



# MIMI SCHOOL

**"WHERE THE COUNTRY, COAST, AND CLASSROOM MEET"**

**20 September 2018**

## Students of the week

Last week the Student of the Week Awards went to:

Rimu Room:  
**Alicia Mattock** for being caring and kind to others.



Matai Room:  
**Serenity Goldsmith-Hine** for being independent and respectful.

Totara Room:  
**Emma Prouse** for being a good friend to everyone in Totara Class.

Well done, kids.  
Keep up the good work!



## Speech/Poem Finals

Good luck to the Mimi students who are travelling to Whareorino **tomorrow** for the Cluster Speech Finals.

## Science Fair

Also good luck to the Mimi students who are representing our school at the Science Fair at the Devon Hotel **tomorrow**. Lunch is provided for students. Thanks Maxine for taking transport.

## Jump Jam Competition

The Jump Jam Competition is also on **tomorrow, 21st September from 6:30pm at Highlands Intermediate School**. Girls need to wear black skins and sneakers and have their hair braided. Please be **there by 5:50pm** at the latest and eat beforehand as we won't finish till after 8pm. Good luck to you guys as well. Tickets are available on <https://www.trybooking.com/nz/book/event?eid=314&>. Pre-purchased tickets: Adults \$10, Child \$4.50 (0-15yr). There will be door sales (cash only): Adults \$15, child \$8.



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## PhotoLife School Photos

Please note the date for School Photos has changed again. They will now be taken on **Monday, 24th September at 1:30pm**. Please return your order forms before photo day.

Lisa McClutchie will also take **sports team photos** on that day. Please bring your sneakers and your netball /basketball uniform if you haven't returned yours to school yet.

These photos will be double-sided and laminated and cost \$5. Please let Sibylle know if you would like to purchase any.

## Pet Day

Pet Day is approaching fast. Please let us know what animal your child is bringing and we also need your nominations for the Mums vs Dads Bake Off. Please return the form ASAP.

Can all families please start baking over the holidays and pop your cakes in the freezer ready for our 'always popular' baking stall. There will be a plate coming home on the first day of next term.

Can last year's trophy holders please return their trophies by the end of the term too: Ryan Sarten, Kaia Elliott, Amaya Ellis, Katia McClutchie, Tamati McClutchie, Aria Wallace and Tane Smith.

## Tainui Pet Day

Tainui Pet Day will be on **Thursday, 18th October 2018 (the day after our Pet Day)**. Entries need to be in by Friday, 28th September. Please let the school office know if your child/ren would like to enter.

There also is a **Tainui Pet Day Programme Cover Competition**. All pictures are to be hand drawn, no computer images or writing. Teachers will choose the best from their school. This will join the other best

chosen from each school in the cluster to win the overall cover. The other 4 will go onto the back of the programme. Kids are to use their imagination by drawing a 'front cover' for the programme of The 86th Tainui Boys & Girls Club 2018. Competition ends **Monday 15th October** (first day of term 4).

Please also return last year's trophies: Kaia Elliott, Amaya Ellis, Shani McClutchie and Katia McClutchie.

## Weetbix Tryathlon

Registrations are now open for the 2019 Weetbix Tryathlon, held at Ngamotu beach on **Tuesday, 26th March 2019**. Entry is open to all 7 to 15 year olds. Register at <https://www.registernow.com.au/secure/Register.aspx?E=31850&G=68077>

## Taranaki Cross Country

The Taranaki Primary Schools Cross Country Championships are held on **Wednesday, 26th September** in Hawera. We registered 9 children for this event and Ms O'Sullivan can provide transport in her van. Please let us know if you require transport or are taking your own child.

## Cellulitis/Impetigo

We have a case of cellulitis/impetigo at school. Please check your child for cuts or sores and see a doctor if needed.

## ERO Visit

ERO (the Education Review Office) have been to see us this week. They have enjoyed their visit. It has been a positive experience for all involved. Findings will come out in next few weeks. A big thanks to the board, staff and community for their ongoing support.

## Waitara Touch

This year we will once again enter the Waitara Whanui Touch Module. If your child/ren would like to play, please return the enclosed registration form. Registrations close on the last day of this term.

We are also looking for parents who are able to coach teams. There is a Touch NZ accredited Coaches Foundation Course on Saturday 29th September from 9-12pm. The course is a great way of providing any budding coach, teacher or parent some awesome skills, drills and info that you can take back and share with your junior teams. The cost of the course is normally \$35 per person, but Waitara Whanui Touch are offering this **AT NO COST** to all coaches. Games will be played at the Waitara Highschool Fields on Thursday afternoons, starting on **18th October**.



**WAITARA WHANUI TOUCH  
MODULE PRESENTS**

# JUNIOR TOUCH 2018

**Touch** New Zealand

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WAITARA'S ONLY NZ TOUCH & TARANAKI TOUCH AFFILIATED MODULE  
OFFICIAL PATHWAY FOR TARANAKI REPRESENTATIVE HONOURS

**CHILD GRADES:**  
U6, U8, U10

**YOUTH GRADES:**  
U12, U14

**THURSDAYS 3:30 - 6PM  
COMP STARTS OCT 18TH  
WAITARA HIGH SCHOOL FIELDS**

**\$100 PER TEAM**

## Social Touch @ Mimi

We are looking at running a social Touch Competition here at Mimi, starting in Term 4 on Friday evenings from 6pm. This is open to all ages and everyone in our community. Contact Donna on 7523404 or 0272336662 for more info and expressions of interest.

## Yummy Stickers

Keep collecting these yummy stickers and return your completed sheets to the school office **by the end of this term**.

## Bus Vests

We are encouraging all Mimi students to wear their bus vests when travelling on the school bus. Students who wear their vests all week will go in the draw for a prize each week. Last week's winner was **Emma Prouse**. This Friday the lucky winner will once again receive some of Mrs Sulzberger's lollies.

## Home Reading

Just a reminder that we expect all families to read with their child at home every night. Only a few minutes each day will make a huge difference to your child's learning.

## Waitoitoi Hall Bi-Annual General Meeting

Waitoitoi Hall is holding their Bi-annual General Meeting on **Sunday, 23rd September at 7pm**. All welcome!

## Absences

If your child is absent from school, please make sure you let the school office know **before 9am**.

# Lunch Orders

Fridays are lunch order days.

## FRIDAY LUNCH

Place your orders at school office before 9am

### Price List for 2018

Sandwiches	\$3.00	Ham or Chicken
Bread Roll	\$4.40	Ham or Chicken
½ Bread Roll	\$2.50	Ham or Chicken
Bridge Pie (x1)	\$1.30	
Mince Pie	\$2.80	
Hot Chips & Chicken Breast Strip	\$3.50	(NEW!)
Cookie	\$1.50	
Lolly Slice	\$1.50	(NEW!)
Yoghurt	\$1.50	
Milk Drink	\$1.50	(bought from school)

Here's the roster for lunch order pick ups for the next few weeks:

**Friday, 21st September: Sibylle**  
(Please note, due to the changed Friday lunch time, lunches need to be here at school by 12pm!)

Friday, 28th September: Joely Ham

## Pyjama Day & Shared Breakfast

On the last day of term, **Friday, 28th September**, we'll have Pyjama Day here at school.

We will also provide Weetbix and Pancakes for breakfast. Parents/whanau are welcome to join us for BYO breakfast, we'll have the BBQ out if you want to cook something.

There won't be a shared lunch, so lunch orders will be available. School will finish as normal.

# TERM 3 CALENDAR

**\*TAINUI SPEECHES** Fri 21 Sep

**\*SCIENCE FAIR** Fri 21 Sep

**\*JUMP JAM COMPETITION** Fri 21 Sep

**WAITOITOI HALL BI-ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING** Sun 23 Sep

**SCHOOL PHOTOS** Mon 24 Sep

**\*TARANAKI CROSS COUNTRY** Wed 26 Sep

## TERM 3 ENDS

**PYJAMA DAY/**

**SHARED BREAKFAST** Fri 28 Sep

**DAYLIGHT SAVINGS** Sun 30 Sep

\* Trips out of school grounds,  
(transport may be needed)

Please contact Jared or Sibylle at school for further information.

## Health Survey Forms

If you haven't returned your Health & Physical Education Survey Form yet, we'd love you to have your say.

## Skool Loop App

Please download the Skool Loop App onto your phone. This is a fantastic app to stay in touch with everything from recording absences, to notices, permission slips, calendar and newsletter.



Simple free download:  
In Google Play and App Store search 'Skool Loop' and choose our school once installed.

