

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)

### YEAR 6 LEAVERS – DESTINATION SCHOOL FOR 2021

Many of our Year 6 families have already enrolled at an Intermediate School/High School for 2020 and have received confirmation of acceptance.

It would be appreciated if you could advise your child's classroom teacher of your decision and whether or not you have received confirmation of their enrolment.

As you can imagine, these schools have a huge amount of applications to process and are keen to receive Enrolment Applications in advance.

If you haven't made a decision as yet, please also let the classroom teacher know.

### PHOTOLIFE GROUPS & CLUSTER SPORTS PHOTOS

#### Wednesday 16th September, 2020

Student Council

Cluster Swimming Team

Librarians

Kapa Haka

Staff Photo

Cluster Winter Sports

Year 6 Leavers

Cluster Cross Country Team

Library Shelf Monitors

Pasifika Group

Student Leaders



Students will need to look their best, so please ensure that the **correct school uniform ONLY is worn** and that it is in a clean and tidy condition (*black school shorts/skort, white or red polo shirt and red polar fleece*).

### SHOOT KEYS - PHOTOLIFE CLASS, INDIVIDUAL & SIBLING SCHOOL PHOTOS

The Shoot Keys have arrived and will come home today with details on how to order **INDIVIDUAL, SIBLING & CLASS** photos online.

If you do not have the internet or a computer, you can collect an Order Envelope from the School Office.

#### PLEASE NOTE:

**If your child had a Sibling Photo taken, you will have 2x Shoot Keys. One Shoot Key is for the Individual and Class photos and another Shoot Key is for the Sibling/Family photo.**

**The cut-off date for "Free Delivery" orders to the school is midnight on Sunday 4th October, 2020. Photos will be delivered to the school early in Term 4.**



### COLLECTING YUMMY STICKERS

Thanks for collecting Yummy stickers and the cut out labels.

The 'cut out' labels from the 2 kg bags of 'Yummy' apples or individual 'Yummy' apple stickers can be cashed in to go towards winning free DG Sport sports gear for our school. You can download a sticker chart: [Yummy Sticker Chart](#) and once it is all filled up, students can hand them to their classroom teachers.

**Could all sticker charts please be handed to Mrs Rochelle Lingard (Room 21) by Friday 18th September, 2020.**



## SENIOR SCHOOL PRODUCTION

# "TUT TUT"

## New Dates/Same Classes Performing:

**TUESDAY 22ND SEPTEMBER - 1.30PM & 6.30PM**

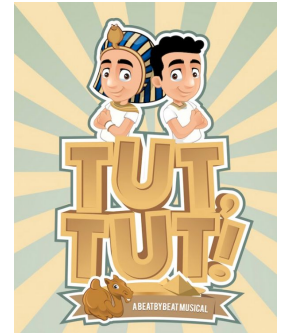
*Performances by: Marama 12&13, Milky Way 18, Ra 30&32 and Earth 38*

**WEDNESDAY 23RD SEPTEMBER - 1.30PM & 6.30PM**

*Performances by: Marama 15, Milky Way 19&20, Ra 33 and Earth 35&36*

**THURSDAY 24TH SEPTEMBER - 1.30PM & 6.30PM**

*Performances by: Marama 14&22, Milky Way 21&23, Ra 29 and Earth 34&37*



***TICKET SALES HAVE NOW CLOSED. Sorry, NO door sales on the night.***

The production performances dates have been moved back two weeks until Week 10 on the above dates. We hope that the extra two weeks might be enough time to allow for the change in Alert Level and the production to go ahead. The students and staff have done an amazing job of preparing the show, it will make for a spectacular live performance.

We will all keep our 'fingers crossed' for some good news soon on the Covid 19 Alert Levels. I will update you using our School App, Facebook page and Seesaw.

Thank you for your understanding in these challenging times.

**The classes would still perform in the same order and the tickets already sold would still be valid for that production date.**

*Tuesday 22nd September, 2020 - 1.30pm/Yellow ticket and 6.30pm/Orange ticket*

*Wednesday 23rd September, 2020 - 1.30pm/Red ticket and 6.30pm/Blue ticket*

*Thursday 24th September, 2020 - 1.30pm/Purple ticket and 6.30pm/Green ticket*

- Please remember to bring your ticket to the performance; this will confirm you have purchased a seat. Sorry, no ticket - no entry – there will be NO DOOR SALES. There will be no general reserved seating available for parents/families.
- **Doors open for Matinee Performances at 1.00pm / Evening Performances doors open at 6.00pm**
- The number on your ticket is NOT your seat number, seating is on a first-come-first-served basis.
- There will be an area allocated for wheelchair access and seating. If you require this service, please make sure you indicate this when purchasing your tickets through KINDO.
- **All Year 3, 4, 5 & 6 students are required to attend each of their own team performances. Students performing on the day/evening do not require a ticket.**
- For evening performances the Lead Characters (Narrators & Queen) are required to meet in the Staff Lounge at **5.30pm**.
- All other evening performance students are to arrive at **6.00pm** and go directly to their allocated classrooms to meet their teacher where they will be supervised.
- **All our students will have an opportunity to watch a dress rehearsal of the Senior School Production during school time so please do not buy your child who attends Te Totara a lunchtime performance ticket.**

*We look forward to welcoming you all to this very exciting event!*

## TE TOTARA PRIMARY SCHOOL BOARD OF TRUSTEES

As part of our Te Totara School Charter regarding the objective of 'Growing Whanau Community Engagement', the Board invites your feedback on our policies. The Te Totara Board of Trustees have reviewed and ratified the policies below at our last BOT Meeting:

- **Lockdown Policy**
- **Traumatic Incidents Procedure**
- **Complaints Policy**

*NOTE: All Te Totara Primary School Policies & Procedures are available for your information on our school website under the "Board of Trustees" red quick link tab from the home page.*

The Policy Sub-Committee of the Board of Trustees are currently in the process of developing a new policy titled:

- [DRAFT - Bullying Prevention & Response Policy](#) (click on the link, then click the draft policy)

This draft policy is based on 'best practice guidelines' from a Ministry of Education reference group and the School Trustees Association. We welcome parent feedback on the content of this draft policy. Please address your comments by email to Melissa Guyan at: [melissag@tetotara.school.nz](mailto:melissag@tetotara.school.nz) by Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> September, 2020.

*Melissa Guyan & Jo Stewart*  
Board of Trustees Policy Sub-committee

## THANK YOU TO OUR WONDERFUL SPORTS COACHES & MANAGERS

We would like to extend our thanks and appreciation to our wonderful parents who have given up their valuable time to Coach or Manage a sport over the last three terms.

Without your support, we wouldn't have our teams. Our Te Totara children are extremely lucky. *Thank you.*

We would also like to say congratulations to all teams for the successes that you have had this season. You have worn our school colours with pride, shown sportsmanship, teamwork, fair play, and most of all, had fun. *Well done.*



## OUT-OF-ZONE ENROLMENTS PERIOD FOR 2021

Enrolment at the school is governed by an enrolment scheme, details of which are available on our school website [www.tetotara.school.nz](http://www.tetotara.school.nz)

The Board has determined that [9 places for New Entrant \(Year 1\) students](#), whose 5th Birthday falls within the enrolment period of [17th December 2020 – 30th June 2021](#), are likely to be available to out-of-zone students. The exact number of places will depend on the number of applications received from students who live within the school's home zone.

There will be two 2021 out-of-zone enrolment periods:

The First enrolment period runs from 17th December 2020 – 30th June 2021

The Second enrolment period runs from 1st July 2021 – 16th December 2021

For students seeking enrolment within the first enrolment period of **17th December 2020 - 30th June 2021**, the deadline for receipt of out-of-zone applications is [3.00pm on Friday 25th September, 2020](#) and should be addressed to: *Te Totara Primary School, PO Box 28134, Hamilton 3256*

If the number of out-of-zone applications exceeds the number of places available, students will be selected by ballot supervised by a Justice of the Peace, a Practising Lawyer or a Police Officer in accordance with Section 11G (1) of the Education Act 1989.

If a ballot for out-of-zone is required, it will be held on **Friday 9th October, 2020**. Parents will be informed of the outcome by **Wednesday 14th October, 2020**.



# 2020 YEARBOOK

**ORDERS THROUGH KINDO ONLY**

\$20.00 Early Bird order

\$25.00 if ordered after 3.00pm Friday 2nd October.



Our wonderful school Yearbook is currently being put together, it's a great record of the years' learning and events and includes over 100 full colour pages. Children love reading the pages and do so for many years. Yearbook orders are placed through KINDO and close on **Friday 20th November, 2020 @ 3.00pm. Sorry, no late orders will be accepted.**

**Please note: If you have Grandparents or friends who wish to order their own copy of the Yearbook, this must be ordered through KINDO and combined with your family order.**



*Would you like to support a school in your community?*

*Would you like to advertise directly to the people that live in Rototuna?*

Te Totara Primary School is 11 years old and has a roll of 788 children and 572 families. It is located on Hector Drive, off Borman Road in Rototuna.

Every year we create a full-colour Yearbook, to capture forever the fun and learning at our school. We would love to include your local business in this year's publication.

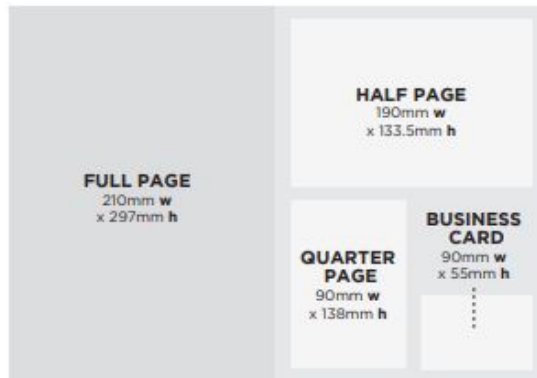
Our parents tell us that the Yearbook is often left on their coffee table for a good part of the year with other family members and friends pouring over it.

We want to make our Yearbook available to our community at an accessible price. Due to production cost increases, we depend on our local business support to make this happen. We also like to encourage our parent community to support your partnership with us so the advertising costs listed below include four weeks of promotion in our weekly school newsletter.



## ADVERTISING RATES

Back cover	\$1500
Inside front cover (whole page)	\$1200
Inside front cover (half page)	\$700
Whole page	\$1,000
Half page	\$600
Quarter page	\$300
Business Card size	\$150



**TO SUPPORT TE TOTARA SCHOOL, please contact Julia - juliam@tetotara.school.nz**

## WEETBIX TRYATHALON - SUNDAY 21ST FEBRUARY, 2021

Weetbix TRYathlon time again!

It is being held at the University of Waikato grounds and will be held in Hamilton on Sunday 21st February, 2020. Registrations open Tuesday 15th September.

Register online early to get the early bird price, and don't forget to scroll down on the registration form and click on our school name so that we can hopefully win the biggest school group again!

To register, go to [try.weetbix.co.nz](http://try.weetbix.co.nz) (click the link)

There is information there about doing the TRYathlon on your own or as part of a team.



## ROUND THE BRIDGES SUNDAY 5TH NOVEMBER, 2020 TE TOTARA TEAM

Every year thousands of runners and walkers descend upon Hamilton City Centre for one of NZ's oldest and most beloved annually contested events, Lugtons Round the Bridges! If your child is interested in participating in the school team you can register against our school name when you enter at [www.roundthebridges.co.nz](http://www.roundthebridges.co.nz) (click the link)

Important Information:

**Race Day:** Sunday 5th November, 2020

**Start Times:** 8:25am, 8:35am and 10:00am

**Location:** Hamilton City Council

**Reception Price:** \$6.00 - \$15.00 (depending on when you register)



## 2020 FEES & DONATION PAYABLE VIA KINDO

This online system allows you to pay for our school's fees

(Mathletics/Mathseeds, Aquatics, Voluntary School Donation, Lost

Library Book Fees etc) and is also the ONLY way to register/pay for your child for sports teams.

**kindo.**  
The online one stop school shop



- ~~WINTER SPORTS TOURNAMENT (CANCELLED)~~
- **TOUCH RUGBY - TERM 4**  
Cut-off 3.00pm on Friday 18th September, 2020
- **CRICKET - TERM 4 (All Year Levels)**  
Cut-off 3.00pm on Wednesday 23rd September, 2020
- **2020 YEARBOOK** Cut-off date 3.00pm on Friday 20th November, 2020
- **2020 SCHOOL CAMP** (Years 5&6) we currently have **\$2595.00** outstanding in camp payments.



Fees and Donations

**URGENT - all outstanding amounts to be paid via**

**KINDO under the "Fees & Donations icon"**

## SCHOOL ASSEMBLY

This week's assembly will be held on **Friday 11th September, 2020 in the Matariki Hall at 2.00pm.**

This week our children from our Marama team only will attend assembly and our children from Marama 13 & 15 will be sharing.

Sharing will begin promptly, please ensure you arrive through the main door and are seated by 2.00pm. Covid-19 tracing will be compulsory for any parents attending this assembly.

# TE TOTARA SPORTS PLAYER OF THE DAY

If you are a Coach or Manager, please email the POD to [celestem@tetotara.school.nz](mailto:celestem@tetotara.school.nz)

## HOCKEY

Stormers Savannah Bourne, Sasha Mckay

## NETBALL

Ferns Keira Tamatea

Invaders Savannah Bourne, Soné Pretorius



## DATES COMING UP

<del>Tues 15 Sept</del>	<del>Fairfield Cluster Winter Sports (CANCELLED)</del>
Wed 16 Sept	Photolife Cultural & Sports Photos
Wed 16 Sept	PTA Meeting @ 7.30pm in the Staff Lounge
Tues 22 Sept	Senior Production at 1.30pm & 6.30pm - Marama 12&13, Milky Way 18, Ra 30&32 and Earth 38
Wed 23 Sept	Senior Production at 1.30pm & 6.30pm - Marama 15, Milky Way 19&20, Ra 33 and Earth 35&36
Thurs 24 Sept	Senior Production at 1.30pm & 6.30pm - Marama 14&22, Milky Way 21&23, Ra 29 and Earth 34&37
Thurs 24 Sept	BOT Meeting @ 6.30pm
Fri 25 Sept	PTA Ice Block Day
Fri 25 Sept	<b>End of Term 3, 2020 @ 3.00pm</b>
Sat 10 Oct	2020 General Election Early Voting @ Te Totara Primary School 9AM-5PM
Mon 12 Oct	<b>Term 4 Begins @ 8.55am</b>
Sat 17 Oct	2020 General Election Voting @ Te Totara Primary School

Ngā mihi,

*Anne Fraser*  
Principal

## TE TOTARA PTA NEWS

EMAIL: [pta@tetotara.school.nz](mailto:pta@tetotara.school.nz) [www.facebook.com/TTPTA](http://www.facebook.com/TTPTA)

Please 'like' our Facebook page to ensure you keep in the news loop:

[www.facebook.com/TTPTA](http://www.facebook.com/TTPTA)



## ENTERTAINMENT MEMBERSHIP

An Entertainment Membership is a great way for you to save money doing the things you already love doing. They are packed with thousands of incredible savings across local dining, activities, travel and shopping experiences. Right now, you can help us raise an extra \$10.00 (on every Single City Membership) or \$20.00 (on every Multi City or 2 year Membership), on top of the 20% we already receive from every Membership purchased at [www.entbook.co.nz/15502m5](http://www.entbook.co.nz/15502m5) (click the link) This offer only applies to memberships purchased before **midnight Sunday 13th September, 2020.**

## UPCOMING EVENTS

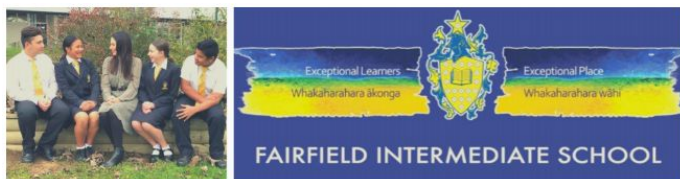
PTA Meeting Wednesday 16th September @ 7:30pm, in the School Staff Lounge  
Ice Block Day Friday 25th September - Anyone wanting to volunteer to help out, please contact the PTA via email: [pta@tetotara.school.nz](mailto:pta@tetotara.school.nz)

Your PTA committee: *Shelley, Julyan, Rilesh, Kerry, Kerri*



## 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.**



Open Day - 15 September  
9am - 2:30 pm  
Drop in anytime!





**It's School Holiday Time!!**  
**28 September to 9 October 2020**

Bring the kids along to have a fun filled time with our awesome staff. We have loads of fantastic activities planned.

**Hamilton Girls' High, Southwell & Te Totara Schools in Hamilton & St Peter's Catholic School in Cambridge.**

**We are OSCAR/WINZ Approved**



Programme and bookings [www.kellysports.co.nz](http://www.kellysports.co.nz)  
Email: [waikato@kellysports.co.nz](mailto:waikato@kellysports.co.nz)  
Phone Kim or Mark 07 839 9017

## ENROLMENTS AT RHS

Phone: (07) 854 0541 ext 290

[www.rhs.school.nz](http://www.rhs.school.nz)

**ROTOTUNA**  
HIGH SCHOOLS



**URGENT REMINDER:** If you are intending to enrol at Rototuna High Schools for 2021 please complete the online Enrolment Application urgently.

Students will be placed into classes soon and should parents/students want to request to be placed into a class with a friend, this option will only be offered for a limited time. Late Enrolments will not have this option. A link for this option will be provided in the enrolment acceptance email.

Please call or email Rototuna High School if you have any questions or need further information.

### LEARN TO DIVE WITH WAIKATO DIVING CLUB

Waikato Diving (Springboard and Platform) are running Learn to Dive sessions at WaterWorld commencing early Term 4 2020. We have spots available on Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday. Diving teaches fitness, water confidence and safety, learning to meet and conquer challenges, friendship and a team spirit without the team environment of some other sports. It is also an Olympic Sport. (for those planning ahead) Divers should be confident in water and ideally at least 6 years old. (Exceptions are possible). To register your interest or find out more information please email [waikato.diving.wv@gmail.com](mailto:waikato.diving.wv@gmail.com) or text / call Danny on 0276002201 (bookings are essential)



### 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!

5 - 9 October 2020, 9 am – 4 pm daily  
Held at Southwell School

View our website; [www.artzonshow.co.nz](http://www.artzonshow.co.nz)  
or contact Hayley on either  
[artz@artzonshow.co.nz](mailto:artz@artzonshow.co.nz) or 09 294 7129

**ARTZONSHOW**

**SPEAK 4  
SUCCESS**

## LEADERSHIP – School Holidays

CRUCIAL TRAINING: Conflict - Bullies - Depression - Stress - Life's Challenges ...

Dynamic Fun - Real life Learning: 28Sep-1 Oct; 18-21Jan 21; Ages 10+; Plus Certificate

RING Roz 027 248 2888 [roz@speak4success.co.nz](mailto:roz@speak4success.co.nz) Rave reviews from Kids!

HAMILTON CITY GYMNASTICS

# SEPT/OCT HOLIDAY PROGRAMME



AGES  
5-13  
YEARS

DAILY PROGRAMME ACTIVITY OF THE DAY 9AM to 3PM: \$36  
BEFORE AND AFTERCARE

9AM: WARM UP, THEN  
GYMNASTICS AND  
TRAMPOLINE TIME!

10:45AM MORNING TEA

11:00AM TEAM CHALLENGES &  
ACTIVITIES

12:30PM LUNCH BREAK

1:15PM ACTIVITY OF THE DAY

2:15PM GAMES IN THE GYM!

MONDAY 28<sup>TH</sup>

TUESDAY 29<sup>TH</sup>

WEDNESDAY 30<sup>TH</sup>

THURSDAY 1<sup>ST</sup>

FRIDAY 2<sup>ND</sup>

MONDAY 5<sup>TH</sup>

TUESDAY 6<sup>TH</sup>

WEDNESDAY 7<sup>TH</sup>

THURSDAY 8<sup>TH</sup>

FRIDAY 9<sup>TH</sup>

PAPER CHAIN ART

SLIME FUN

SILHOUETTE PAINTING

LOOM BAND CHALLENGE

MOVIE DAY 🎬

DIY DAFFODIL

GYMNAST PUPPETS

BLOSSOM CRAFT

BACK TO SCHOOL PENCILS

MOVIE DAY 🎬

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