

# A small school where big things happen.

Te Rangatahi: Together We Grow

## **Important Dates: Term 4 Week 4: 31st October 2023**

3<sup>rd</sup> November

13<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup> November 17<sup>th</sup> November

21st November 22nd November 27th November

2<sup>nd</sup> December 11<sup>th</sup> December 12<sup>th</sup> December

13<sup>th</sup> December 14<sup>th</sup> December

15<sup>th</sup> December

Superhero Day Dunn Cup at Hinuera Room 9 Camp

School Athletics – 9:15am start

Mini Gala – 12:30pm

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**

# Subway Lunch Orders Wednesday 1st November

Head to subwayexpress.co.nz to order your child a subway lunch today for delivery tomorrow lunchtime

#### Touch Draw Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> October Bedford Park

Te Poi Juniors play at 3:30pm on Field 1 Te Poi Seniors play at 4:30pm on Field 3

## Superheroes Day Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> November

Not all superheroes wear capes! Who is your hero?

Dress like them on Friday.

Bring a gold coin to support Ronald

McDonald House.

Dunn Cup Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> 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!

#### Zero Data Portal

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Room 9 Mini Gala Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November

POSTPONED to Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November after School athletics.

# Whānau Surveys

This final survey informs our school on our relationships and understandings of our students and families. It only takes 5 minutes.

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### Community Op Shop Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> – Friday 8<sup>th</sup> 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



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

E tio te tūi, e ketekete te kākā, e korihi te kokako It takes many instruments to make a symphony. There is strength in diversity.

Each week the school is focussing on ways to support our students to better manage themselves, their behaviour and their reactions to different situations. We are following guidelines in the Executive functioning programme.

This week we are learning collaboration – knowing and practising strategies that help us live and work better together.

Mini Gala is a perfect example, as all students need to work together to make the event a success.

Linda Larsen, Principal