



# NEWSLETTER

Monday 7th April, 2025  
Term 1, Week 10

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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 - Tuesday 16th December

## Important Dates:

- **Tuesday 8 April to 10 April** - Senior Hub camp
- **Friday 11 April** - Term 1 ends, Term Awards Assembly 10.15am
- **Monday 28 April** - Term 2 begins
- **Tuesday 29 April** - Yr7 immunisations
- **Monday 5 May** - **SCHOOL CLOSED**
- **Tuesday 6 May** - **SCHOOL CLOSED**
- **Wednesday 7 May** - School Photo Day
- **Friday 9 May** - Rugby/Netball Tournament
- **Friday 16 May** - Peter's final day as Principal

## From the Principal's Desk

Dear Families,

This week our year 7 / 8's attend a Noho Marae at Paranui which should be a fun filled 3 days and 2 nights. The senior staff have worked hard to ensure there is a well planned programme.

Saturday netball and mid week basketball get underway next term in Levin.

There is a possibility of entering a year 3 / 4 and 5 / 6 basketball team depending on parent input for transport and coaching

Foxton Club Rugby also starts for our Foxton Club players and if you have not already done so, you need to register your child if you wish them to play.

Friday is our end of Term Awards assembly and parents are welcome to attend.

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*Peter Kemp* - Principal

## Positive Behaviour 4 Learning Focus of the Week

### PB4L Focus of the Week ...



- *Competing hard but fairly in Ki o Rahi, junior and middle / senior interschool swimming sports*
- *Making the most of the nice weather to stay active*
- *Enjoying games with our schoolmates*

### Kaupapa Cards

Kakapo  
 Losena - Taha Hinengaro  
 Weka  
 Te Atarangi - Taha Hinengaro  
 Takahe  
 Jesse - Taha Tinana  
 Kiwi  
 Freyah - Taha Hinengaro

## Students of the Week:

**Room 1:** Jade - Taha Wairua and being such a happy learner.

**Room 2:** Heidi - Taha Hinengaro, for mastering our maths strategies this week.

**Room 3:** Jayvi

**Room 4:** Daniel - for being a positive role model. Taha Whanau

**Room 5:** Teia - for her enthusiasm for learning and sharing her knowledge with others, Taha Wairua.

**Room 6:** Ky-mani

**Room 7:** Ryder for using his Taha Hinengaro at Handwriting and phonics time.

**Room 10 ART:** Ardan - For Taha Wairua by showing his artistic talent in his self portrait.

**Senior Hub:** Jackson Iwanika: Taha Hinengaro: For showing great learning and skills in math.  
 Monria Dunlop: Taha Tinana: For setting yourself a challenge to join a sport you haven't played before but are willing to learn.



# School Notices

## Subject: Upcoming Works Along Kings Canal – From Monday 7 April

Kia ora whānau,

We've been advised that from Monday 7 April, sheet piling works will begin along Kings Canal, next to Coley Street School. This is part of the wider flood resilience upgrade works happening across the area.

The team will begin directly outside 57 Coley Street and may progress to the section alongside the school before the school holidays begin.

During this time, you or your children may hear drilling noise and feel some vibration during school hours. However, the works will not affect access to the school, carparks, or emergency entrances. All activity will be safely managed and confined to the canal side.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact Diandri vanZyl on 0508 800 800

## ● **SCHOOL CLOSED - Monday 5th May & Tuesday 6th May**

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## ● **LOST PROPERTY**


*This is located in the Administration block. We have a huge collection!! Unclaimed clothing will be donated to charity at the end of term.*

## ● **SIGNING IN AND OUT OF SCHOOL**

*If children are late arriving, i.e. after 8.45am and have missed the morning roll check they need to sign in at the office.*

*If your child needs to leave during the school day for any reason they must be signed out **at the office** by a parent or caregiver. Please do not just arrive at the classroom or playground to collect them.*

*For safety reasons we need to know what children are on site at all times.*

Sign out 

## **School Absences**

*Please phone through by 9am daily*

*Absence line (06) 363 8117*

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# Junior Rugby ! 🏉🔥



## FOXTON RUGBY FOOTBALL CLUB

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Looking for a fun, active, and team-building sport for your child? Sign them up for Junior Rugby! We offer both contact and non-contact versions of the game, so every child can get involved in a way that suits them best.

✅ Non-Contact Rugby (Rippa), Year 1-8 – Perfect for kids who want to develop skills, fitness, and teamwork in a safe and exciting environment. Great for beginners!

✅ Contact Rugby, Year 1-8 – For those ready to take their game to the next level, learning tackling techniques in a safe, structured setting while building confidence, strength, and resilience.

No matter their experience level, rugby helps kids stay active, make new friends, and develop valuable life skills like discipline, teamwork, and perseverance.

Please contact the Foxton Club for more details around registration and trainings. Season kicks off 3rd May.