

NGĀHINAPŌURI NEWSLETTER

Term 1 Week 4 2025 Issue 4



Principal's Message

Tena koutou Ngāhinapōuri Whanau,

Hero

I am very excited to announce that we are opening parent access to our new student management system Hero this week. Hero will become the central hub for all important communication and updates for our school and your child's learning journey. There is so much that Hero can provide for us but we need to ensure that we take our time with it to ensure the transition is smooth and build our skills with using the platform gradually together.

For now to get started you will need to download the HERO app onto your phone. Use your email address you have connected to our school when you sign in and select "New User" I have added a "How To" page to the newsletter.

Once you have set yourself up on the app you will then be able to use the absentee button to register when your child is away, click the link to order lunches and keep up to date with the latest news of the school through community posts. As we progress through the year you will also be able to check in on your child's progress through their learning journey and see their assessment results. You will also be able to see your school finances, see what's owing and print your own receipts. We believe that Hero will change the game in terms of school communication and strengthen the Teacher/Parent relationship.

Have a go at downloading the app, if you experience any "technical difficulties" then come on down to the school and let's problem solve! We will definitely need to be patient with each other in these early days of adapting! But I believe once we are smoothly up and running it will be a total game changer and a one stop shop for information, communication and celebration of learning.!

Nga mihi,

Mark

UP COMING DATES

Week 4 Term 1 Friday 28th February
Senior Kura Swimming Sports

Week 4 Term 1 Friday 28th February
PTA Golf Tournament

Week 5 Term 1 Thursday 6th March
Junior School Swimming Display

Week 6 Term 1 Friday 14th March
Lower Waipa Swimming Sports



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SCHOOL NEWS



READY, SET, SIGN IN!

Stay in the loop by following these steps

1. DOWNLOAD THE HERO APP

Once downloaded, click 'Sign In'

2. ADD YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS

Select "Next"

3. SELECT "NEW USER"

Your account will be set up by your school using the email address that you provided when you enrolled your children, use this address to request a password.

4. SELECT "SUBMIT"

Hero will send you an email with a link to follow.

5. CHECK YOUR EMAIL

You should receive an email within five minutes.

6. FOLLOW THE LINK

This will take you to a secure page to enter your chosen password.

If you encounter problems logging in, please check with your school to make sure they have the correct details for you.



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**DOWNLOAD
THE HERO APP
TODAY!**



Log In to Customise Your Account and View:

Student Learning Stories,
Progress and Goals

Navigation to School-Related
Webpages

School Notices

Surveys and Trip Permissions

School Term Dates

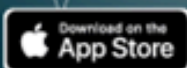
School Calendar

Absence Notifications

School Bookings

• **More!**

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TO DOWNLOAD



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MERIT CERTIFICATES

Rata

Aroha for being enthusiastic and working hard in all her learning.
Nino for being brave in swimming!

Manuka

Finn for working hard and presenting neat and tidy work.
Jimmy C Maths Whiz - amazing knowledge of times tables.

Kauri

Charlie M, Emersyn, Tadhg and Jasmine for a great start to the year in Kauri Whanau.

Matai

Cade for putting a lot of effort into his work and always giving 100% in class.
Kadence for working hard and always displaying a positive attitude towards learning.

Kahikatea

Ben for taking the initiative when tidying our classroom.
Kyla for knowing what to do when she sees something that isn't right.

Karamu

Summer for effort in writing.
William for wonderful writing and story construction.

Tawa

Willow for embracing challenge and showing tenacity
Sasheia for embracing challenge and showing tenacity



**HAPPY
BIRTHDAY**

**Happy birthday wishes
for this week Casey-Jane.**

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Swimming sports

Tomorrow is the big day for our Senior Swimming Sports for children in years 4 - 8

Timeline: Arrive at school before 9 am

Leave school at 9.10 am from outside the hall.

Start swimming at 10 am, finish swimming at approx 2.15 pm.

Back at school before 2.55 pm

All students are expected to stay at the event until the day's programme is completed.

What to bring: Togs and 2 - 3 towels

Snacks and lunch

Drink (no fizzy please)

Warm clothing to put on if required

No money is needed on the day. Please do NOT purchase food for the students from the café – we ask for parent support in this matter. The other pools are out of bounds for our schoolchildren.

Thanks to the parents who are helping with transport and supervision, as well as those parents who are officials. An email was sent out to you on Monday

Parents who want to swim in the year 8/parent relay, please bring togs

Children who are not swimming will remain at school and will be taught in Pohutukawa.



HOUSE POINTS

78

ALLEN

65

O'REGAN

47

REID

65

THOMAS

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SCHOOL NEWS

House T-Shirt Order for 2025

To order a house t-shirt please call into the office and fill out an order form.

Remember – we need 12 t-shirts ordered to place an order.

There has been a price increase due to an increase in the printing costs.

\$36.00 per t-shirt



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At age 24 years Tyler Wood has come 3rd equal in the Sydney Webex PGA golf tournament on Sunday.

This is the biggest win of his golfing career after turning pro a couple of years ago. He has attended golf qualifying school

In the USA and competed in circuits in Europe, Asia and the USA.

Tyler's love for golf started at Ngahinapouri Golf Club as a school boy where he enjoyed playing and being coached as a junior.

This Thursday Tyler is competing in the NZ Open at Millbrook Resort, Arrowtown.



On Friday 14th February Willow C participated in a team building day with the Chief's Manawa Rugby team.

Willow was allowed to join the lifeguard as she's loves the Chief's rugby team.

She took down her flags out of her room so they could be hubs on the flag pole at the surf club.



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PTA NEWS



A big shout out to all our sponsors for the Golf tournament this Friday! Hoping to make this another successful event!

Transport Trailers **Allens United Drainage**
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Enter to Win

Reminder: - If you have forgotten to drop off your donation for the raffles you can still do so until 3.30pm tomorrow.

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PTA NEWS

Item for PTA raffle baskets

Dear parent/caregiver,

As part of the upcoming 'Golf Tournament' the PTA would like each child to donate one item for the raffle baskets.



Rata, Kauri, Karamu and Totara an item for a 'gourmet /foodie' themed raffle e.g. chocolate, pickles, sweets, crackers etc. (non-perishable please).



Manuka, Matai, Pohutukawa and Tawa an item for a 'family fun pack' themed raffle e.g. packet of cards, games, knucklebones, water pistols etc.

Please take the raffle item to the school office by Wednesday 26th February.

Thanks in advance
The PTA

**Donations can still be dropped off
at the office until 3.30pm
tomorrow**

Other PTA Events happening in Term 1

PTA Meeting Monday 10th March

Cheese Fundraiser 27th Feb - 12th March

Film Fundraiser 2025 6th April

NO SCHOOL LUNCHES THIS WEEK

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PTA NEWS



The PTA has been given an awesome opportunity to organise the car boot sale section of the next Twilight Market evening on Friday 14th March. If anyone is interested in having a car boot on the evening please contact the school office - 07 8252 701 and book yourself in. Cost is \$10 a boot payable to the PTA account - 12 3152 0221850 00



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CHEESE IN SCHOOLS

Cheese Type – 1kg Blocks	Price	Number	Cheese Type – 500g	Price	Number
Mild Gouda	\$32		Mild Gouda	\$19	
Cumin Gouda	\$33		Cumin Gouda	\$20	
Tasty Gouda	\$33		Tasty Gouda	\$20	
Italian Herb	\$33		Italian Herb	\$20	
Fenugreek Gouda	\$33		Fenugreek Gouda	\$20	
Garlic and Chives	\$33		Garlic and Chives	\$20	
Cracked Pepper	\$33		Cracked Pepper	\$20	
Vintage Cumin	\$35		Vintage Cumin	\$22	
Smoked Gouda	\$35		Smoked Gouda	\$21	
Goat's Milk Gouda	\$45		Goat's Milk Gouda	\$25	
Vintage Goat's Milk Gouda	\$47		Vintage Goat's Milk Gouda	\$27	
Maasdam Gouda	\$33		Maasdam Gouda	\$20	
Sheep Milk Gouda	\$45		Sheep Milk Gouda	\$25	
Total Paid			Total Paid		

Name:

Contact Number:

Return the form to school or email your order to the office@ngahinapouri.school.nz

Bank Account: 12 3152 0221850 00

Orders due in by Wednesday 12th March 2025

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FILM FUNDRAISER 2025



We are once again having a Film Fundraiser! We are watching The Minecraft Movie on the 6th of April at The Regent at 2:00pm

Book the date and use the link to book your tickets!

Fundraising is in support of playground maintenance and senior sports camp!

SPORTS GROUP NEWS

REGISTRATION OF INTEREST - HOCKEY 2025

Hi All

Hockey Season is coming up! Please register your child's interest in playing hockey this year by clicking on the below link. More information will be shared when it is available.



**2025 Football
Muster Day**

Hi everyone, this Football Muster Day is for signing up for the football season 2025!

Where: Reid Park

When: Saturday 8th March 2025

Time: 10:00am to 12:00pm

What: Kick around, Sausage sizzle, Lemonade stand- Flynn&Niko

Contact: Stephen Western
PH:0277685444

The poster features a light blue and purple background with soccer ball icons in the corners. The text is centered and uses a mix of bold and regular fonts.

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SPORTS GROUP NEWS



NSG

Ngahinapouri Sports Group

Winter Sports 2025

YES - it's that time of the year again, to organise teams and coaches for the Winter sports season. There are a number of sports available through the sports group



FOOTBALL

For new and existing players, boys and girls ages 5-12

Season dates: Saturdays 4th May - late August

Contact: Ngahinapourifootballclub@gmail.com

or Stephen Western 027 768 5444

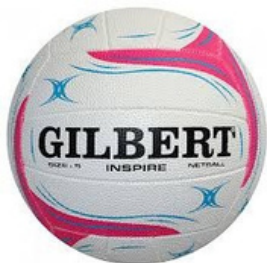
Muster day: Saturday 8th March 10am-12pm, Reid Park. Come along for a kick around, sausage sizzle & Flynn & Niko's famous lemonade

HOCKEY

For new and existing players, boys and girls ages 5-12

Contact: Mira Comez

Further info and register your interest [here](#)



NETBALL

Playing in the Future Ferns competition in Hamilton

Days:

- Years 1-2: Thursdays (9 weeks term 2 only)
- Years 3-4: Tuesdays (13 weeks across terms 2 and 3)
- Years 5-6: Wednesdays (13 weeks across terms 2 and 3)

Contact: Larissa - larissadavies@gmail.com

Register your interest [here](#)

Follow us on Facebook for updates: [Ngahinapouri Sports Group_](#)

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COMMUNITY NOTICES

Te Miro Twister XC Mountain Bike Race



30th March 2025

Choose from the below races:

2.5km Suitable for Littlies or Beginners

(2 or 4 Laps will finish after 45 minutes)

7km, 14km, 21km or 42kms (Approximately)

E-Bike Classes Available in 21 and 42kms

Plenty of Awesome Spot Prizes

Sausage Sizzle and Drinks for Sale

No Eftpos Available Please Bring Cash

For more information and course maps go to:

temiromtbclub.co.nz

Any queries email: temiromtbevents@gmail.com

Registration now open, enter on the following link:

<https://my.raceresult.com/325980/>



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COMMUNITY NOTICES

GETTING OUR TEEN GIRLS IN THE GREAT OUTDOORS

GIRL POWA



Activity	Date	Price
CAVE EXPERIENCE	9TH MARCH	\$50 ADMITS 2
KAYAK ADVENTURE	16TH MARCH	\$50 ADMITS 2
ADVENTURE DAY	4TH MAY	\$120 ADMITS 2

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TICKET ADMITS 1 TEEN 12-18 YEARS & 1 ADULT 18 YEARS PLUS - FEMALES ONLY



James and the Giant Peach

26 March - 5 April 2025

BY ROALD DAHL
Adapted for the stage by
DAVID WOOD
Directed by CORYN KNAPPER

A Hamilton Playbox community theatre production licensed by NZ Play Bureau on behalf of Samuel French Limited

Tickets available online at www.iticket.co.nz or Riverlea Theatre, 83 Riverlea Road, Hamilton. See www.playbox.org.nz for details.



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Young Explorers Camp

NGAMUWAHINE LODGE
14th-17th April, 2025

BOOK NOW

We have an amazing week lined up with bush walks, archery, air rifle, fire building and cooking, hut building, high rope activities, swimming, eeling, night activities and much more!

- Pick-up/Drop off available from Hamilton, Tauranga & NOW Auckland
- Suitable for 7-13 years old
- OSCAR Subsidy available
- Ngamuwahine Lodge is set in the Kaimai Ranges (off SH29) in the beautiful Bay of Plenty

PRICE
\$575
4 days
Mon-Thu

MORE INFO :

- Edventure Tauranga
- todd@edventure.co.nz
- +0275349949
- www.edventure.co.nz

WEEK ONE OF THE APRIL HOLIDAYS!

Edventure Young Explorers Camp (7-13yr olds) \$575 (Earlybird \$550 before 1st March)
14th-17th April (4 days)

Pick-up/Drop off from HAMILTON, TAURANGA & AUCKLAND
Based at Ngamuwahine Lodge (SH29, Tauranga), this affordable 4 day camp is for children aged 7-13 looking for a mix of our usual fun outdoors activities including, archery, target shooting, bush walks, swimming, hut building, camp fires and much more.

Book at: www.edventure.co.nz



Whether you're new to rugby or a seasoned player, this is your chance to be part of an awesome team!

Age 4 and up & all skill levels welcome

Sign up & get ready for the season.
All players must weigh-in.

Please complete online registration prior
<https://myaccount.rugbyexplorer.com.au/>

Subs \$60 /Max \$180 per family

DATES:

SUNDAY 9TH MARCH
11AM - 2PM
WEDNESDAY 12TH MARCH
3.30PM - 6.30PM
SUNDAY 16TH MARCH
11AM - 2PM



Location: Pirongia Rugby Club, 2 Kane Street, Pirongia

Contact Neil for further enquiries 021 967 899

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23 March 2025
Lake Ngaroto
10:30am till 2pm

scan to find out more

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Ohaupo Hub
heart of the community

Ohaupo Hub Presents

FUNDRAISER PARTY

\$80/PP or \$150/couple
BAND & SUPPER PROVIDED
BAR OPEN - Happy Hour 7pm-8pm
DRESS CODE - SEMI FORMAL
RSVP for tickets - info@ohaupo.org.nz
\$5/PP Van Rides home will be available - within 10km radius of Hub

APRIL 12 7pm - Midnight
13 Forkert Rd, Ohaupo



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WAIKATO BOP SCHOOLS XC MTB CHAMPS 2025

Sponsored by Sign Logic & Alitech Window Systems

Track suitable for all abilities - Open from Year 5 - Year 13

Wednesday 12 March
Te Miro MTB Park

Please email
temiromtbevents@gmail.com
for any queries

Food and drink available - please bring cash



For more information, please read the Event Manual on the Te Miro MTB Club website

We will not be entering as a school but you may be interested in entering your child as an individual.

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