

10 November 2023

Pānui

MMI Newsletter No. 33



COMING EVENTS

November 2023

- 13-16** Dolphin Explorer Excursion
- 14** HPV 2 Vaccination Catch-up - Year 7
- 17** PSG - Juicie Sale
- 27** St Johns Training Begins
- 30** Last day to purchase Yr 8 'Formal' tickets

December 2023

- 7** Yr 8 End of Year Leaving 'Formal'
- 8** Last day for Lunchonline orders
- 12** Prize Giving
- 14** Year 8's Donate Uniforms
- 14** End of Term 4 - 12 noon finish

Term 4 Week 5

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REMINDER:

If your child is later than the school bell at 8.45am, they must report to the school office to sign in.

If they forget then they are marked as absent and an automated absentee text will go out to parents.



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FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Welcome to week 5! The term is certainly flying by and as always, this week has been a busy and productive week at MMI.

We managed to hold our Athletics Sports after postponing them due to weather.

It was awesome to see our students out there having fun, earning house points and of course applying the athletic skills they have been practising in their PE lessons.

Thank you to Mr Logan for all the organisation of this school-wide event.



Melissa Nelson



I tenei ra i whakanuia e matou te kapa haka ki to matou kura. He whakanui whakamataku!

The undoubted highlight this week was the Ra Whakangahau- a celebration of kapa haka- held here at MMI. The event was a great opportunity for our Kahui Ako ki Mauao kura to be together.

We hosted students from many ECE's, Mount Maunganui Primary, Omanu Primary, Tahatai Coast Primary and Arataki Primary. Mount College also joined us as well as several visitors from Ngai te Rangī Iwi and many friends and families of the performing roopu.

Throughout the day, our classes went to the hall to watch the performances. It was fantastic to see the way in which our kura all support each other.

The faces on the preschoolers were priceless when they took the stage, and you could see how much they loved having the big kids to cheer them on.

The performances from the College and MMI Kapa Haka Groups provided inspiration and motivation for the younger students in our community.

POIPOIA TE KĀKANO KIA PUĀWAI

Nurture the seed and it will blossom

KIA MAUAO TE TŪ



The older students were a great support to the younger children; demonstrating tuakana teina in a really authentic way.

The quality of performance was really high. You could see and hear how much time and effort has gone into preparing each group for their time on the stage.



Have a great weekend everyone.

Whaea Melissa

FROM THE SENIOR LEADERSHIP TEAM

BUSES

In collaboration with our bus operators, we are launching a student education initiative, starting with a “Code of Conduct” which will be displayed on every bus.

Please see attached a letter outlining what is expected from school students when using the bus service, along with a copy of the “Code of Conduct” poster which will be displayed in every bus.

baybus

Code of Conduct

We want all of our buses to be friendly, safe, and inclusive for everyone. To achieve this, we ask you to take responsibility for your own behaviour.

You have the right to:

- Be treated with respect
- Receive friendly and courteous service
- A safe, clean and comfortable travelling environment

This means that you will not:

- Threaten, bully or harass other people on the bus
- Swear or use bad language
- Eat, drink, vape or smoke on the bus
- Tag, graffiti or damage the bus in any way
- Exhibit anti-social or disorderly behaviour

You are responsible for:

- Respecting other peoples' rights
- Paying the correct fare
- Following any reasonable instructions from the driver and/or another company representative
- Good behaviour
- Telling us if you see anyone damaging the bus

Please follow this Code of Conduct so everyone can have a pleasant journey. If you don't comply with the Code of Conduct, it may result in removal of your right to use the bus and/or prosecution for unlawful behaviour.

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COASTAL VALUE CERTIFICATES 2023 Term 4 – Week 5

1	Lexi Tulloch	For commendable progress in mathematics. Your hard mahi has certainly paid off. You should be most proud of yourself! Te koi hoki o tō pinati.
3	Sophie Mason	For making extreme progress in Reading this year. You have made outstanding growth, well done. Tino pai!!
4	Lily Matiaha	For the awesome writing you have been doing. Kei te whakahīhī au ki a koe! I am very proud of you!
5	Stella Bardsley	Stella won a digital Art competition which is up on display on a billboard opposite KFC promoting awareness around plant disease. She won \$150 and a photoshoot as well as going into the Sunlive newspaper representing MMI. Great work, Stella!
6	Noah Francisco	For your sense of humour and dedication to school work. Te koi hoki o tō pinati
7	TK Noanoa Samuels	For settling into whānau 7 with ease and displaying the Coastal Value, Manaaki, by showing respect to your class members and making new friends. Mīharo!
8	Elena Symes	Great work this week Elena! You are continuing to give your best effort right through to the end of the year. Keep up the great attitude. :)
9	Lara Wright	for the consistent effort you put into all areas of your learning. Ka mau te wehi!
10	Sophie Waddell	For consistently striving for improvement in all areas of your learning. Keep up the fantastic attitude and effort Sophie.
11	Zigy Mouldey	For the excellent mahi you did during the year 7 Athletics. Outstanding effort and results. Kei te whakahīhī au ki a koe!
12	Max Mcneill	For managing yourself and always completing your learning to a high standard. Ka Pai!
13	Nash Rolls	For a giving your best effort on Athletics Day and with great results. Well done giving it 100%. Ka Rawe Nash
14	Brynna Reaves	For quietly and consistently being a wonderful role model for all in Room 14. You are focussed, involved, and display many positive personal qualities. Thank you. Well done.

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15	Jake Te Wheoro-Mills	For showing resilience and improved maturity in your learning. I am very proud of you! Kei te whakahīhi au ki a koe!
17	Charlie Hartsone	Put simply, being ever reliable.
18	Stiaan Vorster	Welcome to whanau 18. You have seamlessly immersed yourself into the life of the school and will be a great addition to our class.
19	Amy Kilgour	For your amazing effort in Athletics. You gave it your all and I'm proud of you!
20	Lilly Quinn	For your positive contributions and engagement in class discussions and tasks. Thank Lilly, keep it up!
21	Lara Nops	For being a wonderful member of Whānau 21, who is always kind, helpful, and hardworking
24	Nikki-Jane Patira	For demonstrating perseverance and commitment in kapa haka. Your positive outlook towards kapa haka has been infectious, Nikki-Jane! Ka mau te wehi!
25	Harry Dawson	Your amazing effort and achievements in Literacy this year. It is clear you take pride in your work and learning. He whētu koe!!
Digi Tech	Mason Tulloch Whanau 19	For showing persistence and resilience to complete your learning tasks in Digital Technology. Tino pai tō mahi!
Dance & Drama	Emely Contreras Whānau 9	your commitment to your drama improvisation performance. You are a talented actress and entertainer who consistently demonstrates tuakiri and ako. Kei te pai Emely.
Foods	Shae Te Whau Whānau 13	For bringing a sense of serenity and maintaining a focused demeanor while working in the kitchen.
Visual Arts	Kortez Dorset Whanau 24	For such a positive, conscientious attitude and displaying maturity by encouraging your peers to do the right thing.
Music	Donavan Hernandez Whānau 14	Mā te kimi ka kite, Mā te kite ka mōhio, Mā te mōhio ka mārama Seek and discover. Discover and know. Know and become enlightened For you positive contributions while exploring Rhythm. Keep up the positive energy and you will soar in music.



KIWI CAN

This week in Kiwi Can we are looking at respecting others and the ideas that they bring to the table.

What activity might this look like? Well a debate of course! it seems to be that dogs are favoured more than cats here at MMI.

This week also hosts athletics. Ka pai to everyone that participated in it!

You have all braved the heat of the weather, and have given it your best. Tu meke!



MMI SPORTS

SUPER 11 VOLLEYBALL

In an inspiring display of teamwork, sportsmanship, and continuous improvement, our MMI Volleyball teams have left spectators in awe with their stellar performance in the recent Super 11 tournament.

From the very first serve, it was evident that this group of Volleyballers were prepared to try their best. Their dedication to the game and their fellow teammates shone through in every play.

It was very clear that they believed Volleyball is a team sport, and they were focused on building a strong sense of camaraderie and trust among their players.

But it wasn't just about sportsmanship. This teams ability and performance improved significantly as the tournament progressed. They showed resilience, determination, and a willingness to learn from each match.

Their coaches were very supportive and worked to identify areas of improvement, and the players wholeheartedly embraced the feedback.

A huge thank you to all those that coached and were available to support our tamariki on the day. It is also lovely to see so many whanau come and support our teams.



Year 7 Boys

Knox Meade, Eloï Tetaï Tenas, Raniera Tiopira-Horne, Theo Ingram, Alex Hood, Josh Ramshaw, Donovan Hernandez and Judah Taylor



Year 7 Girls

Jess Sutcliffe, Taya Barnsdall, Jeanne Fromont, Emily O'Driscoll, Neve Walker, Jade Egan-Powell, Alby Moorehead and Neve Keown



Year 8 Boys

Enzo Graham, Henry Henderson, Olly Jones, Loncey Swann, Hikairo Moorehead, Will Ferris, Matt Ferris and Coebin Green



Year 8 Girls

Kyla Wills, Lara Wright, Nicole Zhou, Maia Symes, Holly James, Belle Ririnui, Micah Fuller and Indi Weston

The culmination of their hard work was the wonderful result they achieved.

MMI RESULTS

Year 7 Girls First Place - GOLD

Year 7 Boys Second Place - SILVER

Year 8 Girls Second Place - SILVER

Year 8 Boys Third place - BRONZE

WBOP TOUCH

GOLD Medalist two years in a row!!

We are thrilled to announce a remarkable achievement of our MMI Mixed Touch Rugby team as they secured their second consecutive victory in the highly competitive Western Bay of Plenty (WBOP) Touch Rugby Championship.

The team's remarkable skills, dedication, and teamwork have brought them to the forefront of this sport.

In a display of talent and sportsmanship, has once again emerged as the champions of the WBOP Touch Rugby Championship. This incredible feat showcases the unwavering commitment and relentless effort these young athletes have put into their game.

A huge thank you to Tane for coaching and working alongside this team which helped them achieve their award. The coach and mentors of the team have played an instrumental role in shaping these young athletes into the remarkable team they are today.

We can't wait to see what the future holds for this extraordinary team.



Ariki Jacob, Harrison Ellis, Alakris Coleman, Zen Lawrence, Elli Kishor, Brayden Dufty, Toby Borman, Holly James, Karcia Taane, Arabella Martelli- Coleman, Ashley Ruddell and Sienna Rolls

SCHOOL NOTICES

YEAR 8 LEAVERS 'FORMAL'

ALL YEAR 8 STUDENTS ARE INVITED TO THE 2023

YEAR 8 FORMAL

*A celebration of your time at
Mount Intermediate*

DANCING! PHOTO BOOTH! SUPPER!

THURSDAY DECEMBER 7TH

7-9PM

MOUNT MAUNGANUI INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL HALL

TICKETS \$20

TICKETS AVAILABLE NOW

LOG INTO WWW.LUNCHONLINE.CO.NZ TO
PURCHASE

SCHOOL NOTICES

Intermediate Bike Safety 2024

Travel Safe in partnership with Intermediate Schools would like to invite 2024 Year 7/8 students to register for Intermediate Bike Safety 2024.

This is a bike safety programme that is designed to encourage and support intermediate students to safely ride their bikes to and from school, building skills and confidence on the road.

Students will learn how to safely navigate intersections and identify hazards. The programme supports the local bike infrastructure, students' own decision making around route choice, and school's bike procedures.

We have a refreshed programme to make this more accessible to students.

This is achieved by having set outcomes that are specific to the infrastructure around the school and surrounding streets.

The session timings will allow students and instructors to have more time to discuss, demonstrate and do the learning outcomes. This will help the students get a better understanding and increased confidence.

This approach will also ensure that all students get consistent bike safety instruction, regardless of where they live and their route to school. This programme will now be completed in school hours.

To register please click link next to the Intermediate School your child/children will be attending in 2024. Please note we have limited places on each programme and once filled we will place registrations on a wait list.

Mount Maunganui Intermediate: https://tauranga.syd1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_7PQpomSP09xFFHw



Pohutukawa Gallery
supporting MMI

We are trialing a loyalty programme designed specifically to support our local schools this Christmas.

Between 1st September and 26th November 2023, simply let us know what school you are from when shopping with us, and your school will earn 5% of your purchase back in Loyalty Dollars.

During the last week of November, we will tally up these Loyalty Dollars and will send out Pohutukawa Gallery Gift Vouchers to your school to spend as they choose.



Please note our dates for Term 4 and Term 1 next year.

Last day for orders this year - Friday 8 December 2023.

First day for orders next year - Wednesday 7 February 2024.



SAVE THE DATE

TUES - 23 JANUARY 2024

MMC SECONDHAND UNIFORM SALE

Open from 5pm onwards
School Hall at Mount College



PLEASE ENSURE ALL UNIFORM DONATED IS CLEAN AND IN NO NEED OF REPAIR **

PLEASE REMOVE "BLUES" FROM THE SLEEVES OF FLEECES BEFORE THESE ARE DONATED

CALLING ALL YEAR 8'S AND ANY YEAR 7'S WHO ARE NOT RETURNING NEXT YEAR

DONATE YOUR MMI UNIFORM AND RECEIVE A FREE JUICIE

If you would like to donate your uniform, please bring it to the canteen, before school begins, on the last day.
(Thursday 14th December)

Students leaving MMI and who are donating their uniform can wear multi. All other students need to be in correct uniform.

The PSG run the second hand uniform sale from these donations and the funds go back into helping other MMI families in need. This is NOT compulsory but can be very helpful to others.



Juicies
real. fruit. simple

Friday 17 November

Lunchtime
Available from the canteen
Please make sure seated when eating
\$1.50 each

Another great fundraising event brought to you by the PSG

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Tauranga Sailing School
CALL: 02 040 219 219 | EMAIL: US.learntosail@yacht.org.nz

Have A Go Sailing!
We offer those who are new to sailing the opportunity to give sailing a go for one or multiple days in school holidays and throughout the school term.
Starting From \$35

LEARN TO SAIL PINK!
LTS Pink is a ten-session course over either five or six weeks designed to teach children the basics of sailing. There will be lots of fun and plenty of adventures including both group and individual sailing.
Courses Starting From \$240

BOOK YOUR SPOT! FOR A SUMMER ADVENTURE!
COME AND JOIN IN ON THE FUN UNDER THE SUN!



Help us address air quality issues in your area

If you see or smell black smoke, dust clouds or an offensive odour please notify Toi Moana Bay of Plenty Regional Council right away.

To report an issue to our Duty Officer, call our Pollution Hotline with as much detail as possible. Alternatively, you can log your experience online at Report it. All customer details are confidential.

To learn about the work we are doing to address air quality in this area visit www.boprc.govt.nz/neumt-industrial

24/7 Pollution Hotline 0800 884 883
www.boprc.govt.nz/report-it



Scan the QR code to visit Report it.



4TH - 9TH JANUARY, 2024
RIMUFEST
CHAMBER MUSIC FESTIVAL

VIOLIN, VIOLA, CELLO, DOUBLE BASS & PIANO

Discover the RimuFest Chamber Music Festival, a dynamic 6-day summer program for young string musicians aged 7-18. Founded by Amelia Taylor and Alejandro Larambe, our festival fosters musical growth through collaboration and leadership development.

- Chamber Concert Series: Enjoy performances by our esteemed faculty and guest artists.
- Daily Coaching: Refine your ensemble skills with daily coaching sessions.
- Masterclasses: Elevate your performance in enriching masterclasses.
- Alexander Technique: Experience specialized training tailored to string students.
- Orchestra sessions: For every level

Join our vibrant musical community at RimuFest, where students of all levels share the joy of chamber music. Don't miss this opportunity to grow as a musician and connect with fellow music enthusiasts.

APPLY BY:
12th November 2023

HOW TO APPLY
Submit google form
Upload video to YouTube



APPLY NOW www.rimufest.com | rimufest@gmail.com

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UPTON MUSIC SCHOOL COME TO MMI

EVERY FRIDAY BETWEEN 10AM-12PM

EMAIL: HELLO@UPTONMUSICSCHOOL.CO.NZ

VISIT: UPTONMUSICSCHOOL.CO.NZ



Entrance Fees: Adults : \$7 Children:(12 & Under) \$3

MODEL TRAIN SHOW

20th & 21st January 2024
Open 10—4.30 daily

Tauranga Boys College, Gymnasium



AF YOUTH FREE TRIAL
WHEN: 8TH NOVEMBER 4PM - 6PM
PROGRAMME FOCUS

- Speed and agility
- Strength training
- Fitness and conditioning
- Learn correct technique
- Individualised for everyone

Get your training back on track and be in the best shape to start your 2024 season!

REGISTER NOW

Limited to the first 10 athletes that sign-up!

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12a Aerodrome Road, Mount

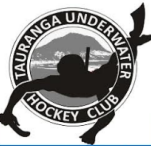


UNDERWATER HOCKEY

What is it??

Underwater hockey is a sport consisting of 2 teams of up to 10 players, 6 playing and 4 subs contesting a puck weighing approx 1.2kg. Each team aims to put the puck into their opponents goal. 1 team will play with black sticks and the other white sticks which are used to push the puck along the bottom of the pool. Players use fins for speed through the water, a mask and snorkel to enable the players to keep an eye on the game. They also wear a glove and cap for protection. Games are between 10 and 15mins each way. Interested?? Come to Baywave & Have a go!!

For more details: check our Facebook page
[Tauranga Underwater Hockey](https://www.facebook.com/TaurangaUnderwaterHockey)



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USEFUL INFORMATION

TERM DATES

Term 1 – 31 January to 6 April
Term 2 – 24 April to 30 June
Term 3 – 17 July to 22 September
Term 4 – 9 October to 14 December

MEDICATION

If your child has a severe medical condition or needs to take medication at school please contact the office at: office@mtint.school.nz

SCHOOL DROP OFF

These are NOT drop off zones:

- Lodge Avenue Staff Carpark
- Lodge Avenue Turn Around
- The Bus Bay on Links Avenue

This is for the safety of your children, when dropping off or picking them up. Please refrain from entering and parking in these areas.

CHANGE OF DETAILS

It would greatly assist us if you could please advise the office if you have any changes of address, phone numbers, email addresses and emergency contact details. In the event of an emergency, sickness or injury we need to be able to contact someone who can collect your child.

Please email the office at office@mtint.school.nz

KEY LINKS

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