



Tua Marina School

WEEK 7, TERM 3 -
01 SEPTEMBER 2023



Happy Fathers Day to all the dads,
father figures and male role models In
our community. We hope you have a
special day!

IMPORTANT DATES

08 September - Manuka
Assembly
13 September TMS Speech
Competition
22 September - Last Day of
Term 3 - Kowhai Assembly

09 October - Day 1 of Term
4, Technology Starts for
Seniors

10 October - PTA Meeting
3pm

11 October - Hui and Hangi

12 October - School Photos

13 October - TMS Pet Day

17th-20th October - Year
7/8 Camp

23 October - Labour day -
SCHOOL CLOSED

30 October - Marlborough
Anniversary Day - SCHOOL
CLOSED

31 October - PTA Meeting
3pm

19 November - Christmas
Fair

28 November - PTA
Meeting, 3pm

05-06 December - Pine
Valley, Whole School Camp

11 December- Year 8 Dinner

15 December - Last day of
Term 4

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TI KOUKA

Year 0 - 2 Caroline Abbott & Emily Morris

Kia ora Tī Kōuka whānau,

Welcome to spring! Now that the weather is warming - tamariki often warm up during the day and need lighter clothes (such as shorts and t-shirts) to change into. Please pack a light change of clothes for your child in case they need it.

We are holding our class speech competition on Monday 11 September at 2.15pm in Tī Kōuka. Everyone is welcome to come and support the tamariki as they recite their nursery rhymes or poems to the class.

Enjoy the weekend and have a lovely Father's Day on Sunday. We have made a little surprise for Dad's that will come home in book bags today.

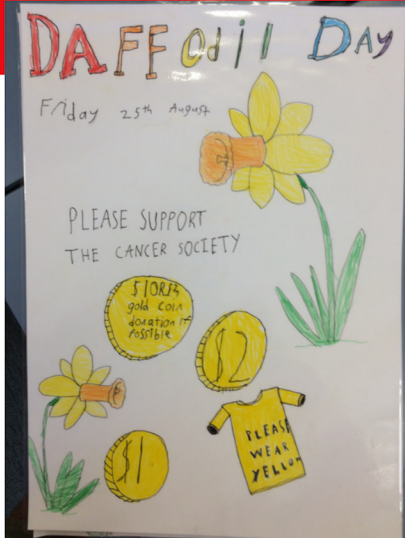
Ngā mihi, Caroline and Emily

MANUKA

Year 3 - 4 Sarah Kerr

Kia ora e te whānau,
Many thanks to Leah Waddington for stepping in the week. There are still lots of bugs about and I really appreciate the chance to not spread them any further! Hopefully we will have finished our blossom paintings today and can share them on Seesaw. we will do our spelling test on Monday and spend next week perfecting our speeches for the speech competition the following week.
Thank you George M, Logan and Jack for the Zip and Zap play today.
Leo would like to know if anyone is going to kiwi ranch this holidays?
Next week is also assembly for Manuka so I hope you can make time to join us.
Nga mihi, Sarah Kerr and Lorraine Regan





REWAREWA

Year 5 - 6 Julian Mason

Kia ora e te whānau,

The students received a great compliment from Whaea Sarah last week when their amazing Daffodil Day posters started appearing around the school. She had noticed the improvement in the visual language on display from previous work from the start of the year. Their use of space and colour to create effect is improving all of the time.

We used these skills this week to get a card ready for Sunday for an important male in their life. For most, this will be their father, but it is great to recognise that we have other positive male influences in our lives. It did uncover some cool memories, a lovely show of care and a surprising number of Dad jokes.

Have a great weekend - Julian



KOWHAI

Year 7 - 8 Aaron Harrison

Kia ora Whanau,

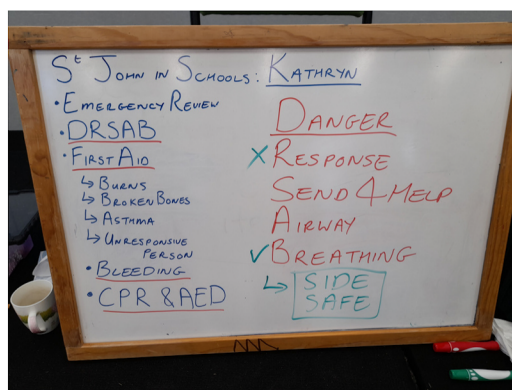
This week we had Kathryn from St Johns come and teach the kids first aid on Wednesday morning. A challenge was laid down by Kathryn that the kids had to go home and perform D.R.S.A.B.C on an adult bigger than them and then to take photo evidence to send to Mr H. Parents please ask your child what D.R.S.A.B.C stands for and get them to do it on you.

The kids really enjoyed practicing bandaging wounds, fixing burns, supporting someone with asthma, and keeping a person comfortable with a broken bone. Kathryn also showed the kids how to use the defibrillator....I saw a lot of eyes looking at me, thinking how good it would be to shock Mr H.

On Thursday the year 8 boys' had a morning visit to MBC. The college was very good at providing morning tea for the boys, which I think they enjoyed the most. Thank you to Victoria and Jen for providing transport to and from the college. This was a great trip and it really got the boys talking about what they can do in subjects next year. I think a lot of them really enjoy engineering where they saw year 12's building their own motorbikes. Pretty awesome.

We are doing our speech preparation in class at the moment. If at home you are able to give some time to let them practice their speech that would be really amazing. We have only a week to get them absolutely perfect, thank you in advance for your help.

You all have a great weekend- Mr H



Congratulations to our KiwiCan winners of the week!

- Ti Kouka Group 1 - Samuel Petersen
- Ti Kouka Group 2 - Finnian Waddington
- Manuka - Charlotte Palmer
- Rewarewa - Olive Barnett

Board of Trustees Elections

BoT Elections are coming up!
We have two board members up for re-election, if they wish to stand again.
Now is the time to think about if you would like to run to be a part of Tua Marina Schools Board of Trustees.

Enrollments - In & Out of Zone

Do you know anyone who wants their tamariki to attend our beautiful school in the next couple of years? Please have anyone who may be interested reach out to Amy to discuss. We are at that critical time where we are setting the structure and plan for 2024/2025, and knowing student numbers really helps to set the school up for success!

Ice Packs

If an icepack has somehow made it home with your tamariki, can you please return it to Amy or your child's teacher ASAP. Thank you!



Positive Relationships
Whakawhanaungatanga
Means working and playing in safe and thoughtful ways with others.

THE KIWI CAN CORNER

Positive Relationships / Whakawhanaungatanga
Leadership

We're moving on to learn more about leadership, and what role that plays in positive relationships. With our youngest Kiwi Can kids we're learning about what a good role model is, and how we can set a good example for others. Older tamariki are learning why it is important to make others feel included and supported when making decisions. Our senior students are exploring who we are as a leader.

Some conversation starters for this week:

- ★ Who is someone you think is a good leader? Why?
- ★ What does it mean to be a good role model?
- ★ How does a good role model behave in class? In the playground? When walking to and from school? In assembly?
- ★ Can you tell me about a time you had to demonstrate good leadership? What happened? What did you do?



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House Points

Whero	Kahurangi	Kakariki
458	440	557

Blenheim Roller Skating Club

Spring Disco

1st September 5-8pm

HIRE SKATES \$5
OWN SKATES \$2
HELMETS COMPULSORY

SHOP WITH TOASTIES AVAILABLE

Stephenson Street, Blenheim

Registrations can be found on the MBA Facebook page

Girls Got Game

A FREE BBNZ programme for Primary and Intermediate school age girls that provides a fun and friendly experience, in a supportive and non-competitive environment



Mini Ballers Year 3 & 4

Monday 25th September - 9am - 12pm

AND

Tuesday 26th September - 9am - 12pm

Pro Ballers Year 5 & 6

Monday 25th September - 1.15pm - 4.15pm

AND

Tuesday 26th September - 1.15pm - 4.15pm

All Stars Year 7 & 8

Friday 29th September - 9am to 4.30pm



This programme is being facilitated by MBA and Kaha Basketball Academy.

Registration information can be found on the MBA Facebook page

KIWI HOOPS



A BBNZ Junior Boys Basketball programme that provides fun and enjoyable learning and participation experiences for ages 7-13

MINI BALLERS YEAR 3 & 4

Wednesday 27th September

9am - 12pm

AND Thursday 27th September

9am - 12pm

PRO BALLERS YEAR 5 & 6

Wednesday 27th September

1.15pm - 4.15pm

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ALL STARS YEAR 7 & 8

Friday 28th September - 9am - 4.30pm

\$40 per player

This programme is facilitated by MBA and Kaha Basketball academy



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PTA / Christmas Fair Meetings

Kia Ora E Te Whānau,

Thank you, to everyone who has made their donation towards chocolate week, we could not do this without your support. If you have not been able to make your donation yet please bring it in as soon as you can.

Chocolate week continues next week!!! - 1 item per child

Please come along to a meeting held in the school library at 3.15pm every second Tuesday, the next meeting is on 13 September.
ALL ARE WELCOME!!

We have many areas we still need help with organising if any of these interest you please get in contact.

- Games
- Cafe
- Food
- Christmas Store
- White Elephant
- Christmas Crafts
- Baking
- Donations



White Elephant Donations

Please bring any white elephant donations to Amy in the office.
Please do not donate broken items, or electronics.

We will need the school community's support to help make this a success for our school
WE NEED YOUR HELP!!!!

If you would like to make contact for information or to register your help contact Abbey at
christmasfair@tuamarina.school.nz or 0211494974

Nga Mihi Nui,
Your Friendly PTA

