



# TE POI SCHOOL

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

**Te Rangatahi:  
Together We Grow**

**Important Dates: Term 3 Week 9: 17<sup>th</sup> September 2019**

16-20<sup>th</sup> September  
19<sup>th</sup> September

20<sup>th</sup> September  
24<sup>th</sup> September  
25<sup>th</sup> September  
27<sup>th</sup> September

14<sup>th</sup> October

Book Fair Week  
Interschool Cross Country  
Gym Regionals  
Book Fair Dress Up day  
Rural School Hockey Tournament Year 3/4  
Rural School Hockey Tournament Year 5/6  
Ag Day  
Last day of Term 3  
First day of Term 4

## SCHOOL NEWS

### **BOOK FAIR WEEK Monday 16<sup>th</sup> – Friday 20<sup>th</sup> September**

Fantastic Scholastic Books for sale.  
Great for Birthday and Christmas  
presents – Ends Friday, so get in  
quick!

### **Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> September**

A busy day with gym festival  
competitions in Hamilton and the  
Interschool cross country at  
Hinuera. All the best to all children  
competing.

### **Book Character Dress Up Friday 20<sup>th</sup> September**

Come to school dressed as  
one of your favourite book  
characters.

### **Chicken Placement**

An ongoing school fundraiser – Look  
out for the next date - Lots of fun and  
bring your pre schoolers.

### **Principal's Comment:**

Thank you to all the amazing Grandparents who came from near and far to be with their grandchildren last Tuesday.

What a wonderful day we had, starting with the powhiri, and ending with time in the classrooms. The staff were blown away by the number of grandparents who gave up their time to be with us on this special day. Big thanks to all who supplied food for the shared morning tea. Thanks to all those parents/staff who 'mucked in' and helped on the day.

Scholastic Book Fair: Yes! The Book Fair has arrived. This is our very own Pop Up Book Shop for the week. Why are we having a Book Fair? The purpose is to celebrate reading, engage children in reading, and raise funds for literacy resources in the school. Classes will be doing some different activities around literacy this week. If you are able to supervise a lunchtime please let the office know.

*Manaakitanga – respect*

*Manaaki te Katōa (be kind to all)*

*Everyone wants to be treated well and with kindness*

**Sandra Clark, Principal**

### **Te Poi Ag Day Friday 27<sup>th</sup> September**

A programme will come out with  
next week's newsletter.

### **Glad to Recycle**

Collect any Glad wrap or Glad bags  
from pouaka kai/lunch boxes,  
home and bring them to the green  
bin inside the foyer. We will then  
send to TerraCycle NZ who will  
recycle into new products.

### **Dads Bake a Cake Competition Friday 27<sup>th</sup> September**

Can we please have all cakes to  
school by 10:45am for judging.  
We also have the Kids Bake a Cake  
Competition for those children who  
do not have an animal.

### **Wheelchairs for Africa**

Save your bread tags and we can  
pass them onto Shelley who is  
collecting them. Tin for these is by  
the lunch order shelf.

### **Wednesday lunch order**

Sausage Sizzle  
\$2.00 per sausage

### **FRIDAY LUNCH ORDERS:**

Order and money in a named  
envelope or secure plastic 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

## COMMUNITY NEWS

### **Te Poi Playgroup/Playcentre**

Open every Thursday during term  
time, 10am-12pm, at 5 Temm Road,  
Te Poi.

Come down for a cuppa and a play,  
we've got a great facility and a lovely  
laid-back bunch of mums, and would  
love to see some new faces! Any  
queries, phone or text Maree,  
021 02328061.

## SIMPLY WILD

Craft and Creations Kids Holiday Programme  
Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday  
October 1st, 2nd and 3rd  
10am-12:30pm  
@ Matamata Baptist Church  
6-12years \$2 per session  
Contact Kathy 021 209 6430 or Church Office 888 8338

## GROW SNACKS

Meat and meat alternatives provide protein which is important for muscle growth. A great choice of snack for home, work or school are:

**HUMMUS AND VEGES**

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# Grandparents Day

