



Waihi East Primary School Newsletter Term 4 Week 3 29 October 2020



	UPCOMING DATES
Nov 2	East School Ag Day.
Nov 4	Waihi Cluster Athletics. Yr. 5/6.
Nov 5	Year 6 College Visit. 8.30am-11.20.
Nov 5	Year 6 College Parent Information Evening. 5.15pm-6.15pm.
Nov 7	Car Boot Sale Fundraiser. Held at Waihi Baptist Church.
Nov 9	Tennis Coaching at School.
Nov 10	Tennis Coaching at School.
Nov 10	Best Start Programme. 9.30am.
Nov 11	Armistice Day. Kotuku. 10am.
Nov 11	Girls Rugby Day.
Nov 13	Waihi College Te Kakano Information Evening.
Nov 17	North Cluster Athletics at Bethlehem College.
Nov 20	Tapuwae tournament.
Nov 24	Best Start Programme. 11.30am.
Nov 25	WBOP Athletics. Tauranga Domain.
Nov 27	KapaHaka Beach Trip.
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Dec 4	Piwakawaka End of Year Beach Trip.
Dec 4	KapaHaka Performance at Waihi College. Yr. 4-6. 4-6pm.
Dec 11	Year 6 Waimarino Trip.
Dec 11	Piwakawaka End of Year Party at School. Pool Party.
Dec 16	Prizegiving.
Dec 18 2021	Last day Term 4. 1pm close.
Feb 5	Waihi College Powhiri for Year 7s.

WEEKLY NOTICES AND REMINDERS

Kia Ora Whanau,

What a stunning day Athletics turned out to be! Big thanks to our teachers who organise such great days, and also to the children, who strove to do their best, and for the most part, were awesome sports people, who shone our values proudly.

Congratulations to our EPRO 8 teams - who are off to Rotorua to the Grand Final! Woohoo! We can't wait to hear how you get on. Big thanks to Mr Derham, for leading this awesome opportunity, and to family who transport us all around the country! We wish you all the best Andre, Kayla, Anna, Aaliyah, Isabelle, Leah, Kylia and Alexis-Jo!

Congratulations to our chess competitors - who were in a virtual online National tournament over Labour weekend. After overcoming some technical difficulties, which we can thank Ms Maunder for, all lads did very well! Extra congratulations to Truman who placed 11th!!

Lastly, thanks to Michelle for organising our bikes to be repaired and made fabulously new! Jason, our bike specialist was amazing to work with.

Next week, we have our year 6 children going to visit college, as we start the transition and help our young superstars ready themselves for college. If you have any questions or concerns about your children embarking on their next adventure - please come and chat with us, we would love to be of help.

Have a most wonderful weekend.

Nga mihi Briar

WAIHI INTERSCHOOL ATHLETICS DAY

Interschool athletics will be held at Waihi College next Wednesday November 4. All Year 5 & 6 students who finished in the top 3 in each event have qualified to go to the cluster event. Transport and parent help will be needed. Permission forms will be sent home to be signed and returned to school.

AGRICULTURAL DAY

East School is holding our Agricultural day on Monday 2 November. We will be having calves, lambs and goats at school in the morning.

Starts 10 am.

WAIIH COLLEGE VISIT FOR YEAR 6 STUDENTS

Next Thursday 5 November 9am-11-20am our Year 6 students will be visiting Waihi College. A bus will pick students and staff up from Waihi East School at 8.40am to transport them to Waihi College Gymnasium, and return them after the visit approximately 11.30am. Please be at school at 8.30am.

PARENT INFORMATION EVENING

Waihi College is holding a parent information evening also on Thursday November 5. 5.15pm – 6.15pm.. Meet at Te Arawa Waka.

TE KAKANO INFORMATION HUI

Friday 13th November 9.30am-11.30am Waihi Community Marae.

Bank Account details for any and all online payments . Please use your surname as a reference.

020472 0084492-00

ABSENTEE NOTIFICATION

Just a reminder that you can send your absentee notification by text to the school cell phone. **02102584817**

LOCKDOWN DRILL

We will be holding a lockdown drill at school next week. Please have a chat with your child about this drill.

ATTENDANCE MATTERS ATTEND TODAY ACHIEVE TOMORROW!

Always inform the school office if your child is absent due to illness. If they are anxious about going to school talk to your child's teacher.

DON'T LET THE DAYS ADD UP

1 or 2 days each week doesn't seem like much but...

When your child misses	that equals	which is	over 13 years of schooling	which means the best level your child can perform at is		
1 day a fortnight	20 days per year	4 weeks per year	nearly 1 1/2 years	Your child Other children		equal to finishing in Year 11
1 day each week	40 days per year	8 weeks per year	over 2 1/2 years	Your child Other children		equal to finishing in Year 10
2 days each week	60 days per year	16 weeks per year	over 5 years	Your child Other children		equal to finishing in Year 7
3 days each week	120 days per year	24 weeks per year	nearly 8 years	Your child Other children		equal to finishing in Year 4

ATTEND + ACHIEVE = SUCCESS

JUICIE FUNDRAISER

Piwakawaka will be selling Juicies every Monday as part of our student fundraising for Term 4. As there will be no gala, this is one of our main fundraisers. We are asking each Piwakawaka whanau to donate a box of Juicies, if you are able. Your help is very much appreciated, thank you.

The Piwakawaka Team.

CAMP PAYMENTS

There are still a lot of camp payments outstanding. Year 5 & 6 senior camp is \$70 and Year 3 & 4 surf n turf is \$50. This can be paid off with weekly payments if you wish. Invoices have been sent again to those with outstanding camp fees. Automatic payments can be set up to the school account 020472 0084492-00































CAR BOOT SALE

SCHOOL FUNDRAISER - 2020

When: 7th November, 8am - 12pm. Where: Waihi Baptist Church Car park.

Who: All welcome to bring and sell your wares \$10 per car.



Sausage Sizzle Pre-sold Haircuts **Bouncy Castle Baking Stall** Raffles and more!

To book your spot email lbellamy@east.school.nz

Car Boot Sale fundraiser at Waihi Baptist Church on 7th November. Check out the letter requesting donations sent home today along with the information flier. If you'd like to book a car boot spot please email Leann at Ibellamy@east.school.nz We would greatly appreciate any donations and your support on the

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1 x watch found last term in the playground.

Please see the office.





COMMUNITY NOTICES





Free Family Event at Waihi Baptist Church Saturday 31st Oct 4pm–7pm

a Positive Alternative to Halloween Fun for the whole family

Free Admission

Laser Strike/Bouncy Castles

Face Painting/Boxing/Games

Café and lots more

Come along in fun dress and prizes for best dressed



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