



Merivale School

Te Kura o Tūtarawānanga



Matuatia Te Ako



Learning First

PĀNUI

19 February 2025



The Mobile library service has returned for 2025. We are very fortunate to have the library come to our school, the students love their time in the bus.



WEEK 4 WEEK 3

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
17 Feb	18 Feb	19 Feb	20 Feb	21 Feb	22 Feb	23 Feb
24 Feb	25 Feb	26 Feb	27 Feb	28 Feb	1 March	2 March

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Happy Holi

Memorial Park Tauranga
Sat 8 March 2-6 pm

LIVE PERFORMANCES
COLOUR THROWING
INDIAN STREET FOOD
SNACKS AND DRINKS
HENNA BODY ART

One Love Charity

Indian newslink **FREE ENTRY** TAURANGA WESTERN BAY **COMMUNITY EVENT FUND**

Tauranga City Council **creative COMMUNITIES nz** **Pub Charity Limited** **THE OFFICE OF ethnic communities Te Tari Matawaka**

STATIONERY 2025:

It is great to see so many students ready to get started with their stationery.

Teachers would like all students to have their stationery this week as work has begun.

All stationery packs are \$20 and can be purchased from the school office.

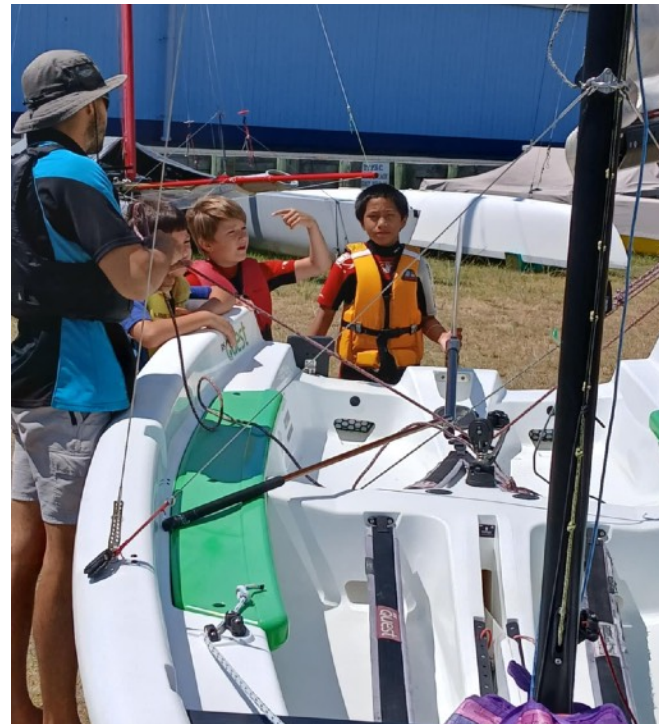
If you would like to pay for your child's pack in instalments, that is fine, please just see Jan or Karen in the office.



SCHOOL LUNCHES:

Reminder that free school lunches are provided for all students if they would like them.

There is a nutritious and exciting hot menu for them to try.



SAILING has started for these lucky students this term.

Tena Koutou Katoa,

Week 3 and we are looking forward to our first full week since our return. Thank you to all whanau who attended Parent Interviews last Friday. It was a great turnout and staff really enjoyed the opportunity to connect. There are a few notices this week to be aware of.

School Stationery Packs. All stationery is to be purchased through the office this week as teachers are very keen to get started on books. The stationery packs, depending on classrooms, are \$20. Again, should you require an invoice, please contact Whaea Jan or Whaea Karen. If you have any concerns, please contact me directly.

Uniforms. These are compulsory for all students and can be purchased at the office. Hats are also compulsory in Term 1 and 4 for shadeless work or play. For an invoice, please ask Whaea Jan or Whaea Karen in the office. We understand that there may be issues for some tamariki. If you have any concerns, please contact me directly.

Water Bottles. As a water drinking school we please ask parents and caregivers to provide your child with a named water bottle. We would also like to remind whanau that all other drinks, particularly sweet drinks, are not to be sent to school.

Afterschool Programme. Just a reminder to parents and caregivers who use this service that students who go to the afterschool programme must stay there and not wander around the school or down to the shop. We have had to remind several students that they must stay with Matua Dave and the Community Centre team at that time. Please help us by reinforcing this at home.

Drop Off/Pick Up. Please ensure that you do not leave cars unattended in the drop off zone in the mornings before 9.20am and in the afternoons from 2.30pm. If you must go to the office, please find a suitable carpark to leave your vehicle.

Mauriora,
Matua Tom



Attendance & Lateness -

Attendance & lateness will continue to be a focus this term. Please make sure your child is attending school every day and that they are on time.