



### [Message from the Principal](#)

Please see my latest blog post: [Wee Sprouts, Perennials and Evergreens](#)



### [Office Queries](#)

Please check the website first before calling the office for your enquiries

e.g. [Report an Absence](#)   [School Buses](#)   [Lunch orders](#)   [School Hours](#)



### [Upcoming Events](#)

#### **Week 5**

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| Mon 10 Nov   | <b>BOOK FAIR – Last day</b><br>Tall Poppies at Technology   |
| Thurs 13 Nov | Whole School Athletics                                      |
| Fri 14 Nov   | School Council House Top Town – <b>wear house colours!!</b> |

#### **Week 6**

### **Keeping Ourselves Safe**

As part of our Health and Physical Education curriculum all students are about to be involved in the learning programme 'Keeping Ourselves Safe'.

'Keeping Ourselves Safe' is an educational programme that empowers students to understand a range of safe practices they can use when interacting with others. The programmes are different for all the year levels.

Constable Roslyn Frost will be working with staff and classes, this is a wonderful opportunity for students to ask questions and learn more about agencies in the community and how they work.

There will be a **parent meeting** with **Constable Frost** on **Monday the 17<sup>th</sup> of November at 2pm** in the staffroom. Constable Frost will talk about the educational modules and why they are taught. This is a good opportunity for parents to ask questions about the 'Keeping Ourselves Safe' programme and we do recommend that parents attend.



**Week 6**

Tues 18<sup>th</sup> Nov [Art Expo 4-6pm](#) and [Garden and Art Festival](#) (*click for details*)

## Art Expo

We are thrilled to be part of the NZ Garden and Art Festival this year.

Our school garden is open to the public on Tuesday the 18<sup>th</sup> of November.

In conjunction with this, we are also celebrating student art with our own

### **ART EXPO.**

Come to [Tauriko School](#) and celebrate art of all kinds.

Tuesday the 18<sup>th</sup> of November

4-6pm.

Live Music...

Sausage Sizzle...

See you there!

Wed 19 Nov

Tall Poppies Athletics @ Tauranga Domain

Thurs 20 Nov

Year 3 & 4 – Tauranga Girls Production 9.30-10.30am

**Week 7**

Tues 25 Nov

West Cluster Athletics

Weds 26 Nov

Tauranga Boys college Orientation Morning

Year 7 & 8 BOP Zone Athletics

Thurs 27 Nov

West Cluster Athletics

Year 7 & 8 - Indoor Sports Day – Girls

Fri 28 Nov

Year 7 & 8 - Indoor Sports Day – Boys

**ALL LIBRARY BOOKS DUE BACK IN PLEASE!!**

**Week 8**

Wed 3 Dec

Year 5 & 6 - WBOP Athletic Champs

Fri 5 Dec

**LIBRARY STOCKTAKE** (*Volunteers required please! See Mrs Palfrey*)

Year 8 – Dinner and Dance



## Our People

### [Teaching Staff 2014](#), [Board of Trustees](#) and [PTA](#)

Put a face to a name. See photos of all the current staff, BOT and PTA members for 2014.



## School Events and Celebrations

### [GROUP DAY RESULTS 2014](#)

*Our Tauriko children did very well at the Agricultural Group Day.*

*Click here to see the fantastic results - [GROUP DAY RESULTS 2014](#)*



### [COMMUNITY NOTICEBOARD](#)

#### [Stomp Drumming](#)

Recently we had a demo of Stomp Drumming. If you are interested in giving this a go click here for details – [Ministry of Rhythm](#)

#### [Drum Lessons](#)

Would your child like to learn drums?

Drum Tuition @ Tauriko School

Click here for details – [MusiqHub Music Lessons](#)

Drum Tuition @ Te Puna School. All Ages welcome.

Click here for details – [Johua Homersham Drum Lessons](#)



[Bay Twisters](#) (click for Flyer)

*The only non profit cheer family 'Bay Twisters' are holding Team Tryouts for our 2015 Teams. Come and try out, everyone will make a team.*

***NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY!!***

***DATE - SUNDAY 30th NOVEMBER***

***VENUE - BAY TWISTERS UNIT 2, 116 THIRD AVE  
(NEAR EXCELSO COFFEE AND ARMORGUARD)***

***TIMES:***

***Kindy Cheer (ages 3-5 years) no need***

***AGES 6-10 years from 10am - 11am***

***AGES 11+ from 11am till 12pm***

***to try out just turn up and register  
between 10am and 12***



**SCHOOL COUNCIL**

**TUCKSHOP**

***Open every Friday mornings***

***at 10am***