

# NEWSLETTER

## WEEK 1 TERM 1 2018



**TINUI SCHOOL**  
*Building on Beginnings*

Established 1876

Kia ora koutou Tinui whānau and friends!  
We are back into it! It has been a long break and it's great to see all the smiling faces back at school.

Welcome to our 6 new students and 1 returning student and to our new junior room teacher Emily Broderick. Our 6 new students are Lockie and Chrystal in Room 3 who had their first day at school on the 7th, Phoenix (yr 8) and Izla (yr 6) who have come from Ohakune, Brooke (yr 6) and Heath (yr 5) who have come from Warkworth) and Asha who has returned to Tinui School after a stint at MIS in Masterton.

It has been a hectic week already with the trees at the back of the field being felled and changes to our bus runs. The tree felling has gone smoothly but not so the changes in the Tinui Valley and Castlepoint bus runs. I have been working to try and have our kids on the bus for shorter periods of time but for the meantime the runs will stay the same until the Ministry transport people generate new maps and estimate timings. Watch this space. There is also work being done to reestablish the Mangapakeha bus run. Again watch this space.

Finally I would like to invite all school families to a community consultation evening on Thursday 15th February at 6:30pm. This meeting will be an opportunity for you to make comment on the existing school charter and have input into updating it. It is very important all families attend and have input into the vision and direction of Tinui School and what you think is important to include in the curriculum of Tinui School. If you would like a copy of the charter please contact me at school.

There are two events on this weekend, the Horse Sports and the 4x4 Rally. I'm in Auckland at a family function so will miss them but I hope they both go well and the weather is kind.

If you need to contact me please do so at school or on either 0272459795 or [principal@tinui.school.nz](mailto:principal@tinui.school.nz)  
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Tinui School Term 1 2018 We start the year with 37 students!



The new view at the back of the field.

