



Kua tino mahana te whenua

The earth has now become quite warm

When dropping or picking up your children from school please take a moment to experience our gardens. Presently our grounds are bursting with life. At Taikura our school gardeners Jenny and Jo lovingly tend these outdoor spaces. Jenny and Jo are generous with the sharing of this mahi and they willingly awahi teachers and students alike in all gardening endeavours.

The gardeners can be found on Mondays and Wednesdays working in the various areas of the school. They are passionate about tending the earth in a sustainable manner, studying and working with bio-dynamic principles for many years. The wisdom of bio-dynamics guides the care they bring to our gardens.

Thinking into 2019 - *if you would like to gift some time to work alongside Jenny and Jo this would be warmly welcomed.* Our garden is vast and all offers of help greatly appreciated. Working in the garden alongside them both will also give volunteers the opportunity to learn about our special character. While gardening here at school - special character is experienced through how we go about tending the garden, the substances we use to fertilise and promote growth, and when we carry out the various seasonal tasks. If learning more about our special character through the garden is something that interests you, or you would just like to offer labour, please speak with Jenny and Jo.

Kelly Sutton - Assistant Principal Lower School



Mark Your Calendar

November 9	8:30 am - 9:00 pm start	Whats The Connection? - Herman Veluwenkamp - TPG
November 18	10:00 am - 3:00 pm	Taikura School Fête
November 21	7:00 pm - 9:00 pm	Community Meeting Whole School and Kindergarten _ Hall
November 29	7:00 pm	Liaison Parent Evening - Library
November 30	8:30 am - 9:00 am start	Rudolf Steiners Threefold Social Order - David Urieli - TPG
December 4	12:30 pm - 1:30 pm	French Conversation Group Lunch - past and present students
December 7	11:00 am	Class 12 Cushion Concert
December 12	6:30 pm	Class One 2019 - Parent Evening
December 18	7:00 pm	Carol Evening - School Hall

SCHOOL NOTICES

Surfing Club

This is a loosely formed club run by Clayton Gibson. It consists of a group of parents and students numbering between 10 and 35 depending on the weather and surf conditions.

They meet at the south end of the domain at Waimarama beach at 4:15pm every Friday during the first and fourth terms. There is a wide range of surfing abilities within the group. There is also a keen group of parents who surf along side their children.

Surfing lessons are provided to children and adults during the first hour after our arrival at the beach. Those who wish to have a lesson need to request one as soon as they arrive at the beach. The school has a set of surfboards available for these lessons and any spares not being used are able to be used by students without their own boards. This activity is suitable for children from Class 3 onwards.

The school does not provide supervision for children in the water. Every child who attends must have an adult with them who is prepared to supervise them in the surf and on the beach. At times parents designate one adult to watch a small group of children while they are surfing then swap over. But this is a private arrangement and not monitored by Clayton.

The reason Clayton is unable to supervise this activity is because he is focusing on giving lessons to individuals or out surfing himself. Any child receiving a lift in another families car should provide them with a koha towards petrol.

Could regular attendees please pay \$10 per child for the term, to the school office to offset the price of surfboard wax, repairs, leg ropes etc

Clayton Gibson Class 3

Lemons Wanted

If you have any lemons to spare we are in need of plenty for making Lemonade. Please leave them in the box outside Class 3 if you can help.



He pito kōrero!

Kua rongo kōrero koe...? Did you hear ...?

Rangi: Kua rongo kōrero koe, that Te Wananga o Aotearoa put out a podcast called Taringa

Link: <https://soundcloud.com/tw-oa/taringa-episode-1> It's awesome for learning te reo me ōna tikanga!

Hemi: Nē rā?

Rangi: Ae rā!

Kīwaha o te wikiKīwaha of the week!

Nē rā? (near dah)

Really/Is that right?

Whiringa-ā-rangi

(personal noun) sixth lunar month of the Māori year - approximately equivalent to November.

- The spring winds stir the coastal seas, creating boil ups that are bringing in the kahawai. Inanga/whitebait are caught, and the kūmara have been planted.





Taikura Rudolf Steiner School

COMMUNITY MEETING

Wednesday 21 November at 7pm in the School Hall

‘It takes a village to educate a child’ and we invite you to explore with us what it takes to provide an education that enables our students to step out into the world with confidence and the ability to positively contribute to society. Our contribution can build a collective strength of purpose and vibrancy of our school.

Sue Simpson

To all Taikura Kindergarten and School Parents and Caregivers,

You are warmly invited to join us at this inaugural Community Meeting where there will be input from the BOT, Proprietors Trust and School. We would like to share our Special Character, some of the highlights from 2018 including our He Reo Ora Strategy, look towards 2019 and the possibilities that it holds with Celebrating 100 Years of Steiner Education around the world, reorientating our school site as well as allow time for questions and answers.

Please mark this on your calendar and we look forward to seeing you there.

Pippa Caccioppoli

SCHOOL NOTICES

Taikura Parents Group

All School Community Welcome - Including those on the waiting list.

Please come along and enjoy the opportunity to meet other parents and staff from our school in a relaxed and supportive environment. All meetings are baby/toddler friendly and you are welcome to bring them along and come and go as you need.

Gatherings are held at the Hastings Taikura Kindergarten community space. Guest speakers begin at 9:00am with tea and coffee available from 8:45am. After more than a decade of coordinating the Parents Group Filipa is needing to 'retire'. If you would be interested in considering this rewarding community role next year please contact Filipa 0274513445.

Our next meetings:

- November 9: Biodynamics, Anthroposophy, and Science - What's the connection? Herman Veluwenkamp - Taikura School Parent.
- November 30: An introduction to Rudolf Steiner's Threefold Social Order, presented by High School Teacher David Urieli. In 1919 Germany was in turmoil after the first world war and the punitive reparations had bankrupted the country. In November there was a bloodless revolution removing the monarchy and making a new government but there was much discussion about what form the government should take. Steiner was also asked by the very active Stuttgart group what form such a government should take. His suggestions are generally referred to as the Threefold Social Order.

David Urieli will be running about 6 talks/workshops in the Anthroposophical Centre starting next February on the Threefold Social Order and the parents group meeting will be a sort of overview for anyone unfamiliar with this who wants a general introduction to it.

Any offerings, suggestions or questions please contact: Filipa Hope 027 4513445 filipahope@gmail.com



Taikura IronMāori Tamariki

If you have a child aged 12 or under who is interested in participating in the IronMaori Tamariki, please make sure they are registered online before **Friday 16th November**. The event is on **Friday 30th November**. Then email toby.blakey@taikura.school.nz with details as listed below, so I can arrange transport, permission slips etc.

1. Go to the www.ironmaori.com
2. Click on Events
3. Click on Tamariki-Rangatahi
4. Click on ENTER NOW

5. Click on Start Registration
6. Click on Tamariki Individual 5-9 or Tamariki 10-12
7. Enter your details

Then please email 1) Your child's name, 2) The age group they are registered for (5-9 or 10-12) and 3) If you are or are not able to help drive children to the event to toby.blakey@taikura.school.nz so we can organise our group before 16th November. Ngā mihi koutou.



When human beings meet together seeking the spirit with unity of purpose then they will also find their way to each other.
Rudolf Steiner

Taikura Fête Sunday 18 November 2018

It's Fête day on Sunday! Please spread the word amongst family, friends and colleagues so that as many people as possible can enjoy this joyful day.

Taikura Fête is an accomplishment of the creativity, dedication, generosity and skill of the entire body of families, children and staff. By opening our school to the wider Hawkes Bay community we offer something of our school's special character that endures beyond the festivities' conclusion. As a state-integrated school, Taikura Rudolf Steiner School receives limited funding for school facilities. Therefore the Taikura Fête is the most important fundraising event at our school

Magic Beans

Magic Beans will be on sale at the discounted rate of \$10 for 15 magic beans at the school gate from 2:45-3:20pm until Friday 16 November. To facilitate Kindergarten Parents, they will also be on sale on Friday 16 November in the Taikura Kindergarten Parent room.

Setting Up

Please ensure your stall is set up completely by 9:00am on Sunday 18 November. You may access the grounds from noon on Saturday 17 November to set up. The grounds will be patrolled by HSM security guards overnight.

If at all possible, please try to arrange to set up **without young children in tow**- this will be an active site and we would like to ensure everyone's safety and comfort.

Vehicle Access

Vehicle access to the site **before** the Fête is from Nelson Street – the fire access way beside the gym, leaving through the gate by Taikura House onto King Street. **After** the Fête, the traffic flow will reverse- entering from King Street and exiting onto Nelson Street.

If you take a vehicle onto the site, the maximum speed inside the grounds is 5km/h. Please be mindful of children. On Sunday, the site must be clear of vehicles by 9:00am. There will be no vehicular access to the grounds before 3:15pm, when the big field has been cleared of children.

Parking for Stall Holders

Community and external Stall Holders should park on King Street. Please **DO NOT** park on Nelson Street or Whitehead Road near school so that there will be spaces for guests attending the Fête. We had feedback that last year some guests did not attend because they were unable to find parking.

Pea Straw Bales For Sale

You can purchase Pea Straw at just \$15 a bale, to be collected **after 3:00pm** on Fête day. Contact Suzan on 021 206 59 09 or email taikurafete@gmail.com.

Administration Centre

When you arrive on Sunday to set up your **FOOD STALL**, please check in at the Administration Centre in the Gym Foyer. From here you can collect your Float, Stall Identification Panel, provisions and other essential information. The following services are available:

- Information and administrative support
- Sustainable supplies including cups, plates, napkins, utensils and bags
- EFTPOS with Cash Out
- Money exchange and collection facilities
- First Aid services
- Safety equipment
- Lost Children Hub
- Magic Bean Sales

Contact Suzan on 021 206 59 09 or email taikurafete@gmail.com

SCHOOL NOTICES

Taikura Fête Sunday 18 November 2018 cont'd

Financial Arrangements

Food stalls will be provided with a Float on arrival. Periodically, one of the administration staff will collect surplus cash. At the end of the Fête your float and takings will be collected. We are grateful for the assistance of BNZ staff in preparing the money for banking

Children's Activities will operate on a **STRICTLY MAGIC BEAN** basis. If someone would like to pay in cash, please direct them to the nearest Magic Bean Sales point – at the Main Gate, the Administration Centre, and by the pizza oven at the entrance to Scannell's Garden. Should the bean vessel become full before the conclusion of the Fête, they may be emptied at the Administration Centre. At the end of the Fête, bring bean vessels to the Administration Centre at 3pm, and no later than 4pm.

Participation

Heartfelt thanks for coming together as a community to create such a unique event. Please **note changes in the roster** – live rosters are available online. You should have received links to these via Liaison Parents. Check where you are meant to be on the map, and arrive in good time for your shift. There are some activities that need further support so please let us know if you are available. Please also be prepared to be flexible to adapt to circumstances on the day.

Stall Dismantling

Dismantling of Stall sites may take place after 3pm, with all materials removed by 6pm on Sunday 18 November. Items remaining on site after this time will be removed and disposed. Please ensure the grounds are returned to their original condition after the Fête.

Sustainability Policy

Please do not bring any non-recyclable disposables onto the site. There will be recycling collection points around the Fête. Recyclable and compostable catering supplies are provided from the Administration Centre in the Gym Foyer.

Health & Safety

Please note

- No Smoking, E cigarettes or Vaping, Drugs, Alcohol **anywhere** on the School Grounds.
- No Animals allowed on Site.
- Use Gloves and be conscious of Hand Washing, particularly when serving food. Those preparing and serving food must not also handle money.

Fête Proceeds

This year School Management and the Fête Committee have worked together to identify fitting projects to put the Fete proceeds towards. A significant project which has been sitting on our to do list for some time is to build all weather cover for the seating beside the hockey turf. Our intention is that the structure is not only practical in terms of keeping out the elements but ties in with our existing architecture. This project would provide our students with shaded seating in the heat of summer, an outside option for students and classes on a wet day and shelter for waiting parents and students during sport practices. We are looking at using our 2017 and 2018 Fête proceeds to ensure this project gets underway.

"Bee" Sunsmart "Bee" Safe

Our main field always attracts the buzz of our friendly little workers of the flowers. To ensure the children are safe from harm please check that they have suitable shoes on at all times. This is up to parents and staff to enforce. If you see one of our children on the field without shoes on, please ask them to go and put some on.

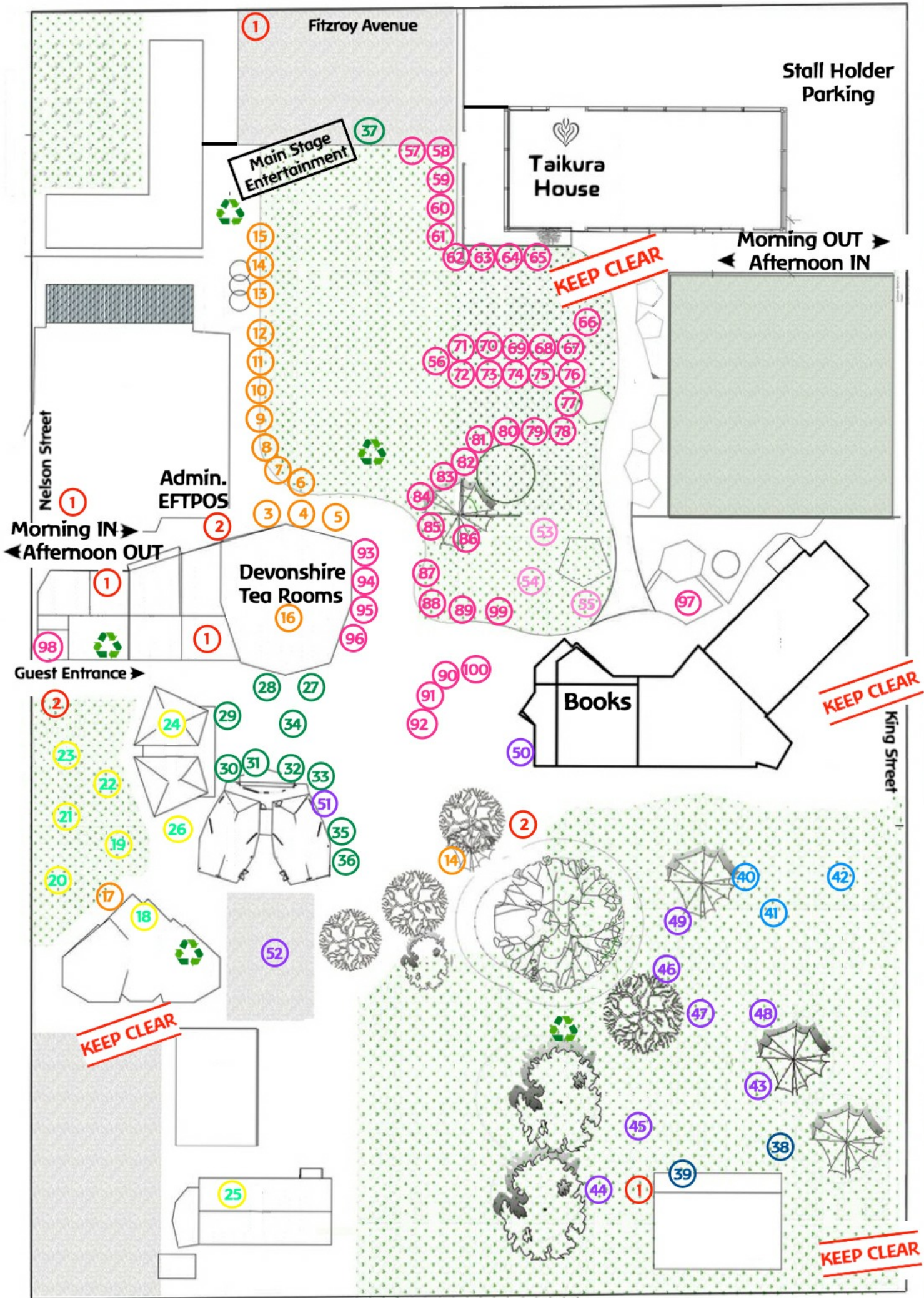
It is also time to take care in the sun, "bee" sunsmart and wear a hat.



Donation Forms

A friendly reminder that School Special Character donation forms are due back to the office Tuesday 27 November. If you have not received your form, call into the office or visit the website www.taikura.school.nz

Activity	Set Up	10am-12.30pm	12.30-3pm	Pack Down
Magic Beans- Scannells		Charmaine Wilson	Glenn Bullivant	
Fishing		David Doig	Kate Galloway	David Doig
Crystal Panning		Debs Templar	Ingrid Savill	
Children's Shop	Jess S-B	Rosheen	Jasmine Golding	Jess S-B
Humpty Dumpty- Student	Noah Boyd (8)	Guy Gunn (8)	Koru Kittleston (8)	
	Rowan Dodd (8)	Rory Merwood (9PVK)	Kairo Murray (8)	
Model Trains		Wayne Hatcher		
Model Trains - Student	Charlotte Hatcher (11)	Mark Gilbert (9PVK)	Elliot Ryan (11)	
Art Spin		Tara Lamb & Leo Prince		
Art Spin - Student	Francesca Dance-Mollmann (12)	Orla Jefferson (9PVK)	Sonja Bristow (10)	
Candle Dipping	Kim Alves	Alex Alves	Kim Alves	Jeff Carroll
Candle Dipping - Student	Jade Hadland (12)	Mio Ishida (12)	Stephanie Alves (11)	
Cookie Decorating		Tracey Hill		
Cookie Decorating - Student	Kairi Shionoya (12)	Aimee Knight (12)	Kathleen Meyer Hundorf (12)	
Clay Play		Christine O'Brien	Linda Hill-Rennie	Christine
Fairy Wands		Lisa leFae	Crystal Riley	
Fairy Wands - Student	Tessa Scapens (12)	Francesca Janke (9PVK)	Pearl Matthews (11)	
Fairy Wands - Student	Tiana Gillett (9PVK)	Luna Kirchner (9PVK)	Hinauri Tiopira-Hawkins (11)	
Flower Garlands		Jo Doig		
Flower Garlands - Student	Skye Kinnear (9PVK)	Clio Floyd (8)	Raina McKenzieMapel (10)	
Flower Garlands - Student	Larissa Dance-Mollmann (9PVK)	Jahna Barlow (10)	Katinka Keet (10)	
Face Painting		Toby Blakey	Sarah Millington	
		Chikako Lindsay	Sarah Jones	
		laesha Puta	Annie Rose Johal	
		Donna Sanford?	Liliana Theyer	
Face Painting- Student	Ana-Terinita Marks (12)	Molly Friis (11)	Ray Solis (9SM)	
Face Painting - Student	Stella Grace Seawright (11)	Zahra Ali (10)	Selina Charlton (9SM)	
Face Painting Help - Student	Markus Hirczy (9SM)	Willow Zuiderwijk (10)	Jacob Stone (9SM)	
Hair Braiding		Deb McNair	Rochelle Howe	Deb
		Sachiko Kosaka	Zahira Rickard	
		Iris Nobel		
		Paul Allison	Stasia Rutherford Busck (12) 1-3	
Hair Braiding - Student		Jamie Wheeler (9SM) 11-1	Lily deLacey Tong (12) 1-3	
Crazy Hair		Alethea Wilkin	Nikki Harrison	
Crazy Hair - Student	Jordan Wilkin (11)	Tara Nuku (8)	Riki Pekepo (12)	
Photo Booth		Richard Simpson (9PVK)	Sam Stanford 12-3pm	
The Shocker	James Taylor	Francis Zuiderwijk (12)	James Taylor	
Go Karts - Student	Quin Dickerson-Gillett (10)	Griffith McDougall (10)	Kody Johnston (9SM)	
Go Karts- Student	Ror Hura (10)	Charlie Wilson (10)	Bayden MacKenzie (9SM)	
Water Bungee	Guy Lethbridge	Cormac FitzGerald	Holly Harbour	
	Sonya Lethbridge	Brynn Lethbridge (12)	Gemma Burford-Crewe	
Gyroscope		Kareem Johnson	Alistair Campbell	
Sumo Wrestling		Andy McNair	Robert Van Duin	
Sumo Wrestling - Student	Djet Schaare-Lancashire (11)	Sebastian Wathey (9PVK)	Isaac Cox (9PVK)	
Stocks - Student	Zach Marshall (12)	Ewan Williams (9PVK)	Finn O'Sullivan (9PVK)	
Stocks - Student	Oliver Van Kampen (12)	Thomas Wilson (9PVK)	Eamon Carroll (9PVK)	
Jousting - Student	Baxter Barron (9PVK)	Aléjandro Correa (9SM)	Drew Porter (9SM)	
Jousting - Student	Oliver Bart (9PVK)	Lucas Porter (9SM)	Herman Veluwenkamp (9SM)	
Coconut Shy		Reece Miller	Harry Lesa	
Coconut Shy - Student	Orlando Jack Palmer (10)	Maya Gunn (9PVK)		
Archery		Craig van der Zwet	Jonny Ryan	
Archery - Student	Joe van der Zwet (10)	Jaylin Dickerson-Gillett (11)	Arran Logan-Riley (10)	
Archery - Student	Kiana Reichert-Henderson (12)	Henry Moore (11)	Finnian Logan-Riley (10)	
Sword Whittling	Doug Ransom	Clare Buckner	Doug Ransom	
Sword Whittling - Student	Lua Vilhena (9SM)	Finn Van Kampen (12)	Christian Porter (12)	
		Caleb Dodd (12)		
Hot Burner Pictures		Matt Durham	Pat Mawson	
Potion House		Rachel Pearson & Bridget Freeman-Rock		
Potion House - Student	Jehangir DiVinci (11)	Tara Browne (11)	El Redfern-Wilson (9SM)	
Potion House - Student			Zora Wuts (9SM)	
Fairy House		Tracey Kimber		
Fairy House - Student	Bede Wright (11)	Oriane deLacey Tong (11)	Ruth Strong	
Ice Monarch - Student	Jacob Grupp (11)	Charlotte Gale (9SM)	Leif Rock (8)	



Services

1	Toilets
2	Magic Bean Sales

3	Coffee
4	Cakes (Class 1)
5	Drinks & Ice Cream (Class 3)
6	Waffles (Class 6)
7	Bread & Pastries
8	Bagels (Class 9SM)
9	Pakorras (Class 9PVK)
10	Salads (Class 11)
11	Sushi & Miso Soup (Class 8)
12	Nachos (Class 5)
13	Burgers (Class 4TM)
14	Sausages (Class 10)
15	Falafel Pockets (Class 7)
16	Devonshire Teas (Class 12)
17	Children's Café (Class 4CY)

Children's Wonderland

18	Children's Shop
19	Treasures in the Hay
20	Rainbow Tent
21	Crystal Panning
22	Humpty Dumpty
23	Fishing
24	Model Trains
25	Puppet Theatre
26	Sail Boats

Arts & Crafts

27	Face Painting
28	Hair Braiding
29	Flower Garlands
30	Fairy Wands
31	Cookie Decorating
32	Candle Dipping
33	Art Spin
34	Clay Play
35	Pop-Up Barber
36	Crazy Hair
37	3D Art

Wood Workshop

38	Sword Whittling
39	Hot Burner Pictures

Magic in the Woods

40	Fairy House
41	Ice Crystals
42	Potion House

Fun & Games

43	Stocks
44	Archery
45	Water Bungee
46	Sumo Wrestling
47	Jousting
48	Coconut Shy
49	GyroSphere
50	Photo Booth
51	The Shocker
52	Go Karts

Health & Healing

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Market Stalls

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COMMUNITY NOTICES

Christmas Felting Class for Children

I am doing another Needle Felting class one weekend before Christmas and wondering if there are more children in the community who would like to join? We will be felting Christmas gnomes, angels, nativity sets etc. Please phone Sabine at 8751905 or 0274928444.

Free Landfill

Old, lifeless subsoil to give away - about a trailer load. Please call Deborah 022 601 6674

Swap Gardening For Meals At Pippis Café

Would you like to swap regular gardening at our home in Poukawa for regular meals at Pippis Café. Please call Alex on 027 570 7510

Calling All Old Mobile Phones

Help Sustainable Coastlines look after NZ's coastlines and waterways.

It would be great if you could have one last rummage around in your drawers and toy boxes and bring into School any unwanted mobile phones before the end of term.

Phones collected help our School gain valuable rewards and also the environment benefits by keeping our landfills free of mobile phones and their array of hazardous toxic substances.

Please drop any unwanted mobile phones you may have in the collection box in the reception area at School.



Taikura Rudolf Steiner School Website

If you would prefer to read the Grapevine on-line via the school website please go to www.taikura.school.nz Under the heading: Key Dates, News & Events select Newsletters from the drop down box, the latest copies of the Grapevine will be on the left side of the page. Click on the date you wish to read.

Child Wellness *Naturally* Hawke's Bay

Kid-Friendly Breakfasts

with Gretta and the whānau from



Come and get some inspiration for Delicious Breakfast options

including

- Smoothies (and what superfoods/supplements to sneak in)
- Hapi Chia Seed Pudding (for breakfast!)
- A homemade muesli base that you can add to
- Yoghurt options
- GAPS-friendly pancakes and waffles
- Gluten-free porridge options

Buy your tickets: Eventbrite.co.nz (Kid Friendly Breakfasts with Hapi) or Cornucopia

Details through our FB event: Kid Friendly Breakfasts with Hapi
or Kaye 021 052 4020
or Michelle 027 356 0216

Date: Wed 28 Nov
Time: 7pm-9pm
Venue: The Space
106 Queen St E, Hastings

