

# Learning for the future in a supportive environment



TAMATEA Intermediate



Fun-a-thon!!



25 October 2018

## Kia ora Koutou

Welcome back to another jam packed and exciting term! Our Year 8's are busy preparing for their upcoming camp and transitions to High School. Our Year 7's are looking towards being the leaders of our school in 2019.

**PREP:** Our Primary Enterprise Programme was a huge success again with students enthusiastically working on fantastic products and providing great services! This culminated in a Market held at the end of term. Well done students and staff for your effort and hard work!

**FUNATHON:** Many thanks for your support in raising money for this major fundraiser. Funathon money is due in **tomorrow** please!!

**CAMP FEES:** A big thank you to Pub Charities who have made a contribution to our Year 8 camp costs. This has brought the final amount down to \$315. Mrs Polly is busy working on invoices to include any chocolate storm credits, these will be going out very soon.

## Merit Awards

A big congratulations to our Term Three Merit Award Recipients

Aaliyah Reihana, Alyse Marriner, Amaia Haa-Te Hau, Athena Pattison, Azlyn Jacobs, Berdealia Dornan, Charlize Mahia, Deacon Miller, Destiny Pakoti-Tipene, Drew Ashcroft, Dylan Wolland, Emily Manson, Fenella Davidson, Ford Rarere, George Turner, Hannah Suckling, India Pimm, Izayah Tapine, Jahbez Riley, Jake Houltham, James Leon, Jarvon Wells, Jorja Brown, Josh Pyott, Kaisha Ropitini, Kaleb King, Kiera Rehu, Kyra Payne, Lachlan Hemmings, Leo Dunn, Lexie Russell, Liberty Fowler, Liberty Miller, Maddi Trengrove, Maddy Zachan, Maddyson Sherwood, Madison Brown, Maia Kemp, Makayla Smith, Matthew Palmer, Michael Healey, Millie Young, Noah Simonsen, Penelope Fowler, Poppy Deery, Rain Karaitiana, Ryan Hurley, Sativa Scott, Tarra Malone Baldwin, Taylor-Jade Fill, Te Whaea Minhinnick, Theo Mara, Tui Tahu, Tyler Creagh, Wade Browne.

**IS YOUR SON ENROLLED AT NAPIER BOYS' HIGH SCHOOL FOR NEXT YEAR???**

**Please note this date change:**

NBHS course selection and uniforms will now be on Friday 9<sup>th</sup> November  
4-6pm at NBHS.

## Amazing Wearable Arts!

A huge Congratulations to **Georgia Brown** who won 1st place at the A & P Show for her Design, Make and Model entry. We are so proud of you!

### HATS HATS HATS HATS!!

Don't forget our navy blue bucket hats or caps are COMPULSORY this term and in term one. They are available at The Warehouse.

### CONGRATULATIONS to Khan Smith, Ryan

Hurley and Danielle Petersen who were selected for the under 14 HB Canoe Polo teams and competed in a tournament in Palmerston North over the school holidays. Good luck for your tournament this weekend!

### MATHS MIND MOVER:

Ashlen had to sell tickets for his amazing football team. He sold  $\frac{1}{4}$  of his tickets to his friends,  $\frac{3}{8}$  to his relatives and returned 30 tickets unsold. *How many tickets did he sell?*

Please remember to include your name and room number with your working out. Good Luck.



### ***Here is a wonderful piece of writing by Justinna Chheur in Room 6***

The rising sun is shining through the thick vast clouds, while strong vigorous wind brushes the faces of our mighty dragons, as they soar off into war, all while the morning threatens to take over the night.

The fearless, monstrous creatures wait on the bumpy, bone shattering, ragged hillside for their enemies to arrive, ready to attack. The dawning sun shines in their eyes making them look as if they were made of the finest, clearest, crystal in the world.

Vivid orange flames and clouds of acrid, foul smoke filled the sky as the ferocious dragons battled it out. Wings flapped, claws slashed, flesh was torn and skulls were smashed. Pools of blood scattered the rocky mountain. The once peaceful, beautiful hillside was now filled with ruckus and stained with the blood of its inhabitants.



As the sun began to set, the cruel war raged on as lively as ever. Roars of fury and cries of pain boomed throughout the twilight sky as night began to fall and take over the jagged landscape.

Whilst the dragons continued to fight the land struggled to hold. The fragile cliffside rumbled, shook and debris fell from the hill, the landscape beginning to give way. All the fighting and ruckus made by the dragons caused the entire side of the mountain to crumble to the ground dragging the dragons down with it.

The fearsome beasts struggle not to be dragged down with the falling rocks. They clawed at the rocks and flapped their mighty broad wings in a brave attempt to stay alive. But alas, it was no use. The dragons were dragged down with the cliffside and their lifeless bodies were buried under the smashed boulders. The dragons that managed to escape were too injured to survive. Thus the extinction of these magical species was brought upon them, by themselves.



# Parent Tips for Online Safety

## Privacy and Security Settings



It's important to teach kids the basics of how to protect themselves and their information online. Netsafe has put together some tips about privacy and security settings:

**1. Strong passwords.** A strong password helps protect the information in your on online profiles or accounts. Ideally passwords should be 15-20 characters long and should avoid things that someone could easily guess such as a pet name.

**2. Information to protect online.** Talk to your child about what kind of information they should protect online. Information that they should never share includes:- Login details and passwords

- Bank account details
  - Home address
  - Phone numbers
  - Birthdate
  - Personal information that could be used to guess security questions for online accounts
- You should also talk about personal details they could share online, such as where they are and the school they attend. This includes sharing their location – some apps allow you to share your current location with friends, or publicly.

For more information about keeping your children safe online visit [www.netsafe.org.nz](http://www.netsafe.org.nz)



### Napier Kindergarten Associations TAMATEA KINDERGARTEN 3 Norfolk Street Open Day Nau Mai Haere Mai

When: Saturday 27th October 2018

Time: Kindergartens open from 9.30–12.30 pm

We welcome all families to visit Tamatea Kindergarten.

Come and visit our Kindergarten's stunning environment, learn about education for children aged 2-5 years and receive a warm welcome from our 100% qualified teachers. We look forward to seeing you!



**SMASH ART ACADEMY:** Art classes for children on Saturdays for one hour at Turning Point Church Hall. For further info please contact [ruth@smashartacademy.co.nz](mailto:ruth@smashartacademy.co.nz)

**BRAINWAVE FREE SEMINAR:** Early Years Seminar. Monday 5<sup>th</sup> November. 5.30pm Te Awa School Hall, Te Awa Ave, Napier. Please contact John on 027 249 4375. [www.brainwave.org.nz](http://www.brainwave.org.nz)



Regards,  
Joanne  
Smith,  
Principal



Term Four Events....	
TOMORROW!!	FUNATHON MONEY DUE IN
12-16 November	Year 8 Camp
28 November	Year 7 Social (info at a later date)
29 November	Year 8 Social
4 December	Service Award Assembly 9.30am
6 December	Final Prize giving Assembly 9.30am
7 December	Road Patrol Reward Day at Splash Planet / Reports home
13 December	Last day of school <b>12.30 finish</b>
14 December	2 <sup>nd</sup> Hand Uniform Sale 9am-11am School Hall
28 Jan 2019	School office opens 9am-11am
Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> Feb	Year 8's start back (Yr 7 drop in day)
Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Year 7's begin