

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Friday 13 October

Science Roadshow - Ruru and Weka

Monday 23 October

Labour Day - Holiday

Monday 30 October -Friday 3 November

Senior Camp at Marahau

Thursday 16 November

Moutere Hills Athletics Day

Friday 17 November

Secondary School's Year 8 Orientation Day

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Kia ora koutou,

Welcome to Term 4! Great to see the students back and refreshed. The warmer weather will allow us to be outside more often and athletics practice is already well underway.

This week we have welcomed Amelia Parlour and Kitianu Ropiha to Tūī Class. Amelia we hope that your move from Geraldine has been smooth, and Kitianu we hope that you have reconnected with your friends from ECE that have already started at Tasman School. We look forward to watching your learning journeys.

On the last Thursday evening of Term 3, eight of our students participated in the Nelsomathix competition at Garin College. Congratulations to the following students for holding their own against many of the larger town schools:

Year 7 team - 11th place

Sami Alleyne, Lachie Cable, Isabella Hoggarth, Xavier Short

<u>Year 8 team - 7th place</u>

Lilja Campbell, Alex Inglis, Archie Lunai, Winston Palmer

Congratulations to Cate Cable and Jon Linyard for winning the parent and teachers rounds!

As it is Term 4, it is compulsory for students to wear brimmed sunhats when outside during breaks and other outdoor activities. This is part of our sun safe policy. Students will be asked to stay in shade areas if they do not have a sunhat or we are unable to find a spare sunhat to lend. Please check that your child's sunhat is named as this makes it much easier for us to return sunhats that are forgotten around the school grounds. We have currently depleted our size small supply of sunhats. These are on order. If your child has a bucket hat at home, this is perfectly fine.

Ngā mihi nui,

Rob

Principal's Weekly Comment

Weekly Community Comment - Term 4 Week 2 2023 - Monday 9th - Friday 13th October / Whiringa-ā-nuku

"Ko te whakatinanatanga pea o tētahi moemoeā te take e ngahau ai te ao"

It's the possibility of having a dream come true that makes life interesting

Weekly School Goal: Being self-aware learners who carefully consider the impact their decisions have on themselves and the wider community

Key points for this week:

Monday / Rahina 16th

- Hui at 10am
- Rob is out for an appraisal meeting 8:30am 11:30am
- Staff meeting at 3:15pm Poutama Pounamu

Tuesday / Rātu 17th

- Lisa is out for day off
- Sue is out CRT 9am 11:45am Cindy is in Kea Class
- Hayden is out for CRT 11:45am 3pm Cindy is in Kākāpō Class

Wednesday / Rāapa 18th

- Maia is out for day off Melanie is in Kererū Class
- · Cate is out for day off Rob is in Weka Class

Thursday / Rāpare 19th

• Sue is in for Reading Recovery and then out for day off - Melanie is in Kea Class

Friday / Rāmare 20th

Ally is out for booked leave - Cindy is in Tūī Class

Upcoming dates

Term 4

- Labour Day public holiday Monday 23rd October (Term 4, Week 3)
- Year 6 8 Camp at Marahau Monday 30th October Friday 3rd November (Term 4, Week 4)
- Hira Football Tournament (interested Year 5/6 students) Friday 10th November (Term 4 Week 5)
- Moutere Hills Athletics Thursday 16th November (Term 4, Week 6)
- Secondary Schools' Orientation Day for Year 8 students Friday 17th November (Term 4, Week 6)
- Teacher only day school closed Monday 20th November (Term 4, Week 7)
- Year 7/8 Summer Sports Tournament Friday 24th November (Term 4, Week 7)
- Last day of school finishing at 12:30pm Wednesday 20th December (Term 4, Week 11)



Motueka High School Emerging Talent Scholarship

Applications for Motueka High School Emerging Talent Scholarship closes on 27th October 2023.

Please note that this scholarship has been reduced to two winners not 3 as in recent years.

The application forms are available via office@tasman.school.nz.



CLUB OPEN DAY:

Sunday, 29th October 2023, Tahunanui Beach 10 am - 12 pm,

All welcome - come along and give it a go



SEE OUR CLUB WEBSITE FOR MORE INFORMATION HTTPS://WWW.NELSONSLSC.ORG.NZ/
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Māpua

Friday | 4.30 | Year 6 - 8

3 November - 8 December

Māpua Domain

Free!