



# TE POI SCHOOL

**A small school where big things happen.**

## Important Dates:

**Term 4 Week 5 – 8<sup>th</sup> November 2016**

10 <sup>th</sup> November	BOT meeting 6.30pm - all welcome
11 <sup>th</sup> November	Last day for Chalk orders and Scholastic orders
24 <sup>th</sup> November	Parent Consultation 10am School Athletics 11am – 2pm
28-30 <sup>th</sup> November	Room 9 camp
3 <sup>rd</sup> December	Matamata Christmas Parade
9 <sup>th</sup> December	Church service at school 6.45pm
13 <sup>th</sup> December	School Beach trip
14 <sup>th</sup> December	Prizegiving 1.30pm
16 <sup>th</sup> December	Term 4 ends
31 <sup>st</sup> January	2017 school year begins

## SCHOOL NEWS

### ROOM 9 CAMP FUNDRAISER:

Only \$20 for a Roxanne original print. See one on display in the foyer. Order your print today – you'll have to be quick!



### SCHOOL ATHLETICS THURSDAY 24<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 11AM START:

Come and join in the fun. All children will be involved in running, jumping and throwing events.

### PARENT/COMMUNITY INFORMATION EVENT:

Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> November at 10am in the library. Join us for a cuppa and learn about our school structure for 2017. There will be opportunities to add to and discuss our school charter.

**Chalk orders – last day for ordering is this Friday 11<sup>th</sup> November. Get your order in by then or miss out!**

A warm welcome to Margaret Barbour who is working in Room 3 on her practicum.

Please keep checking your child for head lice regularly and treat if necessary.

Please note that Room 3's library time is now on a Tuesday for the remainder of the year.

### LONG JUMP PIT:

Does anyone have a small digger and are able to create a long jump pit for athletics over the next week? If you can help please contact the school.

### ROOM 9 CAMP:

Could all consent and health forms be returned to school by this Friday.

## COMMUNITY NEWS

### WHITE OUT WALK 'N' WHEELS

**Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> November 10am – 12pm:**

Stand up against family violence. Starting at 100km sign on Waharoa East Road. Dress up to show your support. Great prizes. Check out the Facebook page for more details.

### TE MIRO MOUNTAIN BIKE CLUB: Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> November.

At Te Miro Mountain Bike Park on Waterworks Road. Registration from 8.30am and racing starts 10am. Ages 4-15 years. 2.2km, 6km, 12km. Enter online:

<http://temiroclub.co.nz/product/junior-race-entry>.

## GIRLS CRICKET COACHING CLINICS



Jansen Park, Hamilton

Sunday 13 November 2016 & Sunday 29 January 2017  
10.00am – 11.30am

The clinics will focus on fun skills, drills and games led by our Northern Premier League players. All school aged girls are invited to come along and join in the fun.

You are also invited to stay and watch the NPL games that will start at 12.00pm, featuring our talented cricketers from all over New Zealand.

To register contact Kari Carswell on kari@ndca.co.nz, 021 724 180.



[www.nplcricket.co.nz](http://www.nplcricket.co.nz)

### CHILD, YOUTH AND FAMILY:

Are looking for people in this area who can offer safe, caring, stable homes for young people in need of short term care, time out over weekends and/or holidays, or a home for life. Our team will support you to understand and manage the challenges of fostering a young person.

If you are interested then call Johnson Taoho on 07 957 4740 or Johnson.taoho001@cyf.govt.nz.

### Principal's Comment:

Welcome to Gaberiel and the Hine family, new to our school. Also welcome to Pearl - another de Jong joins the Te Poi family. One more enrolment and we will have reached our highest roll number since 2001!

Ocean studies are in full swing across the school. Our students are discovering many interesting and unusual facts about our oceans and what lives in them. Take time to ask your child about the ocean and see what experts they have become.

**Linda Larsen, Principal**

EVERYDAY FOOD HEROES

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Fish like canned salmon and tuna are an excellent source of omega 3 which is essential for brain development and function. Have them in a tuna bake or sandwich to boost your brain power!

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