

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

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

It has been wonderful seeing all of the children back at school this week. The energy in the classrooms and on the playground has been fantastic, and the students have settled back into school life incredibly well.

We would also like to extend a very warm welcome to all of our new families joining us this year. We are delighted to have you as part of our school community.

### **Meet the Teacher Evening**

It was lovely seeing so many of you at our Meet the Teacher evening on Tuesday. It was a great chance to connect and set the tone for a positive year ahead. A special thank you goes out to our Senior Leadership Team for manning the BBQ and cooking the sausages!

### **School Camps Begin!**

The start of our school camps gets underway this Monday, with Rooms 21 and 22 heading away first.

Camps are an amazing opportunity for our tamariki to build relationships with each other and, importantly, build their resilience outside of the classroom environment.

We want to say a huge thank you to: The Parents: To all those who have offered to help out on camp—we couldn't do this without your support. The Teachers: For their incredible organisation behind the scenes in the build-up to these trips.

### **Enjoy the Long Weekend**

We hope you all enjoy the upcoming long weekend. Happy Waitangi Day for tomorrow!

We look forward to seeing everyone back and refreshed next week.

Ngā mihi,  
*Dr Sarah Brown*

# Afternoon Tea with the Principal

The Plough and Feather host a weekly Afternoon Tea with our 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: Gray McCambridge and Liam Simm-Wesselo



**6th February**  
Waitangi Day

**9th-11th  
February**  
Rooms 21 &  
22 Camp

**11th - 13th  
February**  
Rooms 3 &  
23 Camp

**14th February**  
Tw Whakatupuranga  
Marae Noho

**16th - 18th  
February**  
Rooms 23 &  
25 Camp

**18th - 20th  
February**  
Rooms 4 &  
24 Camp

## Uniforms



New Uniforms  
Address  
59 Hobson Ave, Kerikeri  
78 Commerce St, Kaitaia  
PO Box 476 Kerikeri  
Email : logo@ddgold.co.nz

Tel 09 4071527 Kerikeri



PTA Secondhand Uniforms  
Text Only  
02108506380  
Include size and items  
required



## Lunch Orders

The Sushi Gallery in Kerikeri, accepts order and kindly delivers them each Thursday for lunch. Please go to: <https://sushigallerykerikeri.com/> and follow the online ordering system - please be sure to comment KKPS and your child's name and classroom.



A friendly reminder that you are now able to order lunches that will be delivered each day for lunch. Go to: <https://tuckr.nz/> and choose Kerikeri Primary School, your order and the day you want it delivered. There are lots of yummy options available The image shows a small selection of the food available.



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



**mykindo**

For all school purchases or  
permissions please use the  
Kindo App



**Hero**

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



# LEARN TO LINE DANCE!

## NEW CLASS STARTING!

Starting at Kerikeri Primary School Hall on Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2026.

6pm – 7pm – Easy Beginners

7pm–8pm Intermediate Plus

Great fun for all fitness levels and ages.

No experience necessary

No bookings required

Just need footwear you can dance in and a water bottle (Footwear with soles that grip the floor are not suitable due to movement needed for dancing)



## ALL CLASSES

**Monday Morning – Waipapa Hall**  
9am – 10am Absolute Beginners  
10am – 11am Beginners  
11am – 12pm Intermediate Plus

**Tuesday Evening – Kerikeri Primary School Hall**  
6pm – 7pm Easy Beginners  
7pm – 8pm Intermediate Plus

**Thursday Morning – Waipapa Hall**  
9am – 10am Absolute Beginners  
10am – 11am Beginners  
11am – 12pm Intermediate Plus

**Thursday Evening – Opuia Hall**  
6pm – 7pm Beginners  
7pm – 8pm Intermediate Plus

**Friday Morning – Waipapa Hall**  
10am – 11am Beginners  
11am – 12pm Intermediate Plus

FIRST HOUR \$10  
ADDITIONAL HOUR or HOURS \$5

## BOILDF 2026

ALSO HOST OF THE ANNUAL BAY OF ISLANDS LINE DANCE FESTIVAL

Two days of workshops for all levels

Two nights of social dancing

Light supper supplied at socials

Check out our website or contact Jo for more details

## CONTACT US

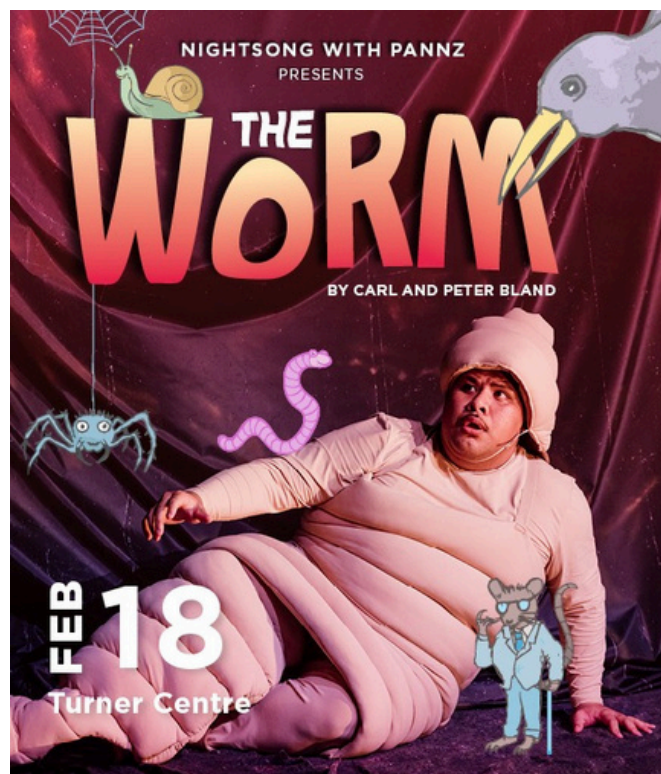
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GET HOEDOWN READY! FUN AND EASY CLASSES!



# AFTER SCHOOL NETBALL PROGRAM

FOR YEARS 4-10, ALL SKILLS AND PLAYING LEVELS CATERED FOR. IMPROVE MOTOR SKILLS & BUILD CONFIDENCE THIS TERM!

## KERIKERI

### YEARS 4/5/6

MON /TUE 3:15 – 4:15PM

### YEARS 7/8

MON 4:15 – 5:15PM  
TUE 4.15 – 6.15PM

### YEARS 9/10

MON 5.15 – 6.15  
TUE 4.15 – 6.15PM

## KAIKOHE

### YEARS 4/5/6

WED 3:15 – 4:15

### YEARS 7/8

WED 4:15 – 5:15PM

### YEARS 9/10

WED 5:15 – 6:15

FEES START FROM \$112.50 PER TERM

# TERM 1 BOOKING NOW



SPACES ARE LIMITED  
BOOK NOW AT  
[NNA.CO.NZ](http://NNA.CO.NZ)

# JUNIOR TWILIGHT NETBALL

Looking for years 5/6 and 7/8



19/02/2026

4-6pm approx

**Location:**  
Kerikeri Sports Complex

**Contact Us**  
via Facebook





# AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAM!

**LOCATIONS:**  
KERIKERI PRIMARY & RIVERVIEW  
2:50PM – 5:30PM

**AGES 5-13**

**\$15** 2:50PM – 4:00PM  
**\$20** 2:50PM – 5:30PM

WINZ SUBSIDIES APPLY TO QUALIFYING FAMILIES VIA WORK AND INCOME

Contact Talia to enrol on  
0212683738 or  
admin@kerikidzclub.co.nz

**little dippers** LITTLE DIPPERS SWIM SCHOOL AND AQUATIC CENTRE  
All Levels / All Ages

# Term 1 2026

Swimming Sessions from  
28<sup>th</sup> January until 4<sup>th</sup> April

Excellence-recognised Teachers  
Award Winning Centre

**HAVE A FABULOUS SUMMER  
TERM OF SWIMMING AND  
WATER SAFETY -  
KEEP THOSE SKILLS  
STRONG IN THE  
SUNSHINE!**

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**Te Manawa Tahī**  
Community Timetable

**Te Mahau**

# MID & FAR NORTH

**Term 1 2026**

**Do you have concerns  
about your child?**

Te Manawa Tahī is a learning support hub where you can talk to educational professionals about your child's learning needs. This is a free service.

If you have a concern about your child's language development, learning progress, social and emotional well-being or behaviour, Te Manawa Tahī have specialists available so you can discuss your concerns directly with them.

| FAR NORTH                                       |   |             |
|---|---|-------------|
| DATE  | HUB LOCATIONS   | TERM 1 2026 |
| Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> Feb<br>10.00am - noon   | Te Hapua<br>Whakawhiti Ora Pai (Waharua Road, Te Hapua)                               |             |
| Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> Feb<br>1.00 - 3.00pm    | Te Kao<br>Te Runanga Nui o Te Aupouri - Conference Room (6603 Far North Road, Te Kao) |             |
| Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> Mar<br>9.00am - 11.00am | Ministry of Education Kaitiaki<br>cnr Redan Road and Commerce Street, Kaitiaki.       |             |

| MID NORTH                                  |   |             |
|--|---|-------------|
| DATE                                       | HUB LOCATIONS   | TERM 1 2026 |
| Wed 25 <sup>th</sup> Feb<br>10.00am - noon | Te Wae o te Wheke<br>Northland College (Gate 3) Mangakahia Road, Kaikohe. |             |
| Wed 4 <sup>th</sup> March<br>9.30am - noon | Ministry of Education Kerikeri<br>9 Hobson Ave, Kerikeri.                 |             |

