

Kia ora Parents, Whānau and Caregivers,

Term 3, Week 9

As the term draws to a close, we can reflect on many successes as a school. It has been wonderful to see teaching best practice in our classrooms, with formative assessment methodology being a big focus. This involves making sure students know what they are learning, what they need to do to be successful, and how they can reflect on where they are at and identify their next learning steps.

Our current Roadmap is called Kohinga Putea. Learning in this Roadmap involves developing an understanding of earning, spending and saving. Students will also learn how financial decisions impact individuals, businesses and society.

Student Led Conferences

Student Led Conferences will take place in class on Wednesday 13th of September from 3:30pm-6pm, and Thursday 14th from 8.00am-7:00pm.

The purpose of the Student Led Conference is:

- For your child to share their learning
- To celebrate their success
- Set goals for Term 4

School Closed on Monday

A reminder that on Monday school will be closed. Our full staff along with 1500 other educators, will be attending the launch of Te Tai Whānaki, our new Tauranga Moana localised curriculum.

BOP Regional Science Fair

Many thanks to parents who have supported our students with the science fair. Our students made the school proud while competing in Rotorua.

	- 1	2023 BOP Regional Science	Fair Results	
Student	Room	Display Title	BOP Regional Science Fair Awards	
Maebh Manning	2	Magic Milk	3rd Intermediate Science Scion Award (Circular Economy) Altrusa Award (Female scientific Endeavour)	
Kiriana Schwede-Goad	4	Micro-plastics in Tuatuas	2nd Intermediate Science Port of Tauranga (Environmental)	
Ella Dolman	4	Is fresh really the best?	Highly Commended Intermediate Science	
Tom Mason	2	Lure Lock	1st Intermediate Technology	
Zoe Omundsen	3	The garden Teapot	High Commended Intermediate Technology Balance Agri-Nutrients (Sustainable Agriculture)	



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Zespri AIMS Games

Tauranga Intermediate had an incredibly successful Zespri AIMS Games competing against 372 schools from around New Zealand and the Pacific Islands. Our 290 students who participated did themselves, their whānau and our school proud. Medalists from the week included:

Gold	Silver	Bronze
Girls 7's Rugby	Girls Hockey	Boys 7's Rugby
Boys Hockey	Logan (Manuka) Trampoline	Basketball 3x3
Boys Basketball	Cross Country Y7 Boys	Logan (Manuka) Artistic
Indoor Bowls Team	Zico (43) Athletes with disabilities	Cross Country Y8 Boys
Timothy (Totara) - BMX	Mikayla(Tawa)-Canoe slalom	Canoe Slalom team
Arion (Miro) Trampoline	Hunter (Tanekaha)-	Will (Tawa) 100m Butterfly
Arion (Miro) Double mini tramp	Haylee (Kahikatea) -Trampoline	Junsei (Tawa) XC Mountain Biking
Alex (Tanekaha) Trampoline	Haylee ((Kahikatea)- Tumbling	BMX Team
Luke (Kahikatea) - Trampoline	Emilia (Kauri)- Tumbling Open novice	Holly (Totara) - Open tumbling
Chloe (Rata) - Singles indoor bowls	Mikayla (Tanekaha) - Singles indoor bowls	Caitlin (Tanekaha) - Rhythmic
Arthur (Matai) - Pairs indoor bowls		
Micah (Tanekaha) Yachting Silver Div		
Callum (Rata) - Pairs indoor bowls		

Thank you very much to all of our coaches and managers who gave up their time to coach and mentor our students throughout the season and during the AIMS Games. We cannot forget whānau who have transported their children all over Tauranga and cheered them on. Your support is appreciated.







Summer Sport Opportunities-Term 4 2023

This link outlines the summer sports that we have on offer during Term 4 and how you can get involved. This may be your last chance if you're a Year 8 student. Make sure you make the most of the opportunities here at TIS. <u>Link here</u>

Reminders:

School Driveway - We are concerned with the number of cars driving right down our driveway to drop and pick up students outside the office before and after school. This is a safety issue with large numbers of students in this area. Please drop off and pick up at the front gate or at Fraser Cove. **Please do not park on our field if it is wet**.

Parking - Please do not park in the Dental Clinic carpark or the bus bay at the front gate.

Mobile phones - A reminder that mobile phones are not to be brought to school unless special permission has been given for these to be kept at the office. Thank you very much for supporting our School Board's policy on phones.

School Uniform - A reminder that students are to wear plain black shoes with no different coloured branding or soles. Black roman sandals may also be worn in winter if students choose to. Please ensure students only wear our school fleece, soft shell jacket or raincoat to and from school.

Rural Bus Passes - A reminder that all students using the RURAL bus service must have a valid bus pass. Go to www.schooladmin.co.nz

Duty of Care- Whānau are asked to exercise a duty of care if a student turns up at your house unexpectedly. Recently, we have had a couple of cases of students staying the night at their friend's house without their whānau knowing. In this instance, please communicate with that student's whānau to let them know their whereabouts.

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Youth Lives Matter

There are still some tickets available for Youth Lives Matter. There are individual tickets available, so you don't need to be part of a table of ten. Gather your friends and whānau together and support what is to be an awesome night for a great cause. For more information and to buy tickets go to <u>www.youthlivesmatter.co.nz/event</u>





What: A Night On Broadway -

Presented by Youth Lives Matter - YLM

When: Friday 27th October 2023

Where: Classic Flyers - 9 Jean Batten

Drive, Mount Maunganui

Why: For youth mental health services at Tauranga Intermediate School.

Ngā mihi nui, Cameron Mitchell - Principal/Tumuaki



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UPCOMING DATES

TERM 3

Week 9

- Monday 11th September Student Term 3 Reports on HERO
- Wednesday 13th September Whānau Conferences 3:30-6pm
- Thursday 14th September Whānau Conferences 8am-7pm

Week 10

- Monday 18th September Tauranga Moana Kahui Akō Teacher Only Day School Closed
- Wednesday 20th September Tauranga Boys' College Testing @ TIS
- Friday 22nd September End of Term 3.

TERM 4

Week 1

Monday 9th October - Start of Term 4

Week 2

• Friday 20th October - Ultimate Relay

Week 3

- Monday 23rd October Labour Day
- Tuesday 24th October Friday 27th October TIS Athletics (Tuesday Y8, Wednesday Y7, Thursday rest + high jump/discus), Friday finals.

Week 4

• Friday 3rd November - Super 11 Volleyball

