

# TAUPO INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL

**Striving for Excellence**

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Kia ora koutou te whanau o tenei kura,  
te kura Waenga o Taupo  
Greetings to all of our families

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Tena koutou te whanau o tenei Kura, nau mai haere mai ki te Kura Waenga o Taupo, "te kura pai o Intermediate i Taupo"  
Greetings to all our families and welcome to Taupo Intermediate School – "the best Intermediate in Taupo".

In my opinion: Welcome to Term 4 – another busy term for staff and students alike.

## **TAUPO INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL**

Our school opened in 1969  
Making it 50 Years in Education

If you are a past student, teacher, Board of  
Trustees member  
you are more than welcome to visit us to  
reminisce about your days  
at TIS and a catch up with friends

Our doors will be open showcasing our school in  
2019

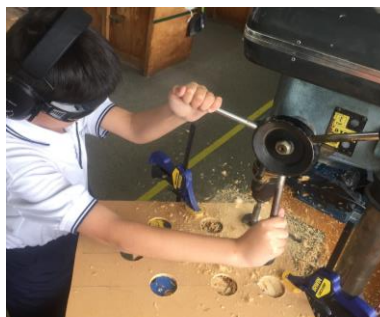
Friday 1<sup>st</sup> November 9:00am – 3:00pm  
4:00pm – 7:00pm - meet and greet in the  
staffroom

Light refreshments available

Saturday 10:00am – 2:00pm – school open

## **THE APPRENTICE – HARD MATERIALS**

Maz Te Mano-Banks (Room 1) and Daniel Fletcher (Room 19) submitted the winning design, for a popcorn holder in the tuckshop. Over 20 students entered and all submitted amazing designs. Kristy, the Tuckshop Manager, was very impressed with all the student's efforts and marveled at the concepts, that included a robotic hand, a popcorn pyramid and Ferris Wheel - to name but a few.



*Daniel Fletcher  
using the drill press  
to make a temporary  
popcorn holder,  
while their design -  
a foldaway terraced  
popcorn holder table  
- is made.*

## **ENROLMENT PROCESS 2020**

Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> October – Friday 1<sup>st</sup> November 2019

**Student Orientation** visits for prospective pupils  
each morning from 9:15 – 12:30

Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> October – Taupo Primary School

Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> October – Wairakei Primary School

Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> October – Tauhara Primary School

Friday 1<sup>st</sup> November – Waipahihi Primary School

Students from other schools are most welcome to  
attend these visits any day.

Enrolment packs will be issued to the contributing  
schools. All those students outside our traditional  
contributing schools can contact our school office to  
get an enrolment pack or collect one on your visit.

## **Principal / Parent Meetings**

Open meetings - all welcome

Taupo Primary 5:30pm Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> October

Waipahihi Primary 7:00pm Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> October

Wairakei Primary 5:30pm Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> October

Tauhara Primary 5:30pm Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> October

Taupo Intermediate School 7:00pm Thursday

31<sup>st</sup> October – *this is an open meeting for  
those outside our traditional contributing schools.*

12<sup>th</sup> November 2019 CWAA Testing for 2020 Class

25<sup>th</sup> November 2020 Classes begin to be compiled.

Information transfer begins – transition period

## **Term 4 Art Club**

Starts Week 2, Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> October 3:00 – 4:30pm

Art Trip to Memorial Hut is 5<sup>th</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> December

Permission slips need to be handed in next week.

Students must have attended at least one term of the  
Art Club to be able to attend the Art trip.



Last Tuesday a taste of healthy desserts were made by the staff for their Well Being Programme during their Staff Development – above is just a sample of what was made and sampled during the time allocated.

### Internet Risk and Safety Advisor John Parson

Is coming back to Taupo from 21 – 25<sup>th</sup> October, with new material. John gives real life examples of children affected by cyber crime.

Parents are welcome to any of the parent meetings.

Hilltop School Tuesday 22 October @ 6:00 – 8:00pm

Wairakei School Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> October @ 6:00 – 8:00pm

Waipahihi School Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> October @ 7:00 – 9:00pm

REAP Friday 25<sup>th</sup> October @ 1:00 – 3:00pm

open to all social services, but will be directed towards those working with the elder members of our community.

Any questions please contact Tash

[natasha.marinkovich@police.govt.nz](mailto:natasha.marinkovich@police.govt.nz)

School Community Officer Taupo & Turangi | Bluelight

### Misfitz Dance Studio

Free class open day Saturday 19 October

9:30am – under 5s

10am 5-9 year Hip Hop Class

11am 10 – 14 Year Hip Hop Class

Noon 5 – 13 Year Cheer Squad

1pm 14 – 18 Year Hip Hop Class

Misfitz Dance Studio – 29 AC Baths Ave

(above Tpo Men's Community Shed

For more information please contact

[misfitadancestudio@gmail.com](mailto:misfitadancestudio@gmail.com) or

txt 02 1 0239 1013

### Greenlea Rescue Helicopter Open Day

Our family friendly Open Day coming to your local Greenlea Rescue Helicopter on Sunday 3 November 10am-2pm

Show off your talents by entering our colouring competition and be in for the chance to win a cool prize:

Private Hangar Tour for 4, \$50 Smuggle Voucher, diecast helicopter and helicopter money box!

**Face Painting | Food Trucks | Live Emergency Demonstrations**

***Get your classroom involved and get colouring!***

Drop off entries to Westpac Taupo, 27 Horomatangi St, Taupo by 31 October 2019

**EVERY** entry will be displayed at the Open Day (so bring your family to see your artwork),

and one of the pilots will pick a lucky winner on the day!

**Where:** Greenlea Rescue Helicopter Hangar, Taupo Airport, 1105 Anzac Memorial Drive

**When:** 10am-2pm, Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> November

**Branches:** Westpac Taupo, 27 Horomatangi St, Taupo by 31 October 2019

**Please share this cool opportunity with your school, classes and families.**

**Taupo RC Car Club** is for all about building community and family spirit, everyone is welcome to watch or have a go. The off-road track is located at the entrance to Spa Park, Taupo.

There are fun days (drag races, tug of war, sausage sizzle)

Tuesday evening sprints (5:30pm – 8:00pm light permitting)

Championship points day (one Sunday a month).

Membership Fees: Single: \$30 Family: \$50 (2 Adults, 3 Children)

Transponder Buy: \$40

Track fee for Points day: Single: \$5 Family: \$10 (2 Adults & 3 Children)

Transponder Rental: \$5

Further details, videos, pictures, event dates and times at

<http://facebook.com/tauporccarclub>

Or contact us by Email at [trccc2017@gmail.com](mailto:trccc2017@gmail.com)

### Annual Light Party at Taupō Baptist for the community

**Light Party 2019**  
A family-movie experience

**Thursday, Oct. 31**  
**Doors 5pm**  
**Movie 5:30pm**

Gold coin koha; on-site food & drink sales

Bring a comfy beanbag  
or your favourite cushion!

### TIS Tuckshop Kristie's Kai

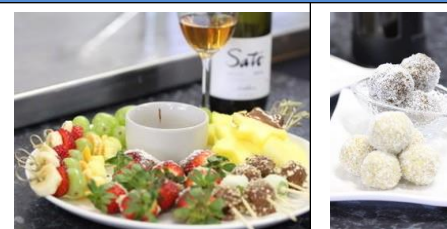
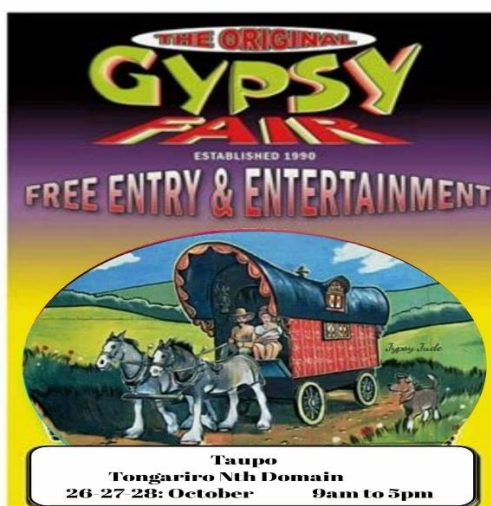
Lunch Specials

Tuesday - 22 October

Curried Sausages - \$3.50

Friday - 25 October

Fish or Sausage & Chips - \$5.00



The concentration & preparation with the final product - Yum