



TE POI SCHOOL

A small school where big things happen.

Important Dates – Term 2 Week 7 – 14th June 2016

15th June
16th June
17th June

18th June
22nd June
23rd June
29th June
1st July
5/6th July
6th July
8th July

EPro8 Science Competition
Rippa Rugby Tournament
No Buses running today
Teddy Bear's Picnic
Fieldays fundraiser
Last day for Oxford Pie orders
Non-traditional Sports Day - Room 9
New Parents Morning Tea 10.00am
Oxford Pie orders ready for collection
Parent Interviews
Bark NZ visit
End of term 2

SCHOOL NEWS

Fieldays Fundraiser

Are you going to the Fieldays on Saturday and would like free entry? We are **still** short 2 helpers so if you can help from 4-7pm please let us know. Involves packing up gumboots at the Skellerup tent. Free entry to Fieldays and fundraising for our school – now that's a deal!

SCIENCE & SPORT:

All the best to our teams competing this week in the EPro8 Science Competition and the Rippa Rugby Tournament. Go Te Poi!

Teddy Bear's Picnic Friday 17th June:

All welcome young and old, and that includes your teddy! Join us from 12.00pm for a picnic lunch and fun activities.

The pre-order form went home yesterday. Get them in to your teacher by Thursday please so we can organise catering.

REMEMBER: NO LUNCH ORDERS THIS FRIDAY

OXFORD PIES:

Order forms have gone home. Please note that the **absolute last day** for getting orders in is **Wednesday 22nd June** so get them back quick!

SCHOOL GARAGE SALE: 3RD SEPTEMBER:

We are starting to collect goods for our upcoming garage sale in August. Feel free to drop your good clean, used items at the school (during the morning hours only please) and we will store them here for you.

School Fundraiser - Chicken Placement:

Chicken Placement is an ongoing fundraiser that we undertake throughout the year. Our next placement dates are Saturday 25th June placing 1 shed at 12.30pm, and Monday 27th June placing 2 sheds at 11am and 1 shed at 1pm. If you are able to spare half an hour to come and help, your time and effort would be most appreciated. For more info, please contact Roz on 027 296 0810.

HOCKEY:

Player of the day for the Junior team Olivia Ruegger and for the Seniors Seb Steiner. Both were close games - 3 all draw for juniors and 2-3 loss for seniors. Seniors play at 9.55am this Saturday and Juniors at 10.50am. Please have your child at the turf 15 minutes prior to the game.

NEW PARENTS MORNING TEA WEDNESDAY 29TH JUNE:

An opportunity for our new families to meet Board of Trustees members and hear how our school ticks. Join us at 10am – we'd love to see you there.

COMMUNITY NEWS

Free Ear Clinic

Tuesday 28 June Matamata Primary School.
9am – 12pm, no appointment necessary.

MR & MRS:

Residential cleaning, property care, maintenance, window cleaning, catering. References available. Police checked, experienced.
Email: aristonz@xtra.co.nz or phone Chris 021 059 5162.

Principal's Comment:

NZ Bully Free Award winners - Te Poi School! What an incredible result for Room 9 winning the Year 1 to 8 section of the NZ Bully Free Awards. The class put together a series of "How to" videos, focusing on how to deal with different situations they may face in the playground. As a school we are working hard on stamping out negative behaviours that lead to bullying. It is important to empower our students with the skills and strategies to deal with others and particularly bullies. Special thanks to those students and parents who have spoken out about bullying and negative behaviours. Armed with this information we can make a difference.

Te Rangatahi – Together we grow.

Linda Larsen, Principal

