers so that we can ask questions, find lost belongings, get reminders on fundraisers & school activities and volunteer our help. Please click on the link to check it out, and join our school parent community.

Link: [Facebook Page](#)

Birthdays



A big happy birthday to the following students who have their birthdays in the months of January and February: Lily, Harper N, Iris, Leo L, James M, Ludo, Maverick, and Leo T.

Enrolling for 2024

Please pass on details of anybody you think may want to enroll for 2024. Feel free to share the below flyer.

Te Miro School provides quality education in a beautiful, warm, inviting rural setting. We provide children with a holistic approach to learning and welcome visits/enrolments at any time to our wonderful kura.

NO ZONE

We offer so much more than we can share here:

- An easy and personal transition for new entrants
- The junior class has play-based learning
- Structured literacy for learning reading and writing
- Quality year 7-8 programme includes Wilderness Camp and leadership opportunities
- Small class sizes with experienced teachers
- We know our students and provide learning opportunities that suit their individual needs
- Our outdoor Class weaves lessons from nature into learning
- We embrace our unique rural setting with Agricultural Day
- Camps every year
- Swimming pools with swimming lessons every day in term 1
- A well-resourced school including tennis courts, a library, a radio station, and 1 to 1 digital devices for years 4 and up
- Nestled within a community with an inclusive, family-friendly atmosphere

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Come and see our learning in action. When you see us, you'll know.

Playgroup

Te Miro Playgroup is attended once a week, on **Wednesdays starting at 9am** during term time only. Come and join our super friendly group of caregivers who regularly meet in the school library (Miro room) Check out their Facebook page for more information or to make contact. <https://www.facebook.com/TeMiroPlaygroup>




Newsletters

If you have anything you'd like to include in our newsletters please send them to office@temiro.school.nz

Information

Itinerate Music Lessons

We have a local music teacher, Chris Gale, who is teaching private itinerate music lessons at Te Miro School. Please contact Chris direct if you'd like to sign up for next year.



Music Lessons

Violin

Ukulele and guitar

Recorder

Piano

Singing for Music Theatre

Experienced friendly tutor Beginner to advanced
Exam preparation or just for fun
Individual lessons \$30 / half hour
Small groups possible by arrangement

Chris Gale
chris.gale.m@gmail.com 021 044 2854

Polo Shirt and Hat Purchase

Te Miro School shirts cost \$35 each and hats are \$25 each. Either pop into the office or email Jennie to place an order office@temiro.school.nz



Parent Help Request

Thank you to those parents who have already been in to help some of our children with their reading and other activities. We value the support of our community, parents, grandparents and others. Simply put your name on [this form](#) if you are able to help with either reading with children in the mornings, or in the library on Fridays.

Accounts

Any extracurricular costs or stationery accrued during the term will be added to your invoice that is sent out at the end of each month. This year we have separated out the cost of transport to various events throughout the year. This cost of \$25 has been added to your account.

FREE LIGHTBULBS



We still have **LED lightbulbs** that we'd love you to have. **Parents, please collect bulbs from the school office.**

Community Notices



A counselling free service for children here in Cambridge

If you feel that your child or a child you know needs someone to talk with, then let us know so we can make a referral or contact them directly. Cambridge is so lucky to have this not for profit service. Aroha nui.

<https://www.cambridgelifeskills.co.nz/>

Office Hours

Our office administrator Jennie is in the office Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday 8:30am-2pm. **Not Thursday.** Phone 8278146. Email office@temiro.school.nz

Community Notices



Waikato Water Polo is excited to present

Splash Polo

- Do you love being in the water?
- Do you enjoy making new friends?
- Do you like ball sports and want to try something in the water?
- Want to try something new?

Playing in the water is FUN and splash polo gives the players a great stepping stone to Water Polo.

Splash Polo is an easy way for all children to be active while trying something new.

It's a great sport for building water confidence, learning new ball skills, learning to swim and be safe around the water all while in a shallow pool.


The game is for primary aged children from Years 3 - 6

Splash Polo is a beginners version of water polo for young kids wanting to get in the pool and have some fun, learning new skills and making new friends.

SOUND LIKE FUN?

See your teacher now to register!

www.waikatowaterpolo.co.nz



Jnr Intro 2 Basketball

DETAILS

6 WEEK PROGRAM
MONDAY NIGHTS 5:15 - 6:30
@ CHS GYM

FIRST WEEK
MON 19TH FEBRUARY

LAST WEEK
MON 25TH MARCH

SKILLS AND GAMES, COME TRY THE SPORT OUT, AND IMPROVE YOUR SKILLS

SIGN UP
USE THE LINKS ON OUR FACEBOOK TO REGISTER

TERM 1 - YEARS 5

Te Miro Twister XC Mountain Bike Race

3rd March 2024

Choose from the below
2.5km Suitable for Littlies or Beginners
(2 or 4 Laps will finish after 45 minutes)
7km, 14km, 21km or 42kms (Approximately)
E-Bike Classes Available in 21 and 42kms

Plenty of Awesome Spot Prizes
Sausage Sizzle and Drinks for Sale
No Eftpos Available Please Bring Cash

For more information and course maps go to:
temiromtclub.co.nz

Any queries email: temiromtbevents@gmail.com
Registration opens 25th January
Click on the below link to register

<https://www.webscorer.com/register?pid=1&raceid=338828>



WAIKATO BOP SCHOOLS XC MTB CHAMPS 2024

Sponsored by Evans Doyle Accounts + Advisors

Track suitable for all abilities - Open from Year 5 - Year 13
Enter through your school by Tuesday 5th March
NEW FOR THIS YEAR - TEAM RELAYS

Thursday 14 March

Te Miro MTB Park

Please email
temiromtbevents@gmail.com
for any queries

Food and drink available - please bring cash



For more information, please read the Event Manual on the Te Miro MTB Club website

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