

Monday 27<sup>th</sup> July 2020  
Term 3, Week 2

**Tena Koutou Katoa!**

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# Aria School

## \* Newsletter \*

### In Today's Newsletter...

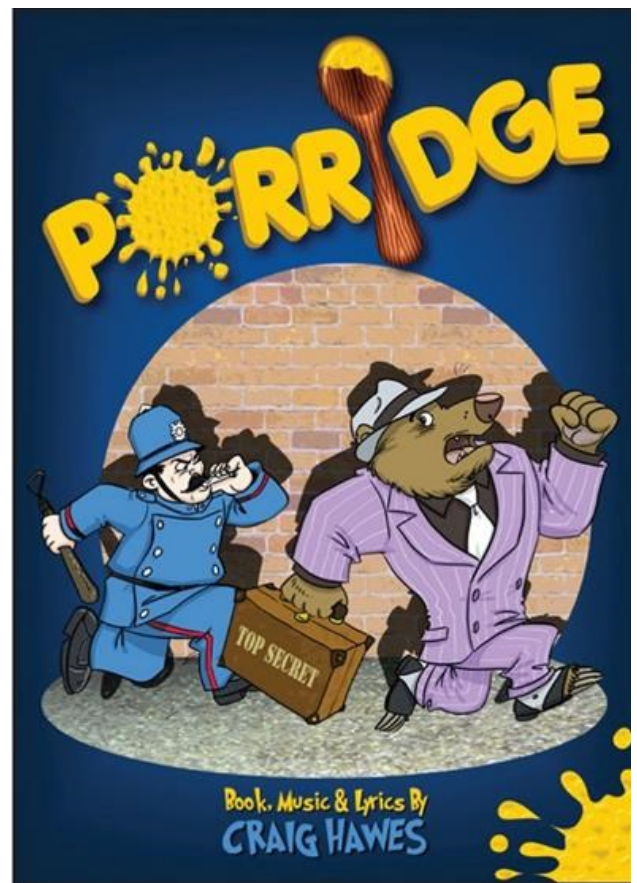
- ♦ Interschool Cross Country
- ♦ Porridge - School Production
- ♦ Change of Clothes
- ♦ Life Education Caravan
- ♦ Community Consultation Lucky Draw
- ♦ Board of Trustees Meeting - tonight
- ♦ Thank-you Russell & Mavis Proffit
- ♦ Photolife Photos
- ♦ School Sign
- ♦ School Notices
- ♦ Bike Ride Thank-you Letter
- ♦ Community Notices



**Indy Brooks**  
**Tinisha Kopa-Winikerei**

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

### Aria Primary School Invites YOU to



Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> August 2020  
at the Aria Hall, Aria Road, Aria

11.00am: Matinee  
7.00pm: Evening Session

Gold Coin Donation at the door would be appreciated

Please bring a plate to share for supper at the Evening Session. Thank-you.

Our school newsletter, notices and calendar of upcoming school events are available on our website [www.aria.school.nz](http://www.aria.school.nz)

## Principal's News...

### Welcome to Week 2

**Welcome to the new term.** I won't say anything about the weather but hope you weren't housebound too badly during the holidays. It was great to enjoy the sun again over the weekend.

**It is a very busy term ahead so it is very important that you mark the events that effect your family on your calendar now.**

- ⇒ **School Photos Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> August.**
  - ⇒ **Cross country - all students week 4, Friday 14<sup>th</sup> August.**
  - ⇒ **"Porridge" all students are involved. Two performances on Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> August at the Aria Hall. Most students, including many from Room 3 have speaking parts, so please help them with their lines**
  - ♦ **Inter-school Cross Country - Friday 14<sup>th</sup> August...** Tokirima School. Please see information and permission/transport sheet attached. These are due back Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> July.
  - ♦ **"Porridge"... school production practices started last week in Room 1.** We will be script reading on my teaching days from today on. Dance practices have also started (Whaea Ana). Backdrop and props are underway (Mrs Pease). Songs began last term (Miss Johnston) and Ms Beth Dalton will be at school tomorrow to fine tune these.
- Room 2 students will also be reading the script as part of their reading rotation.
- Thank-you to members of the Board who will be organising the collection of the bleachers, stages and steps etc from Piopio College some time towards the end of next week.
- Please contact the office if you can help. **NB this is heavy work.**
- ♦ **Change of clothes...** Please send a change of clothes in your child's school bag as there is plenty of mud to be found in the school grounds!
- Also if you have **spare track pants or shorts** we would welcome their addition to our spare clothes bag.
- ♦ **Life Education Caravan...** Harold will be visiting next week - 4th and 5<sup>th</sup> August. All students will be attending in their class groups. We will be planning the programme tomorrow after school with the facilitator. I'm sure you will have noticed the caravan which is currently at Piopio Primary.
  - ♦ **Community Consultation Lucky Draw...** The winner is Dani Darke.

Thank-you to those who returned our questionnaire. A follow up phone call will made over the next two weeks to those who have not yet returned their consultation feedback as we value input from all our school families.

### Tena Koutou Katoa!

Contact us on the following...

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**BOT Meetings 2020**  
**Monday 27<sup>th</sup> July**  
**Monday 14<sup>th</sup> September**  
at 7.00pm, All Welcome

**School Photos**  
(Class & Individual)  
Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> August

**Life Education Caravan**  
Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> August

**Tokirima Cross Country**  
Friday 14<sup>th</sup> August

**School Production**  
Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> August

**Daffodil Day**  
Friday 28<sup>th</sup> August

**Interschool Orienteering**  
at St Helen's Domain, Aria  
Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> September

**Interschool Cross Country**  
at Rangitoto Primary  
Friday 30<sup>th</sup> October

**Last Day of Term 3**  
Friday 25<sup>th</sup> September

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## Principal's News Continued...

- ♦ **Board of Trustees Meeting...** tonight at 7.00pm in the staffroom - all welcome.
- ♦ **Thank-you to Russell and Mavis Proffit...** for the donation of a large number of native grasses for our grounds.
- ♦ **Photolife Photo Envelopes...** Individual, class and sports photo envelopes were sent home on Friday. Please check your child's bag if you have not received it. . If you are wanting to order photos please ensure they are returned to the school office by Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> July with the CORRECT PAYMENT. If you require a sibling envelope please contact the office directly.

Please make sure that **hockey players have their CORRECT uniforms.** No correct uniform will mean no photo!! Hockey shirts will be handed out on the morning of the photos.

- ♦ **School Sign Completed...** During the next two weeks our new school sign will be proudly sitting in its permanent position at last. There is quite a saga to be told regarding the school sign and if it could talk it would certainly entertain you for hours. We will compile a small booklet to explain its journey and significance to be distributed to those gathered at our official unveiling, date to be confirmed at our board meeting tonight.

Kerry Te Kanawa, Master Carver, completed the sign during the school holidays following a formal blessing by local Kaumatua, Abe Mita on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> July. Peter Foss and Charlie Winikerei have been prominent players in the completion of the carving and many others have been involved in some way - Corey Barnsdall (building of roof, concreting posts etc), Shahnee Johnston (being on the spot with keys, organising resources and giving plenty of advice), Abe Mita ( blessings, protocols, advice), Aaron Bevege (postholes, Chorus line location), and of course there was plenty more advice from Peter and Charlie! Many lovely wives kept them all well fed and watered along the way.

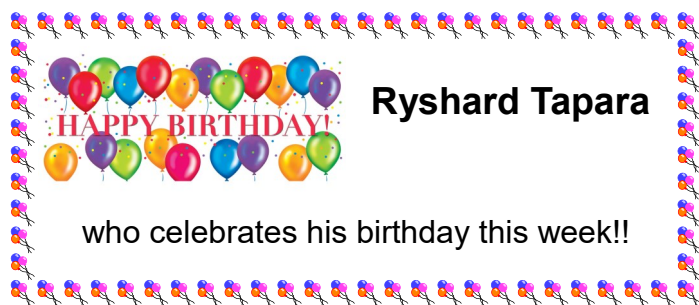
**We are very, very grateful to everyone involved in this project.**

**NB It has only taken about five years!!**

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



# SCHOOL NOTICES



**Ryshard Tapara**

who celebrates his birthday this week!!

## 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.

## YUMMY APPLE STICKER PROMOTION



Start collecting Yummy Apple stickers to assist us in receiving free sports equipment. Collection sheets are available from the school office.

## BOOK CLUB

Book club issue 5 is attached to today's newsletter

Orders need to be **ordered online** - details can be found on the brochures.

**Please do not send cash or cheques to school.**

Orders are open until **Friday 12<sup>th</sup> September**.

If your child did not receive one and you would like a brochure please let me know.

Thank you, Nicola Alcock



## 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.

## SKOOL LOOP APP

Aria School has changed to using the Skool Loop App. Please download this app. If you have any problems with downloading or using the app please contact Nicola in the office.

## HOCKEY RESULTS FROM LAST TERM

### ARIA WILDCATS

22<sup>nd</sup> June played:

TKP Lightning Sticks and we won 6-0

Attacker - Player of the Day:

Hanataua Bodger-Kearns

Defender Player of the Day:

Larni Komene

### ARIA TIGERS

22<sup>nd</sup> June played:

KK Mighty Sticks and it the score was 2-2.

Player of the Day:

Piper Terry

### ARIA LIONS

22<sup>nd</sup> June played:

St Jo's Green and we won 2-0

Player of the Day:

Izaiah Eccles







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27<sup>th</sup> July 2020

Dear Supporter

Thank you very much for supporting this major community fundraiser. The two-day trail ride was a huge success and we appreciated your help.

The money raised will be used in a variety of ways to benefit our community. This year's profit was \$32,000. The school received \$20,000, St Helen's Domain Board \$10,000, Piopio Lions \$500, KC Racing \$500, White Ridge Contracting \$250, A & L Earthworks \$250 and Waikato Scouts \$200. These organisation assisted with organising the event.

Money received by Aria School this year will assist with the funding Teacher Aide hours, minivan hireage, camp fees and swimming lessons.

With your generous support, our community is able to offer and maintain a significant number of amazing facilities and experiences for both children and adults alike.

We are all very fortunate to belong to this community.

Thank-you most sincerely for your generous contribution .

Yours sincerely,

On behalf of the Students, Staff, Board of Trustees, Parents/Caregivers of Aria School, St Helen's Domain Board and the Bike Ride Team.

Monday 27th July 2020

## Tena Koutou Katoa Parents, Caregivers and Community...

### FIRST AID COURSE - TO BE HELD AT ARIA SCHOOL

Aria School is looking at holding a Workbased and Refresher First Aid Training run by Life Care Consultants. We require 10 or more to run this course at Aria.

The First Aid Course will be held at Aria School on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2020.

If you are interested in doing a refresher course (conditions apply) or completing your full workplace first aid training please contact Nicola Alcock in the Aria School Office on (07) 877-7857.

#### Cost per person

\$121.90 (including GST) (Refresher) - 1/2 day

\$209.30 (including GST) (Workbased) - full day

Unit standards can be registered for an additional cost.



### FREE TO A GOOD HOME

Need a Pet for Pet Day  
Baby Female Goat

Contact Amanda 021-136-6606

### ARIA PLAYCENTRE

#### NEXT SESSION

**TUESDAY 28<sup>th</sup> JULY**

**9:30am - 12 midday**

**Upcoming Sessions**  
**Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> August**  
**Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> August**

**New families are always welcome!!**

Any queries please call  
Hannah Bodger-Kearns on 07 877 7898

*"Whanau tupu ngatahi - families working together"*

### ARIA SCHOOL STOCK SCHEME IS RESTARTING IN SPRING

If you are able to graze an animal for us we would be very grateful. If you are interested please call Dani Darke on 8776868. Delivery of calves will be around November.

### FREE EAR CLINIC SERVICE FOR CHILDREN

Glue ear assessment and management,  
wax/foreign body removal, grommet checks and  
treatment of discharging ears

**Te Kuiti Outpatient Department,  
Te Kuiti Hospital**

By Appointment only please call (07) 878-7333.

**Tuesday 4 August**  
**Tuesday 18 August**  
**Tuesday 1 September**  
**Tuesday 15 September**  
**Tuesday 29 September**

All children must be accompanied by parent or  
caregiver

