



TE POI SCHOOL

A small school where big things happen.

**Te Rangatahi:
Together We Grow**

Important Dates: Term 4 Week 3: 24th October 2023

25th October
3rd November

13th – 15th November

17th November
21st November
22nd November
27th November
2nd December
11th December
12th December
13th December
14th December
15th December

Amazing Race (Yr 6 teams)
Superhero Day
Dunn Cup at Hinuera
Mini Gala – 12:30pm
Room 9 Camp
School Athletics – 9:15am start
MIS Orientation Day for Year 6's
Interschool Athletics
TOD – No School Matamata wide
Matamata Christmas Parade
Tabloid sports
Room 2 & 3 Trip
Prizegiving – 1:30pm
Whole School Trip
Talent Show – 11:00am
Last Day of Term – 12:30pm finish

SCHOOL NEWS

Rongohia te Hau Surveys

A link to a survey will be out next week. The survey responses give us vital information on how we are tracking as a school and staff. It is a short survey and the more responses the better. Look out for the link next week.

Superheroes Day

Friday 3rd November

All Matamata schools are supporting this cause – Fundraising for Ronald McDonald House.

Dress up and bring a gold coin.

Community Op Shop

Saturday 2nd – Friday 8th December

We need people to help run the shop and also donations of goods.

This is a great fundraising opportunity that can bring in a lot of money for the school. If you can help out in any way either get in touch with Hayley in the office or contact Maree on 02102328061

Touch Draw Wednesday 25th October Bedford Park

Te Poi Juniors play at 3:30pm on Field 4

Te Poi Seniors play at 4:00pm on Field 3

Dunn Cup Friday 3rd November 11:00am Kickoff

Join our Dunn Cup football team at Hinuera School for our annual big match. It is time we won the cup back!

Room 9 Mini Gala Friday 3rd November 12:30pm

Tell your friends, bring your whanau and join in the fun from 12:30pm. Lots of food to buy and fun activities to have a go at.

Tickets are \$1 each

TE POI SCHOOL
Friday LUNCH ORDERS

Please place order and money in a named envelope or secure plastic bag in the lunch order box outside the office

Pies	\$4.30
Sausage Roll	\$3.00
Lasagne Square	\$3.00
Egg or Ham Sandwich	\$3.80
Ham/Beef/Chicken Wrap	\$5.00
Apple or Custard Pie	\$3.80
Apple or Custard Slice	\$3.60
Chocolate Chip Biscuit	\$1.60
Just Juice	\$2.50

COMMUNITY NEWS

McHAPPY DAY
A TIME TO GIVE BACK

SUPERHEROES OF MATAMATA DAY

Dress as your favourite superhero to support RMHC® New Zealand & families from your local community!

GOLD COIN DONATION | PRIZES FOR BEST DRESSED

Principal's Comment:

Nau mai haere mai Angus, who joined us this week. Welcome to Te Poi School.

Ehara taku toa i te toa takitahi. Engari, he toa takitini

My successes are not mine alone, they are ours – the greatest successes we will have are from working together.

Thank you to our whānau who responded last term to our different questions. Those statements will be used to help shape our Strategic planning for 2024 and help us focus on teacher practice through our Rongohia te Hau work. Room 9 are also working together to bring us this years Mini Gala. The work they do to plan, organise and run the event teaches them the importance of working together effectively and how to run a successful event. All money raised goes towards their camp costs.

Linda Larsen, Principal