

# TE POI SCHOOL

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

## Important Dates:

**Term 1 Week 8 - 27<sup>th</sup> March 2018**

27 <sup>th</sup> March	Reporting night
28 <sup>th</sup> March	Paid Union Meeting 1.30pm
	Last day for ordering cook books
	Reading Together Workshop 1
30 <sup>th</sup> March	Good Friday holiday
2 <sup>nd</sup> /3 <sup>rd</sup> April	Easter holidays
5 <sup>th</sup> April	Leadership Day yr 5/6
	Reading Together Workshop 2
6 <sup>th</sup> April	Onesie Day
7 <sup>th</sup> April	Hockey tournament
11 <sup>th</sup> April	Reading Together Workshop 3
13 <sup>th</sup> April	Term 1 ends

## SCHOOL NEWS

### PAID UNION MEETING WEDNESDAY 28<sup>TH</sup> MARCH:

Please read the attached notice regarding the meeting on Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> March.

### INTERSCHOOL SWIMSPORTS:

A massive thank you to all the parents who supported the team and Room 9 during the day. From the baking to team organisation, cooking sausages to buttering bread. Thank you.

Jake Dawson - 3<sup>rd</sup> backstroke, 3<sup>rd</sup> freestyle

Sara Corin - 2<sup>nd</sup> breaststroke

Troy Pedersen - 3<sup>rd</sup> backstroke

Kieran Lawson - 3<sup>rd</sup> 50m

freestyle

Pire Poi Wilson - 2<sup>nd</sup> backstroke

### AUTISM AWARENESS ONESIE DAY - FRIDAY 6<sup>TH</sup> APRIL:

Join in the fun, wear your onesie or PJ's to school. Bring a gold coin donation to support Autism research.

*Need some catering grade and size foil, baking paper or glad wrap? See the office.*

### PAID POSITION AVAILABLE:

BOT Minutes Secretary: Skills required – accurate note taking, typing of minutes, confidentiality. Required once a month for approx 2 hours.

### ENVIRO MEETING:

This Thursday – come along if you are interested and bring a small spade if you have one.

### READING TOGETHER WORKSHOPS:

The series of 4 workshops are starting this Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> March 6.45pm in the Library. Spaces are still available.

### COOK BOOK ORDERS:

Last day for ordering is 28<sup>th</sup> March. Great idea for Mother's Day! Remember that if you make payment online, you still need to complete an order form.

### HOCKEY:

Training is tomorrow – please ensure you bring all of your practise gear.

### FRIDAY LUNCH ORDERS:

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

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

**MINIVAN:** number is 020 4141 6019. **PLEASE** remember you **MUST** text this number if your child will not be on the minivan – morning and afternoon.

## COMMUNITY NEWS

**Experienced contract milkers require position** for 2018-19 season. Hoping to stay local as we have a son at Te Poi School. Ph Wayne 027 275 3373 or Verity 027 275 3372.

### Matamata Recreational Gymnastics:

Registration held at Headon Stadium Tuesday 10 April 2018 4:00 pm to 5:30 pm.

This year's season fees are \$80.00 per child or \$75 per child for two or more children from the same family.

## Principal's Comment:

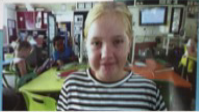
Our revamped parent conferences are tonight and our first Reading Together workshop is on Wednesday. The importance of reading at home will be discussed widely at both events. Reading remains a core subject across the school, and for your child to continue to develop as a reader, opportunities to read outside of the classroom are crucial. Any form of reading is good reading from comics, magazines to even putting subtitles on movies. Any time, anywhere, anyhow – make reading at home a priority.

Linda Larsen, Principal



# Chavez

- As **Chavez** you are rather serious-minded, responsible, and stable.
- You have the gift of tact and diplomacy, and possess a charming, easy-going nature which endears you to others.
- You have a serious desire to understand the heart and mind of everyone, and could be very effective in a career or in volunteer work where you are handling people and serving in a humanitarian way.
- This name also gives you a love of home and family, and as a parent you would likely be fair and understanding.
- You remember the thoughtful little expressions of affection and appreciation that mean so much to others, and you have the ability to create a warm and loving environment.
- However, you tend to put things off and avoid facing issues because of a lack of confidence and uncertainty.
- You often need encouragement from someone before you can come to a decision.



By chavez

# HOANI

Nō te 2 o Hepetema 1841, ka moea e **Hīpango** a Rāwinia Rere i Pūtiki Wharanui, e pātata atu rā ki te pūwaha o Whanganui (TTR 1990:16). / On 2 September 1841 Hīpango married Rāwinia Rere at Pūtiki Wharanui, near the mouth of the Whanganui River.



# Victoria

"Victoria" is a name of Latin origin, and it means "Winner, Conqueror". It's a name commonly given to girls.



# ALICE

"ALICE" IS A NAME OF ENGLISH ORIGIN, AND IT MEANS "OF A NOBLE KIN". IT'S A NAME COMMONLY GIVEN TO GIRLS.



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# Troy

Your name of Troy gives you a clever mind, good business judgment, a sense of responsibility, and an appreciation of the finer things of life.

You are serious-minded and not inclined to make light of things even in little ways, and in your younger years you had more mature interests than others your age.

Home and family mean a great deal to you and it is natural that you should desire the security of a peaceful, settled home environment where you can enjoy the companionship of family and friends.

Whatever you set out to accomplish you do your very best to complete in accordance with what you consider to be right.

In the home you assume your responsibilities capably, having the self-confidence to form your own opinions and make your own decisions.

Others can rely on you; once you have given your word you will do your utmost to fulfill a responsibility.

However, there is a tendency to be a little too independent in your thinking and it is difficult for you to accept the help of others when you should.



# Olivia

Olivia also means olive tree.



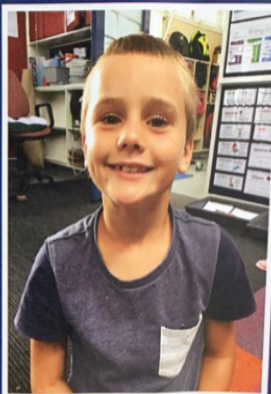
Olivia means peace.



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# Jedidiah

My name means beloved of god.



# Sara

Sara means princess



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# ISIS

The principal goddess worshiped by the Egyptians. She was regarded as the mother of Horus, and the sister and wife of Osiris. The Egyptian goddess.



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