



TE POI SCHOOL

A small school where big things happen.

**Te Rangatahi:
Together We Grow**

Important Dates:

Term 4 Week 9: 11th December 2018

13 th December	Room 2 & 3 trip
14 th December	Last day for bus run
17 th December	Water Activity Day
18 th December	Prize giving 1.30pm
19 th December	Talent Show 11am
	Term 4 ends at 12:30pm

2019 term dates:

T1	04/02/19 – 12/04/19
T2	29/04/19 – 05/07/19
T3	22/07/19 – 27/09/19
T4	14/10/19 – 19/12/19

SCHOOL NEWS

SCHOOL SWIMMING:

Our pool is now up and running so please send togs and towels **(named please)** every day. If you would like to purchase a pool code for use of the pool over the summer months, the cost is \$50. Please see the office.

WATER ACTIVITY DAY MONDAY 17TH DECEMBER:

Please bring named water pistols, water guns and pool toys – inflatables, boogie boards etc.

PRIZEGIVING 1.30PM TUESDAY 18TH DECEMBER:

Come and join us in celebrating student achievement for 2018.

WEDNESDAY 19TH DECEMBER TALENT SHOW 11AM:

We are ending the year with a bang! Feel free to join us and even enter your own item for the show.

Could all library books and readers be returned to school ASAP please.

Principal's Comment:

By the time you read this the children will have visited their class for 2019. In Room 2 Bev King and Karen Taylor will be sharing the week – Karen Monday and Tuesday and Bev Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday. Holly Ansell will be joining Nickee Verstraten in Room 9. Hayley Horne has won the office executive position. We had the support and guidance of Dean McDonnell, Principal of Hinuera School, in making this difficult decision. We had a number of excellent candidates and having an impartial voice was helpful. So this means we are fully staffed and ready for 2019 and, in this tough teaching climate, that is great news.

Linda Larsen, Principal

TE POI SCHOOL COOK BOOKS:

Not too many left – get in quick.

SCHOOL ACCOUNTS:

Your child's school invoice will be going home today – please check bags. An account will be not be sent out if it is under \$5, unless your child is leaving us. PLEASE try and get the invoice paid ASAP so we can start the new year fresh.

2019 STATIONERY:

We are trialing a new stationery purchasing system for next year. See the OfficeMax pic below and follow the link – you will find your child's room and stationery list and can follow from there.

Back to School made easy

You'll find your child's school stationery list online at myschool.co.nz. It's easy to shop online, in-store or by phone.

*Conditions apply. See myschool.co.nz for details.

PRICE MATCH **FREE Delivery** For orders over \$46*

OfficeMax

WANTED TO RENT:

One of our new teachers is looking for a house to rent – can you help? Phone Holly 0279121651

FRIDAY LUNCH ORDERS:

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

Craft & Creations Christmas Fun Theme: A 'ROUND' Christmas

@ Matamata Baptist Church

10am – 12.30pm Friday 21st December
for kids ages 6-12 years
\$2 entry per child

Make bauble decorations,
stress balls and other gifts.
Hear the Christmas Story.

See you a 'round.'

Enquiries to Baxendines—021 209 6430

KIWANIS SUMMER READING PROGRAMME

– THE GREAT ADVENTURE:

Encourage your child to read over the summer with activities and events, a grand prize draw and a finale party. Online registrations open 1st December. Check out matamatapiakolibraries.co.nz.

FISH PARCELS

Ingredients:

- 4 fish fillets
- 1 zucchini – sliced
- 1 capsicum – sliced
- 2 small carrots – thinly sliced
- 1 – 2 garlic cloves – crushed
- 2 tbsp olive oil
- 2 lemons – sliced
- salt and pepper to taste

Instructions:

Cut four 40cm lengths of tin foil.

Divide vegetable mix by 4 and place vegetables in the centre of the foil.

Place the fish fillet on top, season with salt and pepper and top with lemon.

Fold foil edges upwards to seal and form parcels.

Bake for 15 - 20min at 220°C.

Serve warm with rice or roast potatoes, kumara etc.

Serves 4

Toss the vegetables in a bowl with olive oil.

MEAT & MEAT ALTERNATIVES

Developed by Sport Waikato 2018



We had dinner at the Zoo

Kieran with Kieran
(and Pire Poi)



Auckland City Camp



Cooking at Chelsea Sugar
Factory... did you know that the
factory was first opened in 1884?

Eden Park... did you know that
there is a room there which is
full of a rock that is too big to
remove?



Safety first at the Sugar Factory



Motat was mind blowing!