



'Ko te ako te maneatanga'
'Hooked on Learning'
Newsletter
Term 3, Week 9



Ki ora i te whanau,

As we near the end of Maori Language week, I would like to thank the staff, students, whanau and community that have shared or taken part in celebrating and helping us improve our ability in Te Reo Maori.

As we hopefully near the end of Covid-19 alert level 2, I once again want to thank everyone for your ongoing patience and understanding as we have tried to continue normal operations with restrictions. Moving into level 1, there will not be many changes. A couple of the main changes: We will likely get back to whole school gatherings, such as our powhiri to welcome new students and whanau to our school.

We will have our Road Crossing Patrol back in action.

Teachers will have more freedom to plan trips and events and invite guests into the school to support our learning. We will release any 'official' requirements when we have further direction from the Ministry of Education.

One thing that will not change is the acceptable time for students to arrive at school. This has always been and will remain **8.15am**. Thank you to those parents who respect this timing. We understand parents have work commitments etc, Kelly Club is available for before school care. Next term students arriving early will be required to stay outside the library where they can monitored until more staff are onsite at **8.15am**.

This will also be the case for students who have not been picked up by **3.10pm**.

Thank you to our new entrant classes for sharing your learning with the community last week, we look forward to seeing room 4, 5, 8 & 9's learning next week!



Board of Trustees, School Policy
Term 3 Review - Learning Support

There is one policy being reviewed this term - Learning Support. If you would like to review this policy and have your say, follow the instructions below.

1. Visit the website
<https://taupoprimary.schoolsdocs.co.nz/10531.htm>
2. Enter the username (taupoprimary) and password (hookedon).
3. Click the 'Current Review Tap' at the top of the page.
4. Follow the links to the policy. Read the policy.
5. Click the Policy Review button at the top right-hand corner of the page.
6. Select the reviewer type "Parent".
7. Enter your name (optional).
8. Submit your ratings and comments.
9. If you don't have internet access, school office staff can provide you with printed copies of the policy and a review form.

Upcoming Events

22 September Junior Cross Country 11:15am start - Back Field
Order approximately: Year 1 girls / boys, Year 0 girls/ boys, Year 2, Year 3

27 October School Photo Day (Tuesday after Labour weekend)

27 October Parent Meeting to be held at Taupo Primary School for
Parents and caregivers of Year 6 students moving to Taupo Intermediate in 2021 (5.30pm)

30 October Year 6 students visit to Taupo Intermediate 9.15am to 12.30pm



AC BATHS

Taupō District Council

A huge thank you to
Contact and Taupo AC
Baths for hosting our
senior school swimming
lessons over the last
couple of weeks!

What awesome
improvements we have
seen in the skill and
confidence of our year 5
and 6 students!



Taupo Primary School Fundraiser Personalised Artwork Calendars, Cards, and Diaries

Your child's artwork has now been uploaded to the Kidsartworks website. You can now **order directly online** - orders are open from 17 September to 21 October. These make unique Christmas gifts for family and friends and are perfect for posting overseas.

To order please follow the instructions sent home with your child.

Prices are:

Calendars \$14, Greeting Cards \$15 and
Diaries \$18



Taupo Primary School Report Feedback Survey

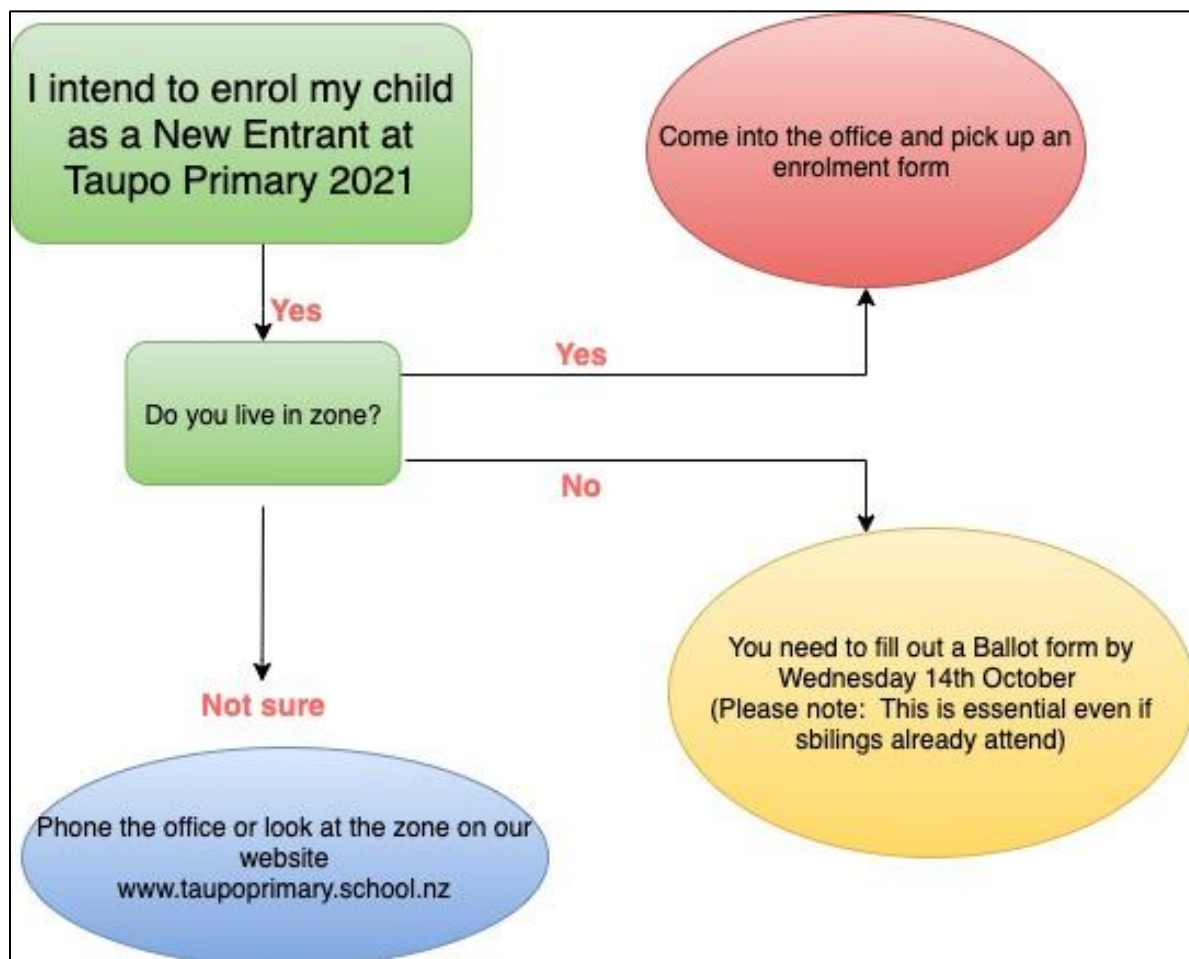
Please provide feedback on our School Report.

The link to access the survey is:

<https://forms.gle/gVET7YxdEGJSpFk57>

Important Enrolment Information for 2021

Do you have a preschooler starting school in 2021? Use the flowchart below to determine whether your child needs to be in the ballot.



Summer Sports

Come along to Taupo Sport House on Monday 21 September 2020 from 3pm to 7pm, 39 AC Baths Ave (opposite the Taupo Events Centre).

This will be an information afternoon for parents and students where a representative from each club will be in attendance.

Summer Codes for 2020/2021 are:

Cricket

Registration at Kaimanawa Pavilion 16th October 3:30-5:00pm.

First games at OD Park: 30th October 2020-11th Dec 2020 (Fridays 4pm onwards)

Resume in Term 1 from Friday 12th February 2021-19th March 2021

Athletics

At this stage we are looking at going from 15 Oct - 10 Dec and then 4 Feb - 15 Apr. Awaiting confirmation of costs.

Tennis

The tennis season runs from mid October to the end of March. However, the junior membership of \$70 for 1 child plus \$60 for each additional child(ren) allows members to use the courts anytime from 1 September 2020 to 31 August 2021. Tennis coaching is also available all year round (additional costs apply)



FUN FIRST FOOTBALL



FREE TRIAL THIS WEDNESDAY

3.15PM – 4.15PM

ON OUR SCHOOL FIELD!

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to hear the sound of many wings

For all things conservation, mark these dates in your calendar. All welcome!

2020 Community Planting Days

SAT, 4TH APRIL 10am at Wairakei Drive	SAT, 25TH JULY 11am at Wairakei Drive
SAT, 2ND MAY 11am at Waipahihi Gully	SAT, 8TH AUGUST 11am at Wairakei Drive (Student Leadership Restoration Project)
SAT, 27TH MAY 11am at Wairakei Drive	SAT, 22ND AUGUST 11am at Wairakei Drive
FRI, 5TH JUNE 10am Behind the AC Baths Arbor Day	SAT, 5TH SEPTEMBER 10am at Wairakei Bay
SAT, 20TH JUNE 11am, Contact Energy	SAT, 19TH SEPTEMBER 10am at Hipapatua

Venues/times to be confirmed close to events.
More information will be posted on our websites/facebook.

www.greeningtaupo.org.nz  www.kidsgreeningtaupo.org.nz

School Holiday Activities



School Holiday Programme
Mountain Biking

OCT 5	10-12 Years Grade 3 trails.
OCT 6	7-9 Years Grade 2-3 trails.
OCT 7	Advanced Pinners Must be able to ride grade 3 & 4 trails.

BIKE CRAFT
MOUNTAIN BIKE SKILLS

8:30 am – 3:00pm
Craters MTB Park, Taupo
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TAUPO BMX
taupobmx.org.nz

COME AND GIVE BMX A GO

When: Every Wednesday, sign in from 5:15pm, racing starts at 6pm
Where: BMX Track 11S Taharepa Rd
Cost: First 3 nights are free
Training: Tuesday 4:30-5:30 (open to sprockets and beginners wanting to join)
What you need: Bike, full face helmet, long pants and sleeves and gloves. (Level 1 we can hire gear)
For more information please message our FB page or email info@taupobmx.org.nz

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All proceeds subsidise transport so that all students at Taupo Primary School can access swimming lessons.

Email the office to book your space (office@taupoprimarieschool.nz) - \$250 to advertise for the remainder of the year (approximately 18 publications). Bookings will be taken on a first in, first served basis.

