



Tua Marina School

WEEK 9, TERM 4 - 13 DECEMBER 2024

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Tēnā koutou e te whānau

Friday the 13th and that's almost a wrap!

We are all looking forward our final Assembly and Prizegiving tonight from 6 pm. Because the weather is so warm, we will keep the doors closed with the air-con on until the last moments. It's always sad to say goodbye to our year 8's, leaving families, students and staff at this time of the year but it is also a great time to celebrate their contribution to our place and our culture here at Tua Marina School.

This year, we have seen our learners grab a variety of opportunities by the horns and grow in many ways. We have loved seeing how they have developed new skills, gained knowledge, and built strong relationships with peers, community and teachers alike. We have seen them take on new challenges and overcome obstacles with determination and resilience. We are confident that they will continue to thrive and succeed in the future. We would like to take this opportunity to thank our teachers, staff, coaches and parents for their unwavering support and commitment to our learners. Without their dedication, none of this would be possible. We are grateful for their hard work and the positive impact they have had on our community.

Now it's time for a well earned break for our students and staff alike. We wish everyone a safe and happy festive season with those nearest and dearest. All of us here are getting excited about Monday's water fight and Tuesday morning cleaning before the school shuts at 12:01 pm. Then, we look forward to welcoming you back on the 3rd of February.

Meri Kirihimete me te Hape Nū la, Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

Ngā mihi mahana
Nic Walker
Tumuaki - Principal

Term 4

WEEK 10 16 -	WATERFIGHT	LAST DAY OF TERM 4			
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Term 1, 2025

WEEK 1 03 - 07 FEB				WAITANGI DAY - SCHOOL CLOSED	SCHOOL OPEN
WEEK 2 10 - 14 FEB	COMMUNITY PICNIC	TECH			
WEEK 3 17 - 21 FEB					

Limited spaces now open

*Contact Katie on
0273433921*

Or email

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Guitar



Ti Kōuka



Makomako



Manuka



Rewarewa



Kowhai

Aaron Harrison - Year 7 - 8



LUKE HULSTON
GUEST COACH

TE TOTARA *Summer* CAMP

JANUARY
14-16 **2025**

Setters: 9-10.30am
Spikers/Juniors/Open: 11-3.30pm

**LONGER
SESSIONS**

LEARN DEVELOP GROW



Register Now



MARLBOROUGH DISTRICT COUNCIL

2024 NYE

PICTON FORESHORE

TUESDAY
31 DEC
7 PM –
12:15 AM

Live Music
7pm - Kids Entertainer: Zeelows Show
8pm - Eclectic Fix
10pm - The Relatives
Plus Food Trucks & Ray White Kidzone
Midnight fireworks over the water!
No buses available this year.

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PIRATE ADVENTURE SUMMER READING PROGRAMME

COMING SOON

Keep your eyes peeled for our Summer Reading Programme!
Read books and complete activities to claim your prizes!
Register at the library from 16 December 2024

IT'S FREE!
Open for children aged 5+ years old.



MARLBOROUGH DISTRICT COUNCIL

Christmas PARADE

Saturday 14th December 2024
Blenheim CBD

Pre-Parade Concert: 3pm

Parade: 3:30pm

Santa opens Christmas in the Park: Approx. 5pm

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Registrations are open for 2025!

Would you like to build a device that will pass the "test of time"?
Maybe consider why some things we take for granted are suddenly "banned"?

Do you have the necessary skills to "pitch a perfect yarn"
OR write and perform in a "MUSICAL FOR THE AGES"?

What is TOM?

The TOM focus strongly aligns with that of the NZ curriculum and Te Marautanga o Aotearoa, whereby the program fosters:

- Values of excellence; innovation, inquiry and curiosity; diversity; equity; community and participation; ecological sustainability; and integrity
- Key competencies - thinking; using language, symbols and texts; managing self; relating to others; participating and contributing
- Growing competent and confident learners who are effective communicators in the Maori world

Regional Tournaments

23 AUG 2025

National Final

13 SEP 2025



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TE HERENGA WAKA

For more details



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The Star of Christmas: WIN \$1000 to spend at JB Hi-Fi



– This Christmas morning on Newstalk ZB – it's The Star of Christmas singing competition on The Crazy Kiwi Christmas Kids Show!
The grand prize? \$1000 in JB Hi-Fi gift cards!



– If you can sing, and are under 13, email a recording of yourself singing a Christmas carol to



christmas@newstalkzb.co.nz before the 18th December. Then tune into Newstalk ZB on Christmas morning from 8am to see if you've won!

