



TE POI SCHOOL

A small school where big things happen.

Important Dates – Term 2 Week 1 – 3rd May 2016

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| 6 th May | ANZAC assembly |
| 9 th May | School photos |
| 11 th May | Reading Together Workshop |
| 16 th -18 th May | ERO visit |
| 17 th May | ERO meeting 2.30pm |
| 18 th May | PTA Cup - hockey |
| 20 th May | BOT nominations close |
| 23 rd May | Waikato Museum school trip |
| 27 th May | Quiz Night 7pm |
| 3 rd June | BOT voting closes |
| 6 th June | Queen's Birthday holiday |
| 8 th July | End of term 2 |

SCHOOL NEWS

SCHOOL PHOTOS:

Photolife will be visiting our school on Monday 9th May and will be taking class photos, also individual and sibling photos if required. If you would like your child to have sibling photos please contact the office and an envelope will be issued.

ERO VISIT 16th – 18th MAY:

This is our 3 yearly review time. The ERO (Education Review Office) team will be hosting a community meeting at 2.30pm on Tuesday 17th May.

QUIZ NIGHT 27TH MAY:

The big count down is on for our biggest fundraiser of the school year. Doors open at 7pm then it's all on for a great night!

WAIKATO MUSEUM VISIT - DA VINCI MACHINES MONDAY 23RD MAY:

As part of our term focus the whole school will be going to see and interact with this amazing exhibition.

HOCKEY NEWS:

With a few children out with injuries and illness, we still managed to be competitive. Players of the day were Liam Haupapa for the senior team and Kieran Lawson for the juniors. Thank you parents for having your children there on time.

It is a 9am start for this week. Please be there by 8.30 for turf time practice.

Senior hockey team will now have practice Thursdays after school until 4.30pm.

FRIDAY LUNCH ORDERS: (Orders to be in named envelope please)

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| 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 slice | \$2.50 |
| Choc chip biscuit | \$1.40 |
| Just Juice | \$2.50 |

COMMUNITY NEWS

Term two Art classes available either Monday afterschool or Tuesday starting week two, \$140 per 8 week term all materials included 3:30 – 5pm sessions – first in first served! Phone Roxanne 027 733 6641 or email any queries to roxannehansen@clear.net.nz

Our condolences to the Dawson Family on the recent passing of Raewyn Dawson who was a past teacher at Te Poi School.

2016 SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTIONS

☒ **Make a difference**
Ki te whakapiki

Nominations are invited for the election of 5 parent representatives to the board of trustees.

A nomination form and a notice calling for nominations will be posted to all eligible voters.

You can nominate another person to stand as a candidate, or you can nominate yourself (make sure you sign both parts of the form).

Additional nomination forms can be obtained from the school office.

Nominations close at noon on Friday 20th May and may be accompanied by signed candidates' statements.

The voting roll is open for inspection at the school and can be viewed during normal school hours.

There will also be a list of candidates' names, as they come to hand, for inspection at the school.

Voting closes at noon on Friday 3rd June.

Signed
Helen Thrupp
Returning Officer

LOST: Green and black MGP scooter missing from the school grounds over the school holidays. Contact Tracey 022 174 1473.

Principal's Comment:

Welcome back to Term 2 and a special welcome to Malachi and Mrs Foster who both started on Monday.

We have an exciting term planned with many extra activities thrown into the mix. We have included a list of dates – keep this in a safe place.

'Let's Play' is our schoolwide focus. All classes will be exploring thinking about, discovering, and creating toys. Week 3 is our visit from the ERO (Education Review Office). Michelle Andrews is our lead reviewer and would like to meet with the community on Tuesday 17th May from 2.30pm. Join them and have your say about how our school has grown and worked over the past 3 years.

Linda Larsen, Principal