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## Newsletter

18th July 2025

#### A Word From Our Principal ...

Kia ora koutou, Dobri dan, Bonjour, Hallo, Hola, Zdravstvuyte, Nǐn hǎo, Salve, Konnichiwa, Namaste, Guten Tag, Olá, Anyoung haseyo, Asalaam alaikum, Greetings everyone,

What a wonderful start we've had to Term 3! It's been fantastic to see all the children settle back into their routines so smoothly this week.

#### **School Property Upgrades**

Our school has undergone some significant property work over the holidays, and we're thrilled with the results! This included major plumbing work, the completion of new toilets and cloakbays, and new fencing that was started during the break and finished this week.

Most exciting for the children, a brand-new swing set has been installed! It's already proving to be incredibly popular. A massive thank you to our amazing PTA for their incredible fundraising efforts and for securing a Pub Charity grant to make this happen. Your dedication makes a real difference!

The PTA has our next meeting on the 5th August at 6pm. This will be our AGM (Annual General Meeting). Everyone is welcome to attend, and we would love to have some new members join. If you would like to find out more, please email <a href="mailto:pta@kkps.school.nz">pta@kkps.school.nz</a>

#### Resilience Show and Yo-Yo Sales

On Monday, we're excited to host the NED Show for the children, which focuses on resiliency. This show is free for our school, with the understanding that we will support them by selling their yo-yos throughout the week. Your child will be bringing home a flyer today with more information about the yo-yos if you're interested in purchasing one.

#### **Board Elections Coming Soon**

Just a reminder that our triennial Board elections are approaching. If you've ever considered contributing to the strategic direction of our school, we encourage you to think about standing for the Board. It's incredibly beneficial to have people with a diverse range of skills on the Board, such as property, finance, legal, and human resources. There's a virtual <a href="webinar">webinar</a> available if you'd like to learn more about the role and responsibilities of a school board. Please register if you would like to learn more.

Enjoy a wonderful weekend everyone!

Ngā mihi,

Dr Sarah Brown

### Afternoon Tea with the Principal

The Plough and Feather host a weekly Afternoon Tea with the Principal at their restaurant. Each week two children who consistently show amazing KORU kids values will join a member of the Senior Leadership Team to have afternoon tea.

Congratulations this week to: Anabel Driver and Aiden Sandal





3 Way Conferences 3.30pm to 6.30pm each day. Please use the HERO App to book a time



8th August

School Disco Yr 0-3 5.30-6.30pm Yr 4-6 6.45-8.00pm Tickets on Kindo



## **School Messages**

Please ensure that all student messages are communicated to the office by 2:00 PM each day.

Kindly note that the school office can be particularly busy before and after school as well as during break times, so we appreciate your patience and understanding when contacting our admin

Thank you for your cooperation.

# **Change of Clothes**

Just a friendly reminder that our school grounds can get quite wet and muddy. Please remember to pack a change of clothes for your student(s) each day, just in case!



New Uniforms Address 59 Hobson Ave, Kerikeri 78 Commerce St, Kaitaia PO Box 476 Kerikeri New Zealand

Email: logo@ddgold.co.nz

Tel 09 4071527 Kerikeri 09 408 6070 Kaitaia



PTA Secondhand Uniforms Text Only 02108506380 Include size and items required



Sushi Gallery Kerikeri

Kerikeri Sushi Gallery is a restaurant that brings the taste and joy to our local customers. Our focus is to provide good service and a wide range



Keep in the loop with what's happening at Kerikeri **Primary School** 



For all school purchases or permissions please use the Kindo App



If you child is unwell or away, please let us know via the HERO App







Experienced music teacher, Sophie Foster, is excited to offer violin lessons at Kerikeri Primary School. Sophie also teaches violin at Kerikeri High and Springbank School. For enquiries, please call 021 264 0619.



#### TizWaz Sewing Studio

#### Kids 6 week Sewing Course

Wednesday	Thursday
<ul> <li>Starting on</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Starting on Thursday</li></ul>
Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> July,	24 <sup>th</sup> July, and every
and every Wednesday	Thursday until 28 <sup>th</sup>
until 27 <sup>th</sup> August <li>Time: 3.30pm to 5pm</li> <li>\$135.00 pp</li>	August <li>Time: 3.30pm to 5pm</li> <li>\$135.00 pp</li>

#### BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL

Join us in an engaging and imaginative environment tailored for youngsters where they can discover the joys of this wonderful craft and create exciting projects

Plenty of free parking, all classes held at

TizWaz Sewing Studio

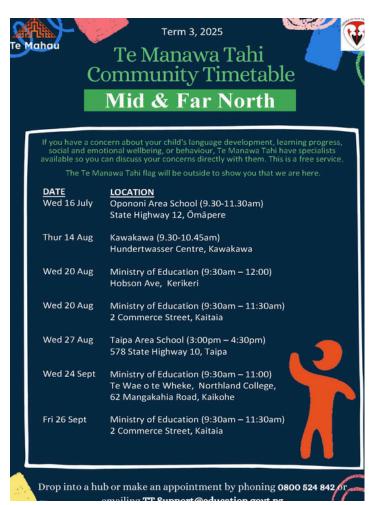
The Merchants of Kerikeri

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CHILDREN ENJOYING READING THEIR CHAPTER BOOKS





# SCIENCE INVESTIGATIONS

