

Sport - Week 8 Term 3

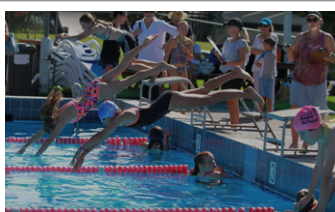
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School Calendar

School Shop

Register and pay for sport activities online.

Jo's Sport Talk

All our TPS winter sports teams have now completed their 2019 season. Congratulations to our year 3 & 4 basketball team, the **TPS Breakers**, who claimed the silver medal in the C grade final last week. It was a close match against Omanu Primary School, and reflected the fantastic season they had, with everyone showing great teamwork, and some impressive defensive skills. Awesome effort TPS Breakers!

TPS entered a team into the WBOP Spring 7s Tournament last week; a girls only 7-a-side tackle rugby tournament. Our **TPS Pink Panthers** did us proud! Most of the girls had never played tackle rugby before, yet were eager to participate in this fast growing Olympic sport. The confidence of these players grew with each game, and they played with commendable courage, respect and a real fighting spirit. Thank you to all the parents who encouraged the girls from the sideline.

The sport notice for Term 4 summer sports teams was made live last week on school shop, and paper copies are available at the school office. The following sports will be available: rippa rugby and quick rip, flippaball, volleyball, cricket, fast football and summer hockey. Registrations must be completed by Monday 23rd September. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me via email on sport@tauranga.school.nz

TPS has sporting opportunities available on the school grounds:

Go Girls Cricket Programme. This is FREE, and will run every Thursday morning starting on 24th October at TPS at 8:00am. This leads up to the girls only cricket tournament in November. Any year 4-6 girls interested in learning more about cricket should jump on this opportunity. Please email me to secure a spot.

Underwater Hockey is available to all year 5 & 6 TPS students. It is FREE and in our school pool! Sessions are on Wednesdays 3:15 – 4:00pm and will commence once the school pool is open. Contact Tom on tsmith@tauranga.school.nz if you are interested.

TPS and Inter-school sports events in term 4

There are many sport events in term 4, with the **WBOP Orienteering Event** and **WBOP Inter-school Tennis Tournament** taking place over the first couple of weeks. If you are interested in participating in either of these, please email me by Monday 23rd September, as entries are due before the end of term 3.

Other Sporting events during term 4 include:

- WBOP Inter-School Orienteering Event - Thursday 17th October - 9:30am - 2:30pm @ McLaren Falls
- WBOP Inter-School Tennis Tournament - Wednesday 23rd October - 9:00am - 2:00pm @ Gordon Spratt Reserve in Papamoa
- Girls Playing Sport Day - Wednesday 30th October - 9:00am - 2:00pm @ Blake Park in Mt Maunganui
- WBOP Boys Cricket Festival - Wednesday 6th November - 9:00am - 2:30pm @ Bay Oval in Mt Maunganui
- TPS Senior and Middle School Athletics - Tuesday 5th November - 9:00am - 3:00pm @ Tauranga Domain
- South Cluster Athletics - Tuesday 12th November - 9:00am - 3:00pm @ Tauranga Domain
- Girls Only 'Super 6' Cricket Tournament - Thursday 21st November @ 9:00am - 2:30pm @ Bay Oval in Mt Maunganui
- WBOP Athletics - Wednesday 27th November - 9:00am - 3:00pm @ Tauranga Domain

We require parental support at all of these school events. Please contact me if you can help out in anyway via email on sports@tauranga.school.nz

Upcoming TPS and Inter-school Sport Events in Term 3

- South Cluster Speech Competition - Thursday 12th September @ TPS
- Te Puke Primary School / TPS Sports Exchange - Friday 20th September @ QEYC and Memorial Park (sausage sizzle orders to be made via school shop)
- WBOP Speech Competition - Tuesday 24th September @ Omokoroa No1 School

It is our turn to host the Te Puke Primary School / TPS sports exchange this year. We will require **parental assistance** on the day to lead the teams around the activities from 9:30am to 2:00pm. Thank you to those who have already offered to help, we do however require more assistance. If you are able to help out on this day, please email Jo Taele:

sport@tauranga.school.nz

We also require **golf balls** to use in one of the activities. If anyone has old golf balls at home that they are willing to donate, please drop them off at the school office.

School P.E. tops, Sport Uniforms and Equipment

A reminder that any school PE tops, netball dresses, basketball singlets or sports equipment, that you have borrowed, must be returned to the school office by Friday 20th September.

Please note that the PE tops can be purchased from the office for \$26.50.

Coaching Opportunities

"Mental Skills through Powerful Conversation" is a seminar lead by Zane Winslade from Flow Sport and Dave Clarke from Sport BOP. Discover the confidence to have powerful conversations with athletes around the mental game. The seminar is on Wednesday 18th September at Toi Ohomai at 6:00pm. To register email davec@sportbop.co.nz

Outside of School Sport Opportunities

Local **T-Ball and Softball** leagues start on Saturday 19th October 2019 and run through to Saturday 21st March 2020, with a break during the school holidays. T-Ball is offered to the under 8s, and softball for under 10s and under 13s. All games are played from 9am onwards at the Carlton St Reserve in Otumoetai. There are some 'Have a Go Days' coming up on Saturday 14th September 10:00am-12:00pm and Saturday 5th October 9:00am-11:00am. For further information email juniorsoftballwbop@gmail.com or check out the WBOP Softball Face Book page.

Tauranga City Basketball Navigators Programmes are weekly coaching sessions led by experienced coaches. Basic fundamentals are taught through fun activities and drills. No experience is needed, and there are separate days for under 7s up to under 13s. If you are interested in the Navigators programme either look on www.taurangacitybasketball.co.nz/regsiter or email dev.admin@taurangacitybasketball.co.nz

Floorball is taking place on Thursdays 4:00pm - 4:45pm during Term 3, at the Trustpower Arena. Floorball is a cross between ice hockey and indoor hockey, it is easy to learn, has minimal rules and is lots of fun. You can enter as an individual. For more information email shane.gillum@bayvenues.co.nz

Registration for the **Weetbix Tryathlon** is now open. The event is on Sunday 24th November 2019 at Arataki Park in Mt Maunganui. I have created a 'school group' for all TPS students to enter with. Please follow the link below if you would like to register your child in the TPS school group.

<https://www.registernow.com.au/secure/Register.aspx?E=35568&G=99632>

Finally, I am located in the school office block during the hours below, otherwise email is a reliable source of contact.

My office hours:

- Monday 11:00am - 3:00pm
- Tuesday and Wednesday 11:30am - 3:00pm
- Thursday 9:00am -3:00pm

Jo Taele

sport@tauranga.school.nz



**TPS PINK
PANTHERS girls
7s rugby team**



**TPS BREAKERS
silver medalists
in the C grade
competition**



**Congratulations
to our TPS Year
5 and 6 Speech
finalists**

Ka pai to Estelle, A.J.,
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For info contact Maree on 021 2454845 or 07 5710597

E-mail: tauranga@schools-out.co.nz

Or check out our website www.schools-out.co.nz

Sport Photos

Miki from Drops Photography will be going around our school, and the various sporting venues, photographing our winter sports teams. These photos are available to view and purchase on the FaceBook page 'TPS School Events Photos by Drops Photography'.

Follow the link <https://www.facebook.com/groups/dropsphotoandtps/>

Any enquiries please contact Miki via email on dropsphotography@gmail.com



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Classes in school hall every Monday after school 3:05pm - 4:05pm, for beginner and advanced students to develop their skills and knowledge. You can book online at <http://www.thegymnasticacademy.com> or contact Marie 0211705426

Bike Maintenance

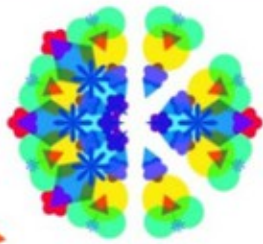
Should your child's bike (or your bike!) need repairs, upgrades or servicing, we can recommend our new school partner, Bike Garage (formerly know as Rocket Bikes) at 633 Cameron Road. Their experienced and friendly bike mechanics will be able to assist you and they are offering a service rebate to our school if you mention our name in store.

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