



NEWSLETTER

Monday 10 March 2025
Term 1, Week 6

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Term Dates:

Term 1: Monday 3 Feb - Friday 11 April
Term 2: Monday 28 April - Friday 27 June
Term 3: Monday 14 July - Friday 19 September
Term 4: Monday 6 October -

Important Dates:

- **Friday 7 March** - Assembly, 10.15am
- **Tuesday 11 March** - Junior Swimming Display (Yr 1-3), 11.30am
- **Thursday 13 March** - School Swimming Sports, 10am
- **Wednesday 19 March** - Ki o Rahi tournament at Fx Primary
- **Wednesday 26 March** - Interschool Swimming Sports

From the Principal's Desk

Dear Families,

We have a busy week ahead with our junior swimming sports at 11.30am Tuesday morning, this is a change in time, as we would have struggled to get the programme finished in the afternoon.

The venue is our own school swimming pool with all parents and whanau welcome.

On Thursday, we have our middle and senior school swimming sports starting at 10.00am, with only the swimmers who have registered going to the Foxton Town Pool for the events.

Again parents and whanau are welcome to attend this event.

This is an opportunity for our year 4-8 students to qualify for the interschool swimming on Wednesday, 26th March, with the venue being the Levin Aquatic Centre.

On Tuesday at 9.30am, we have a visit from the Horowhenua District Council Mayor, who is making visits to all of the Horowhenua schools.

Peter Kemp - Principal

Welcome to ...

A warm welcome to our new students, we hope you enjoy being part of our Coley Street School community.



Positive Behaviour 4 Learning Focus of the Week

PB4L Focus of the Week ...



- *Making our new students welcome*
- *Enjoying being back with our classmates*
- *Including everyone in our games and activities*

Kaupapa Cards

Kakapo

Ariane - Taha Wairua

Weka

Koiwi - Taha Wairua

Takahe

Ivy - Taha Whanau

Kiwi

Arlo - Taha Tinana



'The kids from room 1 showing 'Taha Whanau' and doing a big school wide cleanup'



Students of the Week:

Room 1: Hope Nossiter for *Taha Wairua* always being so happy and positive!

Room 2: Isaac Preston for *Taha Hinengaro*, having such a positive attitude towards new learning.

Room 3: Braxton Deavin for using his *Taha Wahanau* and helping his friends.

Room 4: Scarlet for her positive attitude towards learning. *Taha Hinengaro*,

Room 5: Breeze for making a fantastic effort in swimming. *Taha Tinana*.

Room 6: Micah Carter

Room 7: Sadie Ross

Room 10 ART: Jamie Howse for using *Taha Hinengaro* during his art and being focused and on task. Well done!

Senior Hub :

Kaylee McLaren: *Taha Tinana*, giving 100% in swimming daily.

Grayson Whakatihi Paku-Wallace: *Taha Hinengaro*, for focusing better in class and presenting beautiful handwriting.



School Notices

- **JUNIOR SWIMMING SPORTS**

- Year 1-3, Tuesday 11th March at the School Pool**

Start time 11.30am. A display of skills and confidence in the water that the children have been working on this term. Parents are encouraged to come and watch and you are welcome to take your child home at the finish or they can stay for the remainder of the day.

Year 1 Group: approx 11.30am

Year 2 Group: approx 11.55am

Year 3 Group: approx 12.45pm



- **Middle/Senior SWIMMING SPORTS**

- Year 4-8, Thursday 13th March at the Foxton Pool**

Starting at 10am. Parents are welcome to attend



- **HATS ON FOR TERM 1**

The School operates a Sun Safe Policy. This requires children to wear sun safe hats during the summer months (Terms 1 and 4). Children are only permitted to play outside if they are wearing a sun hat. **Please bring a hat from home and name it!**

Sun block is provided in all classes.

We ask your support and assistance in encouraging children to be sun safe – i.e. to wear **sunblock and sun-hats**.



- **SCHOOL HOURS**

Bell times:

Class begins at 8.45am and finishes at 2.45pm.

Interval is from 10.45 – 11.15am.

Lunch Break is 12.45 – 1.30pm

Finish at 2.45pm



School Absences

Please phone through by 9am daily

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