



TE KURA TAKAWAENGA O ŌTĀTĀRĀ TARADALE INTERMEDIATE

PRINCIPAL'S COMMENT

Nga mihi mahana ki a koutou katoa (Warm greetings to you all)

We've had a busy couple of weeks at Taradale Intermediate School with the Leaders Camp and Showquest being particular highlights. Our student leaders made us very proud on their trip to Auckland earlier this week. Their willingness and ability to engage with the leaders from Northcross Intermediate, Ilminster Intermediate and Taupo Intermediate to solve problems and meet challenges was great to see.

This morning our Showquest group departed for Palmerston North where we know they will perform with distinction.



The data from our relationship survey is in and shows us that lots of our students are 'strength spotting' other students (that's where they say things like "Wow, you're good at maths") and 79.5% of our students have not been bullied in any form at school or on the way to or from school. Of the 20.5% of students who have experienced some sort of bullying 75% is infrequent and most bullying is teasing and name calling. We need to impress upon our young people the harmful impact of teasing and name calling. Lots (45%) of the bullying behaviour occurs outside of school or on line.

Respect for self, others & the environment are our school values, and bullying is a disrespectful behaviour. If things are not going well or students need to share something privately, or someone is bothering them please email ineedhelp@taradaleint.school.nz (this is confidential) or

- Talking to your classroom teacher
- Talking to the duty teacher
- Tell a friend or trusted adult

We can't help if we dont know!

Anjela Webster, one of Netsafe's education advisors will be with us on the 9th and 10th June to talk with our students about how to look after themselves on line. There will be a parent meeting on the 9th June so circle that date on your calendar.

Rex Wilson Principal Taradale Intermediate School Te Kura Takawaenga o Ōtātara



NOTICES

LATE START FRIDAYS

We have been receiving comments and complaints from the community about our learners on Friday mornings before school starts. Students who are in Taradale at this time, or indeed at any time, need to remain respectful towards others. Complaints have included biking on the footpath, biking unsafely, and congregating in large groups in front of businesses.

We do have an early bird group which meets in the library for learners who need to be at school at the normal time. If you would like your child to attend this group, please send an email to admin@taradaleint.school.nz

SNIFFLES AND COVID

With winter approaching, many learners are displaying mild flu symptoms. We are having to balance making sure learners do not miss too much school with COVID protections. If your child is displaying MILD flu symptoms, and under normal circumstances you would not keep them home, you may send them in as long as they have a negative RAT. We do have RATs available at school if you cannot source your own.

SCOOTERS

Once again we have a collection of scooters that have been left at school. If your child is missing a scooter it may be here. If they can describe their scooter or if it has been named they can retrieve this scooter from school.

UNIFORM

We have been informed by our uniform supplier, Argyle, that there will be a price increase effective from July 1st, of 4.7%.



IMPORTANT DATES

June

Monday 6th

Queens Birthday (School Closed)

Tuesday 7th

Teacher Only Day (School Closed)

Wednesday 8th

Cross Country

Tuesday 21st

School Matariki Celebration (evening)

Friday 24th

Matariki (School Closed)

CELEBRATING SUCCESS

HAWKES BAY MARATHON

Our terrific Takitimu teachers tackled the Hawkes Bay marathon, bravely beating their goal of completing it within three and a half hours.



ORIENTEERING





TIS had three orienteers take part in last weekend's HB Long Champs.

Febe, Keegan and Maisie all completed the challenging rural course with no mispunches! These "cunning runners" all placed in the top eleven Yr 7/8 orienteers in HB. Special congratulations to Febe who completed the course in our school's fastest time of 40 minutes 26 seconds. Bring on the Sprint Champ races later in the term!

PB4L

Cultural responsiveness is key to creating learning communities of mutual respect and inclusion.

Using a culturally responsive process within Restorative Practice can include:



- Considering how the PB4L RP process align with the cultural traditions of those involved.
- Acknowledging the tikanga/kawa of the local iwi (those with mana whenua status) and those involved in an RP conversation, circle or conference.
- Incorporating cultural and religious practices, such as mihimihi, karakia, or readings.
- Choosing an appropriate venue (for example, a marae, wharenui, church, or community centre).
- Involving significant people (such as ministers of religion, elders, kaumatua, Pasifika community leaders, sports coaches) in the preparation, participation, and follow-up phases.
- Giving all those involved a full and clear explanation of the process, the rationale behind it, and the expectations from the meeting.
- Ensuring that facilitators are able to work cross-culturally and have mana and respect in the eyes of the participants.

In a nutshell, to be culturally responsive is to listen attentively, question curiously, and presume nothing.

SUPER 6 FOOTBALL

On Thursday May 12th, TIS competed in the Super 6 Football tournament at Park Island. Both the boys and girls played 4 games – vs Tamatea, Hastings, Heretaunga and Havelock North Intermediate. Unfortunately, Napier Intermediate was unable to attend this year.

The girls were unbeaten across their games – with 12 goals scored and 0 conceded. The boys won three games and lost one against Havelock North Intermediate. The boys scored 7 goals and conceded one.

Our girls won their division and our boys placed second in theirs. Taradale Intermediate





won the shield overall. Our boys and girls were amazing – a fantastic bunch of learners to take out of school.

A huge thanks to Chris Shakeshaft and Kellie Fulton for their coaching and all the parents and grandparent supporters.

UNDER 48KG RUGBY TOURNAMENT

These boys represented Taradale Intermediate in Gisborne on Friday May 13th at the annual Lightweight under48kg tournament hosted by Gisborne Intermediate.

The team had a bye first up then had to play 6 games in a row with roughly a 10min break between each game. They represented T.I.S excellently displaying great Character throughout the day.

We ended up coming 7th out of 10 teams.

Congratulations to Rhys Greville who ended up receiving the player of the Tournament for the T.I.S team.



PAUSE BREATH SMILE

SIX CORE MINDFULNESS PRACTICES OF PAUSE BREATHE SMILE

Last newsletter we explored the first three of the six Core Mindfulness Practices of the Pause Breathe Smile programme. Following on, listed below are the final three practices.

- 4. Te Whare Tapa Wha: Increasing self-awareness and understanding of interconnectedness, using an Aotearoa-specific tool for review.
- 5. Mindful Eating: Learning how to bring our attention fully into the present moment and experience it directly with kindness and curiosity.
- 6. Gratitude: Developing "peace-inside happiness" and helping us notice things that are going well instead of fixating on what is not going so well.

SCIENCE SPECIALIST ROTATION

During our Science Specialist rotations learners have been investigating "heat transfer" through conduction, convection and radiation. We have also been exploring some simple Rongoā – Maori Medicine. Learners have been to Dolbel Reserve to identify some NZ native plants and trees that are used for simple medicines. In connection with this they experienced some biotechnology and made Kawakawa balm.









NETBALL

The netball season has kicked off with 111 Taradale Intermediate learners competing in 11 teams at both the Onekawa Courts and the Hawkes Bay Sport Park. The first night involved teams playing three grading games before round one of the competition starts on Wednesday. It was great to see a high level of sportsmanship and skill on display! Special congratulations to those players who earned player of the day. We are always on the hunt for umpires so If you are able to help out, please email Nikki Wilson at nikkiw@taradaleint.school.nz









WHĀNAUKURA PATU

These learners have been selected by their Whānaukura as their shining star! We would like to recognise their success and share this with our TIS community. The Whānaukura Shining Stars are awarded their Whānaukura Patu at our Communications Assembly and get to take the Patu to their rooms until it is awarded again.

Kia Kaha everyone. Keep up the great work!

KAWEKA LINCOLN

TĀKITIMU **RILEY**

This week's whānaukura patu recipient is Lincoln. Lincoln is an absolute asset to Room 21. He is a curious learner. especially when it comes to maths, as he enjoys working through challenging word problems. Lincoln does not give up easily on any task and he pushes himself to achieve at a high standard. Lincoln has a positive and enthusiastic work ethic and I can always rely on him to support and encourage his peers. Nga

mihi kia koe mo to mahi

pakeke.

for your hard work Lincoln.

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Riley is a year 7 student in room 12. She has joined Taradale Intermediate with a positive and enthusiastic attitude. Riley has a love of learning which is demonstrated through her focus in class. I admire Riley for the way she approaches new learning and is ready to take on any challenge. She has taken up opportunities TIS has to offer and has become a great class librarian. Throughout our recent inquiry, Riley has been able to work effectively in a team and show good communication skills. Riley is a role model for our 4Cs and you often see her helping others in class. Riley demonstrates persistence, fairness, and forgiveness. Three outstanding character strengths that make her a humble and kind member of room 12. Takitimu is so lucky to have a student like you Riley, ka

> pai on a fantastic start to the year! I can't wait to see what else you achieve in 2022.



Mohaka Whanaukura Shining Star awarded to Jamaelin Edmonds. Jamaelin demonstrates capability through her deep thinking and reflective comments. She will challenge ideas if they do not

model for her peers, and she exemplifies the 4 Cs in all of her interactions with others. She is kind, calm and caring.

Emma has a can-do attitude that never switches off. She is always willing to volunteer to help, whether it be for her peers, her teachers, for her whānaukura or our kura. Emma can always be relied on - she has stepped in at a moment's notice to lead assemblies, assist auest teachers, help with admin, and organise teams.

Anyone who knows Emma will agree that she is an allround awesome learner! Thanks for being you, Emma.

'He taonga rongonui, Te aroha ki te tangata'

Kindness towards people is a great treasure

sit comfortably with her, and will offer a fresh perspective in a respectful way. She is a curious and capable learner who is organised with an enthusiastic approach to learning.

She is great at acknowledging the positive things in other people. She is honest and accurate when giving feedback to her peers, and people go away feeling good about what they have done and with something to work on.

Jamaelin is an awesome TIS character. She has a calm and can-do attitude and does not sweat the small stuff. She is an upstanding student who makes the right choices with a brilliant attitude.

Room 9 love sharing a class with Jamaelin and Mohaka are pleased that she is in our team. Tīrama tonu, continue shining Jamaelin.

COMMUNITY NOTICES



Local Businesses we need you! Are you interested in helping grow the future STEM workforce in this community? We are a House of Science member school and this charity is offering a great opportunity that will help every child in this region. For \$3,000 a year you can 'Adopt' a House of Science resource kit, giving our local primary and intermediate schools the tools to deliver engaging hands-on science lessons

But wait, there's more: every new kit sponsor who signs up before 17 June 2022 gets to nominate a school which will receive a digital microscope to keep, and will go into the draw to win one of seven \$100 packs of Cookie Time goodies. Our teachers and students would LOVE a digital microscope! The kit sponsor also gets to put their logo on the outside of the kit, acknowledging their commitment to supporting the local community. Each kit reaches 1,000-2,000 students a year, so this is a great investment.

Contact the House of Science head office today on 0508 468 724 or email info@ houseofscience.nz (Note: sponsorship is tax deductible as HoS is a registered charity). To find out more about House of Science, see https://houseofscience.nz.



Burlington Marching



We are looking for new Members to join our teams.

Any School aged girls

Welcome to come have a try NO experience is needed.

Just bring your smiling face!

CONTACT US TODAY Jennie MacDonald 027 2837661

Kellie Fulton 021 2706070

web page at Sporty www.sporty.co.nz/burlington

And a Group face book Page
Burlington Marching Team

Open Session Sunday 2pm till 4pm Henry Hill School Hall - 29th May



CAPE SANCTUARY

Family Planting Day Information 2022



We would like to invite you to a family planting day at Cape Sanctuary! We are trying to get 55,000 trees in the ground this planting season, so we need your help to create our future forests!

Habitat restoration is a key part of the mahi here at the sanctuary. Native forest not only creates habitat for our endangered taonga species that we have brought back into the sanctuary, but also reduces erosion and is one of the best tools we have to fight climate change. Tree planting may be inside the predator-proof fence or be creating wildlife corridors in the buffer zones.

All ages are invited, however depending on the planting site we will be in the field planting for up to four hours so if you have limited mobility or young children please note this in your RSVP. Please check the accompanying email for the direction to the planting site, and any extra information you need to know for the day.



Date: May 28th 2022, 8.30am—12.30pm (then BBQ!)
Location: Ocean Beach Revegetation Zone, see map
Please RSVP to 0275489566 or email
__volunteer@capesanctuary.co.nz

What to bring:

- Enclosed, grippy shoes (preferably work boots or gumboots)
- Weather protective clothing— prep for sun or rain! i.e. a wide brimmed hat, sunblock, rainjacket, thermals, insect repellant
- If you have a 4wd capable vehicle this is always helpful, but not required
- Own planting spade and gardening gloves
- Own antihistamines/epipen if you have field related allergies (Bees, Wasps, grass etc)
- Own water bottle—bring a large one as planting is hard work!
- Snacks/lunch (if these are provided we will let you know)

