

ARIA BIKE RIDE MEETING

To be held at St Helens Domain
(Squash Club Rooms) in Aria

Tuesday 4th February (tomorrow night)
at 7.30pm

This meeting is to finalise the 2020 bike ride which is on 15th and 16th February 2020.

This is our ONLY school fundraiser

If you would like further information please contact Nicola in the school office.



BIKE RIDE 2020
15th & 16th February

YOUR HELP WILL BE REQUIRED

Friday

Setting up at the domain and baking for the weekend.

Saturday

Breakfast, all day BBQ, kitchen, dinner, marshalling on site and tracks .

Sunday

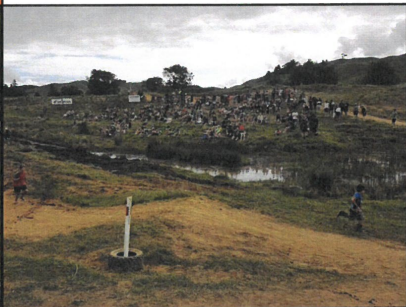
Breakfast, all day BBQ, marshalling on site and tracks and cleaning up.

This is our major school fundraiser and we need all hands on deck. Please contact Nicole Hurley on 877-7857 if you can help out over this weekend. If you don't call us, we will be calling you!!

Tena Koutou Katoa Parents, Caregivers and Community...

Aria

2-Day Trail Ride



Sat & Sun

15 & 16

Feb

2020

Aria School • 07 877 7857



Aria 2 Day Trail Ride

St Helens Domain, Kumara Road, Aria
(half hour south of Te Kuiti)
Signposted from Piopio, Mahoenui Hill & Mapiu

3 Senior
Tracks

1.2km
Moto X Track

Kid's
Track

**Due to over-capacity concerns on our tracks,
we have no option but to restrict rider numbers**

To ensure entry, please pre-register:

\$40/day, \$70/weekend

Kids (15yrs and under) \$15/day, \$25 weekend

Pre-registration closes midnight Sunday 9th Feb.

Entries received after this will incur extra charges

- Tracks open 9.30am on Sat – no briefing – rolling registration
- Camping available Fri & Sat
- Dinner avail Sat – Breakfast avail Sat & Sun (kids 12 & under)
- Helmets compulsory
- All day BBQ – licenced bar – Eftpos available
- Tennis courts available for use, no charge (BYO racquet)
- Fundraiser for Aria School & St Helens Domain, Aria
- No dogs permitted

Info/Registration www.silverbullet.co.nz
or email aria2dayride@gmail.com

Many thanks to all the numerous property owners, supporters and ...

- King Country Honda • White Ridge Contracting • A & L Earthworks
- Tucker's Quarry • AMP Insurance • St Mary's Scout Group
- T & K Alcock • Progress Transport • Te Kuiti New World

Monday 3rd February 2020
Term 1, Week 1

Tena Koutou Katoa!

STAND TALL



Aria School

* Newsletter *

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Lucas Butler
Hunter Cox
Caelynn James
Creyarn Tapara
Ryshard Tapara
Hendrix Tapara
Laveila Young

It's great to have you join us.
We hope you enjoy your time at Aria School.

Our school newsletter, notices and calendar of upcoming school events are available on our website www.aria.school.nz

Principal's News...

Welcome to the first week of term 1 2020!

We hope you have all had a great break and feel ready to launch yourselves into a new year. This is a three day week.

We will be closed on Thursday 6th (Waitangi Day) and Friday 7th.

- ♦ **Welcome to Mrs Ana Wiseman....** We warmly welcome Whaea Ana to our staff. Ana will be teaching the room 2 class. Other staff members remain the same as in 2019 and we all look forward to working together with you in 2020 with your wonderful children.
- ♦ **Annual Bike Ride...** Our major fundraiser- the Two Day Bike Ride, is the weekend after next. **We need your help!** A special thank- you to all of you who have offered to help out during this week and over the weekend. I'm sure it is going to be an amazing success as in the past thanks to the efforts of our organising committee who have all been working hard over recent months.
- ♦ **Severe Nut Allergy** (anaphylactic shock). We are urging parents to restrict the peanut/hazelnut products at school please. This includes peanut butter and nutella.
- ♦ Room 2 and 3 lunchboxes will be checked daily and those containing these nut products will be monitored carefully (handwashing, desk washing etc). Please contact me if you have any queries or concerns regarding this.
- ♦ **Aria School Planning and Reporting for 2020...** Some of our Planning and Reporting documentation for 2020 was included in our 2019 Annual Report which was handed out at the end of year prizegiving. Annual targets for achievement in 2020 and other sections are about to be added and the full document will be sent to the Ministry of Education by the 1st of March. If you would like to read the full document or parts of it, please contact Nicola or myself.

If you did not receive the Annual Report at the end of last year and wish to read it please contact the office.
- ♦ **Swimming...** Please check that your children are prepared for swimming. The weather is perfect so let's make the most of it.
- ♦ **Piopia Swimming Lessons...** If your children are involved in after school lessons and you haven't already contacted Nicola could you please do so immediately. This is a change to normal after school arrangements and we need to be sure that we have the correct information.

Please be aware that if students are attending these lessons they do need to have an adult responsible for them at all times.
NB if students are travelling back to Piopia in the mini-van they will not arrive until 3.45.
- ♦ **Stationery...** It is expected that all students will have their stationery orders in by Wednesday and will have their stationery ready for use at the beginning of next week.

Tena Koutou Katoa!

Contact us on the following...

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Aria 3979
King Country
Principal: Pam Voyce

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Fax: (07) 8777578
Email: office@aria.school.nz
Website: www.aria.school.nz

mark  your Calendar

BOT Meetings 2020
Monday 2nd March

Monday 6th April
at 7.00pm, All Welcome

First Day Of School
Monday 3rd February

Waitangi Day
Thursday 6th February

2020 Bike Ride Meeting
Tuesday 4th February

2020 Bike Ride
15th & 16th February

Parent Evening
Thursday 20th February
6.30pm - 8.00pm

Last Day Of Term 1
Thursday 9th April

First Day Of Term 2
Tuesday 28th April

2020 Senior Camp - Year 4-6
Rotorua
16th - 19th March

Fees \$175.00 per person

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Principal's News Continued...

- ♦ **Contact Information Forms...** These forms were sent home with your startup newsletter. If we do not receive this forms by the end of the week we will assume current details from last year are correct. If you did not receive the startup newsletter please contact Nicola in the office.
- ♦ **Canteen...** Operates every **Monday and Friday**. There has been a slight price increase in the moosies, they are now \$1.20.
- ♦ **Rugby Registration Forms 2020...** Forms are attached for all students. Please complete these and return by the end of this week. Kurt McQuilkin from North King Country Rugby will be working with our students from time to time and requires these completed forms prior to his visits.

Unfortunately if we do not receive these forms your child will have to be excluded from these sessions that are provided for all ages.

***Have a great week,
Pam Voyce.***

SKOOL LOOP APP

Aria School has changed to using the Skool Loop App. Please see below how to download this app.

Please note we are no longer using the School Stream app.

If you have any problems with downloading or using the app please contact Nicola in the office.



Stay "in the loop" in 2020 with our school app!

Events | Cancellations | Notices
Newsletters | Permission slips
Instant notifications | Absentees
Parent Teacher Interviews

Simple free download:
In Google Play & App Store search 'Skool Loop' & choose our school once installed.

Food for Thought?

Comments from a Child Psychiatrist to make us think.....

Our children are overstimulated, and over gifted with material objects.

They are deprived of the fundamentals of a healthy childhood –

- Emotionally available parents.
- Clearly defined limits and responsibilities.
- Balanced nutrition.
- Adequate sleep.
- Movement in general but especially outdoors.
- Creative play.
- Social interaction.
- Unstructured games.

INSTEAD they are getting parents who are –

- Digitally distracted (on their phones).
- Indulgent and permissive who let their children rule the world.
- Encouraging their children to believe it is their RIGHT to have everything they want without deserving it.
- Encouraging a sedentary lifestyle.
- Allowing inadequate sleep routines.
- Providing endless stimulation.

WHAT CAN WE DO?

- Set limits.
- Remember who is the boss; the children do not rule your home.
- Offer a balanced lifestyle of what children need rather than what they want – don't be afraid to say "NO".
- Provide a nutritious diet.
- Limit the junk food.
- Spend at least one hour each day outside.
- Enjoy a daily family meal without phones.
- Play board games.
- Involve children in household chores.
- Implement a consistent sleep routine.
- Teach children responsibility – don't carry their backpack into school!
- Teach them to wait, and delay gratification.

AND provide them with opportunities to "BE BORED" because that's where creativity starts!

SCHOOL NOTICES

2020 CANTEEN PRICES

CALCISTRONG	\$1.50
(Chocolate & Strawberry)	
MOOSIES	\$1.20
(Blue Moon, & Chocolate)	
NOODLES	\$2.20
(Beef & Chicken)	
POPCORN.....	\$1.00
PIZZA	\$2.50
(Hawaiian & Meat Lovers)	
SAUSAGE ROLLS	\$1.50
PIE (small)	\$1.50
JUICIES	
(Tropical & Wildberry)	\$1.00

Canteen is available on MONDAYS and FRIDAYS only!

AFTER SCHOOL ARRANGEMENTS

Please advise all changes to after school arrangements **BEFORE 3:00pm** each day either by phone or sending a signed note with your child to the school office.

We require **Parent/Caregiver notification** and **will not accept this verbally from the child**. If you phone **AFTER 3:00pm** please ensure you speak to the person in charge of buses for that day.

ABSENCES

If your child is going to be absent please notify the school office before 9:00am each day with a reason as to why your child is away. There is an absentee form on the Skool Loop app you can complete and this will be emailed directly to the school office.

MEDICINE AT SCHOOL

Our school policy states that if your child has to take ANY MEDICINE whilst at school that this is to be brought to the office and will be administered to the child by a staff member.

Please send any medication in a sealed clearly marked plastic bag with the instructions of what the child is to have administered.

2020 Staff

Senior Room (Room 1)

Mrs Voyce
Mrs Pease

Middle Room (Room 2)

Whaea Ana Wiseman

Junior Room (Room 3)

Miss O'Connor

Teacher Aide

Miss Shahnee Johnston

High Health Needs - Teacher Aide

Ms Nicole Hurley

Maori Resource

Mr Peter Holbrook

Office Manager

Mrs Nicola Alcock

Cleaner

Carol Tilyard

Caretaker/Swimming Pool

Donald MacRae

2020 Board of Trustees

Catherine Terry - Chairperson

Steve Bodger

Bevan Brown

Richie Newton

Natasha Richardson

John Roper

SUN HATS ARE COMPULSORY IN TERM 1!

Please ensure your **child/ren have a named sun hat at school**.

The preferred style of hat is a bucket style hat which protects the ears, neck and face.

Sunscreen will be available at school.

Tena Koutou Katoa Parents, Caregivers and Community...

ARIA SPORTS DAY - THURSDAY 6TH FEBRUARY 2019 -

This is the 116th year for our communities Sports day. Have a look at Flyer in this newsletter and bring your friends & family along on Thursday for a great family day out.

If anyone is interested in helping out on the day or set up the day before (Wednesday 5th) please call Anna Nelson on 0274900501

Aria Sports Day

Waitangi Day • Thursday 6th February
Day starts at 8.30am • Aria Domain • FREE Entry!

Don't forget the Aria Cos Club Speed Shear the night before Wed 5th from 7.30pm @ Aria Club

MOTO-X EVENTS

Non Licence Event
All Welcome

Steward: Darren Lupton
Phone: 07 877 8054 or
021 202 9749
Starts: 9am sign on
Entry Fee: \$15.00



HORSE & PONY EVENTS

Pony & Hack Show Jumping
Flat & RTR Events
Beginners Ring

Steward: Anna Nelson
Phone: 07 877 7744
Starts: 9am



DOG TRIALS

Short Head & Yard
NZ Dog Trial Assoc Rules

Steward: Anita Kendrick
Phone: 07 893 7537
Starts: 8.30am
Entry Fee: \$7.00



SHEARING & WOOL-HANDLING COMPETITION

Steward: Mark Barrowcliffe
Phone: 07 877 8759
Starts: 8.30am



DOUBLES TENNIS TOURNAMENT

Mixed Handicap Doubles
Mystery Prizes

Steward: Pete Hurley
Phone: 07 877 7577
Starts: 10am
Entry Fee: \$10.00 per person
by 1st Feb



FAMILY FUN !!!

- Running races from 12.30pm
- Novelty Races
- FREE Children's Waterslide in the afternoon, so don't forget your togs & a towel!



FREE ENTRY & PARKING • HOTDOGS • ICE-CREAM • FAMILY FUN DAY