

Kia Ora (Maori/NZ), Hello (English), Bula (Fijian), Welkom (South African), Huān yíng (Chinese-Mandarin), Ayubowan, Vanakkam (Sri Lankan), Namaste (India), Bem-vindos (Brazil), Marhaba (Arabic), Hallo (Dutch), Choum Reap Sour (Cambodia), Geiá sou (Greek), Mbote, Jambo (Congolese), Konnichiwa (Japanese), Hola (Spanish), Annyeonghaseyo (South Korea) Israel Shalom (Hebrew)

TE TOTARA WHITE OR RED POLO SHIRT SURVEY

**** Uniform Survey closes tomorrow ****

Following feedback in past parent surveys, the Board of Trustees have undertaken to survey all families regarding the colour of the school polo shirt. All families are requested to complete the following survey to indicate their preference for either retaining the current white polo shirt or changing to a red polo shirt. Responses must be received by **3.00pm Friday 28th June, 2019**. If you have any problems completing the form please contact the School Office.

Please take the time to have your say as any change to the school uniform will affect all families.



Please click on the below blue link to complete the survey:

[Te Totara White OR Red Polo Shirt Uniform Survey](#)

Please Note:

- If there is a change to a red polo shirt, there will be a period in excess of 12 months whereby either the white polo shirt or the red polo shirt can be worn.
- The red polo shirt option, if it is adopted, would be the same or similar to the current red sports polo shirt without the school name on the back.
- The Board will make the change if there is a simple majority of responses received for the red polo shirt option. **It is important that the vote includes your Eldest Child's Last Name & First Name so that the vote is counted. ONE vote per family only.**

RHYTHM INTERACTIVE - THURSDAY 21ST JUNE, 2019

On Thursday, Johnny and Lucy from Rhythm Interactive came to Te Totara. They held three interactive sessions with all the children in the school. Each child was given a djembe drum to play. The theory behind their approach to music is, "if you can say it, you can play it". Johnny or Lucy would chant a phrase and the children would repeat it. This rhythmical pattern was then transferred

onto the drums so every child felt part of the musical "tribe"



BOARD OF TRUSTEES UPDATE

Our newly elected Board had their first meeting in June and were able to move quickly into their new roles, which are:

BOT Chairperson	Terry Singh
Deputy Chairperson	Iain Ings
Health & Safety	Iain Ings & Deron Sharma
Personnel	Terry Singh & Melissa Guyan
Finance	Mark McMorran
Policies & Procedures	Jo Stewart & Melissa Guyan
Priority Learners	Anne Fraser (Principal)

2019 Board of Trustee Meetings

The following dates have been set for the remainder of 2019. All meetings are held in the Administration building in the meeting room starting at 6.30pm.

Thursday 25th July
Thursday 29th August
Thursday 26th September
Thursday 31th October
Thursday 28th November

Board of Trustee Training

To support the Board in their roles, they will be undertaking a Governance Training Session next month, run by the School Trustees Association.

2019 FEES AVAILABLE TO PAY VIA KINDO NOW

This online system allows you to pay for our school's fees (**Mathletics, Aquatics, Voluntary School Donation, Lost Library Book Fees etc**) and is also the **ONLY** way to register/pay for your child for sports teams.



Miniball - Years 1&2, Years 3&4 and Years 5&6

Cut off date for registration is 3.00pm on Wednesday 3rd July, 2019

Kids for Kids Concert - Friday 2nd August, 2019 (selected students only)

Cut off date for registration is 3.00pm on Friday 26th July, 2019

Questions?

Register for Kindo using our App or through our School Website (*click on the link*) www.tetotara.school.nz then select the "Fees & Donations" tab.

If you need help, please pop in and see us at the School Office OR give us a call on (07) 853-0039 OR call the **Kindo Helpdesk on 0508 454636 (toll free)**

If access is denied, it is most likely that our school does not have your current email address recorded on your child's file. Please do not hesitate to contact the School Office on (07) 853-0039 to amend.

LOST PROPERTY ON DISPLAY

Weather permitting; we will endeavour to display all lost property items Thursday 4th July & Friday 5th July, 2019.

Please check out our lost property bin. The BIG YELLOW bin is located outside the Earth building; there are LOTS of polar fleeces! Please check to see if any items belong to your family as all unclaimed items (*other than school uniform*) will be donated to charity.



TE TOTARA SPORTS PLAYER OF THE DAY

If you are a Coach or Manager, please email the POD to celestem@tetotara.school.nz

NETBALL

Invaders Kayla Avery, Holly Wine
Magic Hayley Christensen
Meteors Savannah Bourne
Shooters Madison Creighton

MINIBALL

Lakers Devon Palmer

HOCKEY

Eagles Rosa Embling, Sasha McKay, Hayzen Stack, Sophie Weatherell
Hawks Edith Newman
Leopards Madelynne Cobby
Stormers Olivia Davey

SCHOOL ASSEMBLY

This week's assembly will be held on **Friday 28th June , 2019** in the Matariki Hall at 2.00pm.

This week our children from **Matawhero, Earth and Marama** will attend assembly.

This week our children from **Earth 36** will be sharing.



DATES COMING UP

Fri 28 June	Last Day for Spellathon Money to the PTA Box in the School Office
Fri 5 July	END OF TERM 2, School Finishes at 3.00pm
Mon 22 July	TERM 3 BEGINS AT 8.55AM
Fri 2 Aug	Kids for Kids Evening Concert at Claudelands Arena
7&8 Aug	Photolife Class & Individual Photos
Tues 13 Aug	Cross Country
Thurs 15 Aug	Cross Country Postponement Date
Wed 21 Aug	Learning Plan Discussions 2.15pm - 5.30pm - School Finishes at 2.00pm
Thurs 22 Aug	Learning Plan Discussions 2.15pm - 6.00pm - School Finishes at 2.00pm
Mon 2 Sept	Mid-Term Break - SCHOOL CLOSED
Mon 16 Sept	Photolife Cultural & Sports Photos
Tues 17 Sept	Cluster Winter Sports at Southwell School
Tues 24 Sept	PTA Art Exhibition
Fri 27 Sept	END OF TERM 3, School Finishes at 3.00pm

Ngā mihi,

Anne Fraser
Principal

TE TOTARA PTA NEWS

EMAIL: tetotara.pta@gmail.com www.facebook.com/TTPTA



PTA AGM : NEW APPOINTMENTS

The PTA AGM last night was a great success, with attendees getting an exclusive visit (hosted by our wonderful principal, Anne Fraser) to the new court cover. It really is an impressive structure, we are thrilled that all Te Totara students now, and in the years to come, will benefit from it.

Thanks to all those who attended, and special thanks to the people who have agreed to join the exec committee.

With Scott Mehrtens, Vicki Jordan and Raewyn Oliver stepping down as their children are nearing the end of their time here, we are very pleased to announce the new PTA committee:

Chairperson: Fiona Hurst
Deputy Chairperson: Moshe Malal
Treasurer: Rae Gunn
Secretary: Kerry Jurgensen
Communications: Shelley Bishop

Congratulations team, we are sure you will continue the fantastic work of the PTA! Remember: all parents and caregivers are members of the PTA. This is your school too, and the PTA welcomes all involvement where you can spare some time.

SUPERSTAR 'SPELL-A-THON'

Congratulations to all the awesome learners who have done their best at the Spell-a-thon – we are very proud of all of you!

Just a friendly reminder that all outstanding sponsorship forms and money are due TOMORROW please, to be eligible for the prize draw.



Simply place the forms in the green PTA box in the office. Thanks so much.

All funds raised will be going towards a cover over the new Matariki playground. We hope you and your families will support this fun initiative, thank you!

Please 'like' our Facebook page to ensure you keep in the news loop: www.facebook.com/TTPTA

Your outgoing PTA committee:
Scott, Fiona, Rae, Raewyn and Vicki

COMMUNITY NOTICES:

We are often asked to put Community Notices in our newsletter. Due to the large number of requests, we now have a "Community Notices" section on the notice board in the School Office, where you will find more information on the notices below. **Please note that this does not necessarily imply School endorsement of these notices.**

CHILL FACTOR
WINTER READING PROGRAMME FOR 5-12 YEAR OLDS

BEAT THE CHILL WITH A GOOD BOOK!

STARTS 1 JULY

THE MORE YOU **READ** THE MORE CHANCES YOU HAVE TO **WIN!**

**BOOK VOUCHERS
FAMILY PRIZE PACK:
MOVIE VOUCHERS, ZOO AND POOL PASSES!**

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TE OHOWAURI Ō KIRIKIRIRŌA

Hamilton City Council
Te Kaitiaki Take Kōwhiri

**It's School Holiday Time!!
8th to 19th July 2019**

**Check out our active and fun filled Holiday Programme at our four fantastic venues:
Hamilton Girls' High, Southwell, Te Totara, and Leamington Schools**

We are OSCAR/WINZ Approved

Programme and bookings www.kellysports.co.nz
Email: waikato@kellysports.co.nz
Phone Kim or Hine **07 839 9017**

Martial Arts – Te Totara – Matariki

Tuesday 6.00 - 7.00pm
Thursday 6.00 - 7.00pm

Suitable for ages 5 - 11

**ENROLLING NEW STUDENTS NOW
FIRST CLASS FREE**

Contact Marie
P or T 027 497 0499
E enquiries@tkma.co.nz

How to Register:

Send fill out and send registration form to Hillcrest Chapel by Post, email or just call.

DRW
Hillcrest Chapel
PO Box 11035
Hamilton 3251

drwhillcrest@gmail.com

Hillcrest Chapel - 07-856-4222
Donna - 021 965 006

Your registration is essential as numbers are limited.

**COURSE STARTS ON
TUESDAY 23rd JULY 2019**

7.30pm START
(for 6 consecutive Tuesday evenings)

Divorce Recovery Workshop

Hillcrest Chapel
corner of Masters Ave & Morris Rd

For more info on the next course we are running contact:
Hillcrest Chapel 07 856 4222
Donna 021 965 006
drwhillcrest@gmail.com
www.hillcrestchapel.org.nz

Divorce Recovery Workshop

- Are you separated or divorced?
- Suffering shock?
- Disbelief?
- Rejection, guilt, anger?
- Feeling alone?

You can 'go' through the experience or 'grow' through it.

CHAPEL HILL KINDERGARTEN

Chapel Hill Kindergarten is a local community kindergarten in Rototuna. We offer education, care and security in a stimulating and safe environment where children are encouraged to become independent and creative learners. We currently have spaces available for children from 2.5 years old. Please feel free to pop in for a visit at 2 Cate Road, or give us a call on 854 1295 for more information.



Ultimate interactive drum show for kids – School holidays

Jungle Jambo is the exciting interactive musical theatre experience for kids produced by John Boone from Rhythm Interactive. John has presented at 3 TEDx events and Jungle Jambo is his latest and biggest production to date.

Join Jambo on his journey to save the jungle and be part of his tribe (audience). A show filled with fun, laughter and lots of jungle drumming where each member in the tribe is given a drum to play along. An inspiring story which proves that together as one we're so much stronger.

Jungle Jambo is a story about a little monkey named Jambo who takes on the challenge to save the jungle by gathering a tribe and teaching his music. But who is Brutos? And what is he up to? Will Jambo succeed in saving the jungle?

Brilliant family entertainment suitable for kids aged 5 to 12 during these school holidays.

Herald Theatre Aotea Centre Auckland from July 16 to July 20 Tickets:

<https://www.aucklandlive.co.nz/show/jungle-jambo>

More info: www.junglejambo.com



Holiday programme - Kids Can Create!

Fun, skill-building and creative Visual Art classes for 5-12 year olds.

Monday 15th July. Love painting? Explore vibrant acrylic colours to create contemporary animal images on hard canvas.

Tuesday 16th July. Splatter painting! Create bright, textural gardens of colour through applying a technique called splatter. Loads of painting fun with sensational results.

Wednesday 17th July. Pastel magic! Explore blending cool and warm colours to create blended sunsets and nature wonder.

Contact – Liz Wills (Registered Teacher specialising in the Visual Arts) lizziewills.nz@gmail.com

Venue – Horsham Downs Hall. Times – 9.30 to 2.30pm.

(Pleased to accommodate working parents at no extra charge) Small Classes – Limited spaces available.

PARADE OF BANDS

As part of the NZ Brass Band Championships 10-14 July, 28 brass bands take to the street for the annual 'Parade of Bands'.

When: Friday 12 July, 12:30pm
Where: Hamilton CBD, Bryce St

This FREE family friendly event always attracts a large crowd so make sure you come to town early to claim your spot along the marching route!

For more details visit:
www.brasschamps2019.nz





ENERGIZED CROSS COUNTRY


3.30-4.30pm
Monday 29 July, 5, 12, 19 August 2019
Porritt Stadium

Suitable for ages 8-12 who are keen to be coached in running and racing for cross country
What to bring: shoes, drink bottle, light clothing

Coaching and Racing

For more info contact Dianne - dianner@sportwaikato.org.nz, 021 626 493
Register through Sport Waikato website - www.sportwaikato.org.nz and go to the date in the calendar. Limited to first 50 registrations

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ENERGIZED CROSS COUNTRY

3.30-4.30pm
Monday 29 July, 5, 12, 19 August 2019
Minogue Park – meet at Tui St entrance

Suitable for ages 8-12 who are keen to be coached in running and racing for cross country
What to bring: shoes, drink bottle, light clothing

Coaching and Racing

For more info contact Melissa - melissas@sportwaikato.org.nz, 021 907 984
Register through Sport Waikato website - www.sportwaikato.org.nz and go to the date in the calendar. Limited to first 50 registrations

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POLICE NEW NON EMERGENCY NUMBER

NZ Police recently launched a new non emergency number, 105. We've done this to make it easier to get hold of us in the event of non-urgent situations or 'Things which have Already Happened', which don't require Police assistance immediately.

You can call us on 105 for all non emergencies, or you can go online at 105.police.govt.nz to report things like:

- Lost property
- Theft for a public place or car
- Intentional property damage
- Or to get an update or add info to a previous report

In the event of an emergency, always call 111 - Things that are Happening Now.

Ngā mihi

New Zealand Police



KIDS SPEAK UP!

Kids won't speak out? Got raw energy? Hate school speeches?

AFTER SCHOOL CLASSES: Kids gain real life skills!

RING Roz 027 248 2888 www.speak4success.co.nz

HAMILTON CITY GYMNASTICS

WINTER HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

JULY 8TH - JULY 19TH

9AM-3PM \$36/DAY
BEFORE AND AFTER CARE AVAILABLE
SEE OUR WEBSITE FOR MORE INFO
ENROLMENTS NOW OPEN ONLINE

DAILY PROGRAMME: 9AM: WARM-UP, THEN OUT ON ALL THE EQUIPMENT 11AM: MORNING TEA 11:15AM: GROUP CHALLENGE / ACTIVITIES 12:30PM: LUNCH 1:15PM: ART / CRAFTS / ACTIVITY OF THE DAY 2:15PM: FUN GAMES IN THE GYM	MON 8 TH	MAKE YOUR OWN KEY RING	MON 15 TH	WINTER MOSAICS
	TUE 9 TH	POPOCICLE STICK CRAFTS	TUE 16 TH	MAKE YOUR OWN SPINNERS
	WED 10 TH	WOOLLY LETTERS	WED 17 TH	BRICK DAY!
	THU 11 TH	SNOW ART	THU 18 TH	ANIMAL ART
	FRI 12 TH	BOOK DAY!	FRI 19 TH	MOVIE DAY!

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 OFFICE@HAMCITYGYMSPORTS.CO.NZ PH: (07) 849 4546

AGES 5-13 Y

Young Engineers Term 3 Enrolments Now Open At Two Great Venues, Rototuna & Te Awamutu

e2 Young Engineers -Lego challenge and Gali-Lego are exciting programmes that will boost a student's mind in creative thinking and problem solving. Students will explore basic principles of Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths and get a practical experience building motorised Lego models. It's fun, its challenging, and it'll help them prepare for other educational pathways in science, physics or engineering!

Places are strictly limited. For more information please go to www.squiggle.org.nz or contact Katrina on : 027 909 3903 Email katrina@squiggle.org.nz

Squiggle Holiday Programme – 8th – 19th July 2019

Squiggle Holiday Programme is an OSCAR approved programme that is great for girls and boys ages 5-13 years old. We are based at Waikato Diocesan School in Chartwell and offer a huge variety of activities.

Our theme for this coming holiday is “Matariki” (the Māori name for the cluster of stars known as Pleiades) and we'll be learning about Matariki, baking Muffins and making mini pizzas, playing basketball and team games and of course Young Engineers will be a key feature in our programme. We'll be heading to the movies on Tuesday 16th July and we have a special Martial Arts Expert who will be coming to give the children a demonstration on self defence.

Enrolments are now open on www.squiggle.org.nz. If you have any queries, please contact Katrina on 0279093903 or katrina@squiggle.org.nz.

CHARLIE AND THE CHOCOLATE FACTORY



Artz on Show School Holiday Performing Arts Workshop

This is a fun yet educational week for students
aged 5 – 15 years

Students participate in a range of performing arts classes,
concluding the week with a performance!

15 - 19 July 2019, 9 am – 4 pm daily

Held at Southwell School

*View our website; www.artzonshow.co.nz
or contact Hayley on either
artz@artzonshow.co.nz or 09 294 7129*

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