



Week 2 Term 1

2018

**Nga mihi nui Pukeokahu Families and Community**  
*from Jan, Carol, Jenna and Paparangi*

**Chengdu School from China:** Is now arriving on Saturday and meeting with school families on Sunday 11th after visiting Gilbert's woolshed at 9am. Thank you, John.

**Papanui Junction and Mangaweka Schools visit:** Friday 16 Feb

**Term Dates and other Holidays:**

Easter: Friday 30 March—Wed 4 April. **NB:** Easter Tuesday 3rd is a holiday too.

End of Term One: Friday 13 April

Term 2 - Mon 30 April—Friday 6 July Queen's B/day: Mon 4 June

Term 3 - Mon 23 July—Friday 28 Sept

Term 4—Monday 15 October to **Friday** 14 December.

Labour Day is Monday 22 October.

**Swimming Lessons in Taihape:**

Monday 12 Feb at **11.30am**. Monday 19, 26 Feb. at **9.30am**

Monday 5, 12, 19 March at **9.30am**

**NB: Mataranga Maori:** Monday 26 Feb at REAP after swimming lessons.

**New Facebook page:** Thank you Kylie Gilbert for setting up a new group on Facebook called [Pukeokahu Community Page](#). Please feel free to join to maintain links with our community.

**Bike Day with Constable Marks:** Wednesday 14 March.

Constable Marks is keen to incorporate practical Maths into the bike safety day. Sounds interesting!

**School Swimming:** Everyday. The wonderful new pool cover is working wonders with the water temperature, so even if the weather is iffy in the morning, still bring your togs.

**Upcoming Events:**

**BOT Meeting:** Thursday 15 Feb  
7.30 pm at the School

**Whole School Rafting:**  
Wed 21 Feb to Friday 23 Feb

**Moawhango Athletics:**  
Friday 2 March

**Horse Trek:** 3 and 4 March at  
Makokomiko Station

**Junior Swimming Sports:**  
Wed 7 March (after welcoming  
ERO) at Mataroa School

**ERO Audit:**  
Wed 7 and Thursday 8 March

**Senior Swimming Sports:**  
**New date to be set**

**Inter-school Swimming:**  
Friday 16 March in Taihape

**Weetbix Tryathlon:**  
Tuesday 20 March In P/North.

**Sports Wanganui:**  
Friday 6 April at School.

**Mataranga Maori:**  
Monday 9 April at REAP

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