

Te Poi School



A small school where big things happen.

Important Dates – Term 1 Week 7 17th March 2015

20 th March	Interschool Swim Sports
23 rd March	Pond Study Trip Rm 3 & Rm 9
25 th March	BOT meeting 6pm - All welcome
31 st March	School Walk - Te Waihou
2 nd April	Multi-coloured Mayhem Day for Autism Awareness.
	Last day of term
20 th April	Term 2 starts
15 th May	Te Poi School Quiz/Auction Night
3 rd July	Term 2 ends

**HAVE YOU RETURNED
YOUR SURVEY FORM?
WE ARE TRYING FOR
100% RETURN!!**

TE WAIHOU SCHOOL WALK: TUESDAY 31ST MARCH:

The whole school will be exploring our local area. If you can join us for the day please let us know, as we will need cars and adults to make this happen.

SCHOOL QUIZ/AUCTION NIGHT 15TH MAY:

Still looking for some willing hands to assist with the organisation of our biggest fundraiser. Get involved and have some fun – let us know if you can help Sandra Fouhy with this night.

INTERSCHOOL SWIM SPORTS:

**We are taking a 13 strong team to Friday's event.
GO TE POI!!**

Please note that the school pool will be closed from next Monday.

ROOMS 3 & 9 POND STUDY TRIP 23RD MARCH:

A notice will be going home today for this trip next Monday. We will be leaving school at 12pm and will be returning by 2.30pm.

SCHOOL MUSIC:

You may have noticed a \$10 charge for Music on your child's invoice. The whole school will be involved in this music programme during Term 3, which will tie in with our 'Arts Around the World' topic. This music programme, which is called Jellybeans Music, will assist every child with music reading skills, and also enable them to learn the concept of performing on various instruments.

FIRTH TOWER OPEN DAY:

This Sunday 22nd March to celebrate the opening of the Dairy Shed.

FREE EAR CLINIC SERVICE:

18th March Matamata Primary School
9.30am – 12pm.

Girl Guide Biscuits for sale: \$3.50 per packet for these yummy biccies. Contact Katharyn 022 095 7461 or complete order form in school foyer.

TOTARA SPRINGS CAMP:

A five day long, OSCAR-funded Kids Camp for school year 5-8's (approx 9-12 years old) and a Junior Kids Camp for school year 2-4's (approx 6-8 years old) to help introduce kids to camping, hydroslide, rock climbing, kayaking, archery, go-karting and many other activities. We also run games aimed at building team work and initiative, giving kids a chance to meet new friends and to be challenged. For information and registration contact:

emma.jeffery@totarasprings.org.nz

MATAMATA COLLEGE FUN RUN/WALK: FRIDAY 20TH MARCH:

Registration from 5.15pm at the College. Adults \$10, students \$5, also team entries taken. Great spot prizes.

FRIDAY LUNCH ORDERS:

A reminder that all lunch orders should be in a named envelope please.

All pies	\$3.30
Sausage rolls	\$2.00
Egg or ham sandwich	\$3.00
Ham or chicken roll	\$2.90
Ham/beef/chicken wrap	\$4.20
Apple or custard pie	\$3.30
Apple or custard square	\$2.50
Choc chip biscuit	\$1.40
Just Juice	\$2.50

Principal's Comment:

Welcome to the White Family who joined us this week and welcome back to London who has returned from America. That takes our roll to 58 students, 3 more than we ended last year on.

We are rolling out our modified report forms this week. They align with Ministry of Education and National Curriculum Standards reporting requirements.

The March interview is to inform you of your child's current levels and how they are tracking towards achieving for the end of their year.

The interviews are an important link between home and the classroom - a time to discuss next learning steps and set goals for the year. If you can't make tonight's scheduled time please don't hesitate to arrange an alternative day with your class teacher.

Linda Larsen, Principal

