

TIMARU CHRISTIAN SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Te Kura Karaitiana o Te Tihi o Maru

Week 8, Term 3, 2021

Kia ora koutou,

On Tuesday our school took part in the Maori Language moment at 12pm along with over 1,000,000 other New Zealanders in an attempt to have the most people speaking an endangered indigenous language at the same time. Teina Wha (T4) recited the first 3 lines of the Lord's Prayer in Te Reo for me. It sounded great!

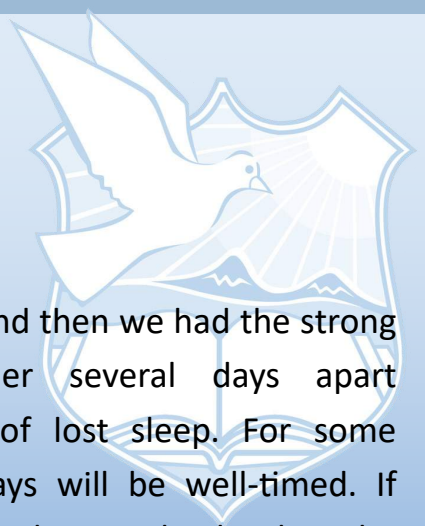
We have had some very tired people around school over the past week. Getting back into school under Level 2 is tiring after different

routines at home, and then we had the strong winds and thunder several days apart resulting in a lot of lost sleep. For some children, the holidays will be well-timed. If your child is finding things a bit hard at the moment, please let us know because children often try to hide it at school and then crash when they get home. We want to help them out anyway we can.

Ka manaaki te Atua ia koe me to whānau.

God bless you and your family.

Bethany Rentoul, Principal



School Gate Safety— Morning Drop Off



Keeping school entrances free from cars will make it safer for everyone. Park a short distance from the school and walk with your tamariki to school. Remember: the safest door opens to the footpath side.



IMPORTANT NOTICES

Lucky Book Club

As soon as Auckland moves to Alert Level 3, the team at the Scholastic warehouse can resume duties and start dispatching again.

Thank you for your patience in waiting for your orders.

TCS Prayer Group

We are blessed to have a committed team of parents who meet together each week to pray for our school. If you would like to join them, they meet in the Korero Room from 9am-9:30am on Thursday mornings. If you have a prayer request, let us know at the Office and we will be sure to pass it on.

**Done off-site
in Alert
Level 2**

Important Dates / Upcoming Events

- 24th Sept** - Teacher Only Day (School closed)
- 27th Sept** - South Canterbury Anniversary (School closed)
- 30th Sep**—Chapel at 2:30pm—if in Alert Level 1
- 1st Oct** - End of Term 3
- 18th Oct** - Start of Term 4
- 25th Oct** - Labour Day
- 28th Oct** - School Board Meeting 7pm
- 29th Oct** - School Photos
- 24th Nov** - Rural Schools Athletics (pp 26th Nov)
- 30th Nov** - SC Athletics
- 1st-3rd Dec** - Year 5-10 Camp at Raincliff
- 13th Dec** - Prizegiving
- 14th Dec** - Last day of Term 4

It's Te Wiki o te Reo Maori (Maori Language Week) – Do you want to learn with us?

| Greetings | Farewells |
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| <p>Hello - Kia Ora Tēnā koe - Hello (to one person) Tēnā koe e hoa - Hello Friend Tēnā kōrua - Hello (to two people) Tēnā koutou - Hello (to three or more people) Ata Marie - Good Morning Mōrena - Good morning Ahi Ahi Marie - Good Afternoon Haere Mai - Welcome Nau Mai - Welcome</p> | <p>Haere rā - Goodbye (to someone leaving) E noho rā - Goodbye (to someone staying) Ka kite anō - See you again Hei konā - See you later Pō Marie - Good night</p> |



Wai-iti Tennis Club

invites you to have a go at our Open days on Saturday the 18th and 25th September. We are a Tennis NZ registered club for Tennis Hot Shots. Juniors of all levels are welcome from 10:00 am-11:30 am. Assessments can be made regarding their Tennis level - beginner or competitive interclub. Drop in and have a go! Parents are welcome too!! We are located at West End Park - parking access off Maltby Avenue. Visit our website for more information regarding times and subs (www.sporty.co.nz/waiititennis) or phone/text Matt on 027 684 4071 or email





Waimataitai
25 Trafalgar Street, Waimataitai, school hall.

Holiday Programme

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| Full day HP. | 08:00 a.m.-06:00 p.m. | \$50.00 |
| School Day Hp. | 08:00 a.m.-03:00 p.m. | \$40.00 |
| Half Day (AM) HP. | 08:00 a.m.-01:00 p.m. | \$30.00 |
| Half Day (PM) HP. | 01:00 p.m.-06:00 p.m. | \$30.00 |
| Trip Day | 08:00 a.m.-06:00 p.m. | \$55.00 |

Human.

Mon 04 Oct



Pin cushion ladies . Clothes pegs kids . Spoon family . Brain skill games ..

Cooking ..Creatures.

Tue 05 Oct



Rice bubble creatures. Dried Fruit figures. Sweet insects ..

Trip ..Green space .

Wed 06 Oct



BEACH. prize dig . Adventure Play . Orienteering .

Mask .

Thu 07 Oct



Mask making . Rangoli patterns . Outdoor Play games .

Nature Awareness.

Fri 08 Oct



Clay trolls. Knots workshop . Shelter . Exploring nature .

Space.

Mon 11 Oct



Rockets and . building . Moon meltdown. Quiz games

Wind .

Tue 12 Oct



Kite . Movement GAMES. Pinwheels.

Wacky Wednesday.

Wed 13 Oct



Best wacky hair do . Say your name backwards . Upside down day.

Trip .Reserve .

Thu 14 Oct



Forest school day . Seek and explore.

Science .

Fri 15 Oct



All things science lets explore . SCHOOL IS BACK next week.

Please supply your child with a full lunch box each day. We supply snacks for afternoon tea. Play clothes please and strong shoes, plus a sunhat. Have you got your winz forms into Kim macdonald?
 For more information, call 0212899229 Or 0276011247
 or email waimataitai@skids.co.nz

Register now at www.skids.co.nz click on



MSD-Approved
Work & Income NZ OSCAR Subsidy available!

Are you feeling stressed or just need someone to talk to?
 Are you feeling down or a bit overwhelmed?
 Do you know someone who is feeling out-of-sorts or down?
 Whatever it is, we're here. **Free call or free text 1737** any time, 24 hours a day. You'll get to talk to (or text with) a trained counsellor or talk to a peer support worker. Our service is completely free.

Tips for helping kids learn

Want to know how you could support learning at home? Go to the @home tab on our school's website for some ideas.



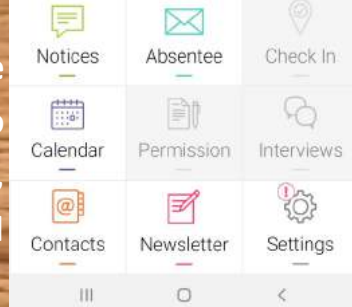
Get more focus and energy – eat breakfast

Breakfast improves concentration and memory, and gives kids energy.





Download the Skool Loop app free on your smartphone or tablet to communicate absences, receive notices and alerts, fill out permission forms, contact the school, and select interview times. A super simple app that will keep you informed.



Timaru Cricket Club

Taking JAB Registrations now



Get in touch via Facebook, email or text

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Melissa 0274699371



Tots to Teens is offering its magazine in a free digital version.

To check it out, go to:

<https://>

issue2109si.totstoteens.co.nz/

TCS Parents Coffee Group

Every morning

On hold

Friday our Ma-naakitanga

Team coffee the Wha-Come

till Alert

hosts a group in from 9am. along and

Level 1



Thought:

We teach our children how honest they can be with us based on how we react when they tell us things we don't want to hear.

Susan Stiffleman



School Family Businesses You Can Support



Health & Safety | Occupational Health | Human Resources

Compliance Partners

Compliance Partners delivers practical solutions that meet the requirements of current health and safety legislation and provides customised Health & Safety systems for your business which are easy to understand, use and implement.

We would like to assist Timaru Christian School parents to ensure their businesses are health and safety compliant.

We are offering all TCS parents a free 1-hour health and safety assessment of their business. Simply reference the school when you contact Marlene Battiss on 0272929716 or e-mail marlene@cp.org.nz.



Autotech Paint & Panel

Automotive panel and paint, Tyre fitting, general painting. Come and see Patrick and the boys at 50 Redruth Street Timaru for minor to major rust repairs, touch ups to full resprays, custom paint job, fiberglass repairs and fit body kits, painting small boats, insurance work, motor bikes. We are now doing trucks, buses and campers. 03 688 6488 / autotechpnp@yahoo.co.nz

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