Tikipunga Primary School

Kia taki manawa ai te aronga wawata, te ekenga hoki o pae tawhiti Respecting aspirations, walking together, achieving our goals

PANUI 30th May 2025

From Whaea Judy:

Kia ora Whānau

We are already half-way through Term 2 and there is a hive of activity across the school for learning.

A huge thank you for everyone's participation in Pink Shirt Day – such a vibe across the school supporting inclusiveness and standing up to bullying behaviour.

Enjoy some of the amazing photos from this day.

Our recent Teacher Only Day of Maths professional development provided our Kaiako, Teacher Aides, RTLB and IHAD Navigators the opportunity to develop a shared understanding of how the new mathematics curriculum is structured across the learning progressions and phases.

We warmly invite you to our **Matariki Open Day on Thursday 19 June**. Please join us from 11am to 1.30pm for a celebration of learning and whānau connection. Come and enjoy classroom walkthroughs with your Tamariki and share in their learning journey. We look forward to seeing you there.

Sporting activities have been in full swing, with our students actively participating in a range of interschool events. Whether it's been sports exchanges, weekend fixtures, or Winter Sports competitions, our students have demonstrated outstanding sportsmanship, teamwork, and kura pride.

These events not only bring fun and energy, but also create valuable opportunities for leadership, resilience, and connection beyond the classroom.

If your child is away for whatever reason, please let us know. Our school goal is to ensure all absences are explained, contributing to a more accurate understanding of attendance patterns and allowing us to provide better support to our students and families.

Remember school is closed on Monday for the King's Birthday celebration. Enjoy your long weekends with your tamariki.

Ngā mihi Whaea Judy

IMPORTANT KURA DATES:

Monday 2nd June Tuesday 17th June Thursday 19th June Friday 20th June Friday 27th June Monday 14th July King's Birthday Observation – **No school** Board of Trustees Hui – 4.00pm Matariki Open Day at school – 11am to 1.30pm Matariki Public Holiday – **No school** Last Day of Term Two First Day of Term Three



OUR DETAILS:

Acting Principal: Judy Panapa Address: 11 Tania Place Tikipunga Whangarei 0112 Phone: 09 437 0743 0800 845 477 Email: admin@tikiprimary.school.nz Office Hours: 8.00am—3.30pm

2025 TERM DATES:

Term 2 28 April – 27 June Term 3 14 July – 19 September Term 4 6 October – 16 December

SCHOOL HOURS:

School Begins8.30amMorning Tea10.30am—11amLunch1.00pm—1.30pmSchool Finishes2.30pm

GATES

Please remember that our gates are closed during the day for the safety of our students.

ABSENCES:

Please let us know your child is absent before 9.30am. 0800 845 477 After this time, you will receive a text from the school. It is important for us to have great communication regarding absences.

HAVE YOU MOVED OR CHANGED YOUR PHONE NUMBER?

Please let Whaea Lena know so she can keep the records up to date. This really helps if we need to get in touch with

2025 NETBALL

Games have been going well with some very proud Players of the Day.

We are still waiting on some fees to be paid. We pay the Netball Centre, and any outstanding fees have to be made up by the school. This takes funds away from other valuable opportunities for all our students.

PINK SHIRT DAY:





 DATE
 HUB LOCATIONS
 Term 2 2025, Weeks 6 to 5

 Wed 4th June
 Bream Bay Community Trust, 9 Takutai Pl, Ruakākā (10am – 12.30pm)

 Thurs 12th June
 Hikurangi School, 20 George St, Hikurangi

 Wed 18th June
 St John Õtamatea Ambulance Hall, 172 Hurndall St East, Maungaturoto

 Thurs 19th June
 Ministry of Education , 24 Kaka St, Morningside

 Wed 25th June
 Early Years Hub Dargaville, 28 Hokianga Rd, Dargaville

 Thurs 26th June
 Clark Road Chapel, 4-6 Clark Road, Kamo

Thurs 26th June Ngunguru School, Te Maika Rd, Ngunguru (9 – 10.30am)



