

# Piopio College

Te Kura Tuarua o Piopio

## Newsletter



Panui 23 — 26 July 2018

### COMING EVENTS

**31 July (Tues) - 2 August (Thurs)**

- Year 11 Camp

**6 August (Mon)**

- Parent-Student-Teacher Interviews

**8 August (Wed)**

- Parent-Student-Teacher Interviews

**10 August (Fri)**

- Sport Photos

**18 August (Sat)**

- School Ball

### FINANCE OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday  
10.25am to 10.40am

Monday and Friday  
12.50pm to 1.05pm

Tuesday to Thursday  
12.25pm to 12.40pm

### LIBRARY HOURS

Monday—Thursday  
10am to 2.30pm—Term only  
[library@piopio.school.nz](mailto:library@piopio.school.nz)

### PIOPIO COLLEGE

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### PRINCIPAL/TUMUAKI

Johan van Deventer  
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Kia Ora Whānau,

A big welcome back to term three for all students and staff and a special welcome to Mr James Hicks who will be taking over from Mr McGeough, who left us at the end of term two.

I want to express my absolute appreciation to all the students, teachers and parents who helped make our end of term Matariki Celebrations a huge success. It was fantastic to have you with us to share our celebration. A special thank you to the coordinating team and student leaders who spear-headed the event! You were awesome! To all the contributing Primary schools, Kohanga Reo and Curious Keas who also participated, thank you!! Your presentations brought a few tears to the kaumatua and whānau present.

This term has begun at high speed for staff who undertook professional development about our Local History, Culturally Responsive Pedagogy and literacy across all subjects. We welcomed our students back on Tuesday and parents should receive academic reports in the mail by next week.

We will be hosting student/parent/teacher interviews in week three and have set aside two afternoons for this purpose. We have selected afternoons due to feedback we received from parents after our term one interviews.

So please diarise **Monday 6 August** and **Wednesday 8 August** and make your appointments via the School interviews Application online at:

<https://www.schoolinterviews.com.au> using the event code "**b9dnm**" and then follow the three easy steps to secure a 15-minute interview slot with any one of your child/ren's teachers.

Please feel free to make multiple bookings if you need to talk to all of the subject teachers for your child/ren. It will be handy if you could bring the mid-year academic report to the interview as it can be the starting point of your interviews.

Should you have difficulty making an appointment, or if you are not able to attend on either of the days, please feel free to contact us and we can assist you to make appointments or arrange alternative interview dates and times with you. Our goal is to connect with and meet as many parents during the two days, so we encourage you to please use the opportunity to come and discuss your child/ren's learning and achievements with us.

Nga mihi Nui,

**Johan van Deventer**

*Principal / Tumuaki*

### TIMETABLE

Below is our scheduled timetable days for Week 2, of Term 3.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Day 6	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4

# SPORTS DRAWS AND RESULTS

## DRAWS



### Thursday 26 July

Netball: C5—PPCA vs Oto South School at 5.30pm  
C3—PPC Development vs Flames at 5.30pm  
C5—Piopio College A vs TKHS A at 6.30pm

### Saturday 28 July

Football: Piopio Eagles have a Bye

Rugby: Piopio 1st XV vs HBHS Senior Silver, at HBHS Field 5, at 11.00am  
Under 14's TKHS/Piopio vs Morrinsville College, at TKHS, at 9.00am  
Under 13's Bush-Piopio(3) vs Taupo Sports(2), at OD Park Taupo, at 1.00pm  
**(Semi-final ~ Curtain raiser to the Meads Shield Premier Final)**

## RESULTS

Netball: PPCA lost vs TKPA; PPC Development (36) vs Benneydale Red (30): Piopio College A lost vs Waitomo

Football: Piopio Eagles (4) vs Otorohanga South (9)

Rugby: Piopio 1st XV (25) vs Fairfeild 1st XV (7); Under 14's TKHS/Piopio no game;  
Under 13's Bush-Piopio (64) vs TJR Chiefs (35)

- ★ Just a quick reminder around the 2018 KCRFU Des Graham Under 57kg & Under 45kg Tournament - to be held at **Taumarunui Domain, Taumarunui, on Sunday 5 August 2018, hosted by Taumarunui JRB.**

## Semi-Finals Rules

When the teams are tied at the end of full time, the winners will be determined by:

- A further 10 minutes each way will be played.
- The team scoring the most tries.
- The team finishing higher in the qualifying round.

## YEAR 11 STUDY CAMP

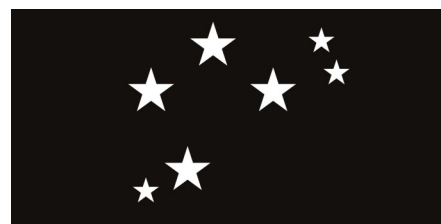
All parental permission slips should now have been returned to the college. We leave next Tuesday, 31st July at 9am, returning in time for the buses on Thursday 2nd August. Te Kūiti students will be picked up at the Shearing Statue at 9.15am. A second letter has been issued this week with an outline of the camp activities and a gear list. Please ensure that your child brings a koha of baking or fresh fruit. **There is also a swimming permission slip to sign and return asap.** Any questions please text me 0211090723 or phone the college on 07 877 8173.

**Sue Draper - Year 11 Dean**

## THANK YOU!

Piopio College would like to give a HUGE thank-you to our sponsors for their generosity toward our Matariki Celebration. Without your support this event would not have been possible!

- ★ **Atkinsons Vets**
- ★ **Farmsource Piopio**
- ★ **PGG Wrightsons Piopio**
- ★ **The Fat Pigeon and The Night Owl**
- ★ **Stoked Eatery Te Kuiti**
- ★ **Manson and Morris Whānau for donating meat for Kai week**
- ★ **Our Judges, Izaiah Wallace, Te Miri Takarei, Kaumatua Abe Mita and Laurel Muraahi**







# MATARIKI HIGHLIGHTS



Full school powhiri



Te Miringa Coffin-Bell and Lorenz Kemp Duet



Aria Primary School Performance



Piopio Primary School Performance



Te Whānau Kohanga Reo O Piopio Performance



Kauri / Kahikatea  
Whānau Performance



Kowhai / Rata Whānau  
Performance





YOU'RE INVITED  
TO JOIN US.

# ARABIAN NIGHTS

AUGUST 18TH 2018


## *Ball event*

DOORS OPEN: 7PM, CLOSE AT  
7:30PM. NIGHT ENDS AT 11PM

\$50 PER PERSON  
TICKET SALES CLOSE AUGUST  
8TH

TICKETS WILL BE AVAILABLE TO  
PURCHASE FROM THE FINANCE  
OFFICE.

PIOPIO, 3912  
12 RURU STREET  
THE NIGHT OWL





## PIOPIO RUGBY CLUB ARE IN THE FINALS!!

This is the first time they have made the finals for over 25 years and we would love to have your support on the sideline.

### Owen Delaney Park in Taupo this Saturday at 2.30pm

Make up that car load and bring your loudest voices to the game and celebrate what they have achieved so far and hopefully something else special will happen on the day!

There could be a supporters van or bus leaving if there are numbers to fill it. Approximate departure time 10.30 – 11am and this would be returning after the game or presentations (all to be confirmed). There will be a small charge to cover the hire costs. If you would like to book a seat, please contact Vikki Hall on 0275 898 824 or at PTL by **12 NOON ON THURSDAY.**

Otherwise.... Hope to see you there!!!



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### **2019 SCHOLARSHIP OFFERINGS**

The University of Waikato have introduced a number of new school leaver scholarships that they will be offering students for 2019 entry. These are:

- Ko Te Tangata (Waikato schools)
- Ko Te Tangata (Bay of Plenty schools)
- The Manu Kaewa (All other NZ regions)
- Pacific Excellence Scholarship
- Te Ara Whānui Scholarship

The Undergraduate Scholarships Guide has now been printed, and the PDF is available on their website at: [www.squiz-matrix.its.waikato.ac.nz/\\_matrix-data/assets/pdf\\_file/0027/83268/4606-Undergraduate-Scholarships-Guide-2019\\_FINAL\\_web.pdf](http://www.squiz-matrix.its.waikato.ac.nz/_matrix-data/assets/pdf_file/0027/83268/4606-Undergraduate-Scholarships-Guide-2019_FINAL_web.pdf)

In order to keep up to date with the scholarships changes at the University, you can check out their scholarship finder: [www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships/search#!/?page=1](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships/search#!/?page=1). The closing date for school leaver scholarships remains the 31st of August.