

Te Poi School



A small school where big things happen.

Important Dates – Term 2 Week 4 12th May 2015

15th May
21st May
3rd June

11th June
12th June
23rd June
25th June
2nd July
3rd July

Quiz/Auction Night 7pm start
BOT meeting 6pm All welcome
Cotter Cup & PTA Cup hockey tournament
Community Consultation Evening
School open but no buses running
Parent Interviews
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Trash to Treasure Show
Term 2 ends

QUIZ/AUCTION NIGHT 15TH MAY 7PM:

We thank you for your assistance with food for our fundraiser:
Rm 2 – fingerfood desserts and sweet treats
Rm 3 – savouries
Rm 9 – dips and cheeses

We would appreciate your food items being sent into school tomorrow, unless it is necessary to bring it on Friday. Thank you.

We will soon be sending out a list of some of our auction items – let us know if you would like someone to bid on your behalf if you can't make it on Friday night!

We are looking for one more person to assist with duties on the night – setting out supper, selling answers... Please let us know if you can help.

KITCHEN PRODUCTS:

We will shortly be doing another order for our catering quality (and size!) kitchen products. If you use baking paper, foil and gladwrap then you need to give these products a try – they are great. Contact the office for an order form.

BABYSITTER AVAILABLE:

Reliable 21-year-old student available for babysitting. Phone Kate Thrupp 07 888 3602 or 027 381 9239.

ROAD SAFETY RESEARCHER'S VISIT WEDNESDAY 13TH MAY:

The Mackie Research team will be at school from 2.45pm. Have your say regarding speeds around our school.

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 8:30am to 1pm.

If your child is absent please contact us by either email office@tepoi.school.nz, phone the Office: 8882704 or text: 027 2783624.

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

SELF DEFENSE CLASSES:

Wednesdays at 4.15pm at Matamata Fire Station hall. Contact Heather Coffey 0212347967.

LOST PROPERTY:

Silver watch found on the field – is it yours?



FREE EAR CLINIC:

20th May and 9th June at Matamata Primary School 9.30-12.00. No appointment necessary.

Principal's Comment:

Nationwide Road Safety Week was appalling with 8 fatalities on our roads. It was no better for us at Te Poi. As we were out as a school with our 'slow down' signs, a car whizzed past a car and truck in the 70km zone - typically poor driving behaviour around our school zone. Action needs to be taken to ensure the safety of our children during those crucial drop off and pick up times. I even go as far as saying change the speed to 50km outside our school. Let's start talking to our neighbours and district councilors before an accident happens outside our school gate.

Attendance so far this year is sitting at 93%. I attended the Rock On meeting which targets students with 80% or less attendance. Just this term we have 8 students with 80% or less attendance. 20% of school missed = 4 days missed this term. That is nearly one week out of the 3.

Linda Larsen, Principal

