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Hi everyone,

We have had a busy few weeks but have all managed to survive and thrive. Things will not slow down for a while yet either with many exciting activities coming up before the end of term. We want to acknowledge all the parent and community helpers out there - we could not do all these exciting activities without your support, transport and enthusiasm. Thank you!

In class, the Seniors have been looking at the water cycle and are exploring water purity and the environmental impacts of this precious resource. The Juniors have started looking at local native birds starting with our beloved Kiwi. Maths groups are completing fraction work and number theory. Reading groups are really getting into their books and where possible we link the readings to Our Backyard.

Pets Day will be on Friday the 23rd of October this year (the second week of Term 4), so please keep this date free. There will be a small market before we kick off the pet competitions. The children will also be invited to create some indoor displays, more detail on that to follow.

The Seniors are finally getting their long awaited, and well deserved, camp. We were very fortunate to be able to get a booking at this time of the year with such short notice. We are going to the Blue Mountain Adventure

Camp in early November.

We'd also like to take this opportunity to express our gratitude to our amazing team of parent readers. It makes a real difference to the children to have the opportunity to read one on one. Your dedication and time commitment is something we don't take for granted and thank you for.

Remember that if you have a hidden, or not so hidden, talent we would love to have you volunteer for our electives programme in Term 4. Please give us a call or an email to discuss your ideas and ways to make this happen that works for everyone.

That's all for now,

Simon
Temporary Principal
Tinui School

Please remember if you have any questions, queries or concerns please contact Simon Couling at school on simonc@tinui.school.nz or Mieke Couling on miekec@tinui.school.nz

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Important Dates

31/08 Teacher Only Day
10/09 Tinui School Cross Country, 1pm
14/09 Epro 8
16/09 WaiCol Production - 'All Shook Up' - School Trip
22/09 Tinui School Production - '101 Heifers'
25/09 School Assembly 2pm, Term 3 Ends
12/10 Term 4 Starts
23/10 Pets Day
4/11-6/11 Blue Mountain Camp
10/12 Overnight Camp
11/12 Beach Education
17/12 End of Year Function
18/12 End of term 4
8/2/21 Waitangi Day
9/2/21 Teacher Only Day
10/2/21 Term 1 Starts
Check out the school calendar for the whole year on the [school website](#). Events will be added as they arise.

Bus Messages - in by 2pm!!

- Remember if you don't see the thumbs up sign on Facebook messages, we have not seen the message.

School Uniform

If your child/children requires a Tinui School uniform ie tracksuit, t-shirt and shorts please let Rachel know in the office and she will send one home.

Daffodil Day

It is Daffodil Day this Friday 28th August. We would love to see the children dressed in yellow for the day. There will be a prize for the best dressed. If you are able to send a gold coin donation with your child/children we will donate this to the Cancer Society.



School Cross Country

Just a reminder that our Tinui School Cross Country is going ahead on 10th September. The start time is 1.00pm. We look forward to seeing you there.

WANT COVID-19 INFO?

Check out the Ministry of Health
[Facebook Page](#)

MORE IMPORTANT STUFF 📌

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Go to:

[Our school docs site](#)

Search for Tinui School and use

Username : tinui

Password : respect

Look for the red POLICY UNDER REVIEW tab. Please feel free to make comments on any of the policies under review. We need your input.

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U8 Rugby photos from the weekend. Great to see our kids out and about in the Coastie colours!!





Kids News It Up

Sport: Last week on Wednesday night coasties hockey team faced Gladiators(Wainuioru/Gladstone) in 7 aside hockey we scored a fare win with the score as 4-0.Gladiators played a great game it was a tough first half with no goals scored but in the second half we upped our game and came out on top.

Last Saturday East coast rugby faced Marist in a tough game of rugby.The score was 7-7.Luke,Thomas and Jane all scored tries.The whole team showed great sportsmanship and awesome fitness.

Congrats Luke and Thomas for player of the day in rugby.

And congrats Isobel Wellbrock for player of the day in hockey.

School news: The kids of Tinui school are doing a talent show its also includes a play 101 helperiers starring Isobel Madi, West Jane Harvey and the rest of the school as cows.We hope to see you all there for a laugh and to watch your child's talents if they have any. There will be singing, dancing ,gymnastics and loads more.You'll leave with a big smile wide across your face.Join us in the hall at 6pm on Tuesday the 2nd with a gold coin donation to help support your local school.

Our backyard: Last Thursday Tinui school went to the Anzac walkway and planted some trees and we were shown how to trap possums, stoats and rats and they also showed us how big the trees can grow. Thank you to Harriet Palmer, Trevor Thompson and Bill Maunsell for showing us how to trap pests and allowing us to learn about our environment.

Tinui shop has been a very big hit ever since it has started with students being on the best behaviour trying to earn the most money so that each student will come away with a brand new toy or if they are wanting a more expensive item they will save their money.Something else happening at school is yellow and red cards most students from tinui all play sports so this type of learning reinforcement came as no shock the students caught on straight away with a yellow card for minor behaviour and red if the student has received two in one week.Yellow card is a warning and ten minutes sitting out while red card means the principal takes action.

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