

Waihi East Primary School Newsletter Term 1 Week 8 28 March 2019



### **UPCOMING DATES**

Netball starts. 3.30pm. Apr 2 Apr 5 Gumboot Friday. Apr 10 WBOP Swimming. Apr 12 Last day of term 1. Apr 29 First day of term 2 2019. May 3 Photolife Class & individual photo day. May 24 Board of Trustee Nominations Close. 29 May Board of Trustee Voting papers sent out.

Board of Trustee Election Day.

Jun 7



## WEEKLY NOTICES AND REMINDERS

# WELCOME TO OUR NEW FAMILIES! NAU MAI, HAERE MAI WELCOME

We would like to warmly welcome our newest students and their whanau.

Rynae MB—Room 1

Maia G—Discovery Centre

Ella W—Discovery Centre

#### PB4L

You know your child best! We'd love to have you have you share with us the things that work to support them, the things that work to help them do the right thing, and the things you love to do to celebrate your whanau growing together positively! Feel free to touch base with your teacher or email rcoll@east.school.nz bfrew@east.school.nz

#### SIGN IN/OUT

Please remember to sign in and out at the office if you are intending to stay at school during the school day.

Also if your child is late or if you are picking up early there is a sign in book for the students as well.

#### PARENT WORKSHOP on DIGITAL LEARNING

Come along to our informal workshop looking at all of the different ways we use ICT (iPads and Chromebooks) in our learning at school.

We will also cover aspects of digital safety at school and how we use monitoring tools such as Hapara. MONDAY 1st April. 3.30pm– 4.30pm.in Room 1. Please RSVP to rcoll@east.school.nz, text 021555542 or let Sharon know in the office.

#### **CAMP PAYMENTS**

There are still a few camp payments outstanding. If you would like to pay this off at \$10 a week you are more than welcome. Account number for direct deposits is 031575 0042679-01. Please use surname and CAMP in the reference fields.

#### **FUNDRAISING CHOCOLATES**

Thanks to all those who have agreed to take a box of fundraising chocolates. Please return your \$\$\$ or if you are having trouble selling, any unsold bars to school.

A HUGE THANK YOU to Sabrina and Blake who have sold 14 boxes!!!! Awesome effort!

#### **BOT ELECTIONS**

Elections for the Board of Trustees is coming up later in the year. Please make sure your address is up to date so your voting papers go to the correct address. See the office with your updated details or email office@east.school.nz. Thanks

#### **GUMBOOT FRIDAY**

Gumboot Friday: a fun way for kiwis to join the mental health conversation, and raise money for FREE & timely counselling for our kids.

#### Friday 5th April

A flyer is attached to this newsletter explaining GUMBOOT DAY.

#### **PAYMENTS**

We realise that money can be a wee bit tight at this time of year. To make the start of year slightly easier, the administration team can help you set up an automatic payment. Our bank account number for all payments is 03 1575 0042679-01. Eft-pos is also available.

#### **PHOTOLIFE**

Photolife Studios will be at our school on Friday May 3rd (Week One Term Two)
This year we are moving to online orders. This means that every child in the school will get their individual photo taken . After photo day each child will receive a code for online ordering.

Sibling photo requests will be available at the office as usual.

#### **COUNCIL PARKING NOTICE**

Those intending to park on grassed road berms please be considerate of the adjacent land owners who are expected to mow their berm area. For example, if parking is creating muddy, deep ruts in the grassed berm please consider parking elsewhere.

Please note this is not a request to stop the public parking on the roadside. As long as vehicles are parked legally, not causing undue nuisance, safety issues or damage to the berm it shouldn't be of concern. This notice is more to ask people to please take pride in their streets, be good community citizens and ensure the berms in front of your neighbours properties are kept tidy.



#### FUNDRAISER FOR KATE (Kindy teacher)

We have an order form in the staff room for Stainless Steel clothes pegs. See community notices for more info. This is a fundraiser for Kate Mullaney who is the head teacher at the kindy next door to us. If you would like to order some stainless steel pegs just pop in to the office.

In response quote reference: 2551197

20 March 2019



HAURAKI DISTRICT COUNCIL

· FROM THE MAYOR'S OFFICE ·

The Principal Waihi East School P O Box 129 WAIHI 3641

Dear Zac

#### Climate Change Letter

I would like to thank your students for taking the time to present their card to me, and join the group march last Friday 15 March.

It is pleasing to see our young ones are so interested in doing what they can to raise awareness of climate change, and keen to work towards a better future. The large number of students from the many schools of Waihi demonstrated how important climate change is for our future.

Could you please pass on my thanks to your students.

Yours sincerely

J P Tregidga, MNZM JP

Mayor

# SURF N TURF PHOTOS

















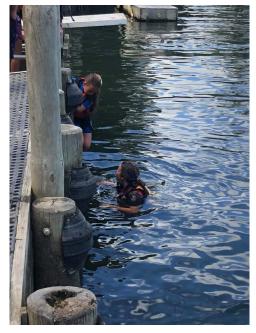






























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Office; office@east.school.nz

Every year at Waihi College, we have the awesome privilege of welcoming new international students to our beautiful region from all over the globe. We are currently looking to recruit new host families to join our team. If you are interested in hosting students (either long-term or short-term) or you would like more information, please contact:

#### **Lisa North**

E-mail: <u>lisan@waihicol.school.nz</u>

Phone: 027 351 2436

NOTE: You will receive weekly payments for host-

ing



## **Future of Education**

Public meeting



Hon Nikki Kaye

MP for Auckland Central and Opposition
Spokesperson for Education and
Sport and Recreation



Hon Scott Simpson
MP for Coromandel and Opposition
spokesperson for the Environment
and Workplace Relations

### Thursday 28 March, 5.30pm

Grahamstown Hall, 768 Pollen Street, Thames

Come discuss the future of our education system. You'll be able to raise general education issues with a focus on proposals from the Government's "Tomorrow's Schools Review Taskforce". We've raised some serious concerns about the proposals which, in our view, could transfer power away from parents to officials. We want everyone to have access to information about the proposals. It's an opportunity for us to hear from you and ensure your views are shared.



## **FOUND** (Last Year)

1 x pounamu 1 x large turquoise ring.

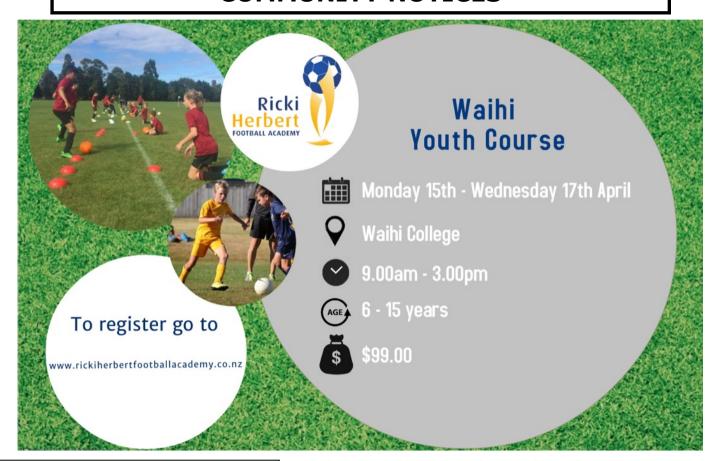


See the office if you lost your pounamu last year.

#### Edventure Outdoors-School Holiday Camp

Based in Pauanui with pick up points throughout Waikato. We will be surfing, snorkelling, Hot Water beach & Cathedral cove, fishing, tramping and much more. Our camps aim to teach kids about bush and water safety through immersing them in high interest activities with qualified and experienced staff. April 15th - 18th, OSCAR available, \$425, 8-14 yr olds, book at www.edventure.co.nz

#### **COMMUNITY NOTICES**



## THEATRE CATS SPEECH AND DRAMA PRODUCTION CLASS

Theatre Cats Speech and Drama Production Class for children in years 5 and 6. If you enjoy acting...then this is the drama group for you! Rehearsals begin on Friday for the entertaining dramatized version of The Twits by Roald Dahl. Rehearsal time:3.15-4.15pm in the library at Waihi East School. There will be public performances for families and friends towards the end of the year. Costume/props will be provided for all characters. Cost per term is \$80.00 (8 sessions per term.) There will be no rehearsal

during camp week. Contact speech and drama teacher Sandra Tim-

lin.Phone:8633387 or Theatre Cats Speech and Drama on FB.



## FREE EAR CLINIC SERIVICE FOR CHILDREN

The caravan will be at Waihi Central School, Moresby Avenue on Wednesday 10th April 2019. 9.45—2pm. Visit the ear nurse for advice on Glue ear assessment and management, Wax/foreign body removal, Grommet checks and treatment of discharging ears. All children must be accompanied by a caregiver. For enquiries regarding this service please contact 07 838 3565.

## Stainless Steel Clothes Peg Fundraiser

Bento Ninja offers hassle free fundraising opportunity with environmentally friendly stainless steel clothes pegs, stainless steel sporks and waste & plastic free lunchboxes, for environmentally conscious schools and organizations.





#### STANDARD SIZE PEGS \$20

6cm x 1.5 cm, 1.8mm wire diameter Stainless steel 304 20 pegs in a reusable cotton cloth bag

\*\* If you live within 500m of the sea, we recommend MARINE GRADE pegs.

#### MARINE GRADE PEGS \$28

5.9cm x 1.5cm, 2mm wire diameter Stainless steel 316 20 pegs in a reusable cotton cloth bag MARINE GRADE pegs are made to last forever.

This is the grade recommended to use if you live within 500m from the sea. They will NOT get rusty under the harsh condition.



Unlike plastic pegs, Bento Ninja's stainless steel pegs are indestructible, rust resistant and will never get moldy or break apart

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### Kiwikidz Educare Waihi

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863-6466

info@kiwikidzeducare.co.nz

HOUSE NEED WASHING? ROOF NEED CLEANING? GUTTERS NEED CLEARING? PESTS A PROBLEM?



Dave Brewer 0800 002 816

# Waihi Health Centre



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