



**Week 5 Term 4
2019**

Raetihi Cultural Festival: There has been a change in the timetable and our school (combined with Papanui Junction and Mangaweka) is now performing their much-practised Kapahaka bracket at 11.35 at Raetihi School. If you can, please come along to support our efforts – it is a great showcase of all the local schools' kapakaha

Small Schools Big Day Out: Mataroa has organised a movie, fish and chip lunch and a swim on Monday 9 November (which coincides with our last swimming lesson – a water safety session)

Singing to the Elderly: Chrissie is organising when we will sing to the elderly in Taihape. The date is yet to be confirmed.

Sleepover: The much anticipated sleepover will happen again this year. The only free date left is Thursday 12 December – just before the last day. And Secret Santa returns!! The gift limit is \$5 and names will be given out in December.
(Yet to be arranged is our bike ride to the Lodge.)

Community Christmas Party: Chrissie Mackintosh has been teaching a bracket of songs, ready for the school item at the party – with two surprise songs that the class has written the lyrics for. Exciting!

Stop Press: Thank you, Sue who has been working hard to have the school pool ready for swimming by next week. Please bring togs, towels and goggles every day from Tuesday onwards.

Nga mihi nui from Jan, Carol, Melissa and Steven

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Upcoming Events

Kapahaka Practice and Swim:
Monday 11 and 18 November

Pukeokahu Hall Fundraiser Walk:
15/16 November at Mangaohane

School Photos: Monday 18 Nov
12.15 at the Rec, Taihape. *(in between Kapahaka and swim lessons)* Please wear uniform

Cultural Festival:
Friday 22 Nov at Raetihi School

Enviro Schools Bronze Reflection
Friday 29 November

Papanui Athletics:
Monday 2 December

BoT Meeting:
Tuesday 3 December

Small Schools Big Day Out
Monday 9 December

Sleepover: Thursday 12 December

Last day of term: Friday 13
December at **noon**

Community Christmas Party:
Friday 13 December

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