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[Gala Day Raises Funds For School projects](#)

Kia ora koutou katoa, Talofa Lava, Malo e lelei, Ni Hao, Anyoung haseyo, Konichi wa, Gruetzi, Guten tag, Bonjour, Ola, hello



A huge congratulations and thank you must go to our PTA for raising approximately \$17,500 at the gala, as part of Agriculture Day recently. Our PTA raise funds to support extra projects to happen that benefit all our students. Money raised previously is waiting to be spent on upgrading our library, once this is reinstated as a library, after being used as a classroom due to school growth over the last couple of years.

Money raised this year will go to putting air conditioning units in as many classrooms as possible for the beginning of 2017. Recently the PTA also made a contribution to new costumes for our Kapahaka group. This group will perform for the first time at Te Ra Whakangahou kapahaka festival.



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A big thank you also to the many [sponsors](#) who supported this event. I encourage our community to support these businesses in our local community. Their support of our school is much appreciated.

Traffic update

Currently NZTA are consulting with community groups for a 40km zone outside the school at busy pick up and drop off times. Recently the Board responded to this consultation on behalf of the school. We have had wonderful feedback from many families about this proposal – all thrilled that the very real safety issue outside the school at these times is to be addressed.

I would like to thank all those families who put their children on buses and who drop off and pick up children outside the PAC each morning and afternoon, working with staff to keep our children as safe as possible.

Unfortunately we still have families and other members of the community using the staff car park in the morning and afternoon to do u turns and double and triple parking in this car park. The speed that some of these vehicles are moving at in this space is also of concern and the way they park is a very real visibility issue for pedestrians through this area. I urge these people to think of the safety of others rather than just themselves and follow school rules around this. There is clear signage and information on our website and in numerous newsletters over the years to explain how to pick up and drop off children at school. If this does not improve the school will have no option to shut the office gates at busy times in an effort to keep our students safe. Student safety is paramount and our first priority.

Enrolments for 2017

The school is currently taking [enrolments for 2017](#). All in - zone students are able to attend Tauriko School as of right. Any families living outside the school zone have to apply for a ballot. The first priority in any ballot are siblings of current students. The Board does not receive property funding (classrooms) for any students who live outside our school zone and have made a decision to carry one classroom of out-of-zone students across the school. This determines the number of spaces balloted for any term. To enrol further students beyond this would mean that class sizes would increase as although we would gradually get extra staffing we would not have extra classes to put these students in.

A reminder to any out-of-zone enrolments for Term 1 2017, that the **ballot closes on Thursday 17 November at noon**. A ballot will be held on Friday 18 November and all those who apply will be notified by mail.



ABSENCE / BUS CHANGE NOTIFICATIONS

If you need to notify the school re an absence or a bus change for your child / children, please **do not do this directly to an individual staff member's email address** - these notifications must go through the website. If the individual that you are emailing is 'out of the office / or away from school' – then the notification will be missed

All bus changes must be made before 12 noon – messages re bus changes after this time will not be passed on to your child/children.

"Look Sharp Store"

If you are shopping at the new Look Sharp Store in the Lakes, mention you are involved with Tauriko School and you will get 10% discount off everything in store.

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Message from the PTA

Thanks to everyone for your support of the 2016 Ag Day and Gala. Albeit rather wet, we have had great feedback about the day and indicative figures are showing we have made over \$17,500! A great result!

Keep those green forms coming in for the sausage sizzle and drink sale on Tuesday 8th November, (junior athletics day), and for the iceblocks on Wednesday 9th November (the senior athletics day). All forms and money are needed back by Friday please so we can ensure we have enough supplies for the day.

The final PTA meeting of the year is being held on Tuesday 15th November – 7pm in the staffroom. As you can see from the Gala, there are some great events organised. If you would like to come along and get a bit of a feel for what being on the PTA involves and see if it might be something you wish to be involved with in 2017, feel free to come along. All are welcome!! We have parents involved who are working full time, some working part time, and some stay at home parents – the PTA is flexible and a great opportunity to get to know others in the school community as well as helping out where you can with events. There are a number of PTA members standing down next year after having being involved for 3+ years, so if it is a great time to come on board and bring along your fresh ideas.



TAURIKO SCHOOL AGRICULTURE DAY RESULTS 2016

JENSEN CUP Pupil from Yr 7-8 gaining most points for Indoor Exhibits - *Asha Clarke*
 WALLINGFORD CUP – Pupil from Yr 5-6 gaining most points for Indoor Exhibits – *Isabella Mungavin*
 SPIERS CUP - Pupil from Year 3 – 4 gaining most points for Indoor Exhibits – *Amber Somervell*
 BUCK HOPPING CUP - Pupil from Year 1-2 gaining most points for Indoor Exhibits - *Owen Ford*
 DRAKE CUP - Champion Pullet - *Laura James*
 SJARDIN-NORRIS TROPHY - Champion Lamb – *Charlotte Rose*
 DOBBS CUP - Lambs – Child Effort Junior – *Leila Ewart*
 HOWARD CUP - Lambs – Child Effort Senior – *Charlotte Rose*
 TAYLOR-LYONS CUP – Best Lamb – Calling & Following – *Laura James*
 HEKE CUP – Open Leading Lambs – *Charlotte Rose*
 GEORGE BENT CUP - Calves – Leading All Breeds – Senior – *Zach Taylor*
 GRASSVALE CUP – Calves – Leading All Breeds – Junior – *Fletcher Ruck*
 PRIDGEON CUP – Calves – Child Effort All Breeds – Senior – *Taylor Groves*
 HIGHWAY HAVEN TROPHY – Calves – Child Effort All Breeds – Junior – *Sam Groves*
 BENT CUP – Calves – Champion & Reserve Champion Calf – *Sam Groves*
 MCCREADY CUP – Calves – Best Jersey Calf – *Isabella Hurley*
 ROBSON CUP – Calves – Type – Best Friesian / Shorthorn Calf – *Zach Taylor*
 YORKE CUP – Calves – Best on Dairy Type – *Zach Taylor*
 PTA CUP – Calves – Best Dairy Beef Calf Type – *Sam Groves*
 PTA TROPHY – Champion Goat – *Chae Johnson*
 TARR TROPHY – Goats – Leading Junior – *Chae Johnson*
 CRISP CUP – Goats – Child Effort Junior – *Chae Johnson*
 HEAVIEST POSSUM – Senior – *Tom Dyer*
 HEAVIEST POSSUM – Junior – *Perry Graham*
 HOLLAND VAN ZANDWIJK CUP – Grand Parade Winner – *Zoe Davy*

Thanks to

To Monique and Warren Russell of **Biogrow** – a huge thank you from us
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Monique and Warren very generously donated a wide selection of goods to be sold at our recent Gala Day. The Tall Poppies' stall, '**Come Grow With Me**' had the pleasure of offering the 'Biogrow' products for sale – pots, plants, biodegradable potting bags, seeds, gloves



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GROUP DAY RESULTS 2016

CALVES

CLASS 1 LEADING--JUNIOR --ALL BREEDS		ARAHINA CUP
Sam Groves	Tauriko	
Fletcher Ruck	Tauriko	
Georgia Macdonald	Tauriko	
CLASS 2 LEADING --SENIOR --ALL BREEDS		STRUGNEL CUP
Charlotte Macdonald	Tauriko	
CLASS 10 CHILD EFFORT --JUNIOR --DAIRY BEEF		
Fletcher Ruck	Tauriko	
Sam Groves	Tauriko	
Georgia Macdonald	Tauriko	
Mathew Paton	Tauriko	
CLASS 11 CHILD EFFORT --SENIOR --DAIRY BEEF		
Charlotte Macdonald	Tauriko	
CLASS 14 BEST DAIRY BEEF CALF--CHILD EFFORT		SCOTT CUP
Charlotte Macdonald	Tauriko	
CLASS 16 CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION CALF --CHILD EFFORT		
Charlotte Macdonald	Tauriko	
CLASS 17 TYPE --BEST CALF OF DAIRY\BEEF OR BEEF BREED		
Charlotte Macdonald	Tauriko	
CLASS 18 TEAM LEADING --SCHOOL		FLEMING SHIELD
1 st Tauriko	2 nd Oropi	3 rd Kaimai

LAMBS

CLASS 21 LEADING --JUNIOR		
Cohyn Ewart	Tauriko	
Leila Ewart	Tauriko	
CLASS 22 CALLING & FOLLOWING --JUNIOR		
Cohyn Ewart	Tauriko	
CLASS 23 CHILD EFFORT --BEST JUNIOR LAMB		HODGE CUP
Leila Ewart	Tauriko	
CLASS 26 CHILD EFFORT --BEST SENIOR LAMB		WALSH CUP
Dylan Rawson	Tauriko	
CLASS 30 TEAM OF 4 LAMBS		KAIMAI CUP
1 st Kaimai	2 nd Pahoia	3 rd Pyes Pa
4 th Tauriko		

CHICKENS

CLASS 39 BEST PULLET --JUNIOR	
Amber Somervell	Tauriko
Jack Campbell	Tauriko
Georgia Macdonald	Tauriko



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CLASS 40 BEST PULLET SENIOR

Charlotte MacDonald

Tauriko

Key Dates - Term Four 2016

Week:	Date:	What's Happening:
Term Four Week 5	Tuesday 8th November	Athletics: Year 0-2, 3 &4
	Wednesday 9 th November	Athletics: Year 5-8
Week 6	Monday 14 th November	Indoor Funky Fun Day Rms 1, 2 &16
Week 6	Wednesday 16 th November	Indoor Funky Fun Day Rms 3, 4, 5 & 6
	Wednesday 16 th November	Tall Poppies Athletics Day Yr 8
	Wednesday 16 th November	GRIP Leadership Conference, Rotorua -Year 7
	Thursday 17 th November	Assemblies 11.45am – 12.15pm Years 5-8 1.05pm – 1.35pm Years 1-4
Week 7	Monday 21 st November	West Cluster Athletics Champs Yr 5 & 6
Week 8	Wednesday 30 th November	WBOP Athletics Champs (Tga Domain)
	Thursday 17 th November	Assemblies 11.45am – 12.15pm Years 5-8 1.05pm – 1.35pm Years 1-4



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