



TUMUAKI NEWS

Full Day Teacher Strike Action Tomorrow

All Primary School and Intermediate teachers and Principals have overwhelmingly voted for a full day of strike action on Thursday 15th November. We understand that this action will be disruptive for families but we hope that you do support us in our plight to gain better working conditions for teaching and learning and better resourcing for our pupils. Presently, we face a crisis in retaining and recruiting teachers due to the increasing pressure we face by class sizes, lack of support staff and under-resourcing. The Port Chalmers School Board of Trustees have moved to close the school for instruction on Thursday 15th November. Please see the notice from Koputai Kids for options on this day

Rob Thorne Our Artist in Residence



Our musical instruments are looking and sounding fantastic and we are all ready for the parade on Sunday. We meet outside the Port Chalmers Town Hall in Grey Street at 11:45am for a 12:00 midday start. We will parade up George Street towards school. Once we are at school there will be stalls selling food and drinks, live music. This is always a wonderful event. We look forward to seeing you there.

Dunedin Year 7 & 8 Music Festival

Our Year 7 & 8 students and our marimba band are all geared up to perform tonight at the Year 7 & 8 Music Festival. We have four massed items to sing, plus our marimba band will perform 2 songs. If you want to come and watch the performance it starts at 7:00pm at the Otago Boys Auditorium. Tickets are \$5.00.

Dyslexia Strategies and Approaches to support your child

An evening with Judy Hornigold
 UK Dyslexia Specialist
 7-8.30pm Thursday November 22nd
 In the Harbour View Lounge at the Edgar Centre
 To register or for more information please call the office at Maori Hill School 464-0184 or email office@maorihill.school.nz

Prize Giving Cups

We need all cups need to be returned to the office by Friday 24th of November so we can get them cleaned and engraved for this year's prize giving. Just leave these at the office. Thank you.

School Photos

Class photos are on display in each classroom. The photos are 6x8 laminated with names. \$17.00 each. All orders need to be in no later the Tuesday 20th November. Please make cheques payable to Kelk Photography or provide the correct money enclosed in the envelope. All class names must be quoted on the order form.

'Springs and Roundabouts' Family bike day

Plunket are hosting a family fun bike day on Sunday 25th November 10am to 2pm at Marlow Park (the Dinosaur Park) in Dunedin
 The Springs and Roundabouts event is most suited to children 0-10 and their families. The children should bring along their bike (or trike/scooter) and helmet, and also a High Vis vest if they have one. Prizes for best dressed child, and best decorated bike. Lots of entertainment, most of which is free. Activity tents for those not on bikes or alternatively a chill out area.

Port-Able Art PARADE 2018
 12 noon, Sunday 18 November
 with Artist in Residence **ROB THORNE**
 New Zealand Maori composer, performer and anthropologist

The Parade will begin at the Port Chalmers Town Hall and proceed down George Street to end at Port Chalmers School.

- Family atmosphere
- Performances
- Delicious food and drink
- Sweet treats
- FUN!

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LIVE MUSIC with ROB THORNE and Local Musicians

FRIDAY, 16 NOVEMBER 2018
 8:00 TO 11:30 PM
 AT THE PIONEER HALL
 PORT CHALMERS

DAVID LYNCH MOB, SEAFOG, ROBERT SCOTT, SHAKES AND MONIQUE, ARRON SHARMA, AND MICHAEL MORLEY.

TICKETS \$10
 PAY AT EVENT

Visit from Father Bob Slattery in Room 4
 Father Bob is an 84 year old Jesuit Priest and Missionary. His life's work is dedicated to the needy in India.



Basketball Day Camp BBO will be running this Thursday 15th November.

- Date: Thurs, 15th November
- When: 9am-3pm
- Where: Edgar Centre
- What: Basketball based games and skills
- Cost: \$25pp
- Who: Years 3-8

The link to register is below

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfThUmNqMRSH1vkxptETH4ef9kO3smPfyqcxWu6bg-tKNbPeg/viewform>

THANK YOU!

Thank you Port Otago and Careys Bay Hotel for your generous donations which subsidised our West Harbour Sports Day!

Good Workers Week 5

Writing
 Kodee Rm 5

Reflections
 Sonny Rm 7
 Carlos Rm 7

Printing
 Angelina Rm 7

Boating

Tuesday 20th Nov	Rms 2 & 4 @ 1pm
Tuesday 4th Dec	Rms 2 & 4 @ 1pm

Swimming

Swimming is part of the N.Z. Curriculum and all children are required to participate. A note is required if a child is unwell and unable to swim. If you are able to help out at swimming time please speak to your child's teacher.

Room 8	10:30 – 11:00
Room 3	11:00 – 11:30
Room 2	11:30 – 12:00
Room 5	1:45 – 2:15
Room 7	2:15 – 2:45

Assembly Timetable Fridays 2:15pm

16th November	Artist in Residence
23rd November	Room 5 & 7
30th November	Room 8
7th December	Room 2
13th December	Final Assembly

Calendar of Events

15th November	NZEI Strike Day School Closed
12th - 16th November	Artist in Residence
18th November	Artist in Residence Parade
19th November	HPV Round 2
20th or 22nd November	Otago Athletics Championship Sports
29th and 30th November	Year 8 Camp
10th December	Helpers Morning Tea 10.30am