

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Wednesday 20 September

MoTEC Orientation Day - Year
6 Students

Thursday 21 September

Pet Day/Spring Festival
Nelsonmathix - Selected
Pupils

Friday 22 September

Last Day of Term 3

Monday 9 October

First Day of Term 4

Friday 13 October

Science Roadshow - Ruru and
Weka

Monday 23 October

Labour Day - Holiday

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Kia ora koutou,

Thank you for your support of our dance performance last Friday. An evening with nice weather made for a successful event. This is something we look forward to adding to our two year cycle of events.

Today our Wig Wednesday fundraiser raised \$177.00. Thank you for your support of the fundraiser for the Child Cancer Foundation.

Well done to all the students who have represented Tasman School in either after school or weekend sport. Thank you to all our team coaches and managers. A number of teams have experienced success. Special mention to:

- Our Year 7/8 netball team won the Primary B Grade at the Motueka Netball Centre
- The Tasman Water Pigeons were first in the Junior Grade for miniball
- The Tasman Tree Squid were first in the Middle Grade for miniball

Last week Lucy Johnstone qualified to represent Tasman School at the Motueka District Schools' Speech Competition. Well done for stepping up into this role and stepping outside of your comfort zone.

Next Thursday we will be holding a combined Pet Day and Spring Festival. Pets will be allowed for a short sharing session between 8:55 am and 9:30 am. All pets must return home at this point. The remainder of the day will be spent in vertically arranged groups working through six different rotation activities lasting approximately 30 minutes each. If you have spare flowers in your garden and are able to bring these into school on Thursday morning can you please let me know. More specific information about the first half hour of the day and the organisation of pets will be shared with you early next week.

Ngā mihi nui,

Rob

Principal's Weekly Comment

Weekly Comment - Term 3 Week 10 2023 - Monday 18th - Friday 22nd September / Mahuru

"He oranga ngākau, he pikinga waiora"

- *Positive feelings in your heart bring positive health*

Weekly School Goal: *Looking after school property and returning items to the correct place before we finish for the holidays*

Key points for this week:

Monday / Rahina 18th

- Huia at 10am
- MOTEC Year 5/6 Technology Challenge - selected students
- Kererū Class Clued Up Kids trip
- Maia and Hayden out for syndicate planning meeting 9am - 10:30am - Cindy is in Kererū, Rob to cover Kākāpō
- Ally and Sue out for syndicate planning meeting 11am - 12:30pm - Cindy is in Tūi, Brynn to cover Kea
- Alex and Cate out for syndicate planning meeting 1:15pm - 2:45pm - Cindy is in Ruru, Rob to cover Weka
- Staff professional development with Poutama Pounamu at 3:15pm

Tuesday / Rātu 19th

- Management team meeting 8am
- MOTEC Year 7/8 Technology Challenge - selected students
- Maia is out for day off - Melanie is in Kererū Class
- Lisa is out for day off
- Hayden is out for CRT 9am - 11:45am - Cindy is in Kākāpō Class
- Ally is out for CRT 11:45am - 3pm - Cindy is in Tūi Class

Wednesday / Rāapa 20th

- Middle Syndicate Suter Gallery Trip - Kākāpō Class and Kererū Class
- MOTEC Year 6 Orientation Day 9:15am - 12:30pm - Weka Year 7 students with Alex
- Cate is out for day off - Rob is in Weka Class for the afternoon
- Motueka High School visits for Year 8 students - schedule sent to Year 8 parents from Lisa

Thursday / Rāpare 21st

- Sue is in for Reading Recovery and then out for day off - Melanie is in Kea Class
- Nelsomathix Mathematics Competition for selected students - Yr 7 arrive no later than 4pm and start by 4.15pm, Yr 8 arrive no later than 5pm and start by 5.15pm

Friday / Rāmāre 22nd

- Rob is away for booked leave in advance
- Maia is out for SENCO release (ISC applications) 9am - 11:45am - Cindy is in Kererū Class
- Alex is out for CRT 11:45am - 3pm - Cindy is in Ruru Class (Alex will be off-site)
- Sue is off-site for the afternoon
- End of Term 3

Upcoming dates

Term 4

- First day of Term 4 - Monday 9th October (Term 4, Week 1)
- Ruru and Weka Class - Science Roadshow - Friday 13th (Term 4, Week 1)
- 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)
- 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)

Class Awards

Serenity Kotara
Natalie Campbell
Toby Fenselau
Elmo Butler
Dakoda Moody
Daniel Hall
Alex Inglis
Benny Grey
Coby Turvey
Preston Barnett
Flora Alleyne
Toby Alleyne
Karsiah Gilbert
Tobias Walton
Felicity Dubbelman
Hunter Bensemam
Scarlett Manderson
Isaac Talley

Platinum Principal's Award

Isabella Hoggarth
Sophie Rush
Tamsyn Cassidy
Zayla Dubbelman

Principal's Award

Isabella Hoggarth
Sophie Rush
Tamsyn Cassidy
Zayla Dubbelman

Lexia Award

Riley Talijancich
Noah Wratt
Eric Johnson
Anatori Grant
Annabelle Tristram
Carson Hayward
Jude Talley
Luigi Innamorati



Netball Winners: Tasman Battle Unicorns

This great team won the Intermediate Department Cup, they were joint winners of the Intermediate B Grade Championship Cup with Lower Moutere School, and they won the Intermediate B Grade Top Team Cup.

Team members were: Maisie Butler, Lucy Johnstone, Lachie Cable, Sophie Rush, Olivia Fraser, Sami Alleyne, Sienna Cole, Isabella Hoggarth, Safia Armitage, Ashley Lynch, Quinn Manuge, Florence Forster

Netball Uniform Return

We are in the middle of tidying our netball uniforms from the season. Could you please return this washed and dry to school for Monday. We already have received many of these, but it would be great to have the tidy up for the year sorted and gear bags in the cupboards next week.

PHOTO: NZ Under 23
Rico Bearman

NEW SEASON ABOUT TO START

HAVE A GO DAY
SAT 14th OCTOBER

COME & SEE WHAT BMX IS ALL ABOUT

On Saturday the 14th of October, Nelson BMX will be having a club day of racing AND will include separate 'Have a Go' sessions for anyone wanting to come and see what BMX racing is all about. Come down and you'll get to watch some club racing and then the club will have two 'Have a Go' sessions between races. There is no cost for 'Have a Go' sessions and all you need is long pants and long shirt, close toe shoes and gloves. The club will have a few bikes and helmets available to use.

You are welcome to bring your own bike to this event

Sign in is at 9:30am and racing starts at 10am.
For more information, contact the club via their Facebook page or webpage below.

NELSON BMX

<https://www.sporty.co.nz/nelsonbmx>

<https://www.facebook.com/nelsonbmxclub>

Tahunanui Recreational Reserve, Beach Road, Tahunanui

BMX
COME TRY BMX

* FOR BACK UP RAIN DATES PLEASE CHECK FACEBOOK

Carpark and Driveway Safety

It is timely for us to remind everyone that the advised speed limit upon entering our driveway is **5 kph**. This does require a considered effort to achieve. The driveway does include a pedestrian crossing and drivers must go slowly to respond to students using this crossing. This is more of a problem in the morning as the arrival of students at school is more staggered.

Recently there have been issues with double parking in the carpark or driveway space. This is hazardous as other vehicles attempt to make their way around a vehicle that is incorrectly parked or just waiting in the driveway space.

A good option that some families have had success with is waiting 5 or 10 minutes for collection. The carpark has often cleared a fair bit and your child can usually be found playing on the basketball court and it is easy to park close to the court fence.

WEEK 1 SPRING HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES

25th Sept - 30th Sept

25
MON

- * Badminton & Pickleball
10am - 12pm \$5
- * Basketball Coaching Sessions
1pm - 3pm \$8
- * Public Skating
1pm - 4pm \$5 Entry \$8 Hire

26
TUE

- * Fun Zone, 10am - 1pm \$5
- * Indoor Soccer Coaching
1pm - 3pm \$8
- * Climbing Sessions (Bookings Recommended)
2pm - 3pm & 3pm - 4pm \$8

27
WED

- * Badminton
10am - 12pm \$5
- * Basketball Coaching Session
1pm - 3pm \$8
- * Pickleball
6pm - 8pm \$5

28
THU

- * Sports Zone 11am - 3pm \$5
- * Climbing Sessions (Bookings Recommended) \$8
2pm - 3pm & 3pm - 4pm
- * Badminton
6pm - 9pm \$5

29
FRI

- * Volleyball Coaching Session
1pm - 3pm \$8
- * Climbing Sessions (Bookings Recommended)
2pm - 3pm & 3pm - 4pm \$8
- * Basketball
6pm - 8pm \$4

30
SAT

- * Badminton
10am - 12pm \$5
- * Basketball
1pm - 4pm \$4

For More Information Visit Our Facebook Page
(Mozuka Recreation Centre) Or Call Us On (08) 528 8228

WEEK 2 SPRING HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES

2nd Oct - 7th Oct

2nd
MON

- * Badminton & Pickleball
10am - 12pm \$5
- * Basketball Coaching Sessions
1pm - 3pm \$8
- * Public Skating
1pm - 4pm \$5 Entry \$8 Hire
- * Basketball
6pm - 8pm \$4

3rd
TUE

- * Sports Zone, 11am - 3pm \$5
- * Indoor Soccer Coaching
1pm - 3pm \$8
- * Climbing Sessions (Bookings Recommended)
2pm - 3pm & 3pm - 4pm \$8

4th
WED

- * Badminton
10am - 12pm \$5
- * Basketball Coaching Session
1pm - 3pm \$8
- * Pickleball
6pm - 8pm \$5
- * Public Skating
1pm - 4pm \$5 Entry \$8 Hire

5th
THU

- * Fun Zone, 10am - 1pm \$5
- * Organized Sports Games
1pm - 3pm \$4
- * Climbing Sessions (Bookings Recommended) \$8
2pm - 3pm & 3pm - 4pm
- * Badminton
6pm - 9pm \$5

6th
FRI

- * Volleyball Coaching Session
1pm - 3pm \$8
- * Youth Skating
1pm - 5pm \$5 Entry \$8 Hire
- * Climbing Sessions (Bookings Recommended)
2pm - 3pm & 3pm - 4pm \$8
- * Basketball, 6pm - 8pm \$4
- * Public Skating
6pm - 8pm \$5 Entry \$8 Hire

7th
SAT

- * Badminton
10am - 12pm \$5
- * Public Skating
1pm - 3pm \$5 Entry \$8 Hire
- * Basketball
1pm - 4pm \$4

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**Tasman Water Pigeons -
Junior Miniball
Champions!**

Athletics

RICHMOND

2023 Term 4 - 2024 Term 1 SEASON

FUN NIGHT – Introduction to Richmond Athletics Club

Tuesday 10th OCTOBER 2023

Start 5:15pm

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Saxton's Athletics Track

Saxton Field



Ages 5 to 15 years Age as at 31/12/2022.

<https://www.sporty.co.nz/athleticsrichmond>

Facebook: Athletics Richmond

athleticsrichmond@gmail.com

Athletics keeps you fit and teaches you fundamental movement skills: run faster, jump higher, and throw further. AND... it is a fun family sport!!

Come along, try a new summer sport and find out more.

