



# TE POI SCHOOL

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

## Important Dates:

**Term 1 Week 3 - 20<sup>th</sup> February 2018**

20 <sup>th</sup> /21 <sup>st</sup> February	Life Education visit
21 <sup>st</sup> February	Inje students leave
22 <sup>nd</sup> February	BOT meeting – 6.30pm All welcome
1 <sup>st</sup> March	Family Picnic 6pm
	Teacher workshop 1 – 4pm
8 <sup>th</sup> March	Teacher workshop 1 – 4pm
13 <sup>th</sup> March	Years 3 to 6 swim sports 11 – 2pm
15 <sup>th</sup> March	Teacher workshop 1 – 4pm
16 <sup>th</sup> March	School Tryathlon 1pm start
23 <sup>rd</sup> March	Interschool swim sports
28 <sup>th</sup> March	Paid Union Meeting 1.30pm
13 <sup>th</sup> April	Term 1 ends

## SCHOOL NEWS

### FAMILY PICNIC:

Postponed until Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> March. From 6pm. Sausages \$2, cheese burgers \$4 or bring your own picnic. Games, team races and the waterslide.

### INJE STUDENTS:

Farewell to our visiting students. Safe journeys back to South Korea.

### MINIVAN:

Mr Vale has had a hip replacement and we wish him a speedy recovery. Lindsay Taylor is off to visit his grandchildren in Australia. If you have a free morning between 28<sup>th</sup> February and 18<sup>th</sup> March we would appreciate some support with driving, as I am unable to drive every Monday to Wednesday.

**LOST PROPERTY** is already full – being cleared this Friday so claim your stuff before it's too late!

## ONE VOICE PRODUCTIONS

### MUSIC LESSONS:

Interested in music lessons for your child? We have a wonderful music teacher that comes to our school for lessons in guitar, ukulele, piano, keyboard. Further info available at the office.

### READING TOGETHER WORKSHOPS:

Does homework and reading with your child stress you out? Is it an enjoyable or frustrating time? Join me for a series of 4 fun workshops that are designed to demystify the reading process and provide easy "how to" ideas for supporting your child at home. Let me know if you are interested.

### TE POI SCHOOL COOK BOOK:

An order form is attached. Let your family friends know about our cookbook and support our school!

### TE POI PLAYCENTRE:

Playcentre sessions times are Thursday 9.30am – 12pm. For more info contact Lisa 027 859 3362.

## FRIDAY LUNCH ORDERS:

Please send order and money in an envelope or snap lock bag to the office before 9.00am.

Pies	3.40
Sausage rolls	2.10
Lasagne square	2.00
Egg or ham sandwich	3.10
Ham/beef/chicken wrap	4.30
Apple or custard pie	3.40
Apple or custard slice	2.60
Choc chip biscuit	1.50
Just Juice	2.50

## COMMUNITY NEWS



### MORRINSVILLE A&P SHOW:

Saturday 3rd March 2018 at the Morrinsville Recreation Grounds. Featuring The Auckland Axemens Club Demo with world champion New Zealander, Jason Wynyard. Adults \$8 / children 12 - 16 \$4 / Under 12 Free Family Pass \$20. Also: Chelsea's Dog Shows, Wai Taiko Drummers, Teddy Bears Picnic, Miss Morrinsville, Rock Wall, Petting Zoo, Pony Rides, Cherry the Clowns, Face Painting, Mahon Amusement rides, gate prize and much more.

## STARS & STAGE

**SPECIAL 5 WEEK THEATRE COURSE FOR SCHOOL CHILDREN AGED 5-12yrs**

Where: Matamata Musical Theatre, Kea St  
When: Monday 5<sup>th</sup> March at 3.30pm  
What: Acting! singing! stage movement, public speaking, Theatre sports and games!

Expressions of interest and enquiries to Sharon Butterworth 07 888 3665 or 0212313281  
**CLASS NUMBERS WILL BE LIMITED!**

"Our aim is to teach all aspects of Theatre using games and performance in a fun and safe environment to promote self-confidence and enjoyment of the Stage!"

## Principal's Comment:

This week we welcome Andrea, Harold and the Life Ed truck. Every child will get the opportunity to visit the truck twice. Our focus is on building friendships, getting along with others and building our personal self-esteem. It is important we support our students in their whole growth, academic, physical and mental development. Empowering our students to be brave, stand up to others and take risks with their learning and physical skills are key developmental focus areas.

**Linda Larsen, Principal**

## MEET OUR TERM 1 LIBRARIANS:

A great response from Yr 5 and 6 students offering to be school librarians and have the library open at lunchtime. The children have all sorts of ideas for an active lunchtime library time.

