

Piopio College

Te Kura Tuarua o Piopio

Newsletter



Panui 19 — 21 June 2019

COMING EVENTS

Tuesday 25 June

- * PUM PPTA Union meeting
- * PTA AGM

Thursday 27 June

- * Year 7 & 8 Whikoi mo Te Reo at Te Kuiti

Friday 28 June

- * Whikoi mo Te Reo Sports Day

Wednesday 3 July

- * Year 7 & 8 Aria Science Fair

Friday 5 July

- * Term 2 Ends

Monday 22 July

- * Term 3 Starts

Kia Ora Whānau,

It was wonderful to host our annual Matariki Festival on Thursday. To all our neighbouring schools and whānau who participated and attended, I personally thank you for your contributions and mahi.

A huge first time welcome to Benneydale Primary School and a big Nau mai, Haere mai to Piopio Primary, Aria Primary, Mokau Primary, Kohanga Reo and Curious Keas who have all attended previously.

I also want to acknowledge donations from the Morris Family for donating the pork, the Hancock Family for two lambs and hangi wood, the Thomas Family for two lambs, the Simpson Family for the wood to burn the Hangi, Staff of Piopio College for various items for the Hangi. Muraahi whānau for preparing and putting down the Hangi, and Napi Napi Marae for allowing us to use their facilities.

A special mention to Joanne Taitoko, Xavier Taitoko, Gina Draper and Sue Draper for volunteering their time to help with tutoring the groups and their commitment to this kaupapa.

Also particularly, Victoria Sammons and her team of organisers, Mandi Butler, Leigh Anselmi, Mandi Barnsdall, Whaea Tania, Ian Small for setting up cleaning up the venue and all the student leaders who dedicated themselves to arrange the event and prepare the students in their performances.

Last but not least are all the students and teachers who competed in their houses, and this year The Rata and Kauri combination won the much-prized taonga! Although there were less than 10 points between them and Kowhai /Kahikatea.

A big thank you to Lynne Rauputu and her husband Tuke who came into spruce up our gardens on Wednesday. Your dedication and service to our College is much appreciated.

On a different note, next Tuesday 25 June, PPTA members will be attending a paid union meeting in Hamilton. We will run a normal program until morning interval and then we will only have skeleton staff available to offer an alternative program. Please complete the return slip attached to the newsletter or contact the office so we can determine how many students we will need to cater for after the interval break. We need to know if you are giving your child permission to go home/ alternatively if they need to remain at school for the full school day.

Ngā Mihi

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FINANCE OFFICE HOURS

8.45am - 1.45pm

LIBRARY HOURS

Tuesday to Friday (Term only)

10am to 2pm

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<https://facebook.com/groups/590941524589572>

Please note that there will be no string and guitar lessons Monday 24 June, Monday 1 July or Monday 22 July. Mr Nation will be here Tuesday 23rd July.

Year 9 Science

In amongst the Matariki Practices Y9 students fit in practical Science investigations related to the current topic of "The Particle Nature of Matter." Teacher: Marina Rauputu



NEWSLETTER THANKS

Thank you to the parents and community members who send in photos and stories for the newsletter, it is greatly appreciated. We value our community and the families who support Piopio College and are happy to promote student achievements in and out of school as well as community events and news. All stories and photos can be sent to

library@piopio.school.nz

Piopio College PTA AGM.
Tuesday 25 June, 4 pm in the College Staffroom.

LOST PROPERTY - Lots and lots of unnamed College Uniform—T Shirts and Polar fleeces.
Please see Reception.

WSS Squash Individual Tournament

Congratulations to David Robinson, Regan Bevege and Jackson Pari who competed at the Waikato Secondary Schools' Individual Squash Tournament in Hamilton on the 18th of June. David and Regan competed in Division 8 and Jackson in Division 9. The boys should be very proud of their achievements and the sportsmanship they showed on the day. They have come such a long way this season by attending regular trainings with Mark Anderson. David won the Special Plate and Regan the Consolation Plate in their division. Regan and Jackson both won spot prizes also. Many thanks to Lee Alcock who accompanied us and helped support the players with their marking/ reffing duties. Next week the boys will compete in the Teams Event and we're all looking forward to another great day of squash.

Caroline Foss
Junior Coordinator , Aria Squash Club



ORIENTEERING.

On Friday the 14th June, 30 of our Yr 7/8 tamariki took part in the annual Aria Orienteering. The students and staff alike had a wonderful day, basking in the sunshine and interacting with the other kura.

Results are as follows:

Team Placings;

3rd Place - Happy Feet

(Regan Bevege, Leah Harre, Tyler Marshall, Keira Whitehead, Jack Wiseman & Alexa Hancock).

5th Place - Explorers

(Olly Bevege, Jackson Pari, Janey Pease, Kelani Tapara and Korvell Young).

Individual Placings in Y7/8 category;

1st - Jaimee Manhire

3rd equal - Tyler Marshall

ATTENDANCE AND PUNCTUALITY 100% attendance is very important. One characteristic of successful students is that they attend school regularly and punctually. If a student is going to be away, we ask that you contact the College

0800 240 173 / 07 877 8173 and leave a message on our answering service. We will need to know:

*Who is going to be away *The reason why they are away (for MOE coding requirements).

Piopio College is proud to partner with UNSW Global to offer its annual ICAS Assessments. The assessment is now fully online and sitting dates will commence in Term 3. Learn more by visiting unsw.global/icas
These online assessments are designed to recognise and reward academic excellence.

To ensure an engaging and beneficial experience for all students, new ICAS assessments are developed annually for each subject in every year level.

ICAS subjects offered at the college this year are:

* ICAS Writing * ICAS English * ICAS Mathematics

The cost is \$15.00 per subject and is to be met by the student when entering. Please contact Louise Sheeran if you would like to register interest for your child.



Sports Draws & Results

DRAWS

Junior Football– Saturday 22nd June

9.15am at Centennial Park PPC v Pukenui 13

Rugby– Saturday 22nd June

9.30am at HBHS field 2, Piopio/ Te Kuiti U15's v HBHS U14's A

11.00am at TKHS, Piopio/ Te Kuiti 1st XV v Forest View 1st XV

11.30am at Island Reserve Otorohanga, U13 Piopio/ Waitete v Otorohanga Sports

Hockey–

Tuesday 25th June 5.30pm at GHC 1, King Country Boys v HBHS 3rd

Next week, Junior Hockey Top Four Competition at TK

Winner 1v4 v Winner 2v3

Loser 1v4 v Loser 2v3

Netball– Thursday 27th June

Juniors: 4.15pm on C1 PPC Phoenix v TKP Pearls

Seniors: 5.30pm on C3 PPC Black v TKHS Red

4.15pm on C5 PPC Rebels v TKP Royals

7.30pm on C4 PPC Red v Royalans Blue

PPC A have a BYE



RESULTS

Junior Football - Saturday 15 June at Centennial Park

PPC had a BYE

Rugby- Saturday 15 June

Piopio/ Te Kuiti U15's (0) v HBHS U15's B (29)

Piopio/ Te Kuiti XV (14) v Fairfield 1st XV (20)

U13 Piopio/ Waitete (39) v McSkimming Shearing (39)

Hockey-

Tuesday 18 June - GHC 2 King Country Boys (0) v Matamata College (2)

Wednesday 19th June– Piopio Wranglers (4) V Piopio Broncos (3)

Netball– Thursday 20 June

Juniors: PPC Phoenix (7) v CP Angels (9)

Seniors: PPC Black (12) v TWOM (29)

PPC Rebels (13) v St Jo's (18)

PPC A (27) v HSOG (42)

PPC Red (38) v P10 Wahine (46)

MATARKIKI FESTIVAL 2019 PHOTOS



RETURN SLIP – PIOPIO COLLEGE OFFICE

(PPTA) Teachers Paid Union Meeting – Tuesday 25 June 2019

Student Name: _____

Student Name: _____

Student Name: _____

Will be:

Staying at home

Staying at school until 3.05pm

Collected by a parent at 10.45am

Walking to their own home in Piopio at 10.45am

(Students may not go to another student's home)

Signed Parent/Caregiver: _____

KCRFU U13 Development Day

Come on down to Rugby Park, Te Kuiti
on
Friday, 21 June 3.30pm - 5.30pm

Everyone Welcome

ALL Junior Rugby Players, Mums, Dads, Caregivers, Coaches, Managers & Whanau

Programme

- 3.15pm Arrive at Rugby Park
3.25pm Players will be split into Age Grades
3.30pm David Galbraith, Sports Psychologist for the Chiefs Super Rugby Team, will address U13 players.
3.45pm U6 to U11s will participate in fun games & activities
4.00pm U13s will participate in skills & drills with some upcoming Chiefs players, current King Country Rams coach Craig Jeffries & players, former King Country Rams players and our very own Rugby Manager, Josh Standen.
4.00pm For the adults, David Galbraith will present an inspiring workshop in the Waitete Rugby Clubrooms. This is a not to be missed opportunity to 'Unleash your Greatness' and learn from a man of David's calibre.

David Galbraith (DG) specialises in supporting individuals, teams and business to establish a robust and productive culture. He has been a sports psychologist with the Chiefs Super Rugby franchise for many years (11th campaign currently). He has also been involved with National 7s teams, BMX and Golf.

- 5.00pm Sausage sizzle at the Waitete clubrooms **sponsored by The Lines Company – Proud supporters of King Country Junior Rugby**

