

NGĀHINAPŌURI NEWSLETTER

Term 3 Week 10 2024 Issue 30



Principal's Message

Tena koutou Ngāhinapōuri Whanau,

It has been an amazing term and I can not believe we are heading to the final term break of the year already. Thank you to everyone who has played a part in all the wonderful experiences our students have had. It is truly a strength of our place that the community plays such an important part of our tamariki's learning journey.

This week we have had students from Year 4-8 participate in the annual Rural School's Hockey Tournament at the Gallagher Centre. Our kids have had a great time and really embodied our School Values. Well done to all the children who participated and a huge thank you to Mira and all the coaches and parent support, for your organisation and commitment to our kids sport.

Last weekend Coach Steve and his crew of young footballers participated in the WaiBop Football Festival. The feedback I have heard is that our young lads gave the day heaps and were role models of our School Values that we can all be proud of.

If I MAY, POLE-ease for a moment, can I again thank Colin Patterson and Noel Richmond for their efforts in revitalising our Maypole. The kids are loving it! Once again an example of how the Ngāhinapōuri School community is special.

This week our kids will take home the information sheet for the floral craft activities they will need to be prepared for the first week back. Heaps of creative activities in there to keep them busy over the term break!

Thank you for all that you do in support of our school, see you in a couple of weeks.

Nga mihi,
Mark

UP COMING DATES

Week 10 Thursday 26th September
Sports Group, Coaches and Managers dinner

Week 10 Friday 27th September
Last Day of Term 3

Week 1 Term 4 Monday 14th October
First Day of Term 4

Week 1 Term 4 Wednesday 16th
October
Agricultural and Flower Show Day

Week 2 Term 4 Thursday 24th October
Lower Waipa Group Day Day



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CELEBRATING SUCCESS



Today we are celebrating Ollie who played in the mid north basketball championships on weekend with his Waikato U14 team. They won the A grade! Congratulations Ollie. We are all very proud of you!

MAYPOLE RESTORATION

Local legend **Colin Patterson** has been at it again. This time, with the capable support of **Noel Richmond**, they have restored our maypole to its full glory! Aren't we lucky to have such amazing community men / granddads. Thank you heaps for your time, energy and commitment to our kids!



Colin and Noel did have some amazing help in resourcing parts for the great maypole repair job! Thank you so much to the following businesses for your kind support:

- Hanes Engineering**- Stub and rotating assembly.
- Ruakura Motors**- Centre Wheel Section.
- Shaw's Cambridge**- Replacement chain, new ropes and shackles.

Amazing community spirit.

NGAHINAPOURI SCHOOL

**HAPPY
BIRTHDAY**



Happy birthday wishes for this week go to Ria, Conrad, Harry A, Willow B, Seira, Emily L, Tiri Kacey.

Happy birthday wishes for the holidays go to Isabelle C, Kadence, Benji, Neve, Landin, Arlo, Aarnav, Ella T, Aria, Vann and Izzy.

HOUSE POINTS

224

ALLEN

217

O'REGAN

213

REID

219

THOMAS

VALUES BANDS



RESPONSIBILITY

Zara

RESPECT

**Noah Z, Declan,
Emersyn, Jasmine,
Morgan, Emily L**

RESILIENCE

Riley S

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MERIT CERTIFICATES

Rata

Arya for good choices about her behaviour and for great reading.
Lilly for working hard, being a good friend and showing the school values.

Manuka

Tailen for amazing work in Literacy and making good progress.
Kella for making good choices and completing work to a high standard.

Kauri

Paige for showing resilience and determination, progress in reading and spelling.
Quinn for spelling progress.

Matai

Alex W for showing resilience.
Ruby for lovely blossom art.

Kahikatea

Summer for embracing challenge.
Emily H for taking the challenge.

Pohutukawa

Audrey for wonderful mahi toi.
Bosston for excellent efforts in writing your poem.

Karamu

Ethan v for brilliant friendship
Fletcher for outstanding leadership.

Tawa

Mackie for writing an outstanding book review.

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AG DAY / FLOWER SHOW AND GROUP DAY

Ngahinapouri School Ag Day

Wednesday 16 October 2024

We look forward to seeing you there!



This year thanks to our amazing sponsors we will have a BBQ available, a raffle, many spot prizes and as always... beautiful ribbons.

Thank you to the following sponsors:

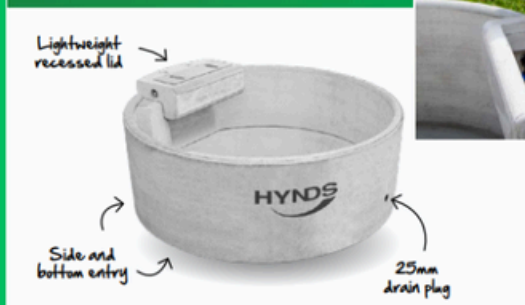
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Takanini Feeds
Rural Support
Awatere Farms
Hynds Pipe Systems
Finches
LIC
Ngahinapouri School PTA

For more information:

Ngahinapouri School Website: Ag Day 2024

Ngahinapouri School Ag Day Raffle

Trough Round Protected*



Pinnacle Protected Range

Has a recessed lid and chamberless design. This supports the use of higher flow rates. Also reducing wash back and bouncing of the ball valve.

1100Litre Protected Trough

Dimensions: 750 x 644

Litres: 1100

Weight: 1107

RRP \$681.50 + GST

Hynds Pipe Systems are dedicated to ensuring the continuation of Ag Day at Ngahinapouri School, recognizing it as a valuable learning experience for all students. The profits from the donated trough raffle will be put towards resources to support this day in the future.

Raffle tickets \$5 each, available at the office or by emailing
hello@adelegaddes.com. Drawn Fri 25 October.

Group Day is Thursday 24th October

Reid Park

Hosted by Ohaupo School



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AG DAY / FLOWER SHOW AND GROUP DAY

Ngahinapouri School Agricultural Day and Flower Show

Wednesday 16th October

At Home Activities

Students choose **two only** of the following activities to complete at home, and bring in for judging. These activities are open to **all** children, **including** those competing in Agriculture Day, if they wish. Only **one baking option** may be chosen, along with **one other craft activity option**, or if students do not wish to bake, they may choose **two craft activities**.

Model Farm	It can be reassembled at school or brought already assembled. Display-Hall	Farms that use <u>mostly</u> natural materials do better in this section. The farm can be made in a roasting dish or similar vessel. Use materials like, dirt, sawdust, sticks, moss, wood, grass etc... Each model will need to have the child's name and year level on a piece of paper under it on the day.
Animal sculpture	Made at home. Display-Hall	This is a good holiday project. Make your animal out of Paper Mache, recycled materials, card, wood, metal etc... Each sculpture will need to have the child's name and year level on a piece of paper under it on the day.
Photography	There are three categories, junior (Year 1-3), middle (Year 4-6) and senior (Year 7-8). Each photo needs to be named on the back with a caption under the photo. The maximum size of the photo is A5 (15 X 21 cm) but it can be smaller. Display- Hall	The theme for the photo competition is "Our School Values in the wild". The child section of the photography is about the child's ability to take photos of animals and nature. Each photo needs to have a caption at the bottom of it and the child's name and year level on the back. You need to have the photo printed and ready hand into the office on the first day of Term 4, no later. The photo is judged, not the presentation.
Muffins	Made at home. Displayed in the Hall	Only 3 on a plate please and not iced. Childs age on a piece of paper with their name on underside of paper, placed underneath the plate
Cupcakes	Made at home. Displayed in the Hall	Only 3 on a plate please and must be decorated. Childs age on a piece of paper with their name on underside of paper, placed underneath the plate.
Cake decorating	Made at home. Displayed in the Hall.	Childs age on a piece of paper with their name on underside of paper, placed underneath the plate.

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AG DAY / FLOWER SHOW AND GROUP DAY

In-School Activities

Students must **bring the items in bold from home** on Flower Show morning. All four activities are strictly to be done on the day at school, NOT to be bought to school complete. Children competing in Agriculture Day will NOT be doing the in-class activities.

In-school activities	Items required	Suggestions
Flower arrangement in an unusual container	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Selection of flowers An unusual container 	Be creative with your choice of container. Vary the height of your flowers and use a mixture of foliage and flowers.
Vaseline Saucer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Saucer (named underneath) Selection of flowers (Vaseline will be supplied) 	Aim to cover as much of the saucer as possible with flowers, petals, leaves or a combination. Patterns and symmetry are often most pleasing to the eye.
Natural pet craft	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A selection of found objects to make a pet creation (eg. Pinecones, driftwood, shells, feathers, seeds etc. Optional: Other scraps/bits and pieces to make your pet interesting, (eg. Felt/fabric scraps, recycled buttons, plain/coloured card, googly eyes etc) 	Get collecting over the holidays. Try out some ideas beforehand. Take a look on Pinterest for inspiration. Try to use as many natural objects as possible, and use recycled items if you can.
Rock art	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> An interesting shaped rock (reasonably smooth is best) 	Find an interesting rock to paint on over the holidays. A porous rock like pumice will not take the paint well, so smooth is best.

Flower Show Day Timetable

8:30-9:00	Flower show entries made at home dropped off at the hall. Ensure that entries are labeled <u>underneath</u> , and placed on the correct table (they will be labeled).		
9:00-9:05	Students go to their own classrooms for the roll.		
9:05-9:10	Meet on the tennis court and get into house groups.		
9:15-11:45	Move to assigned house classroom to complete four in-school activities, supervised by house teachers:		
	Reid	Matai/Kahikatea	Mr M, Mrs Meek
	Thomas	The Centre	Ms Lile, Mrs Denne
	Allen	Tawa/Totara	Ms Hinett, Mrs K
	O'Regan	Pohutukawa/Karamu	Ms Liufalani, Mrs Van Dyk
11:45-12:00	Take in-school entries to the hall and place on correct tables		
By 12:30 at the latest	Judging begins		
By 2:30 at the latest	Meet on tennis court for judges' comments		
2:35-2:55	View displays and prepare to take entries home		

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BASKETBALL GOAL

One of the community basketball goals appears to have been uplifted from under the trees beside the courts. If you have seen it, saw it being taken or know anything about it could you please contact the office.



SCHOOL LUNCHES



PAYMENT TO

NGAHINAPOURI SCHOOL PTA
12 3152 0221850 00



Please make payment when you place your order.

New Option - Gluten free chicken noodles.

PTA FUNDRAISERS

We will just continue with our normal term 4 fundraisers and a Christmas disco (due to the clash with PGP).

Whittaker Chocolate bars have arrived.

Return the form or email the office if you would like to take some home for the holidays.

Quite a few have been booked already. Don't miss out.

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SCHOOL JACKETS

Many of you will have seen a number of our parents and students wearing these great jackets that were originally organised for our AIMS football players. They have proven quite popular and we will put an order through if there is enough interest.

SKETCH

BASE



DESIGN



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If you would like to order some please contact the office with your size and name request.,

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TERM 4 INFO

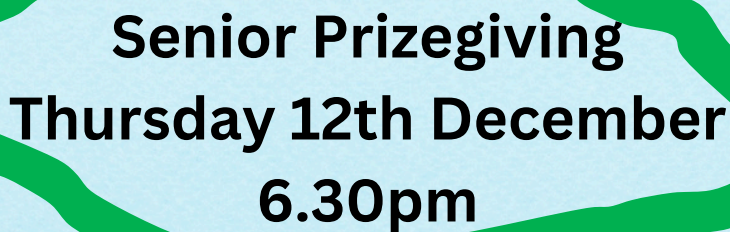
Term 4 is starting to look very busy.

Please check out the calendar on our school website
or Skool Loop

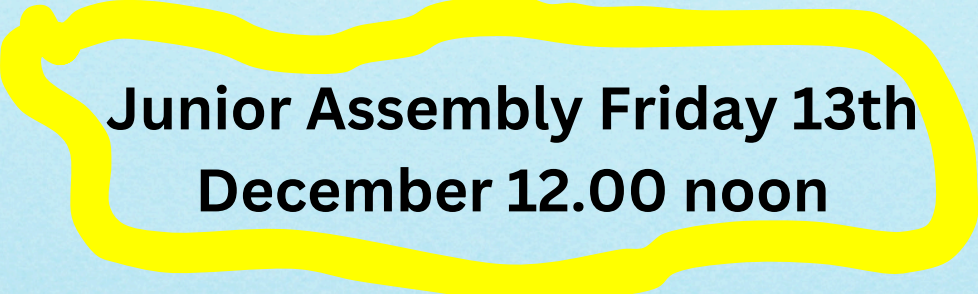
December events



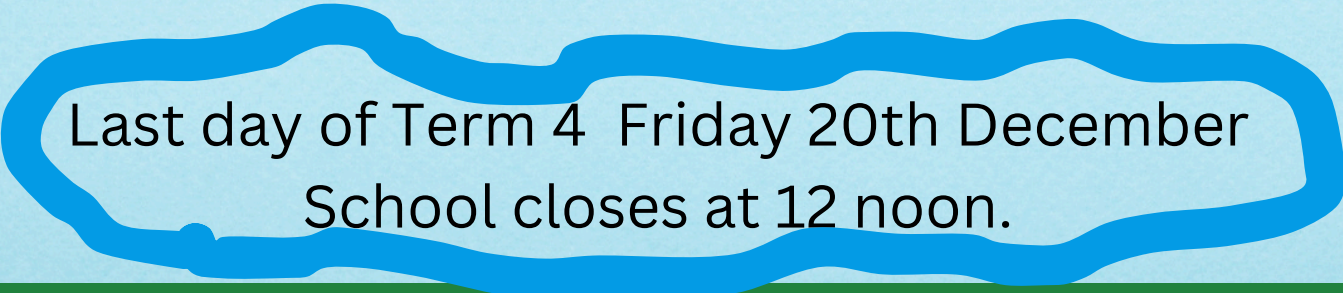
Christmas Disco
Friday 6th December
6pm - 7.30pm



Senior Prizegiving
Thursday 12th December
6.30pm



Junior Assembly Friday 13th
December 12.00 noon



Last day of Term 4 Friday 20th December
School closes at 12 noon.

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POURI'S GOT PIZAZZ!

Pouri's Got Pizazz!

Friday night the 1st of November

Congratulations to the following children who are finalists for our Pouri's Got Pizazz talent show:

Dom Georgia Sophie Daisy Alyssa
Van C Mia Niamh Callan Conrad
Mackenzie S Jessica D Vann O'D
Liam and Dylan M Ashton and Dylan C Gabi and Emersyn
Harper, Willow and Evie Ryder and Taylor Connor and Nico
Luke, Ben, Niko, Flynn, William
Annelise, Kacey, Mya, Cree and Jessica G
Max, Ned, Jacob, Stan, Joe, Landin, Zion, Fletcher

Four tickets will be reserved for parents who have a child in the finals.

If you do not require these tickets, please let Adriana know so they can sold to others.

Tickets @ \$2 each will go on sale through the school office on Monday the 21st of October.



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SPORTS NEWS

Term 4 junior cricket with the Ngahinapouri Sports Group

The Ngahinapouri Sports Group is looking to re-establish cricket at the club, entering a team (or teams) in the Northern Districts-based junior cricket competition in Term 4 of this year.

Depending on numbers/interest, options could include:

- Soft (plastic) ball cricket ("Kiwi Cricket"-style), available for students Years 2-5, played on Friday evenings
- Hard-ball cricket, available for students Years 5-8, played on Saturday mornings

Rules are adapted to increase the enjoyment level so everyone gets a fair opportunity.

If you have a child who might be interested, please email Matt (barshirley1996@gmail.com), Ngahinapouri Sports Group cricket co-ordinator.

All welcome – boys and girls Years 2-8

- No prior experience necessary
- Do not need to be students at Ngahinapouri School
- Equipment provided



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BASKETBALL TERM 4 2024

Expressions of interest remain open for Basketball but it may not be possible to form any teams for Term 4. There are quite a few people interested but they are spread out across 7 age groups which makes it hard to make any teams. if you are still interested please contact Sarah.

SPORTS T-SHIRTS



Can all t-shirts and basketball singlets be returned by Friday so a stock-take can be done over the holidays and t-shirts reissued for summer sports in Term 4.

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SPORTS NEWS



Annual coaches and managers thank you dinner Thursday 26th September

In appreciation of all the hard work, effort and commitment our coaches and managers put in to our sports teams over the year, the Sports Group, take them all out for a thank you dinner.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

School Holiday Programmes/Camps

Advanced Explorer Camp
Edventure Everyday
Dungeons & Dragons

OSCAR Available, 5-13 yr olds, @Berkley
www.edventure.co.nz



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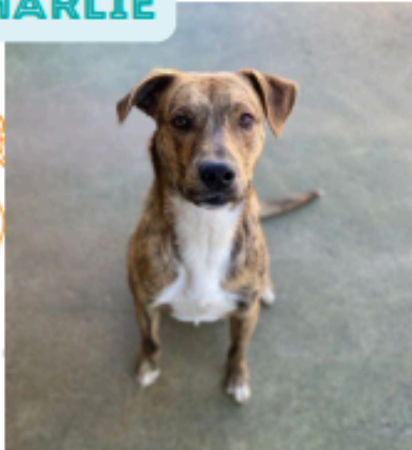
COMMUNITY NOTICES

URGENT DOG RESCUE

All pups here need urgent help! Are you able to give one of these dogs a new home?

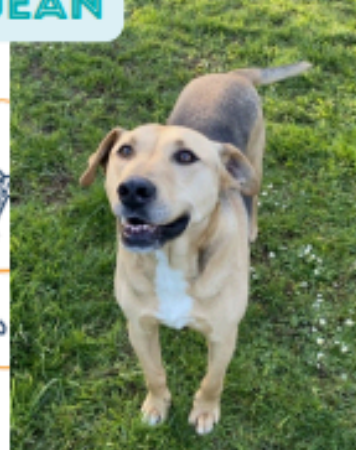
*New owners must be prepared to register, micro-chip, vaccinate and desex the dog.
Your property must also be fenced to dog-proof standard.

CHARLIE



Charlie is a 1 year old, med-large mixed breed. He is very smart with excellent manners and is affectionate and gentle.

JEAN



Jean is a senior dog. She is a lovely, soft girl who loves basking in the sun, clean in her pen and never barks.

ECHO



Echo is a mixed breed male. He is a friendly chap with a lot of love to give.

SAM



Sam is 10 months old, a goofy and happy boy. Loves to eat toilet paper.

For more information, or if you can offer any of these beautiful dogs a forever home, fill out the online form waipadc.govt.nz/dogadoption or contact: 0800 924 723 | 027 584 7073 | aco@waipadc.govt.nz

You can't change the world by adopting an animal, but you can change the whole world for that animal.



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PIPPA



Pippa is a mixed breed dog, 6.5 months old. She has unique colours, sweet and playful.

BUDDY



Buddy is young and fun, he needs an active owner who loves going on adventures.

STELLA



Stella is 7 months old, but low energy for a pup. Shy at first, but very affectionate once she gets to know you. She is a calm girl and social with other dogs.

DONNY



Donny is 8 months old, mixed breed. He is an active dog, but also very affectionate. He is happy being next to his people, getting cuddles and scratches.

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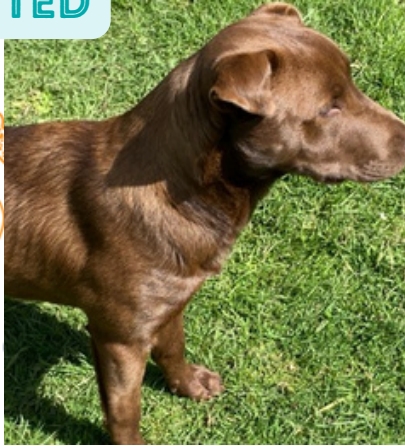
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TED



Ted is a mixed breed, 6.5 months old.
He is a rough and tumble prankster.
Super cute.

BAXTER



Baxter is young and fun. He has high energy but is sensitive.

MILLY



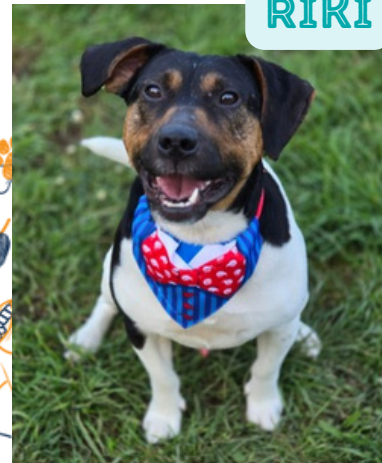
Milly is a staffy X, approx. 10-12 months old. She is a young pup who loves to have fun.

PIPPY



Pippy is approx. 8-10 weeks old. She is a fun and loving puppy and is great with kids and other dogs. She would love a family to grow up with.

RIKI



Riki is middle age dog, he is very affectionate and loves food. He would be best suited as a solo dog

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WANTED TO RENT

A small self contained cottage/house/farm house or even a tiny space in the Ngahinapouri area.
Prefer 3 bedrooms if possible but could make 2 bedrooms work for 1 adult, 15yr and 8yr old.
Use to lifestyle block/farm/rural living.
Please email details to Shannon
backyardjem@gmail.com



LEGACY
LEGACY SPORTS HOLIDAY CAMP

BOYS & GIRLS Year 5 & 6

Day Camp 9-3pm

Location: Hamilton Old Boys Rugby Club

Date: Wednesday 9th October 2024

Cost: \$60 pp

Register Now!

nzsportinvitation@gmail.com

The poster features three young women in sports uniforms, one holding a rugby ball. The background is blue with white and yellow text and graphics.

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COMMUNITY NOTICES

HAVE A GO NIGHT

TE AWAMUTU SOFTBALL

ALL SCHOOL CHILDREN AGED
YEAR 1 TO 13 ARE WELCOME!

IF YOU MISSED OUR
MUSTER AND WANT
TO GIVE SOFTBALL A
GO THIS SEASON
COME ALONG TO OUR
FIRST TRAINING AND
JOIN IN

**SHERWIN PARK
TE AWAMUTU**

**TUESDAY
8th
OCTOBER
6PM - 8PM**

FOR MORE DETAILS CONTACT
MANU JONES ON 027 237 9569

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Softball

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COMMUNITY NOTICES

Tuesday and Wednesday 1st & 2nd of October

Holiday Programme

10am - 2pm

5 - 12 year olds

Spring into

\$5 a day or \$20 per
family per day

Nature!



Join us for our Spring into
Nature themed Holiday
Programme. With two
days full of activities, arts
& crafts, games and more!

St John's Church Hall
George Street (Opposite
the Warehouse Car Park)

Bookings: Ph. (07) 871 5568
or email stjohns.awa@xtra.co.nz
to register a space.
Limited spaces available



Please bring a healthy lunch with snacks and a drink bottle

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COMMUNITY NOTICES

Te Awamutu Tennis Club



Saturday 28th September 2024

Teasdale Street – All Welcome **Racquets Available.**

Introductory fun day to showcase what we have available for all ages and abilities. Free tennis coaches providing fun tennis activities for the juniors.

Our junior programme runs for 10 weeks on Mondays in Term 4, 2024 and 10 weeks in Term 1, 2025.

Options for adults to play across the tennis season.

Junior Tennis

Primary School – 9am

Intermediate – 10am

Secondary – 11am

Adults - 12pm



P: Warren 027 472 4677

E: tatennisclub@gmail.com

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COMMUNITY NOTICES

29th Te Awamutu Altrusa Home and Garden Ramble

Sunday 3rd November 2024

9.30 am ~ 4.00 pm

Tickets \$30, available from 1 October



TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM

www.altrusateawamutu.co.nz Or Phone (07) 871 9819 or (021) 139 0377

Babysitter Available

I'm Alexie a student teacher looking for some babysitting work. I am available every evening. If you have any questions or want to get in contact please text me at 0274125274

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