

Tauhei Combined School

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Newsletter



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Principal's Message

We had an important visit from the people at FireWise to teach Team Tauhei the importance of fire safety. Shane Bromley was impressed with the students knowledge and initiative of what to do in the event of an emergency. Also, a special mention to our Sustainability Ninjas, who have put in place a bin system to combat our over full rubbish bins. Team Tauhei has more than halved its waste bin use with reusing and recycling of paper and cardboard, as well as tin and food scraps.

"We realized that the only way to change things was to act."

After School Care - NOW OPEN MONDAY

AFTER SCHOOL CARE IS AVAILABLE MONDAY - FRIDAY UNTIL THE END OF THE YEAR

We are looking for new students for our great After School Care, please enrol soon. For more information please contact the school office.

Have Your Say

Health curriculum survey continues to collect your voice on what you believe is important to teach at Tauhei Combined School. Please take the time to complete the survey within the letter below. Your voice will help guide us in creating our 2020 Health programme.

Uniform Collection WE ARE COLLECTING IN ALL UNIFORM ITEMS BACK TO THE SCHOOL. Due to an update of our school uniform, the current white shirts will be a second uniform for next year. Before we roll out the brand new line, we need to collect as much of the old uniform as we can. If you have any pieces of purchased or borrowed Tauhei uniform, can you please return these to school.

Book Returns It is the time of year that we ask you to check under beds, behind the couch and to collect up all Tauhei Combined Schools reading books and library books that you might have at home to send them back to school. This is the last week that library books will be issued. Children will still have a home reading book each night. Library stock take will take place shortly.

Morrinsville College International Homestays Wanted For 2020

Homestays are required for short-term (Term 1 2020), and long-term (up to one year) Japanese international students. These are female students so the Code of Practice requires families for them who do not have boys aged between 14-22 years' old. The remuneration rate is generous and it is a rewarding experience. PLEASE CONSIDER HELPING OUT. Contact Mrs Lorraine Gould, 021 152 1493 who will be able to answer any queries.

Inter-school Athletics

A team represented Tauhei with bravery at the interschool athletics at Morrinsville College. Many students placed within the top three which is an outstanding effort against the best in our area. Certificates for the Rural, and Interschool Athletics will be presented at this week's assembly.

Final Assembly and End of Year Reports

End of year reports will be sent home with students on Monday the 16th of December.

Final Assembly will be held on the 17th of December beginning at 1.00 pm SHARP in the Tauhei Community Hall. This is for all students. Please be seated by the 1.00pm start time. We will be finished before 2.30pm end of school time, and if you are taking your child from the hall please see their teacher to sign them out first. If parents are taking more than their own children home, this will need to be arranged with the school office ahead of time.



Tauhei News

Each week our TCS News Team, **Livia and Harlow**, bring you news from the classroom and beyond. What is going on with our goings on in Team Tauhei.



Team Tauhei Learning To Swim!!!

Swimming is a great workout because you need to move your whole body against the water. It is an important life skill as well as a survival skill for people of all ages.

Students in this photo are building confidence in going underwater and coming back to the surface again. This is an important skill for juniors to learn.

- Assembly Certificates -

Our super students have shown dedication to learning, friendships, and supporting others. Role models of Team Tauhei. Assemblies and held every Friday afternoon. All parents and family are welcome to attend.

Week 5: Milla, Quinn, Luke, Honour, Amber, Isaiah

Week 6: Neco, Hamini, Abigail, Anita



Tui class is doing 10 or more minutes of reading every night to earn a Reading medal. This is good because we have started doing more reading at home and a lot of people are reading who didn't read at home before. Luke said "We are working hard to get the medal and we have a reading stamina sheet."

Once we have finished two of the reading sheets we earn our medal."

We interviewed Indie about the Fantail Happy Box. She said “When you

are sad, you go to the happy box and look at the pictures. You pull out a sentence that we wrote from the happy box.” This is a great idea because when you are sad, it will encourage people to feel included and happy.

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PTA NEWS

Tauhei Car Boot Sale

THIS WEEKEND - SATURDAY 30th OF NOVEMBER

Please see the flyer below. There is also the opportunity to set up your own stall for the day as well. Is it time for a clean out? Team up with some others, it will be a great day. It would be brilliant to see you there.

Board of Trustees NEWS

Introducing our Board Member - Chris May

Kia Ora, I am Chris May the principal and board member of Tauhei Combined School.

I completed my schooling at Morrinsville College and first became familiar with Tauhei Combined School during this time. With friends living in the area, I frequently visited Tauhei and have returned many years later to the school.

I live in Hamilton with my Wife Julia, who is a teacher at Te Totara Primary School. I have interests in sports, playing Football in the winter, and music playing in a covers band in the weekends. I am enjoying working alongside the rest of the Board of Trustees to enhance the lives and learnings of Team Tauhei students.

Dates for Term Four

29 November - All books due back to school
2 December - BOT Meeting
17 December - FINAL ASSEMBLY
18 December - **LAST DAY OF SCHOOL**

Dates for 2020

3 February - First Day of School
6 February - Waitangi Day
28 February - Swimming at the Rec Grounds
9 April - End of Term 1 (Thursday)

LUNCH BOX FUN-RAISING!

Just like a chocolate or lamington drive, you can help your school, club or group raise funds while getting your whole family's lunch box needs organised.

It's Fundraising made FUN – and easy!

By simply placing an order for some of our colourful lunch boxes or drink bottles, or booking your own Tupperware party, you will be helping raise funds for your group.

10% of all sales will be donated to your cause along with \$10 for every Tupperware party booked.

BOOKING A PARTY

Call your consultant (contact details on back page), pick a date and a style/theme that works for you and your friends.

PLACING AN ORDER

Complete the order form overleaf and your details below, place in an envelope and return to your school or group by the due date. **Be sure to include the school or group's name, child's name and class.** We accept cash, MasterCard or VISA to make payment easy.

DELIVERY

Your order will be delivered within 14 days. All orders will be individually packed and identified with your child's name. These will be distributed by your school or group.

Kiwi PIE

Ingredients:

- 500g mince
- 1 onion, chopped
- 1 tsp oil
- 1 can baked beans
- 1 can tomatoes
- 2 c frozen mixed veges
- 4 medium potatoes
- 1/4 c low fat milk
- 1/2 c edam cheese, grated
- chopped parsley

Preheat oven to 190°C. Brown onion and mince in pan with oil. Add baked beans, tomatoes and frozen veges, and heat until thawed. Cook potatoes in boiling water until tender, drain well and mash with milk, cheese and chopped parsley. Spoon mixture into individual dishes or a large pie dish and top with mashed potato. Bake for 25mins until golden.

GLOBAL FLAVOURS

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ABOVE: The great Kiwi Pie recipe from Project Energise.

LEFT: An older sister of a Team Tauhei student is raising money for the school by organising a Container Party. Sort out your lunchbox and food storage needs before the Christmas rush begins. For more information, please contact the school office.

A special thank you to the following for your continued support.



Tauhei Community

Trash and Treasure Garage/ Car Boot Sale 30th November 2019

Thank you for your interest in taking part in our community garage and car boot sale. Please fill out this form to secure yourself a spot on the day!

Name:

Email:

Contact Number:

Booking is essential so we can accommodate you on the 30th November. Below we require some brief details on what you plan on selling and pricing.

Products your planning to sell: (Please tick those that apply)

New ☐

Used ☐

Category

Machinery: ☐

Tools: ☐

Clothes: ☐

Household: ☐

Food: ☐

Bric a Brac: ☐

Other: _____

Price: Inside site (Table provided) = \$20

Outside site = \$10 (Bring your own gazebo, table etc.)

Sites are approximately five meters wide – Discuss with us if you require a bigger space

We will send a confirmation email once your application is received. This will contain some basic rules and options for payment. We look forward to an exciting eventful day!

Contact:

Kalli Ph: 07 8876818 or 0275231913 Email: kstark@xtra.co.nz or

Cathy Ph: 07 8895575 (Wk) or 0273454351 Email: cathy@morrinsvillenz.co.nz

Bookings to be received by Friday 15th November





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Health and Physical Education Curriculum Review Tauhei Combined School 2019

Purpose

1. Section 60B of the Education Act 1989, as amended by the Education Standards Act 2001, requires the Board of Trustees to produce a written statement, following consultation with the school's community, about how the school will implement health education once every two years.
2. To consult with parents, caregivers and staff about the health learning needs of Tauhei Combined School students and to provide programmes that will make a difference to their well-being.

Health and Physical Education at Tauhei Combined School

Tauhei Combined School provides a nurturing, child-friendly environment where students feel safe, supported and secure. Opportunities are provided for students that promote a sense of self-value and worth. All students are provided with a variety of opportunities to participate in activities of a competitive nature and those necessary to maintain a fit and healthy lifestyle.

Programme Implementation

Health and Physical Education are linked in one curriculum document. The New Zealand Curriculum has four main strands for Health and Physical Education.

1. Personal Health and Physical Development
2. Movement concepts and motor skills
3. Relationships with other people
4. Healthy communities and environments.

Of the seven key learning areas, there are four learning areas related to Health.

Area of Learning	Clarification and Possible Programme Content
Mental Health	Opportunities to develop knowledge, understanding and skills to: Strengthen personal Identity. Enhance a sense of self-worth. Develop effective relationships with others.
Sexuality Education	Opportunities to develop knowledge, understanding and skills to: Positive attitudes towards sexuality. Physical and emotional changes. Take care of their sexual health. Enhance their personal and interpersonal skills now and in the future.
Food and Nutrition	Opportunities to develop knowledge, understanding and skills to: Make informed decisions about food. Make informed choices that will contribute to their own well-being and that of other people.
Body Care and Physical Safety	Opportunities to develop knowledge, understanding and skills to: Personal body care. Recognise hazards in the environment, Adopt safe practices in relation to those hazards.

The other key learning areas are Outdoor Education, Physical Activities and Sport Studies.

The Tauhei Combined School Health and Wellbeing Curriculum

Below are the topics we currently cover at Tauhei Combined School as part of our Health Curriculum:

- Mental Health: Me, Family and Friends: Grief, Loss and Change: Stop, Think, Do: Keeping Ourselves Safe:
- Kia Kaha - A bully free zone: Body Image: Mind up – developing a positive mindset: Learning to Learn
- Body Care and Physical Safety: Body Needs: Staying Healthy: Hazards –cycle safety: Hazards – water safety and resuscitation
- Food and Nutrition: Healthy Eating: Food and Culture: Choice Food
- Sexuality Education: Everybody is Special: I am Growing: Growing and Changing: Making and Keeping Friends:
- Celebrating Difference: Pubertal Change (Year 5/ 6):

The school uses a range of programmes to teach health such as:

- **Keeping Ourselves Safe**
- **Life Education**
- **Positive Puberty**
- **Cyber Safety**
- **Food for Thought**

Tauhei Combined School offers a range of programmes and activities, competitive and non-competitive, for students to develop their sports skills and team work such as:

- **Swimming**
- **Cross Country**
- **Athletics**
- **Touch Rugby**
- **Basketball**
- **Netball**
- **Hockey**
- **Inter-school Sports**

The Consultation Process

We would like to invite you as a parent and/or caregiver of Tauhei Combined School to provide feedback through the link provided below. Please complete the feedback form by MONDAY 25 NOVEMBER.

TYPE IN THIS LINK TO ACCESS THE SURVEY

tinyurl.com/y4tmohj2



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