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MMI Newsletter No. 14



COMING EVENTS

SEPTEMBER

- 5-11 AIMS Games 2026
- 15 BOT Meeting
- 16 Out of Zone Enrolments close
- 18-20 Dance NZ Made National Competition
- 22 Ballot for Out of Zone Enrolments
- 25 Out of Zone Enrolments notified of outcome
- 25 End of Term 3
- 26-29 North Island Waterpolo Festival

OCTOBER

- 12 Beginning of Term 4
- 14-28 Ritsumeikan group
- 26 Labour Day - No School
- 27 BOT Meeting
- 28 WBOP Tennis - Papamoa
- 30 Teacher Only Day - School closed

NOVEMBER

- 6 MAP Testing - MMC
- 11-13 S11 Battle of the Bays - Gisborne
- 12 WBOP Touch Tournament
- 19 S11 Girls Cricket - Fergusson Park
- 27 S11 Athletics - Tauranga

DECEMBER

- 1 BOT Meeting
- 10 Year 8 Formal
- 11 Prizegiving
- 15 Last day of Term 4

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LOANED UNIFORMS

If your child has loaned any PE Uniform/School Uniform or has any Sports Uniforms at home, can they please be returned to the school.

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INTERMEDIATE

MMI COASTAL VALUES



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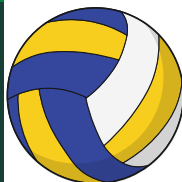
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PONO
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TUAKIRI
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their identity



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FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Kia ora koutou Whānau,

It has been another incredible week at MMI, and we have so much to celebrate, particularly on the academic front!

School Speech Finals

Last Friday, we held our annual School Speech Finals. The standard of competition was exceptional, featuring some of the most compelling, well-researched, and diverse topics we have ever seen on our stage.

A massive congratulations to our overall year-level winners:

- Year 7 Winner: Jimmy Skerrett – Toxic masculinity is wrongly taking over the internet
- Year 8 Winner: Willa Marshall – Why teenagers shouldn't drink alcohol

Both Jimmy and Willa delivered outstanding speeches, and we wish them the absolute best as they represent Mount Maunganui Intermediate at the regional competition at Ōmokoroa School on Wednesday, 23rd September (Week 10).

Incredible Resilience & Success at Book Battle NZ

On Monday, two teams of our student teams headed off to represent MMI at the national Book Battle NZ competition. The morning took a frightening turn when the girls were involved in a car accident on their way to the event. First and foremost, we are incredibly relieved to share that all of our girls came away completely unharmed, though understandably shaken by the experience.

What happened next is a true testament to the courage, focus, and grit of these exceptional students. Refusing to let the morning's scary event derail them, the girls pulled together, composed themselves, and took to the stage to compete.

Not only did they show remarkable resilience, but their literary knowledge absolutely shone:

- **1st Place overall**, taking out the championship trophy with the **highest overall score across the entire country!**
- **3rd Place overall**, securing another incredible podium finish for MMI!

We could not be prouder of these two teams for their composure under pressure, outstanding teamwork, and brilliant result. Ka rawe, girls!



Renee Thurston
Acting Principal



Luna Wnendt, Tilly Eggmann, Tabby Wickham, Thea Tulloch, Billie Wallace, Scout Innes & Charlotte Taylor-Kafka

POIPOIA TE KĀKANO KIA PUĀWAI

Nurture the seed and it will blossom

KIA MAUAO TE TŪ

Bandquest Showcase

Our student musicians took to the stage at Bandquest, delivering energizing performances that blew the judges away. Be sure to check out the full write-up from our Matua Shan in this week's newsletter to read about their individual awards and group performance placements.



Regional Science Fair

Our young innovators represented MMI with incredible scientific rigor and creative problem-solving.

Make sure to read the Science Fair article in the newsletter for photos of the exhibits and a list of award winners.

Our students continue to embody our core values, pushing boundaries and setting high standards for themselves. As Principal, I could not be prouder of their hard work, enthusiasm, and achievements!



AIMS Games Week

Next week (Week 8), the excitement reaches a whole new level as we kick off Zespri AIMS Games! This massive event brings together thousands of intermediate-aged athletes from all across the country and the Pacific to compete across a huge range of sports. It is one of the absolute highlights of the school calendar.

We are so proud of all our teams and individual athletes who have been training tirelessly. We look forward to seeing our tamariki display fantastic sportsmanship, represent MMI with pride, and give it their absolute all out on the courts, fields, and turfs. Best of luck to everyone competing!

In-School Programme: Amazing Race Inquiry

For our students who are not competing at AIMS Games, we have a fantastic week planned right here on campus!

Students will be taking part in a high-energy, hands-on Amazing Race Inquiry. This action-packed programme is designed to challenge their problem-solving skills, teamwork, and creativity through a series of fun, interactive tasks across the week.

A gentle reminder that regular school attendance remains just as important during event weeks as any other time of the term. We expect all non-competing students to be at school every day to take full advantage of this unique learning experience.

Have a wonderful weekend, and let's get ready for an exciting week ahead!

Nāku noa, nā

Renee Thurston
Acting Principal

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COASTAL VALUE CERTIFICATES 2026 Term 3 – Weeks 6/7

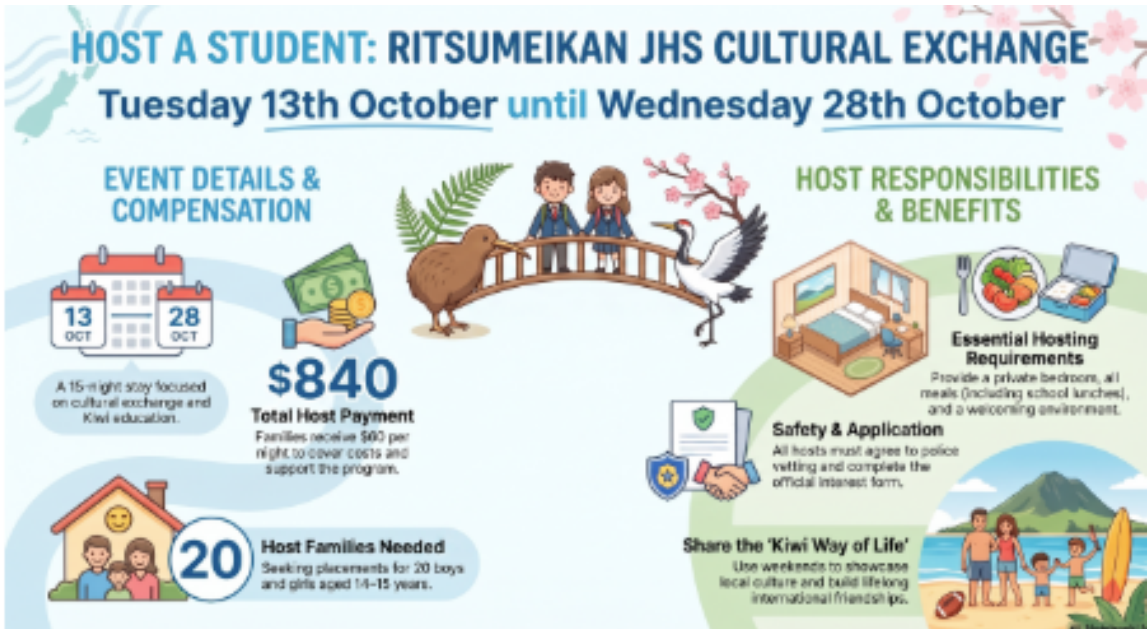
1	Lyle Murray	For being a great Tuakana and showing a focussed attitude during Maths time. Keep up this positive attitude.	1	Ollie Johnson	For making an improved effort with your learning, especially with your Maths testing over the last week. Great improvement. Keep it up!
2	Ryder Snelson	For being a reliable and helpful member of Whānau 2 who always has a positive attitude. Keep up the awesome work.	2	Luka Jonnart	For consistently showing initiative, stepping up to help others without being asked, and bringing an infectious positive energy to our classroom.
3	Coco Shearman	For consistently showing the Coastal Values; she listens carefully, focusses on her learning and gets on well with others.	3	Archie Thom	For great progress in your understanding of Proportional Thinking in Maths. You have also shown a better attitude towards learning and focussing in class, well done.
4	Ashley Gardner	For your proactive approach to math revision, it's lovely to see your dedication and commitment to learning.	4		
6			6	Grayson Jones	For being a reliable and valued member of Whānau 6! Your positive attitude and willingness to help others is truly appreciated. Ka Rawe!
7	Kiera-Lee Cooper	For using the Coastal Values, Ako & Tuakiri, by writing and performing a spectacular speech. Ka mau te wehi!	7		
8	Sebastien Beaudoin	For your resilience and enthusiastic approach to learning. You embody Ako, Manaaki, and Pono in the classroom, stepping up to share your knowledge with peers once you've mastered a concept.	8	Kyah Harlan	For taking charge of your learning journey, staying accountable, and passionately pursuing your interests.
9	Olivia Ellison	For your perseverance in your learning, it's great to see you pushing yourself in all learning areas!	9		
10	Felix Schick	For the positive adjustments you have made this term. It has been great to see you become more settled in our class environment. Your progress has been recognised by many. Ka rawe, Felix!	10	Evie Caldwell	For putting your best foot forward to further your learning. A quiet yet resilient learner, your kind nature and effort does not go unnoticed, Evie. Kia mau te wehi!
11	Levi Cullum	For sharing your creativity in a variety of ways, including the arts, sketchnoting and writing. He whetū koe!	11	Kera-Lee Croot-Halidone	For locking into learning and staying there—managing those distractions with greater prowess!
12	James Rosendaal	For your positive, diligent approach to all class tasks.	12		
13	Manaaki Himiona	For your improved focus during learning time. You are a pleasure to teach and we are super proud of your progress! He whetū koe!	13	Liam Skelton	For sharing your pepeha in front of the whole class. You were brave and tried your best with your pronunciation. Ka rawe!
15	Blake Taani	For your fantastic effort in learning and for going out of your way to be helpful and considerate of others.	15	Nixon Gilmer	For showing improved focus in your work, a helpful attitude, and a positive attitude towards learning.

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16	Kubi Heller	For sharing your fantastic talent for art and creative sand art patterns at Omanu Beach! Your awesome artistic flair brought so much joy to our beach community.	16	Leilaine Wilson	For your positive attitude in Maths and excellent progress, especially in your MAP group. Keep up the fantastic effort!
17	Riley Duncan	For always having a positive attitude and being an engaged member of our class. You put your best foot forward, share awesome ideas, and show enthusiasm for your learning. Your care and effort never go unnoticed!	17		
18	Seoyul Choi	Awarded for creating and presenting a great speech, and for always holding your work to the highest standard!	18	Lucas Brodie	Your hard work and dedication to your maths snapshot and learning lately has been amazing. Keep up the amazing work!
20	Ava Lapruengannan	For making an effort to be kind and inclusive. You are a valued member of our class.	20	Danny Dinneen	For your impressive, creative, and out of the box Inquiry. You have really been in your element this term!
21	Kasper Hoyem	For embracing school life, stepping out of your comfort zone, working hard on your English, and always trying your best!	21	Arley Riches	For adopting a positive growth mindset, fully locking in, and showing incredible determination that completely transformed your Maths this term.
24	Max Wilson	For showing a great effort and positive attitude in Maths. You are making fantastic progress through your hard work and determination.	24	Maia Kemp	For making an outstanding improvement in your maths snapshot to gain 100% Well done Maia for all your hard mahi this term.
27			27	Wena Jones	For showing great perseverance and ako, revising her maths and trying her best in the maths snapshot. Ka mau te wehi, Wena!
Digi Tech	Mac Holmes Whānau 17	For your thoughtful contributions to class discussions. You have been enthusiastic and interested in all your Digi lessons.	Digi Tech	Ayah Joule Whānau 3	A great start to Digital Technology. You are positive and engaged in your learning.
Science	Emma Manville Whānau 14	I love your enthusiasm for Science. Congratulations on your Science Fair win, and thank you for helping at Open Evening!	Science		
Food Tech	Nixon Gilmer Whānau 15	For exceptional care, craftsmanship, and perseverance in shaping your bread knots. Your dedication to perfection truly paid off!	Food Tech	Lochlan Cassidy Whānau 18	For your calm presence and comfortable confidence in our practical kitchen space. You quietly get the job done and set a fantastic tone for your group!
Music			Music	Pedro Maciel Prieto Whānau 8	For showing outstanding focus, contribution, and for your inclusive approach to working as part of a team.
Visual Arts	Eden Tafea Room 28	For being so conscientious and focused over this cycle. Excellent effort with pastel blending and your two-faced portrait, well done!	Visual Arts	Arii Mokomoko Room 4	Great drawing skills in capturing action in your manikin drawings—your eye for detail really showed, well done!
Hard Materials	Manaaki Perie Room 20	For an excellent design and build of a model combustion engine.	Hard Materials	Esme Bell Room 21	For sticking with challenges, asking questions, and seeking help when needed.

SCHOOL INFORMATION

RITSUMEIKAN JHS CULTURAL EXCHANGE



HOST A STUDENT: RITSUMEIKAN JHS CULTURAL EXCHANGE
Tuesday 13th October until Wednesday 28th October

EVENT DETAILS & COMPENSATION

- 13 OCT** to **28 OCT**: A 15-night stay focused on cultural exchange and Kiwi education.
- \$840** Total Host Payment: Families receive \$60 per night to cover costs and support the program.
- 20** Host Families Needed: Seeking placements for 20 boys and girls aged 14-15 years.

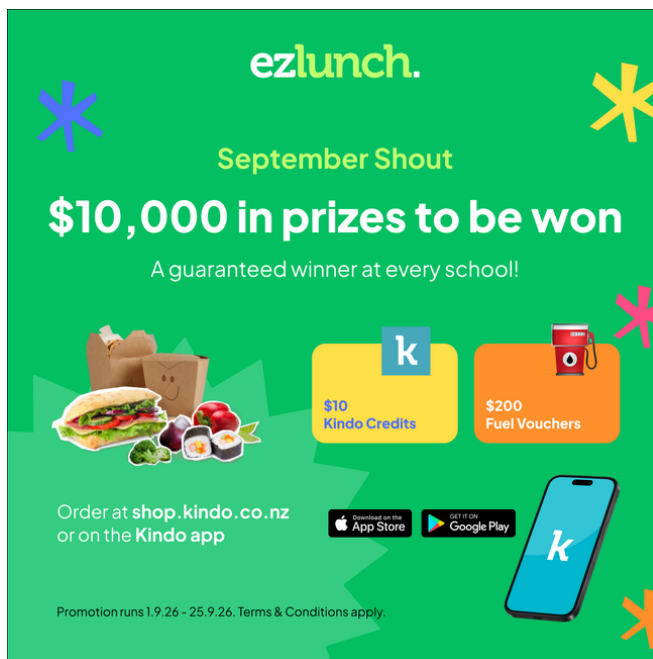
HOST RESPONSIBILITIES & BENEFITS

- Essential Hosting Requirements**: Provide a private bedroom, all meals (including school lunches), and a welcoming environment.
- Safety & Application**: All hosts must agree to police vetting and complete the official interest form.
- Share the 'Kiwi Way of Life'**: Use weekends to showcase local culture and build lifelong international friendships.

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This provides gear for students to use in their break time.



What to do:

- Collect the Yummy cut-out labels from bags (each cut-out label is worth 10 stickers) and individual Yummy apple stickers.
- Hand these stickers to your child's classroom teacher and they will earn house points as well.

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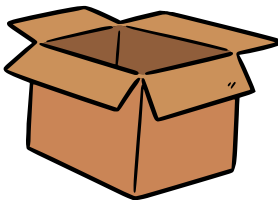
Yummy apples are available from New World, PAK'nSAVE and participating Four Square stores.

The more you collect, the more sports gear we get so get going and start collecting your Yummy cut-out labels and stickers now!

ART DEPARTMENT

Our Art Dept is in need of some supplies. If you have any of these items we would be grateful if you would be able to donate them to the school?

good clean white cardboard



old shirts (to be used as art shirts)



yoghurt pots



BANDQUEST

Two Bands. One Big Stage. One Very Proud School.

Oceanic Static and Youth Criminal make their mark at the 2026 Bay of Plenty BandQuest Regional

There are gigs where you watch a school band play. Then there are gigs where, for a few minutes, you forget you're watching school students at all.

At the 2026 Rockshop BandQuest Bay of Plenty Regional at Holy Trinity in Tauranga, Mount Maunganui Intermediate arrived with two bands — Oceanic Static and Youth Criminal — and both brought serious personality to the stage.



YOUTH CRIMINAL - will represent the Bay of Plenty region at this year's national finals. L-R Samuel Muncaster, Zane Sarjeant, Jett Rhind, Hunter Murphy and Miguel Rizzi.



YOUTH CRIMINAL - performing Bruno Mars track 'I just Might' during their performance

Youth Criminal: the real deal

Time to talk about Youth Criminal — Miguel Rizzi on vocals, Jett Rhind on drums, Samuel Muncaster on guitar, Zane Sarjeant on bass and Hunter Murphy on keys.

What made this performance special wasn't just that the musicians could play. It was that they sounded like a band.

Jett and Zane locked down the engine room, Samuel brought the guitar muscle, Hunter added colour and depth, while Miguel owned the role of frontman with confidence and presence. There was chemistry. There was movement. There was intent.

Oceanic Static: all attitude

With **Mason Thurston** on drums, **Nils Wolter** on lead guitar, **Kai Wills** on rhythm guitar, **Jacinta Rebagliati** on bass and **Joely Ogilvie-Clark**, **Bennah Smith** and **Kinley Pitipas** sharing lead vocals, Oceanic Static were never going to be a quiet proposition. Seven musicians. Three lead vocalists. Two guitars. A rhythm section holding it all together.

The result was a performance packed with energy and personality — a band that wasn't afraid to take up space and make the stage their own.



BANDQUEST

And while Oceanic Static didn't take the regional title, **Kai Wills walked away with the Best Guitarist award**, a fantastic recognition of his musicianship and a standout achievement in a field packed with talented young players.

Sometimes the trophy isn't the whole story. Sometimes one player gets to hear their name called and realise that all those hours of practice really did matter.

Most importantly, there was that elusive ingredient every great live band chases: connection.

Youth Criminal weren't simply performing songs. They were communicating with the room — and the room responded.

The result? 2026 Bay of Plenty BandQuest Regional Champions, a \$300 NZ Rockshop music-department credit and a place among the 25 national finalists competing later this term. Not a bad night's work.



Anticipation depicted - Oceanic Statics' Mason Thurston, Nils Wolter and Kai Wills warming up before doors at Bandquest 2026.

The best part of the night wasn't simply having a winner. It was watching two very different groups of young musicians discover what they could do on a big stage.

Oceanic Static brought attitude, individuality and musical ambition. Youth Criminal brought unity, confidence and performance fire. Both brought courage.

And behind both performances were hours of rehearsal, problem-solving, nerves, laughter, repetition and the inevitable, "Can we just run that bit one more time?"

The trophies will eventually gather dust. The lessons won't.

A huge shout-out goes to our own music maestro, Shannon Brown, whose countless extra hours designing medleys, shaping arrangements, facilitating rehearsals and relentlessly backing our young musicians continue to keep the MMI music heartbeat strong.

For the students, BandQuest was more than a competition. It was a chance to step onto a professional stage and discover what happens when preparation meets pressure — and when a group of young musicians trust each other enough to make something bigger than themselves. Titles and accolades may fade. Growth doesn't.

And if these two performances are anything to go by, we've only heard the opening track.

SCIENCE FAIR

MMI Students Shine at Regional Science and Technology Fair

Ten MMI students headed to Hamilton on Monday 24 August to take part in the Regional Science and Technology Fair, joining 465 students from 37 schools across the region.

Our students spent weeks developing their experiments and prototypes, and their creativity, perseverance and hard work really paid off!

All students went through to the final judging and a **special congratulations to our prize-winners**, who will receive a cash prize from the Science Fair organisers.

- **Charlotte Taylor-Kafka and Scout Innes – The Mordant Mystery.**

Entered in the Chemistry category, Charlotte and Scout investigated how different mordants affect the colour fastness of naturally dyed fabrics.

- **Emma Manville and Maggie Mawson – No Break Skate Lace.**

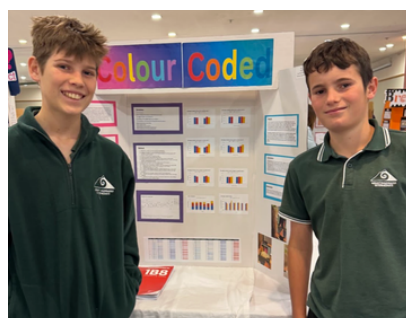
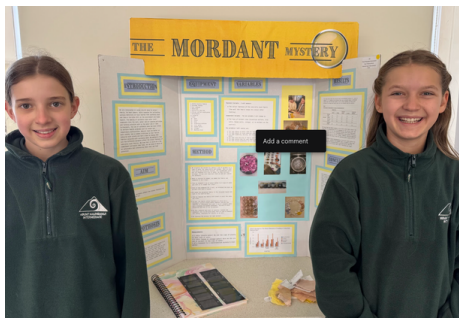
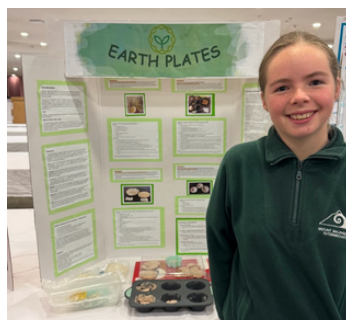
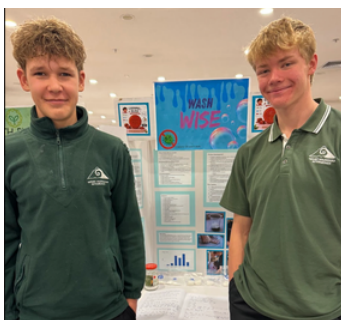
Entered in the Invention and Technical Innovation category, Emma and Maggie designed and tested different shoelace materials to determine which had the greatest resistance to friction and abrasion during skateboarding. Their goal was to create a stronger, more durable shoelace specifically designed for skateboarders.

We are incredibly proud of all our Science Fair students for their outstanding effort, creativity and innovation. They represented MMI brilliantly!

If investigating or innovating is your thing, and you'd like to enter next year, see Mrs Flanagan.

Congratulations to:

Toby Ellery, Austin Foxley, Caleb McLean, Oli Townsend-Hil, Olivia Puterangi, Charlotte Taylor-Kafka, Scout Innes, Emma Manville, Maggie Mawson and Sadie Cunliffe.



SPORTS

SURFING

Stoking the Fire at Raglan! Mount Intermediate Surfers Take On NZ's Best

On August 4th and 5th, our talented Mount Intermediate groms headed over to the world-famous point break at Manu Bay, Raglan, for the NZ Scholastic Surf Championship. This is the absolute pinnacle of school surfing, bringing together over 150 of the top rippers from across the country all battling for ultimate bragging rights.

Our squad went toe-to-toe with seasoned college surfers, showing absolute zero fear in the lineup!



Nami, attacking the lip on her way to Gold!



Summer, ripping her way to a podium finish.

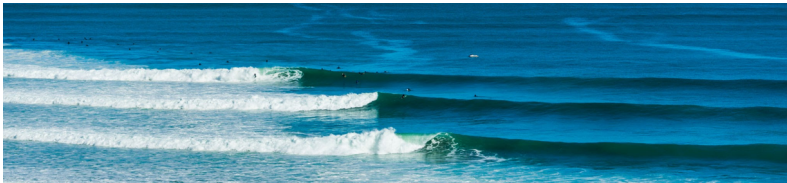
The Boys Carve It Up

Our three boys Ollie, Oscar and Arlo put on a masterclass of grit and skill against much older opponents in the Under 16 Division. A huge shoutout to Arlo, who surfed his heart out heat after heat to smash his way into the quarterfinals, finishing in an incredible 8th equal overall!

Girls Take Over the Podium

Our girls, Nami, Summer, Mille and Alamea doubled up on the action, entering both the Under 16 and Under 18 divisions—and they completely owned the water!

- Under 18 Division: Taking on high school seniors, Nami locked in a massive 2nd place, with Summer taking 3rd and Millie dropping a solid 5th place finish.
- Under 16 Division: This is where our girls absolutely shone! Nami took out 1st place to claim the title, Summer snagged 2nd and Millie rounded it out in 4th! What a podium sweep!



The Future is Bright

Competing against older college surfers is building an amazing pathway for our athletes as they continue to hone their craft. It was also awesome to see the Mount Maunganui College surf team take out the overall competition as the #1 Surf College in New Zealand! Fun fact: every single member of that championship-winning Mount College team is an ex-Mount Intermediate surfing student.

The pipeline of talent is real, the future of Mount Intermediate surfing is looking insanely bright, and we can't wait to see these groms tearing it up for MMI at AIMS games next week, and hopefully Mount College in the years to come. **Huge congratulations to all our legendary surfers and the parents for all their support!**

Mr Weis - TIC of Surfing



The MMI crew cleaned up the prizes. L-R. Nami 1st, Millie 4th, Summer 2nd.

Manu Bay delivering the goods for the NZ Scholastic Surf Champs.

SPORTS

HOCKEY

A huge congratulations to all five of our MMI Hockey teams who competed in the Friday night Intermediate Competition!

With over 35 teams from across the Bay area taking part, it was a fantastic, action-packed competition. MMI was represented across every single division, showing incredible grit, teamwork, and sportsmanship each week.

Special Shoutout: Division 2 Champions! A very special mention goes to our **MMI Girls Team**, who took out the championship in Division 2! The girls should be immensely proud of their hard work, performance, and fantastic result.



MMI Girls A: Maia Kemp, Rhiannon Price, Lauren Vane, Luna Whendt, Indy Craven-Murphy, Milly Thompson, Brooke Riini, Mila Borman, Elsie Clark, Aubrey Thompson.

MMI Boys A: Finn Renwick, Ruan Vorster, Sebastian Farrar, Riley Duncan, Izac Vane, Jack Cole, Alex Andrade, Sebastian Beaudoin, Joseph Quinn, Noah Whendt.

MMI Mixed Green: Amelia Sedgewick, Fia Guest, Sadie Cunliffe, Paeroa Cowie-Beaufort, Quinn Maxwell, Matthew King, Alex Gardner, Logan Payne, Ben Callender, Joseph Crosby-Fagan.

MMI Mixed Blue: Ayla Keogh, Imogen Simpson, Cady Hoogstraten, Alexey Mead, Carson Pearce, Travis Moth, Tate Murdoch, Logan Hemingway, Liam McKenna, Zola Barton.

MMI Mixed Yellow: Lea Markarian, Leila Porteous, Noemie Morlet, Samuel Muncaster, Samuel Minchington, Austin Foxley, Joren Boshier, Jonghyun Lee, Samuel Blomfield, Alby Brown, Sophia Dromgool.

Thank you to all our coaches, managers and parents for your ongoing support on the sidelines!

SPORTS

SURF LIFESAVING

MMI Students shine at Surf Lifesaving competition



SURF LIFE SAVING

Over the weekend, a number of MMI students competed at the Surf Lifesaving competition in Gisborne, representing Omanu and Papamoa Surf Lifesaving Clubs.

We are proud to celebrate their fantastic achievements.

Jack Cole and **Ari Tempest** teamed up in the Under 12 Mixed Relay events, taking out **first place** in the 4x50m Obstacle Relay, 4x25m Brick Relay and 4x40m Medley Relay.

Jack, Ari and **Tate Murdoch** also combined in the Under 14 6x50m Mega Relay, finishing **second**.

Individual and team results included:

- **Ari Tempest** - 2nd in the Under 12 Female 100m Patient Tow with Fins and 2nd in the Under 12 50m Swim with Fins.
- **Tate Murdoch** - 3rd in the Under 14 Mixed 4x25m Brick Relay.
- **Ethan Botha** - an outstanding five first-place finishes in the Under 12 Male events, as well as further success in relay events.
- **Leah Botha** - 3rd in the Under 14 Female 4x50m Obstacle Relay.
- **Blake Li'Wagener** - 3rd in the Under 13 Male 50m Swim with Fins, along with 1st, 2nd and 3rd - place finishes across the Under 14 relay events.

Congratulations to Jack, Ari, Tate, Ethan, Lean and Blake on these outstanding results.

We are sure there were other MMI students competing at the event, so if we have missed anyone, we would love to hear about their achievements too!

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GIRLS GOLF.
GOLF NZ

GIRLS GOLF MEET-UPS

A place to connect, grow, and have fun! Our monthly meet-ups are all about making new friends, boosting confidence, and enjoying golf in a relaxed, supportive setting. Whether you're new to the game or already love it, you're welcome to join! Each session features golf games, on-course experiences, social activities, and skill development, making it a fun and easy way to build confidence and enjoy golf with others.

When: Monthly
 Where: Various golf clubs, facilities, and locations around the Tauranga region
 Who: Girls aged 10-16
 Led By: Tania Ellis & Anya Apanui

Come swing, smile, and share the joy of golf with us!
 Sign up today
<https://forms.office.com/r/v11ePPIUgdyV2aigjnc3e1nK>



TAURANGA ARCHERS

Tauranga Archers Schools Archery Program 2026

\$130 for Six, 1.5 hour archery lessons with all equipment provided.

Class Times Term 3 2026

Wednesday : 3:45 to 5:15pm
 Saturday : 9am to 10:30am
 Saturday : 10:30 to 12pm

Tauranga archers is offering lessons for year 7 to 13 students (11yrs+) at Graham Park. This will be a weekly lesson run over six weeks where students will learn the basic safety and techniques for shooting a recurve bow.

We are Happy to have re-signups for those who have already attended a course.

Students will also get the opportunity to compete with other schools around the country through the Intermediate and Secondary School Shoot Programme, run by Archery New Zealand (ANZ).
<https://www.archery.org.nz/school-and-secondary-archery/school-shoot-programme/>

We would be happy to answer any questions for interested students, or any questions you may have.

Here is a sign up form for those who would like to join
<https://www.taurangaarchers.com/schools-archery>



Please sign up, then when we have full classes we will get back to you regarding Course Start times.

You can park and walk down from 79 Edgecumbe Road, or come via the car park from SH2 Takitimu/Waihi Rd off ramp, southbound only.




Tauranga Swim School
TEEN & SQUAD SWIMMING

Whether you're a competitive swimmer or just looking to have fun, join our squad!

To Ohu Mai 3:00pm-6:30pm
 Monday, Wednesday & Thursday

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'YOUNG EXPLORERS' CAMP

Build Confidence, Resilience & Real Outdoor Skills

OCTOBER 5TH-9TH, 2026

3-DAY TASTER \$495
MONDAY-WEDNESDAY

FULL 5-DAY CAMP \$595
MONDAY-FRIDAY

SKILLS DEVELOPED

Bush survival, water and mountain safety, navigation, leadership, teamwork, communication, confidence, resilience, independence, problem-solving, decision-making, respect for nature










KEY BENEFITS

- Teacher-led by qualified educators
- OSCAR Approved
- Transport from Auckland/Hamilton/Bay of Plenty
- Small group sizes

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MID YEAR HOLIDAY CAMP 28TH SEP - 1ST OCT

2 FULL DAYS + 2 HALF DAYS -
LESSONS, SONGWRITING, BANDS + MORE

\$250 **ONLY 20 SPACES!** WWW.UPTONMUSICSCHOOL.CO.NZ

Monday - Tuesday 9.00 - 3.00pm
Wednesday - Thursday 9.00 - 1.30pm
Location: Otumoetai Intermediate
Ages 8+
\$250
Only 20 spaces!
[Register here](#)

Jacqui van den Berg
MOUNTWILDHEART ART SCHOOL

OCT HOLIDAY ART SCHOOL

Oct 6th - 9th
Age 7+ \$55.00 per session
9.30am - 12pm

TUES 6th Paint- The fire Horse
WED 7th Animal antics - Drawing/Collage
THUR 8th Dot painting -Yayoi Kusama style
FRID 9th Pastel on black - Jungle vibes

www.mountwildheart.co.nz

COMMUNITY NOTICEBOARD

Dance Music Classes
 dancer.amanda11@gmail.com
 021 0841 0697

Rhythm and Stretche'
\$145 p/term each genre
 (both Rhythm/Stretche' \$200 p/term)

Includes tech classes: TURNER - LEAPZ
 Mon Tue Wed after school,
 all ages, stages, m/f

Also avail Choir 145/term
 Vocal/Guitar coaching \$45 p/half hour

VOCAL LESSON GUITAR LESSON KIDS CHOIR ADULTS CHOIR

Art Celeste



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 2025 NOW
 Limited spots available

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 idon@mcneillymusic.com
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- Experienced teachers
- Supportive environment
- Private or group lessons
- Any age, any level



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 hello@mountmusicschool.co.nz

Adventure awaits at Mauao Scout Group



Scouts (Ages 11-13)
 Mondays 6pm - 8pm

Cubs (Ages 8-10)
 Mondays 6pm - 7:30pm

At Mount Maunganui Scout Hal on May St

For more info, email mauao@group.scouts.nz
<https://scouts.nz/group/mauao-scout-group/>



 **Kaitiaki services**

9 Hull Rd Mt Maunganui
 (Same building as Police Station)

Nurse Clinic

FREE ACC WOUND CARE
 To the patient – No Surcharge
Monday-Wednesday-Friday
9.00am - 4.00pm
 Phone for appointment **07 5710144**
 or Walk'n

Please bring your paperwork from ED or 2nd Ave if you have any.

 **OR we can start your ACC process for you.**

Burns, Skin tears, Grazes, Wounds to any body parts, squashed fingers, toes, Spider bites, Dog bites, Removal Stitches, Removal Clips etc.

NON-ACC WOUND CARE \$30.00

MANU ZONE
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SNACKS**

FRIDAY FUN NIGHT

ONLY \$10 entry

Every Friday 3pm-9pm
 Including school & public holidays



Baywave
 Baywave Entertainment

POIPOIA TE KĀKANO KIA PUĀWAI

Nurture the seed and it will blossom

KIA MAUAO TE TŪ



MOUNT MAUNGANUI
INTERMEDIATE

USEFUL INFORMATION

TERM DATES

Term 1 – 2 February to 2 April
Term 2 – 20 April to 3 July
Term 3 – 20 July to 25 September
Term 4 – 12 October to 15 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, 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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