

# NUMBER 19, TERM 3, 2022



Hello to all

What rain we have had this week! The children have coped very well with wet break times. Sadly, we have had a number of children absent again this week due to the dreaded flu or Covid - which is back again!

The learning in classrooms is steaming ahead, with lots of connections across everything the students are learning. Science this fortnight is about looking at Acids and Bases - Sweet and Sour. Aotearoa New Zealand Histories is leading to some interesting discoveries and conversations. In Room 4, the students are also discussing current news and affairs.

As part of the learning, children use computer programmes that can be very noisy when you have several children working on them. We ask that the children have their own headphones so we can manage the noise.

Just a reminder that Masterton schools are having a mufti-day to fundraise for the Masterston Foodbank. Like last year, our little mufti school will have a Uniform Day instead. This will be on the 12th of August. Students can wear any type of uniform that is meaningful to them (Sports, Scouts etc.) Please provide an item of non-perishable food for the Masterton Foodbank.

This week in conjunction with the Cabbage Tree Eatery, school lunches start on Friday. Rachel has placed online payment details at the bottom of the

menu/order form. Please pay online before the orders are given to the school by Thursday so we can process them.

Again a reminder that Grandparent Day is coming up on Friday the 16th of September followed by a Teacher Only Day on Monday the 19th of September.

That's all for this week....

Simon

NB

Please remember if you have any questions, queries or concerns please contact Simon Couling at school on [principal@tinui.school.nz](mailto:principal@tinui.school.nz) or Mieke Couling on [miecec@tinui.school.nz](mailto:miecec@tinui.school.nz)

## BOT ELECTIONS 2022

*A reminder that nominations close at  
**12pm on Wednesday 17th August.**  
Could all nomination papers be returned to  
the office by then.*

*Thank you*

*Returning Officer*

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## SCHOOL CALENDAR

12/8 Uniform Day  
2/9 Onesie Day  
6/9 Rural Kids  
16/9 Grandparents Day  
19/9 Teacher Only Day  
20/9 Rural Kids  
30/9 Term 3 Finishes  
17/10 Term 4 Starts  
19/12 Term 4 Finishes

## SCHOOL HOURS

8.30am - School opens  
8.50am - School starts  
10.00am - 10.20am - Morning Tea  
12.00am - 12.25am - Lunch  
1.20pm - 1.35pm - Afternoon Tea  
2.45pm - School finishes

**Bus Messages - in by 2pm!!**

**\*\*Remember if you don't see the thumbs up sign on messenger, we have not seen the message..**

## SCHOOL POLICIES - to view these please refer 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.

WANT COVID-19 INFO?

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



## Kids News It Up

### ***Hello and welcome to the kids news it up.***

Today we will be talking about the 5 new kids at school and the new math, writing and reading groups. So we will start on the 5 new kids at Tinui school there names are Makayla, Bianca, Khloe, Carmen and Mariah. They have been great and we really enjoy having them at school.

Now we will move on to the reading, math and writing groups. We will try not to bore you to death so just hang in there ok. We have the Clay, the Cowley, the Dahl and the Rowling groups for the writing. For the math groups we have the RED SQUARES at stage 1,2-3 the YELLOW CIRCLES at stage 2-3 the GREEN TRIANGLES group A at stage 4-5 the GREEN TRIANGLES group B at stage 4-5 and last but not least the BLUES at stage 6-7. Hope we didn't bore you. The reading groups are: the KIWI/PUKEKO, the FANTAILS, the MOREPORK, the TAKAHE and the FALCONS.

By payton and sophy :)

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## *Student work....*

During the weekend I woke up and looked out the window and it was a good day. We bought a soccer ball To play soccer at the park because we were going to town. For lunch we had chicken for lunch. We played soccer again and the ball got stuck in the tree. So my aunt tried to get it down. After we got it down we went shopping. When we finished shopping we went home and put the food and things on the table. After we put the shopping on the table I made myself a milo and watched a movie and it was the best day in town ever. The next day me, Plymouth and Aaron woke up to a smell of pancakes, it smelled really good so me and Aaron went to go and have some pancakes for breakfast. After we had some pancakes, Aaron and Plymouth went to get dressed for the day when me and Aaron got dressed and Aaron went outside to play at the school. My aunty even came with me and Aaron. And that a story about a day at town

By Refel

## **Lions**

Lions are fierce animals and they are very intelligent. You just can't walk up to them, you have to shoot them with a sleeping dart.

A lion's pride can be up to 30 lions in one pride. Lions are always in a pride.

Lions live in Africa like elephants and other animals. Lions mostly live in dens.

In the Lion King movie Simba means lion in Swahili  
They named Simba lion.

A lion's roar can be heard from up to 8 kilometers away.

Lions paws are so big it's bigger than your hand. A lion cub can identify its mum or dad's kind of paw.

In some countries people have a licence to shoot lions.

Lions are amazing animals and they deserve to live a good life.

**By Chrystal**

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