TAUPO INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL

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Kia ora koutou te whanau o tenei kura te kura Waenga o Taupo

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MARKE

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".

2023 ·TIS LAPTOP SCHEME

Final Date to join up to the lease component of our 2023 Laptop Program is 3rd March 2023.

Due to the commercial nature of the agreement that the school has with the finance company to finance these laptops for our community, we need specific numbers to be able complete the paperwork.

Please note that for those in our community that have already joined, we as a school appreciate your support in this scheme. We believe this has made a difference over the last eight years it has been operating.

Please note that your first monthly instalment of \$50 is due March 1st and by the first of the month thereafter.

If any parents still wish to avail themselves of the lease scheme, please understand you would have to pay monthly payment plus the initial deposit.

<u>ROOM 24</u>

Last Friday, 17th February Mr Somers Rm 4 students headed over to Crown Park to help the Wicked Weeders out. They cleared all the weeds around the native plants growing in the gully. They worked hard and, according to Rachel Thompson, of Kids Greening Taupō, the difference was amazing! They were rewarded with an ice cream for their hard work afterwards.



CHESS CLUB HAS BEGUN!

Last Friday, Taupo Intermediate's Chess Club began with 28 enthusiastic members. It was

wonderful to see excellent sportsmanship amongst a mix of beginners and experts challenging each other in a friendly atmosphere.



Each Friday lunchtime, our club will meet in Room 22. A pool

competition will begin shortly, and we are hoping to enter a regional competition later in the year.

Who will gain the title of TIS Grand Chess Master 2023?

NETBALL 2023

Netball A and B trials are this coming Monday and Friday from 4pm to 6pm at the Owen Delany Netball Courts. Please have a drink bottle, along with appropriate clothing and footwear for the 2 hours.

All registrations should be in the school office by Monday at the latest.

Any questions or concerns please email Rebecca – <u>learningsupport@taupointermediate.co.nz</u>

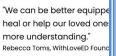
Support to heal from an eating disorder



Connect with eating disorder experts

Find recommended resources

Join the WithLoveED Community Hub





Private after school Tutoring. Alpha to omega literacy program will be running from Term 1 Week

MON, TUE, and Thursdays 3.15 to 4.15.

This program gives practical help in reading, writing, and spelling for children with learning difficulties including dyslexia.

The cost is \$20.00 per student per session. The student may attend one or all 3 lessons.

Enrolments forms are at the office or message me so I can drop the forms off to your student in class. Limited spaces available. Any queries phone.

Donna Shaw 0277113082

www.withloveed.com

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<u>Hope in an Envelope</u>

Taupō District Libraries are helping to spread words of encouragement and love to the most vulnerable of those affected by Cyclone Gabrielle, the children.

Local Taupō District children are being encouraged to write letters of love, friendship, and support to children in storm damaged areas. The letters can be dropped off to collection boxes in any of our Taupo District Libraries where they will be collected and distributed through aid agencies.

Children's letters can include information on themselves, their words of encouragement and hope, as well as drawings and cards. The letters should be left in an open envelope with the child's name and age on the front. The Hope in an Envelope team will add a special treat and make sure the letters are sent to an age and gender appropriate child.

Hope in an Envelope organiser Laura Stamoreanu says 'Letters are a powerful tool of encouragement. The children can read the messages of love and support again and again when they feel alone.'

Copies of the letters and drawings will also be used as a display in the libraries for the rest of the community to read and enjoy.

<u>T.I.S. TUCKSHOP 2023</u>

Specials

Wednesday's – Sushi



BASKETBALL 2023

To register please see the link below:

https://membership.mygameday.app/regoform.cgi?for mID=92323

Summary reminder of basketball fees & days:

Year 7/8 Boys - Mondays - Intermediate Boys League \$75 Year 7/8 Girls - Wednesdays - Girls League \$75

Register directly with Lake Taupo Basketball By 17th March.

On Monday 20th March the list of registered players will be sent to schools to create their teams & find coaches and managers.

