



NEWSLETTER/PANUI

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A MESSAGE FROM MR EVANS - TUMUAKI / PRINCIPAL

Tēnā koutou katoa o Te Atatū Intermediate whānau.

We have now completed all three of our syndicate camps, and we were very fortunate that most of the camping experience was able to be undertaken without too much rain. Thank you to all parents, students and staff for what has been a very positive experience. Next week, we have our annual **open night on Tuesday** and also a reminder that we will be undertaking our **teacher only day on Monday 29 August.**

Open Night Tuesday 23rd August

Our annual Open Night is to be held on **Tuesday 23rd August from 6.30-8pm** for our **incoming 2023 Year 7 students**. During this evening, our school is 'live' with current students in classrooms as well as specialist and technology classes. Information will be coming home for students selected to support the open night. They will need to be in full school uniform for this, and collected from school at the conclusion of the evening. We thank you for your support with this.

Please encourage any Year 6 families you know to attend- information has been sent to local Peninsula schools, is on our school website and will also be in the 19th August Western Leader edition. The format will be;

6.30-7pm - Address in the hall from Principal / Prefect team

7-8pm - Tours/ own visits to classes to see the school in action as it would be on a day to day basis.

Rutherford College are enrolling now

Rutherford College has appointments and/or walk-ins available today **Thursday 18th August** while the school is open for Option evening and parent meetings from 2pm to 7pm.

Then also **Tuesday 23rd and Wednesday 24th August** in the afternoons from next week 2pm to 4:30 pm. Please phone the school office to book a time - **098349790**

School Photos - class and individual - Friday 2nd September

Information around how to order photos online, including sibling photos, will be sent out next week - in the meantime, we have received this message from Photolife;

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"This year photographs will be available for your school community to view and order online with PhotoLife Studios.

Your school community will receive their unique Access Key that will display all the photographs of their child. It is then an easy process for them to shop on-line and purchase the photographs.

If the order is placed within two weeks of the Access Key, free delivery for all orders will be sent to the school for distribution. PhotoLife has agreed to dispatch all the orders placed before the expiry of the free delivery period to the school for each child to take home.

Any orders placed after this three-week period will be sent directly to a provided delivery address and will incur a \$6.00 Postage & Packing charge. This message will be displayed when you order online."

Lunch ordering @ TAI

Once again, here is the information about our lunch ordering system, the new additions have proven very popular. These options are - **Pita Pit (Available every school day)** Your child's lunch can be ordered online and delivered at lunchtime to the school office. All orders are via Kindo (details for setting up are on the school website.) **Subway (Delivery Tuesdays and Thursdays) and Sushi Roll (Delivery Thursday only) is also now available. Full menu can be accessed [here](#)**

Daffodil Day Support

On **Friday the 26th of August** we will be having a non-uniform day to support **Daffodil Day**. Money raised will go to the Cancer Foundation to provide cancer care for patients, education and awareness programmes, and life-saving cancer research. Please bring a gold coin donation and support this important cause!

School Sport

Netball results for Wednesday 17th August

Rivals vs Blockhouse Bay Int **17-12 WIN**

Titans vs Blockhouse Bay Int **10-11 Loss**

Tactix vs Blockhouse Bay Int **11-12 Loss**

Talons vs Marina View **9-11 Loss**

YR8 GRADE 1- 6th PLACE

YR8 GRADE 4 -4th PLACE

YR7 GRADE 2- 6th PLACE

YR7 GRADE 4 -2nd PLACE

Well done to our netball teams this week - those are very narrow losses, but a great win to the Rivals !

Staff News

Congratulations to our Room 13/Hapori teacher **Mr Jordan Vale** whose Football team - **Auckland City FC** who were 3-0 victors over AS Venus from Tahiti in the Oceania qualifier for the Club Championships. This means that they have now qualified as the Oceania representatives at the World Club Championship to be held in the United Arab Emirates in February 2023. Well done Mr Vale - a great achievement, we are all proud of you!



Upcoming events

- 1) **TAI Open Night - Tuesday 23 August - 6.30-8pm** for incoming 2023 students/whānau
- 2) **Teacher Only Day - Monday 29 August** - NZEI final accord day. Staff will be working with a facilitator around implementation of digital technology.

Have a great rest of the week!

Ngā mihi nui,

*Lloyd Evans,
Tumuaki/Principal*