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End Date: **Primary, intermediate and special schools**, no later than Friday 18 December. **Secondary and composite**, no later than Wednesday 16 December.

To confirm your school dates, please contact your school to check

Pamapurua School– 09 408 4294

Oturu School- 09 408 2050

Te Kura Kaupapa Maori O te Rangi Aniwaniwa 09 406 7677

Te Kura Kaupapa Maori O Pukemiro 09 408 4858

Kaitaia Collage – 09 408 0190

Kaitaia Intermediate School 09 408 1490

Kaitaia Primary School– 09 4080228

Kaitaia Abundant Life School 09 4082671

Pompallier Catholic School 09 408 2650

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Pukepoto School– 09 4094557

Herekino School– 09 409 3834

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Te Hapua School– 09 409 7805

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Ngataki School– 09 409 8871

Waiharara School– 09 4068830

Paparore School– 09 4067360

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Upcoming events

6 - 11 FEB

Silent IAM Breathing Method Retreat

A breathing meditation and cold therapy retreat led by trained teachers. \$50 registration/ administrative fee plus donation/ koha (in range \$200-\$700) for retreat, teaching, meals and accommodation. Held at the Tushita Hermitage, 1334 Oruru Road, Peria, Northland.

7-8 FEB

Kaitiaia Aero Club OPEN DAY:

The Famous Catalina is coming to Kaitiaia, will be doing introduction flights from \$99 in the club plane. Clubrooms are open for sausage sizzle and soft drinks. More info contact Paul on 408 0146 or kaitiaipaul@gmail.com

WED 12 FEB

Taipa Area School Year 7 & 8

Netball Muster: Are you interested in playing netball this year, held at Taipa area school from 3.30-5pm, all welcome.

FRI 14 FEB

Valentine's Day

14-22 FEB

Resonance Tour: Enjoy an evening of entertainment from local musicians, join them on the 14th at Pukenui Pacific & on the 20th at Mussel Rock Kaitiaia. For more info visit JONPIRINI.COM

14-15 FEB

Mainstream Reel Ladies 2020:

Hosted by the Bay Of Island Swordfish Inc. The dress up theme for the 2020 event is "The Swinging 60's". Major prizes up for grabs. Begins 14th at 4pm and ends 15th at 7pm.

Marian Andrew Memorial Ladies Fishing Competition:

Weigh in daily from 3pm - 5pm. Members \$40, non members \$60.

Prize giving Saturday 7pm, Houhora Big Game & Sports fishing club. Tickets available at Houhora 4 square and Liquor store.

SAT 15 FEB

Ironmahue: Start practicing your swimming and running! This annual event will be held at the usual location Mahinepua Bay, Kaeo from 7.30am to 1pm. Nau mai haere mai.

SUN 16 FEB

Far North Summer Sounds: Bring the whanau for an entertaining afternoon of super-cool music, scrummy food and family fun at Kainui Vineyard, Kerikeri. Entry is koha dona-

SAT 1 FEB

Puketi Kauri Challenge: The annual challenge, is happening again. Join us on a 12km or 21km walk through the beautiful Puketi Forest. Entry \$50 donation.

The Far North Branch of NZ Society of Genealogists:

It's All Day DNA! with world-renowned guest speaker Michelle Patient (aka The Patient Genie). Morning for beginners and afternoon for more experienced DNA researchers. Starts 9.30am, \$5 entry. Far North REAP, 33 Puckey Ave, Kaitiaia. Tea & coffee supplied, BYO lunch. To book your place email farnorth@genealogy.org.nz or text 0272750567.

MON 3 FEB

5G Info/People power with Environmental lawyer Sue Grey:

Held at Far North REAP 33 Puckey Ave, The Kauri Room, 5.30 to 8pm.

O TE MOTU: For the week we will have the gallery full of art created by tangata whenua. 10am powhiri to open the day. Offering poi making, weaving and art workshops.

Come and join us for fun, love and laughter. For more information visit <https://www.facebook.com/events/1157971281210156/>

WED 5 FEB

HIIT BOOTCAMP @

FIT4LIFENZ: 6 weeks, 40 min HIIT bootcamp incorporating strength, agility and cardiovascular fitness. Suitable for all age groups. Spaces limited, registrations essential. Starts 9am, 21 Midgley Rd, Mangonui.

THUR 6 FEB

Public Holiday: Waitangi Day

6 - 8 FEB

Taipa Tavern 2020 Marlin Classic:

\$10,000 Prize pool. All Anglers must be NZSFC club members. Entry Fee \$50.00 per angler. Tickets available till 5th February 2020. Reel Rods @ Taipa and Karikari Outlets (027 4861019) Taipa Tavern (09 406 075)

6 - 9 FEB

Dimension: Dimension is a four day electronic music and arts festival held in 1207 Waimatenui East Road, Northland. For more information visit www.dimension.nz

tion for adults and FREE for kids!
For more information:
www.befreeplaymusic.wordpress.com/far-north-summer-sounds-2020/

21-28 FEB

Elevate: 7 night wellness retreat:
All about physical and mental well-being. 7 days and nights of pure nurturing the mind and the body. To purchase a ticket visit www.3minds.co.nz

22-23 FEB

Small Boats Tournament 2020:
Entry forms are available on our club website: www.swordfish.co.nz/tournaments-events/ or contact our office.

25 & 28 FEB:

The Incredible Years Parenting Programme – Ngā Tau Mīharo o Aotearoa. Positive parenting strategies to improve behaviours and strengthen whānau relationships – kai provided, prize draws and travel assistance available. A whānau friendly environment! Starting Tuesday 25th or Friday 28th February 2020, 10am-12:30pm for 14 weeks. (Whānau can attend on either the Tuesday or Friday programme). Contact Medadane Kipa 027 550 6788

SAT 29 FEB

2020 Kaitaia Darts Competition:
Corporate tables \$600- seat 10 or outer tables \$400- seat 10. Held at Te Ahu Centre from 1pm through till 8pm. To purchase tickets go online to www.kaitaiaboxingclub.co.nz or contact Shirley Williams 021 027 89896

Te Kau o Papa Womens Retreat:
Nau mai haere mai wahine ma. A time to relax and unwind, to be pampered, nurtured and supported. Womens Retreat by House of Rehua is a 2 day retreat set on the beautiful beachfront of Coopers Beach. Begins Sat 29 Feb from 6am and ends Sun 1 Mar 4.30pm. For any queries regarding your booking please contact us via [FB Messenger \(House of Rehua\)](https://www.facebook.com/houseofrehua)

Regular Events

Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting: If you want to drink, that's your business. If you'd like to stop, we can help. Fridays 7 pm at the Community House, Puckey Avenue. Ph 0800 AA Works, for more information
At a Stroke Art Group: Meets weekly on Fridays, except during school holidays, on Fridays at 10.30am to 1pm.

Supported by the Stroke Foundation New Zealand. Phone Jen on 0210588890.

Parent support group for

Autism: Held the first Friday of every month at the new Ministry of Education building, 2-12 Commerce St, Kaitaia. 10am-12pm. Contact Uschi 408-6937 or 021-240-6616.

Nga Rau Aroha: Kaumatua & Kuia active programme held every Mondays. For more information contact Josie Brown on 408 2372.

Tuesday Night Markets: 5.30- 8pm weekly. Next to Mangonui Hotel. Produce, food, craft and Live Music. Contact Linley, 0274846791 or linley.main1904@gmail.com.

ZUMBA: Every Mondays @ Taipa Scout Hall 6-7pm. First class free! For more information visit www.facebook.com/groups/far_north_zumba.

Plunket Te Roopu Arahina: Grandparents raising grandchildren coffee group held every Thursday's starting 6th February, 11am-1pm Please bring a plate for shared lunch. Contact Anna 027-579-1143, anna.anderson@plunket.org.nz

Repeco Caffeine n Classics: Get together every 3rd Sunday of the month at the Ramada Taipa Bay Resort for brunch, from 10am- 12.30pm.

Parkinson's Support meetings: Held every two months beginning Tues 18th Feb at the Hope Christian Centre, Commerce St Kaitaia. 11am, lunch at the Hope Centre. Contact Vicki Sadgrove 09 4376876.

Sight Impairment Group Kaitaia: Meets the last Wednesday of the month. People able to come and talk about everyday problems, held at Te Ahu Centre. Contact David Senior 021 178 8370.

Far North Summer Track Series: Held every Saturdays at the Kaitaia College Athletics Track from 9-10am, begins 8th Feb. For more info visit www.facebook.com/kaitaiarunningcoach

Lego Builders Club: Calling all Lego Lovers held every Friday, Kaitaia Library from 3.30-4.40pm FREE to all.

Mareikura Strengthening Womens Group: Held every Thursdays at the St Saviours Church Hall from 10am-12.30pm, started 16th Jan. Contact Roberta Kaio or Karen Brown on 408 4024.

Cancer Support Group: Free service held every Tuesdays in Feb from 10am-12pm at these locations. 4th Pukenui St Johns, 11th Ahipara Te Whare Manaaki, 18th Doubtless Bay St Johns & 25th Te Hiku Hauora. Contact Marama Brown 021 541 135 or Moira Rogers 021 421 173.

Te Oranga Pumau– Heart & Diabetes Health Education Workshops: Free service held every Wednesdays



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Whare Timatanga Hou Ora

Inc: Womens Refuge support & education programme ki te ao o te Marama. Ph 094082946 or 0800733843 held every Wednesday 10am-2pm lunch provided, starting 29th January.

Alzheimers Northland Carer Support Group

Held on the second Wednesday of every month starting 12th Feb. Hope Christian Centre, 236 Commerce St, Kaitaia. 10am-12pm Ph 408-1123 or 0274427258.

SAVE THE DATES

7 MAR: Te Houtaewa Challenge, Te Oneroa-a-Tohe (90 Mile Beach Race) .

- Nga Purapura 2020

14 MAR: Annual Mangonui Water front Festival.

15 MAR: KSF Novice Powerlifting Event

16 MAR: TINA Simply The Best/ NZ 2020

17-21 MAR: Ngai Takoto 90 Mile Beach Snapper Bonanza Surfcasting Competition (Waipapakauri HQ).

20 MAR: Colour Kaitaia

31 MAR: Risky Business The Art of Assessing Suicide Risk and Imminent Danger Kaitaia.

- Annual One Base fishing comp



Home Interaction Programme
for Parents and Youngsters
Learning to learn together

HIPPY stands for Home Interaction Programme for Parents and Youngsters and is run by Te Rarawa in the Kaitaia area.

It is open to anyone with tamariki aged three to four, who would like to give them the skills for a successful start at school and throughout their education.

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For more information or to register contact
tsclartosail@gmail.com

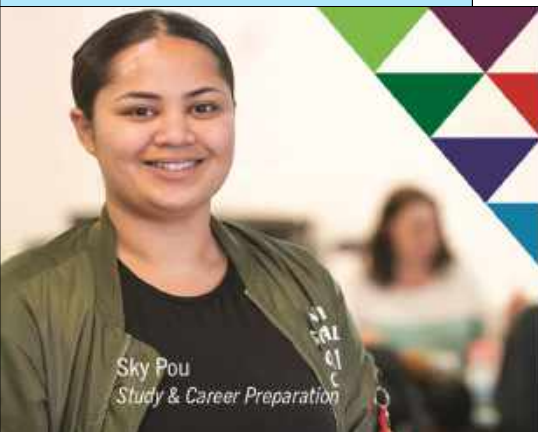
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STUDY LOCAL

Oxford Street, Kaitaia. Phone: 09 408 6117
www.northtec.ac.nz



BPW Kaitaia

Meet monthly at Dinner Meetings on **the third Tuesday of each month**, February to November.

Venue: **Orana** - Time: 5.30 pm - Cost: **\$30**

Bookings: Phone Pam - 0211621492 or 4080556

Contact us: Email: bpwkaitaia1987@gmail.com

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/198389144041387/>

Website: <https://www.bpwnz.org.nz/club/bpw-kaitaia/>



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