### NGÀHINAPOURI NEWSLETTER Term 1 Week 9 2025 Issue 9





#### **Principal's Message**

Tena koutou Ngāhinapōuri Whanau,

#### Junior School shows their resilience

Today our junior school are having their beach experience and overnight camp! They are bravely taking on the elements as they head to Raglan as part of their Ocean Inquiry. The kids are absolutely buzzing and nothing, not even potentially torrential rain, will get them down! After what will no doubt be a series of life long core memories, the Year 1-3 students and their parents will then stay the night at "Ngahinapouri School Holiday Park" Where once again, depending on the rain, they will sleep in tents or in the classrooms.

Isn't it fantastic that we have such dedicated teachers at our school who organize these types of experiences for their tamariki.

#### Winter Champs

Thank you to everyone who has jumped into the online form to register their children for Winter Champs this year. This is always a logistical challenge and to have our entries in quickly will be a huge support. From here we will be having trials in Week 1 of Term 2 to decide the teams and then we will have practices every Friday afternoon until the big day on the 6<sup>th</sup> of June.

Once again I wish to show our appreciation to the parents who have been able to offer their time as coaches and managers to our teams. We simply cannot provide our students with these opportunities without your support. Don't forget our amazing PTA will be once again running the food stall and will require your support either by running the till, as a professional sausage turner or through offering baked goods to sell. It takes a community effort to run this fantastic day and it really makes us shine as a school community once its done! I am looking forward to it.

Nga mihi, Mark

### CONTACT US:



### **UP COMING DATES**

Week 9 Term 1 Thursday 3rd April - Friday 4th April **Raglan Junior School Camp** 

Week 10 Term 1 Tuesday 8th - Thursday 10th April **Epworth Camp** 

Week 10 Term 1 Friday 11th April Colour Fun Run



## **MERIT CERTIFICATES**

#### Rata

Lily G for great work in Reading and trying hard to finish work on time. Eva H for working hard and trying to write all her sounds.

#### Manuka

Riley S for always being kind and working really hard. Drae for being an outstanding role model for your classmates. Always showing the school values.

#### Kauri

Tobin for being a maths whizz and an all-round enthusiastic learner. Aska for always being a kind friend and working hard to stay on task.

#### Kahikatea

Isabelle C for resourcefulness and creativity. Olive C for taking the challenge and not giving up.

#### Pohutukawa

Theo for beautiful drawings. Neve for making an excellent boat for technology.

#### Tawa

Conrad for focus during class time resulting in a better standard of work. Thea for producing work of a good standard and starting to make contributions to class discussions.







# **Colour Fun Run**

### Friday 11<sup>th</sup> April 2,15pm

2.15pm The PTA have purchased non toxic powder paint to provide a Colour Fun Run for the last day of term Come along in white t-shirts ( for best effective paint look) or old clothes that you will never wear again.

Run through the activities while you get painted.

Parents - if you are free at 2.15pm come along and join us in throwing paint at the children.

# If any parents can come around 1.30 to set up the activities your help would be appreciated.

Colour Run

The PTA plans to hold a colour run on the afternoon of Friday 11th April, as a special Easter/end of term activity. This will be a free, fun activity for all children to enjoy. Children participating will need white or light coloured clothing that they are able get covered in brightly coloured powder. A Hero post with final details will follow, next week.



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### **ENTERTAINEMNT BOOKS**

CLICK HERE!

### **HOUSE POINTS**



### **SWIMMING POOL KEYS**

## The pool is now closed. Please return all pool keys to the office.

FIELDAYS HELPERS ROSTER – June 2025

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Helpers	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Needed	11 <sup>th</sup> June	12 <sup>th</sup> June	13 <sup>th</sup> June	14 <sup>th</sup> June
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#### FIELDAYS HELPERS REQUIRED

Ngahinapouri School has once again been offered a fantastic opportunity to earn some great money for the school. Ballance Agri-Nutrients have asked the school if they could provide four people to work in their tent on the Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of the field days and three people on the Saturday. If you can help, please contact Adriana at school either by phone – 8252 701 or e-mail office@ngahinapouri.school.nz



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## **FILM FUNDRAISER 2025**



We are once again having a Film Fundraiser! We are watching The Minecraft Movie on the 6th of April at The Regent at 2:00pm

Book the date and email office@ngahinapouri.school.nz to book your tickets! Fundraising is in support of playground maintenance and senior sports camp!



### **TE AWAMUTU ATHLETIC CLUB**

### Golf Course Fun Run & Walk

### Saturday 12th April 9.30am

Featuring 3k Run (Students), 3k Walk, 6k Run or Walk and 9k Run

Entry fees \$7 for Student Run and \$15 for other events.

All entries are online at the link below

https://events.mygameday.app/event/tafr12042025

Or you can go to the Athletics Waikato/Bay of Plenty website and Search 'Upcoming Events' and click on 'View All Events' then scroll down to April 12.

Race Director - Murray Green - Ph 0276216608











### 8 Weeks of FUN!

TT Kidz (NZ) gives children aged 6-11 a great first experience in table tennis.

#### TT Kidz - Waikato

Venue: Waikato Table Tennis Stadium, Edgecumbe Park, Edgecumbe Street, Whitoria, Hamilton, 3200 Start Date: Saturday, starting 10th May 2025 Time: 10am to 11am Cost: \$100 (new participant) or \$60 returning participant (Already have equipment pack))

#### www.tabletennis.org.nz/tt-kidz









New Zealand Traveller Declaration

Going overseas for the school holidays? Everyone travelling into New Zealand must complete a New Zealand Traveller Declaration, including returning New Zealand passport holders.

Its FREE and you can do it on the online form or on the NZTD app.

If you're travelling as a family or group and completing multiple declarations, the NZTD app allows you to copy your travel details into another declaration, making it easier to complete multiple declarations for the same journey. The submitted declarations are then all easy to see within the app. The New Zealand Traveller Declaration collects travel, customs, immigration and biosecurity information and aims to improve the safety and security of New Zealand. It replaces the paper card you used to fill out on the plane.

To make your arrival easier, do your digital declaration before your flight back to New Zealand. Head to travellerdeclaration.govt.nz today!

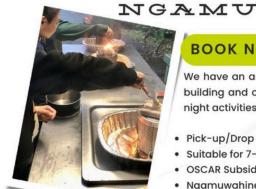








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#### **BOOK NOW**

#### 14th-17th April, 2025

LODGE

We have an amazing week lined up with bush walks, archery, air rifle, fire building and cooking, hut building, high rope activities, swimming, eeling, night activities and much more!

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- Pick-up/Drop off available from Hamilton, Tauranga & NOW Auckland
- Suitable for 7-13 years old
- **OSCAR** Subsidy available
- Ngamuwahine Lodge is set in the Kaimai Ranges (off SH29) in the beautiful **Bay of Plenty**

PRICE \$575 4 days Mon-Thu

#### MORE INFO : f Edventure Tauranga

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WEEK ONE OF THE APRIL HOLIDAYS!





# HOLIDAY

## PROGRAMME

Wednesday 23rd of April

10am - 2pm 5-12 year olds

\$5 a day or \$20 per family per day

St John's **Church Hall** George St, Te Awamutu

Please bring a lunch with healthy snacks and a drink bottle.

Bookings: Ph. 07 871-5568 or email stjohns.awa@xtra.co.nz to register a space.

Limited spaces available









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