



WAIHI EAST SCHOOL
TE KURA RAWHITI O WAIHI



Waihi East Primary School Newsletter
Term 4 **Week 4**
7 November 2019



UPCOMING DATES

- Nov 8 East School Athletics. 9am-2.30pm.
- Nov 9 Car Boot Sale. Back Field. Gates open 8am. Sales from 8.30am.
- Nov 12 Waihi Cluster Athletics.
- Nov 13 Year 6 College Tour. 9am – 11.30am.
Best Start. 9.30am—11.30am.
College Parent Information Evening. 5.15—6.15pm.
- Nov 14 Waihi Cluster Athletics. Postponement day.
- Nov 15 Principal's Assembly. 2pm.
- Nov 20 North Cluster Athletics.
- Nov 21 Celebration assembly. Room 1 & Discovery Centre. 2pm.
- Nov 29 Year 6 Waimarino Trip.
- Nov 29 College Enrolment Form Due.
- Dec 4 Celebration Assembly. Rooms 3, 4 & 9.
- Dec 5 Twilight Market.
- Dec 7 Santa Parade.
- Dec 18 Prizegiving. 11am.

WELCOME TO OUR NEW FAMILIES!
NAU MAI, HAERE MAI

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

Solita — Discovery Centre

WEEKLY NOTICES AND REMINDERS

Haere Mai

We are excited to be teaching and talking about Manaakitanga (caring) in the classroom over the next few weeks. You may like to talk about what this means for your family.

Come for a walk around school, and check out our new signage!! Our values are up bright and bold for all to see and talk about. A fabulous visual reminder to our children about who we are in this space, and what we embody. I have loved popping into classrooms and the playground hearing the children using our values language, and I was thrilled this week, when Julie from the Ministry of Education, commented that our littlest people knew what our values are and what they mean! How cool it that!! Good work whanau and teachers!

It will be great to see as many of you as can come, on Friday at our athletics day. Come and cheer our children on and encourage them to try their best! Please ensure your child has their hat and a big drink bottle that day.

The weather is warming up - if your child doesn't have a hat, or forgets it, they will be invited to play under the sheltered areas of the school. All classrooms will provide sunscreen, so please do let the teachers know if your child is allergic, and provide their correct one, named in their bags - thanks! On that note, the pool is due to be cleaned and filled up! We are hoping to be swimming before the end of the term - phew that will be a wonderful relief for many on our hot afternoons coming.

Have a wonderful weekend coming, and see you on the Athletics field (Friday)

Nga mihi

ATHLETICS DAY TOMORROW

Athletics in this Friday!! Starting at 9am. If you are a parent helper our theme is SPARKLE!! So come wearing your sparkles. Helpers are till needed to make the day run smoothly.

A timetable has gone home today with this newsletter.

LOCK DOWN DRILL

A LOCK DOWN drill will be happening next week. It will be a drill to ensure children and staff know what to expect and do in the event of requiring a Lock Down.

Please talk with your child about this. At school, if a lockdown occurs, we have set procedures to follow to ensure everyone's safety.

BEST START PROGRAMME FOR NEW ENTRANTS

If your New Entrant child has enrolled this term, or will be enrolling this term, please contact Briar about securing your place in our awesome workshop.

Best Start Waihi East

Week 5 Wednesday 13th November 9.30am-11.30am.

Contact Briar on bfrew@east.school.nz or 863 8693.



PB4L News - Positive Behaviour for Learning.

We are so excited to have our new signage and values tokens underway. Keep an eye out for these visual reminders around the school. Your child might talk to you about our new class party tokens - blue for respect, yellow for caring and green for responsibility.

As always, we welcome your feedback as to what we can do to further embrace positive culture of our wonderful school. Feel free to touch base with your child's teacher or

email principal@east.school.nz

2019 DUFFY SUMMER READING \$5 PARENT OFFER

Duffy offer some awesome books for only \$5.

Order forms have gone home today with this newsletter.

Please fill in if you would like to purchase any books and return with the money to the East School office before 15 November.

Books will be back before the term ends.

CRICKET

Waikato Cricket Association are coming in and offering all our children a session - raising awareness to try and build the clubs in this area. Another exciting opportunity for our kids!

DIGITAL IGNITION SESSIONS

The year 3 - 6 students have been lucky to have Jessica, from Digital Ignition (Ministry of Education referred company), running workshops for them. Each workshop is designed to ignite a sense of capability in students as it builds skills and understanding of digital technologies through fun and engaging activities. Important vocabulary around the new Digital Technologies strand that has been recently introduced to the New Zealand Technology curriculum has been introduced and reinforced as well. The students have had loads of fun with Ipad applications, beet bots and non device programming activities!

HATS TERM 4

Believe it or not, the sun is coming.

Reminder that Uniform Hats need to be worn at all outdoor times this term as per our school policy

Hats are available for sale from the school office for \$8.50



WAIHI COLLEGE NEWS FOR YEAR 6 STUDENTS

Mr. Smith and Mr. Stanley visited our Year 6 group on last week to chat and enrolment packs have gone home. Please return these to **East School** before November 29th.

Important dates for parents of Year 6 students:

Waihi College School Tour - Wednesday, 13th November:

This is an opportunity for your child, together with their Year 6 cohort, to visit Waihi College and see how our school works. Parents are welcome to join their child on this tour. The tour starts at the Waihi College Gym at 9am, and finishes at 11:20am.

Parent Information Meeting: Wednesday, 13th November: 5:15 pm – 6:15 pm Parents are welcome to visit the Year 7 & 8 area of the school and find out how our program works. It is a chance to meet teachers, see the waka environment and ask questions. The meeting will be in Te Arawa waka – there will be students to help you find your way!

Enrolment Forms Due - Friday, 29th November: The early return of enrolment forms will ensure that the Waihi College team have plenty of time to organise the 2020 program. Please return all completed forms to the office at your Primary School.

Need more information about Waihi College? Visit our website at www.waihicol.school.nz.

WAIHI COLLEGE UNIFORM SHOP DATES 2020

Wednesday 22 January 10am-4pm

Thursday 23 January 1pm-6pm

Wednesday 29 January 1pm-6pm.

2019 AG DAY

We would like to Thank Paul Madsen from Harcourts for sponsoring our ribbons.
Coro Vets for spot Prizes.
Farm source for prizes for everyone.

RESULTS

GOATS

Leading 1st Alex M

Rearing 1st Alex M

Calling 1st Alex M

LAMBS

JUNIORS

Leading: 1st Elijah D, 2nd Josiah D, 3rd Rynae MB, 4th Kate G, 5th Judah M.

Rearing: 1st Kate G, 2nd Maia G, 3rd Ethan C, 4th Judah M, 5th Janisha R.

Calling: 1st Ethan C, 2nd Josiah m, 3rd Kate G, 4th Elijah D, 5th Rynae MB.

SENIORS

Leading: 1st Isabelle C, 2nd Kayla B.

Rearing: 1st Isabelle C, 2nd Kayla B.

Calling : 1st Kayla B, 2nd Isabelle C.

CUP WINNERS

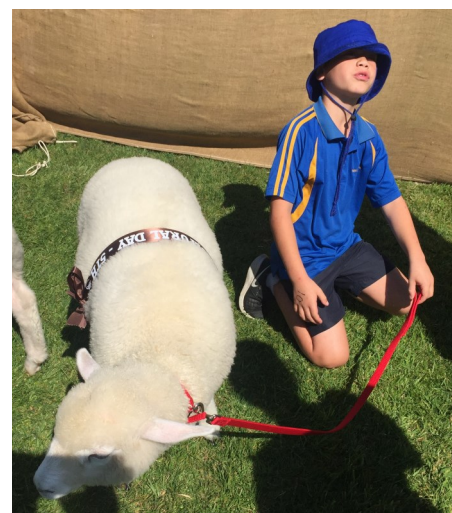
Champion Goat: Alex M

Champion Junior Lamb: Kate G

Champion Senior Lamb: Isabelle C

Champion lamb for Rearing: Isabelle C.

Entry forms for Waihi A & P Association (November 16th) available at the school office. See Sharon.



AG DAY

Thanks to Jude for organising such a wonderful event for our tamariki.

Next year will be bigger and better,

Sand saucers and floral art are on the agenda for all Tamariki next year!

THIS WEEKEND

Te Kura Rauwhiti o Waihi

WAIHI EAST SCHOOL *Rise Above And Shine*

CAR BOOT SALE

SENIOR SCHOOL FUNDRAISER
CAMP 2020

When: Saturday 9th November 2019. 8.30am - 12.30pm

Where: Back School field, Entrance off Gladstone Road

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



Sausage Sizzle
Baking Stall
Raffles

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

YOU ARE INVITED TO

5 DEC

WAIHI EAST SCHOOL'S

GALA

SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE!

Kids rides
Carnival stalls
Cakes and sweets
Plant stall
Raffles and live auction

EAST SCHOOL'S TASTY FOOD ALLEY
THAI, INDIAN, MEXICAN AND MORE!

DECEMBER 5TH 3:30-6:30PM
@ WAIHI EAST SCHOOL

TWILIGHT MARKET 2019

Thursday 5th December.
Volunteers will be much appreciated on the night.
A information sheet has been sent home with a newsletter. Please fill in and return to school if you haven't already. We would love your help to make this a fantastic gala!!!

Thanks in advance!

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MAAORI BOIL UP

GLOBAL FLAVOURS

Ingredients:

- 1kg beef brisket
- 1 big bunch puha or spinach
- 1 big bunch watercress
- 6 small kumara – scrubbed
- 3 onions, chopped



Trim fat off meat. Put into pot, cover with water and bring to boil. After approx 1hr change water and re-boil. Add veges, onions and seasoning. Continue to simmer until veges are cooked. Season to taste. Serve immediately.



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BASKETBALL DRAW JUNIOR SOCIAL LEAGUE YEAR 5 & 6

Friday 8th November
3.30 pm East v Central

WRITING INSTRUMENTS RECYCLING PROGRAMME

We are collecting used
MECHANICAL PENCILS, CORRECTION TAPE & FLUID
POTS, FOUNTAIN PENS, INK CARTRIDGES, PENS, FELT
TIPS, HIGHLIGHTERS, MARKERS for recycling.
There is a collection box in the office. Please feel free to drop
all used items any time.



BREAD TAGS

We are collecting breads tags off bread
bags as a fundraiser for Wheelchairs in Af-
rica. There is a collection jar in the school
office. Thanks!!

NETSAFE

Netsafe have recently launched a great new resource for parents and whānau, the 'Online Safety Parent Toolkit'. This interactive PDF offers parents and whānau practical tips and tools to help them talk to their children about online safety. It includes:

- quickstarter tips for parents, whānau and young people
- information to enhance digital parenting knowledge
- details about the online risks and challenges their children may face
- advice about how they can help their children.

<https://www.netsafe.org.nz/wp-content/uploads/2019/07/Online-Safety-Parent-Toolkit-R2.pdf>

KEEPING OURSELVES SAFE

Just a reminder that we have Keeping Ourselves Safe being taught this term. Feel free to check out the website that holds all the info you might need ...

<https://www.police.govt.nz/advice/personal-and-community-advice/school-portal/resources/successful-relationships/keeping>

Feel free to make a time to come and chat if you have questions



COMMUNITY NOTICES

Liberty presents

DANCE ON DOWN TO THE MOVIES

Dance performances to music from
some of your favourite movies!



Waihi Memorial Hall
Sunday December 15, 2019, 4 PM

PURCHASE TICKETS : THROUGH STUDENT'S SHOW
REG FORM, OR AT THE DOOR



PHOTO COMPITITION

Theme

The Unexpected

Grand Prize

\$150

Start date of promotion: 28/10/2019

End date: 28/11/2019

Open-day: 29/11/2019

Drop Off Images - 2 Rata Street, Waihi



Two age categories
Juniors age 3-11
Seniors 12 up

\$150 Main-Prize

**PHOTOGRAPHY
COMPETITION**

PRINTEC

Theme **"THE UNEXPECTED"** 50% off Photo Prints for competition
From 30/10/2019 - 28/11/2019

So Snap to it

Pick up forms and drop off images to - 2 Rata Street, Waihi

WAIHI AMATEUR ATHLETIC CLUB

Started Monday 4th November! Tiny tots upwards.

5.15-6.30pm every Monday (excluding school and public holidays) at the Waihi College Pavilion, Rata St (past the gym). Parent support and help is required. 2 weeks free trial before registration is required. First ribbon day of the season is November 2nd in Tauranga (coaching available night prior for anyone interested). Club singlets are available for purchase. Please follow us on Facebook at Waihi Amateur Athletic Club and message if you have any further queries.



FREE EAR CLINIC SERVICE FOR CHILDREN

The caravan will be at **Monday 4th November 2019 and Thursday 28th November 2019** at Waihi Central Primary School. 9am & 1.30pm. 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 078383565.



Hamilton - Sunday 17 November - Project Energize will have a free bus going to the event for families. Early bird entries close 13 October \$8 then \$10 after that date.

Go to <https://roundthebridges.co.nz/> for more info.



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