



Tena Koutou, Kia Orana, Talofa Lava, Malo e lelei
Greetings to our Parents and Caregivers

4 April 2025
Term 1, Week 9

PTA

Meeting on
9 May at 2.00 pm
Staff room. Planning for a
Mini Gala.

Board Meeting

To be held
9 May at 3.30pm.

Assembly

Students of the Week
Monday 7 April at 12pm.

Senior Cricket

A big thanks goes to our
dedicated team members,
Ezra Cooke and Christan
Cacatian.

Music Lessons

Practices continue with
Michelle.

Swimming Day

Wednesday 9 April

Teacher Only Day

Remember that these days,
we will be closed
3 June
28 October

2025 School Calendar

Term 1: ends 11 April
Term 2: 28 April - 27 June
Term 3: 14 July - 19 Sept
Term 4: 6 Oct - 18 Dec

Cargill School Soccer

Please make sure \$20 subs
and forms are returned and
the correct footwear, shorts
and shin pads are provided.

Basketball

Lea Solomon has
volunteered coaching for the
juniors. Please put your
name forward for coaching
the seniors.

Professional Development Days

You may have noticed the visitors arriving at our school in recent days. We have hosted several events where other schools and agencies have attended courses such as Trauma Informed Practices. As we are a "Kahui Ako" school who is part of a shared network of Tokoroa Schools, we also have gatherings for Attendance services, Raukawa and combined Tokoroa or Putaruru schools, secondary, including early child centres and Kahui Ako Principal meetings. We are honoured to open our door to the community and show the values of Ngākau Manaaki, caring and Whānau, in unity.

Trip to Rotorua

We are looking forward to a well deserved bus trip to Rotorua swimming pools and the nearby park on Wednesday 9 April, leaving at 9am. Your child/ren are expected to bring their togs, towel into a plastic bag, warm clothes, walking shoes with cut lunch, snacks, water bottle and jacket. We will purchase hot chips, swim and bus free. School care will still be available at 7.30 to 8.30 and 3.00 to 5.00. Please make sure children have suitable footwear.

Remedial Work

Recent construction work has been in operation and the need for repairs under our walkways. The layout of our school has flat roofing and under the "top hats" are eroding. As a precaution we have tested for asbestos and a plan to manage this has been put into place. Maintenance work has been carried out on the weekends and after school to minimise any risk to staff, children and families. If you would like to make enquiries about this work, please contact us.

Teacher Capabilities

Mrs Winter has been busy assessing work in structured literacy for the junior area and Whaea Donna is practising accelerating literacy. We work in specialised content to improve our teaching skills. We are also currently training in the mathematics curriculum.

Student of the Week Certificate Winners

Nga Puawai
Nevaeh-Lee Finnegan
For giving 100% to her work.

Ezra Waerea
For showing great improvement in his writing.

Ngākau Kaitiaki
Anwar Barlow-Tai
For school duties.

Ngākau Māhaki
Leo Wilson
For showing cooperation in class.

Star Attendance Award
Haeven, Anwar, Leo, Brady

Te Ngahere
Ezra Cooke
For improving his presentation and handwriting while formatting his numbers in mathematics.

Christopher Cline
For completing all learning tasks to a good standard.

Ngākau Mānaaki
Tempest Canwell-Barker
For always looking after her peers.

Ngākau Whānau (representing)
Congratulations to Christan Cacatian for scoring high runs.
Ezra Cooke for his dedication and showing up every week.