



Tomarata School Newsletter

Week 8, Term 3, 2025





Principal's Message

Kia ora koutou,

What a busy week it's been. A massive thanks to all the amazing parent helpers who lent a hand at the **Rodney Rural Schools' Netball and Touch Rugby day** on Wednesday. We couldn't do these fantastic events without you, and it was great to see our Year 4-8 students showing off great skills and sportsmanship, which helped make the day a success.

Our next sporting outing is the **Rodney Rural Schools' Cross Country** event at Pakiri School on **Tuesday, September 16th**. It's a great day out for the whole school, so let's get ready to cheer on our runners! All ages compete on the day, and it is a great opportunity for our parent community to come along and support. We are also looking for some parents to volunteer to help with the marshalling at the event. Let the office know if you can help out.

Our **Year 4-8 camp** runs from the 24th to the 28th of November.. We have an important information meeting for parents on **Wednesday, September 17th, from 6-7 pm**. Please come along as we'll be covering all the key details for a successful camp.

Another really important, upcoming event is our annual **Show Day**, on **Friday, October 10th**. This year, as well as our calves, lambs and gardens, we will also feature a **Science Fair** in the Rata Room, and a bake sale. It's the first Friday back after the holidays, and we'd love for you all to join us. The PTA will be offering some tasty lunch options with pizza, nachos, and American hot dogs. Plus, this year, we'll have horse rides on offer.

This week I put out the call to see if we had enough year 4-6 students to put a basketball team together. We have 3 students keen to get involved in this competition, but we need a minimum of 6 players to enter a team. If your child is keen to get involved, please let Heather in the office know.

Thanks again for everything you do. We're so lucky to have such a supportive community.

Nga mihi nui,

Chris King





Friday 5th September	PTA Sausage Sizzle \$2
Friday 5th September	Whole School Assembly led by Kakapo house with rooms 4 and 5
Monday 8th September	Milo Monday in the G2T room at 8.10am
Wednesday 10th September	Room 4 Nature Classroom
Thursday 11th September	Room 6 Nature Classroom
Thursday 11th September	Mobile Library
Friday 12th September	PTA Sausage Sizzle \$2
Friday 12th September	G2T Club @ lunchtime
Monday 15th September	Milo Monday in the G2T room at 8.10am
Tuesday 16th September	RRS Cross Country at Pakiri School, Whole School taking part
Wednesday 17th September	Room 5 Nature Classroom
Wednesday 17th September	Camp Information Evening 6-7pm
Friday 19th September	PTA Sausage Sizzle \$2
Friday 19th September	Whole School Assembly led by Kereru house with rooms 6 and 7
Friday 19th September	End of Term 3

Awesome kids doing awesome things

Room 6 @ Nature Classroom







TOMARATA SCHOOL'S ANNUAL

COMMUNITY DAY
& FUNDRAISER

Show Day

10AM
START

FRIDAY
10TH
OCTOBER

LAMBS
CALVES
GARDENS
BAKE SALE
FOOD STALLS
SCIENCE FAIR

GET READY FOR A
FUN DAY OUT!



SEE YOU THERE



TOMARATA SCHOOL

science fair

10TH
OCTOBER
2025



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PHYSICAL WORLD INQUIRIES

Board Update:

Our next Board meeting is on Wednesday the 17th of September
@ 7pm.

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