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WEEK 11 KAWERONGO - NEWSLETTER

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Kia ora koutou,



Safer speeds around our school survey

Tauranga City Council is seeking feedback on a plan to reduce speed limits to 30km/h in the city centre and near schools and some marae to make it easier for people to move around and stay safe.

Some of these reduced speed limits will be in place 24/7, but many will be variable and only apply during peak times such as school drop-off and pick-up times.

Sixteen schools in Tauranga already have variable 40km/h speed limits – these are also proposed to change to 30km/h. It may simply be a single road that runs past the school gate, or a slightly wider area that includes high-use areas.

To find out more about the speed management plan and take the council survey, visit <https://letstalk.tauranga.govt.nz/projects/safer-speeds>. The survey is open until 5pm, Friday 3 May.

As this is the last newsletter for Term One may I wish you a safe and restful holiday break.

Ngā mihi Kind regards

Barrie Wickens

Principal

Important dates:

Friday 12 April - End of Term 1

Monday 29 April - Start of Term 2

Monday 3rd June - King's Birthday (School closed)

Tuesday 4th June - Staff only Day (Closed for instruction)

Friday 28 June - Matariki (School closed)

Tauranga Intermediate Satellite - Sara's Class

Wow what a fun term it's been! Our class has enjoyed lots of fun Physical Education activities including Kayak Day, Hungerball, Argos Gym, swimming, playing tag in the playground and circuits and games in the TIS gymnasium each week.



Tauranga Intermediate - Jolani's Class

Term 1 has been great! We enjoyed the activities on our weekly schedule, including going to the gym, visiting Waipuna park for our community visit, swimming and focusing on our inquiry topic 'all about me.'



TC3 - Harakeke - Margaret's Group

Our SPEC study this term has been about describing ourselves. Our students have been learning to communicate both their first name and their surname, and to describe themselves.

Each student has made a very cool artwork about themselves. These included things they like and don't like, how tall they are, important features they have - along with other information.



TC3 - 'Totara' - Brendon's Class

Term 1 has been full on. We have connected so well and it feels like we've been together forever. Between Sailability, Hungerball, Waiata, Aquafit, volunteering at the library, Special Olympics and Kayak Day we have hardly had a chance to relax.

Our SPEC work has been all about ourselves and where we fit into our families - as always Totara are rocking the technology.

