



Developing Independence Through Learning

**RUKUHA SCHOOL**

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# Newsletter Term1 Week 6



**KIA ORA** Welcome to Week 6!

We hope you all had a great weekend!

Within this newsletter are some details of a PTA fundraising event, read on to find out more!

Thank you to our community for the communication we have received for illnesses and covid testing, we appreciate it. Continue to let us know if your child is getting a covid test and of their result when this has been received.

A message can be left on 07 843 6967 outside of school hours regarding covid test results.

If you are requiring home learning over this period, just send a friendly email to the class teachers. Home-learning will consist of reading and worksheets while the teachers have in-school classes. Please be understanding of delays if the class teacher is also away.

Have a great week!

# GUMDROPS DESSERTS

## FUNDRAISING MENU

### PTA Fundraiser

If you would like to support our PTA, please grab an order form and enjoy some amazing looking desserts!

Please be aware there are no cash sales and payments need to be made to the below PTA account (not the school account).

Please return order forms by **Wednesday May 4.**

Pickup date **Friday 13 May.**

Please collect from **Rukuhia School Hall** at school pick up time.

Please make all payments to **Rukuhia School PTA**, account **12-3122-0283284-000** using **'Gumdrops'** & your **student's name** as reference.





**If you are unwell and have any of these symptoms:**

- fever
- cough
- shortness of breath
- sneezing or a runny nose

**then please don't enter this building.**

For updates and more information on keeping yourself safe, visit **Covid19.govt.nz**

**Stay home  
if you are sick**

New Zealand Government

# Important Dates

## Important Dates this Term:

15th of March                      Sport Waikato are coming in to do a  
Cricket session with the school

28th & 29th  
of March                              St Johns in schools

## Term Dates

### **Term 1 2022**

Tuesday 1st February—14th April

### **Term 2 2022**

2nd May—8th July

### **Term 3 2022**

25th of July—30th September

### **Term 4 2022**

17th of October—TBC

## **Public Holidays 2022**

6th of June                      Queens Birthday

24 of June                      Matariki

24th of October      Labour Day

**Please note event dates are Covid level dependant and events could be postponed or cancelled.**

# Uniform Supplier

**Logo U2 are now able to offer your school uniform to be ordered directly from their online shop**

[www.logou2.com](http://www.logou2.com)

- A note from Logo U2: Please wash our shirts inside out. When printed apparel is turned inside out when washing the printing will last longer as it is not getting rubbed against other clothing.

**Logo U2**  
Proudly NZ



**first**  
credit union

First Credit Union provides a school banking service to all pupils at Rukuhia School.

A note from First Credit Union

**As we have now moved into the red traffic light setting and the uncertainty around us with Covid and Omicron, we wish to advise you that we will not be starting school banking until further notice.**



# School Reminders

## School Times

8.30am	Classrooms Open
9.00am	School Starts
11.00-11.30am	Morning Tea
12.45-1.40pm	Lunch
3.00pm	School Finishes

## Office Hours

8.30am—3.00pm  
office@rukuhia.school.nz  
07 843 6967

## Financial Information

2022 Financial Information letter will be out in the next couple of week, please let us know if you do not receive these.

## Absentees

If your child is going to be absent from school for any reason, could you please call the office before 9.00am. If the phone is unattended please leave a message.

## Signing In & Out

If you are late for school or need to take your children out of school for any reason during school time, **parents/caregivers must** come into the office and sign them out and then sign them back in if they are returning before school finishes.

## School Bank Account

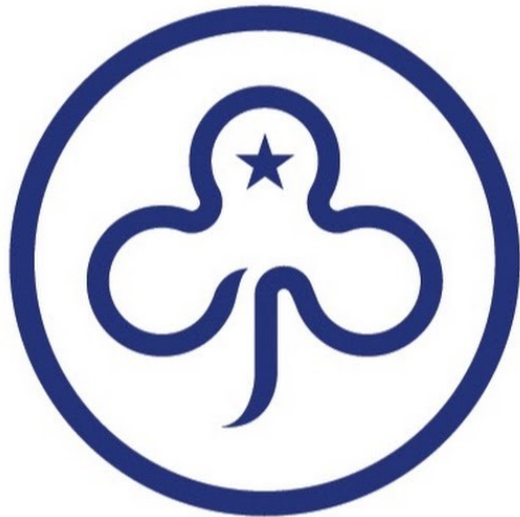
If you are wanting to make online payments to the school below are our bank account details:

12 3152 0019783 00

Please make sure you note the child's name and what the payment is for.



Are you up for fun, **friends** and **adventure**, then Girl Guiding could be for you?  
We have units for girls aged between 5-17. We also are on the lookout for leaders to support these girls and even open new units in towns that don't have that age group.  
We have spaces available in some of our units both in Te Pahu and Te Awamutu but if you are interested then email Michelle on [michellegirlguide@gmail.com](mailto:michellegirlguide@gmail.com) to find out more.



**Girl Guiding  
New Zealand**  
Ngā Kōhine Whakamahiri  
O Aotearoa

### Pirongia Netball Club Junior Trials 2022

We welcome all players from year 1 to year 8 from any school to attend our junior trials.

Head onto Pirongia Netball Club's Facebook page for the online registration link.

See ad below for trial dates and times.

**LJ Hooker**  
PAMELA THACKRAY

**Pirongia Netball Club**

**2022** **Junior Trials**  
Year 1 to Year 8

**MONDAY 7TH MARCH**  
**WEDNESDAY 9TH MARCH**

→ **Register Online**

**YEAR 1 & 2**  
NO TRIAL NEEDED  
JUST FILL IN THE ONLINE FORM

**YEAR 3 & 4**  
5:15PM SIGN IN  
5:30PM SKILLS & DRILLS TO 6:15PM  
MONDAY ONLY

**YEAR 5 TO 8**  
6:00PM SIGN IN  
6:20PM WARM UP, 6:35PM TRIAL GAMES  
MONDAY & WEDNESDAY

**Ella Muckle**  
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**PIRONGIA NETBALL COURTS**

*Be part of an awesome club!*