



18 March 2020

To all Parents and Caregivers,

Due to the constantly evolving situation with the COVID-19 virus, the Board of Trustees has decided that all school camps in Term 1 will be cancelled.

Ultimately this was an easy decision to make as the health and wellbeing of the children, parents and our wider community is paramount. This will be disappointing for the children and staff and we will look to reschedule camps to later in the year.

For those attending the Totara Springs camp, it is unlikely that we will be able to reschedule at the same venue owing to its popularity and alternative venues may be sought. We will hold any camp payments in credit on your child's account until we see if the camp can be rescheduled. We will keep you updated.

We believe that this is the right decision to make at this time and means that Ohope Beach School is playing its part in reducing the spread of this virus and we thank you for your understanding.

Yours sincerely,
Ben Gibson
Chair
Ohope Beach School Board of Trustees