

## PRINCIPALS PAGE

**Tēnā koutou, tēnā koutou, tēnā koutou katoa,**

It has been another productive and fun fortnight at Tua Marina School. As you receive this newsletter the staff team will be making the most of the teacher only day as we put our heads together to ensure that Tua Marina School is on a cycle of continual improvement. A couple of themes that will run through the day will be defining what professional behaviours align with the school values of Whakaute-Respect, Takohanga-Responsibility, Whakapono-Integrity and Manaakitanga- Kindness. We will also spend a big part of the day working on our moderation systems and practices.

To introduce a bit of healthy competition into the year we are going to introduce a house system. We will be dividing the staff and students into three houses and throughout the year there will be a series of events and opportunities for students to earn points. We even have a trophy that will be presented to the winning house at the end of the year. The house system will introduce a bit of healthy and light hearted competition, along with some new leadership opportunities for our students. I look forward to keeping you all up to date with how the points are going.

Thank you to those parents who have adjusted their morning schedules to ensure that students are not dropped off at school before 8.30am. I would just like to reiterate that we are unable to provide supervision for students, other than the bus students, before 8.30am. If students are dropped off before 8.30am it is not safe for them or for the staff who are on-site.

Nga mihi nui,

Bradley

### IMPORTANT DATES

#### June 16th

Whanau Group  
visit Karaka Point

#### June 18th

Makomako visit  
Karaka point  
+  
**School Disco!**

#### June 21

Fundamentals  
week begins  
**Bring named Togs  
& Towel**

#### July 2nd

Matariki Breakfast  
at sunrise

#### July 9th

Term 2 Ends

#### July 26th

Term Begins

Tua Marina School Vision

"Working together to grow a healthy and happy community  
where every learner succeeds"

# Important Messages

## School Gates

All school gates need to be **closed** after each use - please do not wedge them open with rocks or other objects as this puts our smallest Tua Marina Whanau members in danger of getting out onto the carparks/roads unsupervised. We have hung signs on the gate to remind the children and Whanau to keep them closed. Your help with this matter is important and appreciated.



## Carpark and Parking

Please remember to reverse into a carpark when parking in the main gravel carpark. This ensures you drive straight out and keeps our tamariki safe and seen.

Please also make sure everyone is using the pathway behind the low barricade when walking the length of the carpark. This gives drivers the clear space they need to reverse into their park and children the clear path they need to walk safely through the gates.

## School App

The school app is now our main source of communication with our TMS Whanau. **Notices, permission slips, reminders, newsletters, and any other updates are all sent out via the app now.** We have noticed there are still a few parents who have not accessed the app as yet - please see Sarah B in the office if you need any help setting the app up. It is vital we are all using the app so that no child misses out on school activities.

Feedback on the app is always welcome. Any issues we hear about or encounter we send straight to our app consultant so that she can get the developers onto fixing them straight away. Please keep us posted as to how it's working or not working for you.



Tua Marina School

150<sup>th</sup>

25th  
September  
2021

Jubilee  
Celebrations

tuamarina150jubilee@yahoo.com

# STUDENTS OF WEEK 4



L-R Blake, Chase, Kate, Khloe, Jordan, Adam, Jadey, Josie, Sage, Eira, Forest & George

**CONGRATULATIONS!**


# STUDENTS OF WEEK 5



L-R Back Row - Reinhardt, Meika, Hamish, Arthur  
L-R Front Row - Liam, Quinn, Marguerite, Abby, Logan & Eli

***Ka pai hoki koe tamariki ma!***

# KIWI CAN CORNER




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### Resilience


This week in Kiwi Can our youngest tamariki will be practising simple *strategies* to help us with **problem solving**. Older Kiwi Can students are also going to be learning how to *make active changes* to overcome problems we may face.

Why not try out these conversation starters to carry on the learning at home:

- What's a problem *you* faced this week? How did you solve it? Can you imagine some *different ways* you could have handled it? What might have happened then?!
- If you get frustrated when you're trying to learn a new skill or activity, what are some things you can do to help?
- If you were stranded on an island with no supplies, what would you do to survive and get rescued? (Then, if you could have 3 things dropped in to help you, what 3 things would you choose and why?)
- If you could magically solve one problem where *you* live (in your neighbourhood or town) – what would you choose? Can you think of any ideas for helping solve that problem?

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## Resilience


### Taikaha

Means coping with challenges and bouncing back.

## KIWI CAN AWARD WINNERS WEEK 5

**Room 6 - Vincent, Room 5 - Cody, Room 4 - Addi** - For learning how to make active changes to solve our problems.

**Room 3 - Phoenix, Room 2 - Indiarna, Room 1 - Forest** - For learning simple ways to help us problem solve. (Green Zone, Deep Breaths, Calm the farm)




## THE KIWI CAN CORNER


### Resilience


We're going to be doing more work on *strategies* to help us with **problem solving** in Kiwi Can this week – before we move on to perseverance next week!

Have a chat about Kiwi Can at home:

- Is your child a junior? Ask about strategies they may have learned about in Kiwi Can recently to help them practice resilience when problem solving – including breathing techniques, using your “WITS” etc. Can they teach *you*?
- Is your child in middle school? Ask about “making active changes”. Can they tell you how used different strategies (like making active changes) in their paper plane competition last week or their tennis ball challenge this week!
- Ask senior students about their “cup challenge”. What did they have to do? Did they solve it straight away? If not, what did they try? If they did solve it straight away, did they help others – or give them a chance to problem solve it themselves? How do we decide when to step in, and when to let others persevere?
- Is solving problems in a group setting easier? Harder? A bit of both? Why?

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# NOTICES



## Tua Marina/Waikakaho Residents & Ratepayer Association Inc.

### Special Meeting

Monday 14<sup>th</sup> June 2021

At: 7 p.m.

Tua Marina Hall

Guest Speaker from the Trust  
To discuss The Marlborough Kaikoura Trail Trust wanting to put a cycle track through Tua Marina.

See you there



STAGE LAB Presents...

## Penny's Dragon

A fun and heart-warming musical theatre production for the whole family.  
Directed by Rose Platenkamp

Boathouse Theatre, Blenheim  
Friday 25th June 6.30 pm  
Saturday 26th June 11.30 am / 6.30 pm  
Sunday 27th June 11.30 am  
Tickets available from ASB Theatre  
asbtheatre.com



Please ask your children if they would like to join in the festival of hockey and let [julian@tuamarina.school.nz](mailto:julian@tuamarina.school.nz) know if they are interested.

## Rarangi Community Emergency Planning Workshop

If Rarangi was affected by an emergency....

- How would you get information?
- Who can help you?
- Who might need help?
- What can you do as a community?

You are invited to a workshop on Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> July 1:00-4:00pm at The Rarangi Community Centre.

Work with Marlborough Emergency Management (Civil Defence) and discover more about the hazards we face, share ideas about the resources and expertise we have and contribute to building a community plan.

Tea, coffee and biscuits will be provided.

The way that we manage in an emergency depends on community planning and preparedness. As part of this we're moving away from relying on establishing formal Civil Defence Centres and focussing instead on supporting communities to be better prepared to lead their own response and recovery. This a chance for you to have your input into your community emergency plan.

Help your community to be prepared and take care of itself in an emergency.

If you care – be there!

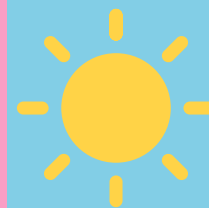
To register for the workshop or for more information contact:  
Glenys Scott (Rarangi CD) - [gms2@sayne.org](mailto:gms2@sayne.org); 0211862549  
Catherine Coates (MEM) - [Catherine.Coates@marlborough.govt.nz](mailto:Catherine.Coates@marlborough.govt.nz); 0275 731 996



## FESTIVAL OF HOCKEY

Tuesday July 6th 2021

It is a round robin tournament in which all schools get the opportunity to play each other!!



9am-2.30pm  
College turf  
6 Aside teams  
no coaches required, just someone to organise the teams.



Age groups

3-4

5-6

7-8

Anyone can join. not just hockey players!



Registration sheet attached. Please return to [office@hockeymarlborough.org.nz](mailto:office@hockeymarlborough.org.nz) by Friday June 18th