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responsibility Year 8 Trip to Balls Clearing RESPECT

Kia Ora

7 April 2016

Wow, the end of the term is nearly here with only one more week to go!! A big 'thank you' to our learners and staff for all the hard work and efforts over the term. I am sure you are all looking forward to the holidays. Our Interim Reports were emailed/sent home yesterday. If you have not received a Report please contact your child's teacher. We are holding our parent / caregiver conferences on Monday and Tuesday so make sure you email your request in as soon as possible so teachers can confirm times. Please note that School will finish at the slightly earlier time of 2.45pm both days to allow teachers to prepare for their first interview at 3.00 p.m.

We held our Year 8 Swimming Sports on Tuesday and Year 7's will be held tomorrow. A great opportunity for students to show off their swimming skills and take part in fun 'House Challenges'. Results will be in our next newsletter.

BALLS CLEARING: All of our Year 8 classes have been taking part in a Science Bush Study at Balls Clearing this week. Many thanks to the parents who have helped out, we couldn't provide these opportunities without your support.

SCHOOL LEADERS CEREMONY: We are thrilled to announce this year's House and Class Leaders (listed below). Congratulations to you all!! A Leader's Ceremony is being held tonight for these students as well as our Head Boy, Head Girl and Deputies: **Charlie Sanderson-Dollery, Makayla Purcell-Mainini, Noah Smith and Emma Webb.**

A big congratulations to our Class Leaders for 2016:

CLASS & HOUSE LEADERS

Room 1	Eden English	Tyler Andew
Room 2	Ella Cotter	Anaru Kopu-Neera
Room 3	Zoe Holland	Jack Turnbull
Room 4	Izyah Renata	Morgan Vincent
Room 5	Kiki Lind	Trent Hale
Room 7	Olivia Lee	Cameron Stevens
Room 17	Rosie Young	Harry Berryman

Room 6	Amelia Swann	Jackson Stone
Room 9	Aimee Marsh	Hayden Clark
Room 10	Tyler Bush	Jack Baxter
Room 11	Jasmine Hawthorne-Gray	Ethan Taylor
Room 12	Hayley Fulton	Teina Maxwell
Room 13	Amelia Stichbury	James McKinley-Blake
Room 16	Grace Packer	Jack Winiana

Kaweka	Ariki Keane-Webby	Samone Ebbitt
Ruahine	Mikayla Renata	Lily Gichard
Wakarara	Alex Jeffares	Chalee Whiunui
Huiarau	Ninabelle Harrison	Toby Thompson

FORUM KIDS: Jack Winiana (Rm 16) has been selected to write articles for Forum which is an online magazine written by and for children and youth. Jack will be a reporter conducting interviews and writing articles and stories based on these interviews. Jack has just finished an article on the Sea Walls murals for the Oceans Project and he has also just conducted an interview with an 8 year old girl in Ohio who saved \$1000 of her birthday money to give to the Government to help save Maui Dolphins.

Well done Jack we are proud of your achievements and look forward to reading your articles.

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NETBALL REPS

Amelia Swann and Mahina Ross made the Hawkes Bay Year 8 Rep Netball team which is a huge achievement - they trialled with 80 others throughout Hawkes Bay.



you've got mail!

Keep an eye out in your letterbox for your pink nomination form in the next few weeks! This will be sent out to all eligible voters. You can nominate another person to stand as a candidate or you can nominate yourself (make sure you sign both parts of the form)

Please drop your nomination forms into Fiona in the office or post them to us.

We would love you to consider standing on our Board of Trustees!! A copy of the Nomination Form will also be on our school website & spare

copies will be available from the School Office.

Please feel free to call Fiona/Roy in the Office if you have any questions about filling this position.

Please consider being a part of our Board



Board of Trustee Information

Here are some common questions people ask about being a school trustee.

WHAT IS A BOARD OF TRUSTEES?

The Board of Trustees is the team responsible for policy formulation and setting the direction for a school. Every state primary, intermediate and secondary school in NZ elects its own Board of Trustees.

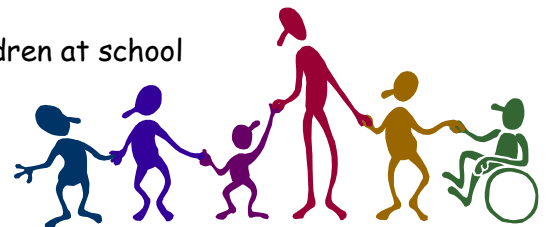
Tamatea Intermediate School Board of Trustees will consist of 5 people elected by parents on the school roll, a staff representative and the Principal.

HOW DO I BECOME A TRUSTEE?

Trustees (except the Principal, staff representative and co-opted members) are elected by parents on the school parent roll once every 3 years.

COULD I BE A TRUSTEE? Yes if you;

- ☺ Care about your child's education and the education of all children at school
- ☺ want to help make decisions for the school
- ☺ work as part of a team
- ☺ are willing to share your skills and experience
- ☺ have common sense



DO I HAVE TO HAVE PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS?

No, the only qualifications you need are an interest in providing children with the best education possible and a desire to make a contribution to the community. People with professional skills are an advantage but not always necessary.

HOW MUCH TIME WILL BEING A TRUSTEE TAKE UP?

Generally Boards meet once a month in the evening for about 2 hours. Tamatea Intermediate schedules 8 meetings throughout the year. These meetings are held on a weeknight - the current Board meet on a Monday or Tuesday evening from 7.00pm

TERM:

Three years

NAPIER LIBRARIES' AUTUMN SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAMME Napier libraries have a wide range of free kids' programmes taking place during the Autumn holidays including the Kids' Party Confidential! Show with comedian Sean Murphy, a children's entertainment workshop with Sean, stories and crafts for the younger kids, and a ghost story session for the bravest children. Go to <http://www.napierlibrary.co.nz/children/school-holidays/> for dates, times, age ranges, and more information, or pick up a flyer from the Napier or Taradale Library.

YMCA HOLIDAY PROGRAMME: 18-29 April. www.ymcahb.org.nz, phone 8783027 or text 027 204 8909. Also Camp Raukawa – exciting camp for 10-14 years 18th-22nd April.



APRIL FOOLS! Ms Smith announced last Friday that the first student to email her would get a platter of Brownies.

Well, not quite what the students were expecting – the prize was a platter of Brown E's!! Well done Ms Smith for your April Fools prank, everyone fell for it!

MATHEMATICAL MIND MOVER Max has red, blue, yellow and green shirts, and red, blue, brown and grey trousers. He plans to wear two different colours to a party. In how many ways can he dress? Remember to show your working out and include your name and room number with your entry, Mrs Polly will draw a winning entry before our Monday morning Assembly. Good luck!



Pinocchio!!

Napier Frivolity Minstrels present Pinocchio. Our very own **Andre Nicholls** from Rm 2 plays Cadwallader the Cat!! Well done Andre for getting this part, what a great achievement!. Andre has been rehearsing every Sunday and Thursday night since the start of the year and says this show has something for everyone to enjoy. It sounds like a fun performance to see during the school holidays:

Taradale High School 21st - 24th April

Thurs 21st April 7.30pm

Friday 22nd April 7.30pm

Saturday 23rd April 1.30pm & 7.30pm

Sunday 24th April 1.30pm.

Tickets available at Onekawa Books & Gifts, Onekawa Shops, Maadi Rd, Napier and DOOR SALES

\$15 Adults, \$10 Children

Drinks and lollies available.

COMING EVENTS COMING EVENTS COMING EVENTS	
8 April	Year 7 swimming sports / Balls Clearing trip for rooms 11, 13
11 April	Informal Parent Conferences
12 April	Informal Parent Conferences
15 April	Last day term one
2 May	First day term two
20 May	Board Nominations close NOON
25 May	School Photos (more info to come)

HB LAWN TENNIS & SQUASH CLUB Junior Squash Club Night Every Friday 5.30 – 8pm Primary/Intermediate aged 5.30-6.30. Rackets available, coaching available, kitchen open for dinner. Please wear non marking shoes, cost \$2. Friendly games, a sociable, fun any weather sport. Ph for more details: Mike Willis, 027 4526814 or Jess Dean 027 9260575

Regards,

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