

# Āria Primary School



## \* Newsletter \*

MONDAY 22<sup>ND</sup> JUNE 2026 - TERM 2, WEEK 10

**Tēnā Koutou Katoa!**  
**Welcome to Week 9**

### PRINCIPAL NEWS

- \* **Orienteering Thank-You...** A BIG thank-you to staff and parents who helped in any way with Friday's Inter-school Orienteering. Over 400 children competed and enjoyed a fine day at last! **It was a very successful day .**

**A special thank-you must go to Wendy Peterson** who has the mammoth task of moving all her stock in the morning, then returning them in the afternoon. We truly appreciate the trouble we cause you Wendy.

**Results will be published by the end of the week.**

- \* **Science Fair - next week...** Monday - Boards displayed. Open for viewing after school until 5.00pm.

- ⇒ Tuesday - 9.30am-12.30pm judging takes place. Open for viewing from 2.00pm until 5.00pm
- ⇒ Wednesday - open for viewing 8.00am -10.30am.
- ⇒ Prizegiving at 10.30am.
- ⇒ Boards go home or displayed in school Library.

- \* **Mid year Reports and Assessment Folders...** These go home on Friday this week.

- \* **Parent Interviews...** Please contact the office or your children's teachers to arrange a suitable time.

- \* **Kapa Haka / Matariki Celebrations...** Our students are working hard for their performance at the hall next Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> June at 11.00am. The performance will be followed by a shared lunch for everyone at school.

- \* **Term Three...** School Production practice for Room 1 students will begin in week 1 of next term. Our two performances will be in week 5 of Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> August and will involve all students.

- \* **Music Festival / Korimako Choir...** The combined Te Kuiti Schools' Music Festival will be held on Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> September at the Les Munro Centre. All Room 1 students will be participating. The Korimako Choir will also start practising in early term 3. These students will perform as a group at the Music Festival and again at a Waikato competition in term 3. If you would like your child to be a member of the Korimako Choir please contact me directly for more information. This choir will practice weekly in Te Kuiti and be tutored by Beth Dalton.

**Have a great week, ngā mihi**  
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**DATES TO REMEMBER**

**Board Meetings 2026**  
Monday 10<sup>th</sup> August 2026  
Monday 14<sup>th</sup> September  
at 6.30pm - all welcome

**Science Fair Prizegiving**  
Held at Āria Hall  
Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> July

**Matariki Celebrations**  
Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> June at 11.00am

**End of Term 2**  
Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> July

**Big Day Out (Working Bee)**  
Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> July

### TERM 3

**First Day of Term 3**  
Monday 20<sup>th</sup> July

**School Photos**  
(Class, Individual & Hockey)  
Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> July

**Piopio Primary Sports Photos**  
(Rippa Rugby, Netball & Football )  
Friday 24<sup>th</sup> July

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

**ABSENT FROM SCHOOL?**

Please notify the office with a reason why:

(07) 877-7857

office@aria.school.nz

2026 Āria Messenger Page

Use the form on the Skool Loop app - this is emailed directly to the office.

Thank you for helping us keep our school community informed!



# Interschool Orienteering

Friday 19th June 2026





# HOCKEY DRAW

FOR MONDAY 22ND JUNE



3.40PM

IN THE 2026 JUNIOR B FINAL

PLAYING FOR 1ST & 2ND



**ARIA TIGERS**

VS

**TKP ROCKET STICKS**



ON FIELD 1 TKHS

3.40PM

PLAYING FOR 3RD & 4TH



**ARIA LEOPARDS**

VS

**ST JOS**



ON FIELD 2 TKHS

4.20PM

IN THE 2026 JUNIOR A FINAL

PLAYING FOR 1ST & 2ND



**ARIA WILDCATS**

VS

**TKP FAST STICKS**



ON FIELD 1 TKHS

**GOOD LUCK** TO ALL TEAMS FOR THE FINAL GAME FOR 2026!!



THANK YOU TO ALL  
★ PLAYERS, COACHES,  
MANAGERS & SUPPORTERS!

## PIOPIO RUGBY CLUB

**MATCH DAY RESULTS 13<sup>TH</sup> JUNE**

	<b>PIOPIO JR RFC U8'S</b>	<b>110 vs 45</b>		<b>PUKENUI U8'S</b>
	<b>PIOPIO JR RFC U9'S</b>	<b>10 vs 80</b>		<b>OJR MAIN ROAD U9'S</b>
	<b>PIOPIO JR RFC U11'S GOLD</b>	<b>85 vs 10</b>		<b>OJR VETORA U11'S</b>
	<b>PIOPIO JR RFC GREEN U11'S</b>	<b>45 vs 50</b>		<b>OJR GOOD GUYS HIRE U11'S</b>
	<b>PIOPIO JR RFC U13</b>	<b>41 vs 45</b>		<b>TAUPO SPORTS VIKINGS U13</b>

**UNDER 8'S**

MAISY THOMAS    ELLIOT CAVE    LOUIE DRAPER

PLAYER OF THE DAY  
PROUDLY SPONSORED BY THE FAT PIGEON CAFE

**UNDER 9'S**

LUCY GORDON    MARLEY LANGLANDS

UNDER 9'S PLAYER OF THE DAY  
PROUDLY SPONSORED BY THE FAT PIGEON CAFE

**UNDER 11'S GREEN**

CASE WILSON    THEA YOUNG

UNDER 11'S GREEN PLAYER OF THE DAY  
PROUDLY SPONSORED BY THE FAT PIGEON CAFE

**UNDER 11'S GOLD**

DALLAS THOMAS    AUSTIN CAVE

UNDER 11'S GOLD PLAYER OF THE DAY  
PROUDLY SPONSORED BY THE FAT PIGEON CAFE

**UNDER 13'S**

AMORANGI BLAKEWAY    CALEIGH MOUAT

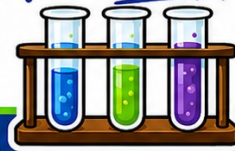
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# A MASSIVE THANK YOU

to **Shoppington in Te Kuiti**

for the donation of 10 AMAZING prizes for our Science and Technology Fair.

*We really appreciate your support!!*



## 2026 BIG DAY OUT

COMMUNITY • CONNECTION • CONTRIBUTION



**THURSDAY 16<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2026, 1.30PM**

*Second Week of the School Holidays*

*Come along and help at this years Working Bees*



ARIA ST  
HELENS DOMAIN



Aria School

Aria St Helens Domain Board

Aria Squash Club

Aria Playcentre



Following the working bees, join us for a meal at the Aria Cosi Club at 6.00pm.



Meat will be supplied by King Country River Care. Please bring a salad to share.

IF YOU ARE ABLE TO HELP, PLEASE CONTACT:



FOR ARIA SCHOOL:

Elle Baron  
027 663 6481



FOR ARIA ST HELENS DOMAIN BOARD:

Mara Nelson (Bidd)  
027 491 9060



FOR ARIA SQUASH CLUB:

Brian Berry  
021 217 0500



FOR ARIA PLAYCENTRE:

Jorge Craig  
027 384 1190

*Many hands make light work - Together we make a difference!*



## JUNIOR SQUASH COACHING



**Term 3**  
**Aria Squash Club**



Registration to  
Layla Benton-Todd: 0211006647

Monday Afternoons  
Starting from 3:30pm  
Session times will be made based on ability  
Come along and try this fast, fun, and exciting sport!  
Racquets & balls provided

TRY IT. PLAY IT. LOVE IT.

Aria Squash, St Helens Domain Aria

# MATARIKI KIDS MOVIE NIGHT

COME CELEBRATE THE MĀORI NEW YEAR WITH US HERE AT THE CLUB!

- FRIDAY 10TH JULY 2026**
- 6:00PM ONWARDS**
- MOVIE PLAYING ON THE BIG SCREEN**
- DINNER BOX - \$10**
- GOODIE BOX - \$5**
- LANTERN LIGHTING IN THE PADDOCK (WEATHER PERMITTING)**  
PLEASE BRING WARM CLOTHING.

**Fun, prizes & good times for the kids!**

**Aria COSMOPOLITAN CLUB**

BRING THE WHOLE WHĀNAU ALONG FOR A FUN-FILLED EVENING AS WE CELEBRATE MATARIKI TOGETHER!

**EVERYONE WELCOME!**

I am grandmother to the Le Feuve children and need to move **URGENTLY** (my landlady needs my home for her daughter and baby).

**HOUSE OR SIMILAR URGENTLY NEEDED**  
In Aria - Piopio area

ANY CONDITION, ANYTHING CONSIDERED

Contact **MARILYN**  
027 424 9401  
07 222 6187  
Many thanks **MARILYN PARK**

## Come and visit us!

Tuesdays, 9.30am - 12pm

A chance to play and meet friends.

**Aria Playcentre**

Barclay Road, right by Aria School  
aria@playcentre.org.nz

## SCHOOL HOLIDAYS Arts & Crafts at SHOPPINGTON

**FREE in-store fun for kids!**

Get creative these holidays!

ANY WEEKDAY THROUGHOUT THE SCHOOL HOLIDAYS 10AM - 2PM SHOPPINGTON TE KUITI

**A FEW QUICK THINGS TO KNOW:**

- Activity takes around 20 mins
- Kids must have a supervising adult
- One activity per child
- Ages 4-14 years | FREE!

FOR MORE INFORMATION: 07 878 6622

**COME CREATE, MAKE & HAVE FUN!**