



# Super 6 Football

Learning for the future in a supportive environment



**Kia ora Koutou**

It has been a busy couple of weeks here at Tamatea



Intermediate! Twelve of our staff have signed up to complete our Level 2 Te Reo studies through EIT. Yesterday as part of the course we braved the cold weather to climb Te Mata Peak with our tutor Sahn Whiunui and learned about the mighty Rongokako and his whanau and how his stories relate to our Kura. The course also involves staying at a local marae and learning how to speak Te Reo.

**TEACHER ONLY DAY** A reminder that Teacher Only Day is **NEXT** Friday 1<sup>st</sup> June, so our students get an extra long Queens Birthday weekend while the staff are involved in Professional Development.

## ME<sup>2</sup> Visitors

Many thanks to our visitors from NZ Police and Tamatea Pharmacy who gave up their time to come and talk to our Year 8's as part of the ME<sup>2</sup> Programme on Tuesday.

*Che Lind, Kevin Marshall, John Gillon, Anja Mulden (from Tamatea Pharmacy), Mark Johnson.*



**FRONT PAGE PHOTOS:** Well done to our teams for giving it their all at the Super 6 Football Competition at Park Island last week. These Inter-Intermediate competitions are always exciting, we have rugby and netball Super 6 next month.

**CLASS / INDIVIDUAL PHOTOS** On photo day students were issued with an internet access key to enable all parents/whanau access to online viewing of the photographs and to allow online ordering after photo day for those that have not pre-ordered.

All students present were in class photographs and also photographed individually regardless of whether they have returned payment envelopes or not. **It is not compulsory to purchase your child's photograph!!**

Simply view it and don't place an order if you do not wish to.

Any further information you need please contact the photographers directly [www.lcscott.co.nz](http://www.lcscott.co.nz)  
[orders@lcscott.co.nz](mailto:orders@lcscott.co.nz)

# Debating



Over the past two weeks, Olivia, Tom, Jada, and Sarah, have been working hard with Miss Mcleod preparing for the Radio Kidnappers Talk the Talk Intermediate Schools' Debate Challenge. Last Tuesday we had our first debate and the moot was, "When Queen Elizabeth dies, New Zealand will become republic." This was challenging for all of us as we didn't know anything about this topic. But we pulled through and won our first ever debate. For our second debate the moot was "Online learning should replace teachers." We were all excited for this as it was a moot that we understood and felt confident about. Sadly we lost against the top team, but we improved our overall score by 10 points! We have one more heat before the quarter finals. We are hoping to be one of the top eight teams who make it through.

By Jada Henare



## NEWSPAPER PLEASE!!

The Art Room is in desperate need of newspaper!! If you have any to spare can you please drop it in to the Art Room or to the school office?

Many thanks to Maddy's Mum Jess for dropping in all the card for us to use! Fantastic!!



The Hastings Model Railway Club is mounting a "Train Show" in the St Andrew's Church Hall, Hastings, over the Queen's Birthday weekend. The 17 displays have been sourced from throughout the North Island and can be viewed from 10am to 4pm on Saturday 2 and Sunday 3 June and to encourage the public attractive prices of entry - \$5 adult and \$2 children - have been set. A broad range of attractive and working displays will be on view for your entertainment, appreciation and approval covering some of the best railway models of locomotives and rolling stock which are available, as well as skills in the building of these layouts. For the youngsters a chance to control a range of "Thomas the Tank Engine" trains will attract and for the older attendees a chance to see trains from many different scales and countries running and shunting and perhaps rekindle memories of their childhood days.

**Napier i-SITE Visitor Centre:** Locals' Day & i-SPY Fun Challenge is to be held on Queens Birthday weekend - Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> June. Get a team together and rediscover Napier following clues around the city, Marine Pde & Napier Hill. GREAT spot prizes, entry to win a major prize and fancy dress prizes to be won. Entry is \$5 per team which goes to support Save Our Kiwi Hawkes Bay. Face painting, bouncy adventure playground etc. Numbers are limited so register now. A registration form can be completed at Napier i-SITE or through facebook or [www.NapierNZ.com](http://www.NapierNZ.com)

**MATHEMATICAL MIND MOVER:** Today is Dreyah's photo day at school. She would like to sit for a photo with each of her friends Kiana, Angel, Hailey, Hannah and Olivia, separately to her class photo. Her friends think this is a great idea and also want a series of photos in which they are paired up with one friend in the group at a time.



If you were the photographer, how many photos would you take altogether for these friends?

Remember to include your name, room number and working out on your entry form. Good luck.

**DIGITAL CIRCUS** are not running a holiday programme in July but will start up again in the term three holidays.



Regards,  
Joanne Smith,

Principal

**ME<sup>2</sup> DAY OUT:** Year 8's please be organised over Queen's Birthday weekend for your day out on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup>. Have you got the right clothing/gear that you need?? What time do you have to be here? Where do you meet? The day out is the first day back after the long weekend!!



What's Happening?	
1 <sup>st</sup> June	Teacher Only Day no school
4 June	Queen's Birthday no school
5 June	ME <sup>2</sup> Day out for Year 8's
6 June	Super 6 Rugby
27 June	Reports go out
28 June	Super 6 Netball
2 <sup>nd</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> July	Student Led Conferences
6 July	Last Day of Term 2