

Newsletter 3

Wednesday 13 March 2019



**Pahoia
School**

Kia ora tatou katoa,

What an amazing day that was had by all the the Pahoia School Triathlon on Sunday. The weather turned it on (second time around), and it was a great family day out. I would like to thank all of the volunteers that made this experience possible for our children.

We are going to be holding a School Tour on Wednesday 27 March. This is an opportunity to meet in the hall and talk about whole school initiatives, communication, curriculum, how you can get involved at Pahoia School or anything that you would like clarified. Sheena Saunders, our school Deputy Principal and I will meet you in the hall at 9am to discuss these areas before taking you into pods to see learning in action! We will then finish with an informal chat in the staffroom.

Lastly, I would like to thank you for your support next week with our Teacher Only Day on Monday 18 March and for those that are able to pick their children up on Wednesday 20 March at 12,30pm, as teachers around Tauranga attend the NZEI union meetings. Buses are running on Wednesday 20 March at the usual times.

Nga Mihi,

Mike McKee
Principal

Upcoming Events

Term 1

Teacher Only Day
Monday 18 March

Teachers Union Meeting
(12.30pm pick-up if possible)
Wednesday 20 March

Shave for a Cure
Friday 22 March

BOT Meeting
Monday 25 March

School Tour
Wednesday 27 March

Last Day of Term 1
Friday 12 April



We have been lucky to have an amazing team of fundraising parents who have been working together for our school for a number of years. They would now like to pass on their knowledge and support newcomers to the fundraising group.

We need your help to come forward and be part of this dynamic group!

Currently we have three annual fundraisers:

- the Triathlon in Term 1
- the Quiz Night in Term 2
- Ag Day in the first week of Term 4

Pie Days and other lunch days are held regularly throughout the year, so there are many ways you can help. We welcome new ideas too!

Our meetings are held at the beginning of each term on the second Tuesday.

Please join us on the 19th March at 9am in the school staffroom. This does not mean you have to commit, just come along and find out what it's all about.

See you there.

Community Assembly
Aongatete sharing
Friday 22 March

(Pie Day Friday)

Around the School

You can text your child's absence message to
027 941 2639
BEFORE 9.00am

Principal's Awards Term 1 - Week 5

Kaimai: Mika Andersen, Koen Vanderplancke
Waipapa: Sebastian Ward, Isla Mills
Bailey Cave
Aongatete: Sienna Charles, Alexis Cook
Lenny Ammer, Jade Willcox
Tūhūa: Jack Smith, Charlee-Rose Edmiston
Connor Miller, Ariya Butler

The lunch voucher winner was Charlee-Rose Edmiston.



Once again in 2019 some very brave Pahoia School students and teachers are shaving off their hair for charity! What started in 2018 as an excuse for Mr Harwood to not have to shave off his beard turned into an awesome event, where we raised over \$7000 for Leukaemia & Blood Cancer New Zealand (LBC).

From day one this year, students were putting their hands up to help out with this amazing cause. Already this year we have raised over \$2600!

Shave day is Friday 22nd March and we hope to turn it into a community event, with a mini market and other items for sale leading into the afternoon (more details to come).

You can help support the cause by following this link (<https://goo.gl/ZCmvGZ>) to donate. If you have any questions please contact adrian@pahoia.school.nz



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Can You Help?

The Hall committee is looking for some new members to keep our hall running.

It's a great way to help support the school and community without having to make a huge commitment, as we only meet once a term.



We also have a couple of key roles that need filling related to finance and bookings. Any of the above roles can be filled from outside the school community.

Please contact Liz Bourke for more details 027 542 4775



Pie Day Fridays

Week 7 22 March

Week 9 5 April



Order yours from the hall kitchen on Friday morning!

Pies \$3.00

Sausage Rolls \$2.00

Juices \$1.50

Mini Lemonade Ice Blocks \$1.00

Chocolate Chip Cookies (Jumbo size) \$2.50

Singing Lessons/Guitar Lessons

Dana Wright (Mrs Wright's daughter)

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Sports News

WBOP/Tauranga Primary Schools Surf Competition 2019

Date: Friday 5 April 2019 (swell permitting, otherwise it will be postponed to a later date)

VENUE Tay Street – Mt Maunganui
AGE Under 9 boys and girls parent assist
 Under 11 boys and girls
 Under 13 boys and girls

COST \$5.00 per division entry

ENTRIES CLOSE: Friday 12 April - maximum of 48 entries.

FIRST IN FIRST SERVED! NO ENTRIES ON THE DAY.

DETAILS OF THE EVENT

The order of events will be determined by conditions on the day.

- Under 9 division (Parent assist)
- Under 11 Girl division - Under 11 Boy division
- Under 13 Girl division - Under 13 Boy division
- Semi finals/finals

If you are interested or would like anymore information please let Maree Morton know by emailing sport@pahoia.school.nz. It will be up to parents to get the children to this event.

Katikati Wrestling Club

New members welcome from age 5+ for both males and females.

Primary school age Wednesday 5.30pm-6.30pm

Secondary and Adults Monday 6-7.30pm and Wednesday 6.30pm-8pm

Held at Katikati Wrestling Club, Major Street, Katikati

Any enquires please call Bobbette
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If you have any questions relating to school sport please feel free to email me sport@pahoia.school.nz

Regards
Maree Morton
Pahoia School Sports Coordinator

Freshmoves BOP Dance Festival Year 3-6 Baycourt Community Arts Centre 18th and 19 June

There will be more Information on this to come home in the up and coming weeks. There will be a small cost to this event.

NETBALL

Year 1/2 Netball Boys and Girls

To be able to run this at school we will need a willing parent to coach in the hall during school hours or after school. Sessions can be set on a day that works for the parent running it, with all Year 1 and 2 Boys and Girls are welcome to participate.

Training is provided and as well as a manual that details the full program week by week. We have previously run it in the hall at lunch time and it went well. The kids loved it. There is Year 1 and 2 Netball at Katikati on a Tuesday at 3:15 if we are not able to find a parent to run it at school.

To register and pay \$40 for your child to take part in this programme, please go to the School Shop Year 1/2 Netball. Registrations close on 2nd April.

Children will need to wear suitable sports clothing, have sports shoes and bring along a water bottle.

This is a great way the kids to learn some ball skills and also hand eye coordination.

Parent's assistance to help with this programme is welcomed. Helpers do not need a netball background to be involved.

Year 3/4 Netball Boys and Girls

The Year 3/4 programme will again run on a Thursday, starting the 9th May 3.30 – 5pm, at the Katikati College Netball Courts, with teams of up to 8 players. This will run for 15 weeks (Terms 2 and 3, but not in the holidays). Future Ferns programme followed by a mini tournament.

Each Year 3/4 team must have a coach who will need to attend a training on 2nd of May – venue to be decided. To register and pay \$60 for your child to take part in this programme please go to the School Shop Year 3/4 Netball. Registrations close on the 2nd April.

Harbourside Netball Year 5/6

Year 5 and 6 teams will begin their 2019 competition on Saturday 18th May 2019 at Harbourside Netball in Mt Maunganui. All games will be played at 12:30, playing time for Year 5&6 on Saturday is 4 x 10-minute quarters, 2 minutes at the quarter breaks and the half time break. Boys are eligible to play but only a maximum of three (3) per team. One in each third of the court.

Year 5 and 6 Netball continues to be modified for this age group. Players rotate to prevent early specialisation in positions. The emphasis is on all players getting plenty of touches of the ball and the opportunity to develop a broad skill set. The game is played on a full-size court with lowered goal posts and is played 6 v 6.

IMPORTANT: YEAR 6 WILL PLAY 6 V 6 IN 2019 THE GOAL POST WILL BE LOWERED TO 2.6M.

Year 6 grading will take place on Saturday 11th May 2019. When registrations close I will check the numbers on if we have a Year 5/6 team or a Year 5 team and a Year 6 team. If we have a Year 5/6 team we will have to do grading on the 11th May.

To register and pay \$80 for your child to take part in this programme (this covers both terms) please go to the School Shop Year 5/6 Netball. Registrations close on the 2nd April.

Coaching course

Year 5 & 6 coaches workshop Wednesday 10th April 2019 6:00 – 8:00pm if you are interested in this please email sport@pahoia.school.nz



HOCKEY

Pahoia School Funsticks Hockey Years 0-3

Wednesday 3:30 to 4:30 Pahoia School Turf (if it is raining then it will be held in the hall)

This is a programme that is designed to be a fun introduction to Hockey and no experience in this sport is required.

To register and pay \$50 for your child to take part in this programme, please go to the School Shop Funsticks. Registrations close on 2nd April.

2019 Pahoia Hockey Muster

Calling all Year 4, 5 & 6 Hockey Players
Let's see if we can get an all Pahoia
hockey team this season

- Muster is Friday 29th March 3.30pm on the turf @ Pahoia school
- Bring a mouthguard, shin pads and covered trainers (no sprigs)
- Games are played in Tauranga on Saturday mornings
- Contact Toni Morgan 548 1363 or 021 040 3887 for more information

BASKETBALL

Basketball Holiday Skills Camp Trustpower Arena Baypark

These camps are suitable for all skill levels and are designed for 8 – 13 yrs; 9.00 am – 3.00 pm daily.

For more information contact
baykidsactive@bayvenues.co.nz

TAURANGA CITY BASKETBALL - Years 3/4

Starts Tuesday 7th May 2019 Years 3 & 4
Mini-ball Year 3 & 4 students 3.45pm – 6.00pm
Trustpower Arena Mt Maunganui (Tuesday)
In an effort to improve consistency through our Primary Leagues, all Year 3 - 6 teams will have a paid referee supplied by the Referees Association.
Cost is \$97 per person with 8 players per team.

To register and pay \$97 for your child to take part in this programme, please go to the School Shop Basketball Year 3 & 4. Registrations close on 2nd April.

TAURANGA CITY BASKETBALL - Years 5/6

Friday 10th May 2019 Years 5 & 6
3.45pm – 8.30pm Trustpower Arena Mt Maunganui & QEYC Tauranga (Friday)

In an effort to improve consistency through our Primary Leagues, all Year 3 - 6 teams will have a paid referee supplied by the Referees Association.

This will be \$110 per person with 8 players per team.

To register and pay \$110 for your child to take part in this programme, please go to the School Shop Basketball Year 5 & 6. Registrations close on 2nd April.



Junior Mud Run Tuesday 13th August Year 3 / 4 and Year 5 / 6 Baypark Tauranga - New Venue

You can enter with the school or with the events company.

To register and pay \$25 for your child to take part in this programme, please go to the School Shop Mud Run. We will need help with transport and supervision on this day, please indicate your availability when you register your child. Registration on the School Shop will be open until the 22nd of July. After this date you will have to register the events company.



Winter Sports Tournament Monday 26th September Year 5 and 6 only

This is give it a go Winter Sports Tournament. More information will be sent home in the term regarding this day.

Cross Country

Pahoia School Years 3 - 6 Wednesday 15th May afternoon event
Junior Pahoia School Years 0 - 2 Wednesday 15th May middle block
Small Schools Tuesday 28th May PP Thursday 30th May
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Community News



29 March - 13 April

Ladies Day by Amanda Whittington. Directed by John ten Velde (Comedy)

Work, love and life are just one long, hard slog for the fish-filleting foursome Pearl, Jan, Shelley and Linda. But their fortunes are set to change when Linda finds tickets to Ladies' Day at Royal Ascot the year it relocated to York. Out go the hairnets, overalls and wellies as they do themselves up to the nines and head off to the races. Glamour puss Shelley is interested in meeting a handsome, and preferably rich, man. Linda, on the other hand, is skint after letting her duplicitous mother back into her life. Pearl spills the beans on her illicit love life to devoted single mother, Jan, who is concerned for her academically ambitious daughter. As the girls guzzle champagne they come across a variety of characters from an arrogant TV pundit to a sensitive jockey. They place the odd bet too and if their luck holds, they could just hit the jackpot.

TICKETS: <https://www.iticket.co.nz/events/2019/mar/ladies-day>