



WAIHI EAST SCHOOL
TE KURA RAWHITI O WAIHI



Waihi East Primary School Newsletter
Term 3 Week 9
17 September 2020



UPCOMING DATES

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| Sep 18 | Scholastic Issue 6 closes. |
| Sep 22 | Book Character Dress Up Day. |
| Sep 24 | Duffy Show. 9.30am |
| Sep 24 | Kotuku attending Waihi Drama Society show. 'The Twits' 1.15pm.
Boyd Road Theatre. Koha please. |
| Sep 25 | Last Day Term 3. |
| Oct 12 | First Day Term 4. |
| Oct 23 | Teacher Only Day. |
| Oct 27 | Teacher Only Day. |
| Oct 26 | Labour day. School Closed. |
| Nov 2 | East School Ag Day. |
| Nov 5 | Tapuwae tournament. |
| Nov 7 | Carboot Sale. |
| Dec 16 | Prizegiving. |
| Dec 18 | Last day Term 4. 1pm close. |
| 2021 | |
| Feb 5 | Waihi College Powhiri for Year 7s. |

WEEKLY NOTICES AND REMINDERS

Kia Ora whanau,

Week 9 is almost done! Oh my! Thankyou for all your support for our fundraisers - we have been blown away by the donations and baking. Our community is rather amazing!

A huge thankyou to Waihi Baptist Church, for allowing us to use their premises again, to practice and then film our fabulous show! More news coming on how we can get the show to your place coming! It's looking pretty fabulous - as a school, we sure have some superstars!

School holidays are nearly here! During this time teachers will be taking a wee break, and then back into working, prepping for Term 4. Our building contractors will be continuing to fix the fort, and put the shade sail up for the Piwakawaka classrooms. So we will be busy for sure.

Next week we have Book Character day dress ups - your child might like their show costume, or of course their favourite character from a favourite book. Prizes will be up for grabs! I'm looking forward to all the cute characters coming to school next week!

Lastly, we have our Carboot sale coming - on the 7th of November. If you have been thinking of doing a spring clean and sort out at your place, this might be a great way to make some holiday cash, and sell some of your treasures out of the boot of your car! More info on this coming soon.

Have a fabulous weekend!

Nga mihi
Briar



PB4L News - Positive Behaviour for Learning.

Our PB4L team are working hard behind the scenes on the start of our PB4L Tier Two journey; we will be developing structures, knowledge and strategies to grow our understanding and protocols to manage repeated, unusual and challenging behaviours. This Ministry of Education directed initiative provides a framework to strengthen positive behaviours within our school, with our own flavour based in our school values of:

Respect - Whakarangatiratanga, Responsibility - Tutika and Caring - Manaakitanga.

Come and chat with our PB4L team (Briar, Vanessa, Sarah and Dorette) if you'd like to know more or if you have any concerns.

BOOK CHARACTER DRESS UP DAY

To finish off our 'Read Me A Story' focus this term we will be having a Book Character Dress Up Day on Tuesday, Week 10, 22nd September. Children can come to school dressed as a book character of their choice. They are welcome to utilise their Showcase costume or come as a different character all together! There will be spot prizes up for grabs and lots of fun to be had!



WINTER SPORTS DAY

Winter sports day @ Bethlehem has been cancelled - so sorry for any disappointment this causes. Instead we will be having a staff v students football, basketball and netball game next week!!
Go Staff!

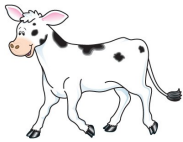
COMMUNITY FEEDBACK

In to win?? We have a \$100 grocery voucher to be drawn at the end of the term!!
Can you either PM us, email, txt, come and chat or send smoke signals, and answer these 2 super important questions?? What are the three pieces of knowledge we can't leave to chance?
AND what impact do you want your child to have as adults on our community?
Can't wait to hear from you!!

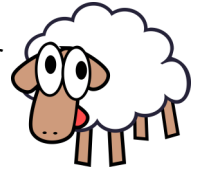
FOUND

1 x watch found last week in the playground. Please see the office.

AGRICULTURE DAY 2020



This year our Waihi East School agriculture day is going to be held on Monday 2nd November. There may be a Group Day on the 6th November if there are enough entries to make it worthwhile. There is also the opportunity to available at the school office and take your pet to the Waihi show on the 21st November. Entries have closed for the East School day.

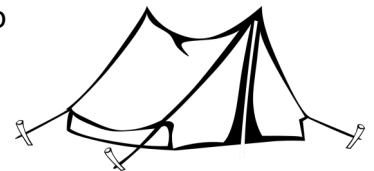


NETBALL AND FOOTBALL UNIFORMS

As both these competitions have finished for the year could we please have all sports uniforms returned to school as soon as possible. Please hand in at the office. Thanks.

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



ABSENTEE NOTIFICATION

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

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

-AUGUST 2020

The Board of Trustees would like to acknowledge the tricky times we live in, and the way we have banded together as a community to continue to support one another, show kindness and tolerance and keep each other safe. Together, we will continue to Rise Above and Shine.

Regards,
Tineke, Michelle, Tara, Vanessa, Emma, Shane and Nick.

Our bikes

The Board have successfully gained some funding to be able to bring our bikes up to scratch - hooray! This is such a valuable resource and heartily used.



Sandpit news

The Board have invested in putting in a fab sandpit for our juniors - this is used every block of the day - we have had the area around this sprayed in readiness to much and plant up a wee native area. We will be asking for people to come and help with this a bit later in the year.



Discovery Centre Shade Sail

The Board has been successful in gaining a grant to help substantially towards getting the shade sail for the Discovery Centre. This is currently being manufactured, and will be up and read for term 4.

The fort

The Board has accepted a tender to get our fort fixed up and fabulous again - this process will be started in the next week or so, and should be completed in readiness for the new term.



Documents currently under review

Term 3 2020

Learning Support

School Docs

Signed off and in use.

www.schooldocs.co.nz

Username - waihieast

password - eastpolicy

Instructions for reviewers

1. Follow the link to each policy in the table above.
2. Read the policy.
3. Click the red Policy Review icon at the right-hand top corner of the page. A new screen will appear. Select your role (board member, staff member, or parent/caregiver) from the drop-down list.
4. Enter your name (optional).
5. Submit your ratings and comments. If you don't have internet access, school office staff can easily provide you with printed copies of the policy and the **review form**.

Who reviews them?

Board, staff and parents.

Kia ora whānau,

As a fundraiser this year, we are putting together the 'Waihi East School Cookbook'. We need your help! If you have a recipe you would like to include, we would love you to share it with us. Ideas could include;

Favourite family dinners
Baking you made during lockdown
Essential camp cooking
Something you have made in class
Birthday cakes or party food
Healthy lunchbox snacks
Desserts



Please send to tgiles@east.school.nz by 16th of October, 2020.

Thank you
Tanya Giles

EAT TO ENERGIZE

EAT YOUR FOOD GROUPS: GROW

Low-fat milk, yoghurt and cheese will give your body calcium. Calcium helps to build strong healthy bones.

TIP: Milk & milk products are also a source of protein.

Expect Energy!

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COMMUNITY NOTICES

GIANT EASTER EGG HUNT

Sep 26th!

11am

Saturday

Waihi

Beach

School

Ages 0-10

FREE Sausage Sizzle, Face Painting & Balloon Shapes!
Bring \$ for Bouncy Castle, Candy floss, Coffee cart +more!

POST-LOCKDOWN

freedom
Church

FREE EVENT

GIANT Easter Egg Hunt
Post-lockdown

11am Saturday Sep 26th
at Waihi Beach School

Free event for ages 0-10
including a free sausage

Come & find thousands of
chocy eggs

Bring cash for candy floss or
coffee

Put on by Freedom Church!

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Nature Kids Holiday Programme at The Nest Waihi Beach

These school holidays we are again offering something very special for your children - an opportunity to connect with and explore nature in a nurturing environment, all day.

Nature Kids and The Nest provide exciting and engaging free play in nature where your children can explore, create and let their imaginations run wild.

In this setting your child will build confidence, self-esteem and a sense of wonder. Making friends and having fun while they are guided by experienced and qualified teachers.

We like to keep our groups small to enable us to connect with and support your child through their nature journey, so spaces are limited!

Each Wednesday and Thursday during the school Holidays. Based at The Nest (Nature Space) in Waihi Beach with yoga for kids included.

8:45am to 3:15pm. Ages 5 to 12 years. \$55 per child per day.

For more info or to book:

www.naturelibrary.co.nz or

www.thenestwaihibeach.co.nz

Or call: Kathy 027 842 5645 or Kas 027 872 7278



SCRAP METAL COLLECTION

Waihi Central School is running a scrap metal collection to raise funds for the Senior Students Camp.

If you've got any unwanted items made of materials like aluminium, copper, lead, and steel, the school would be very happy to take them off your hands.

They'll send a collection team to your property to pick up the items and take them away.

- You can book a collection date and time, by phoning Waihi Central School on 863 8709.
- The scrap metal collection will take place between Monday 14 and Saturday 19 September.
- The collection area includes Waihi, Waikino, Waitawheta, Golden Valley, Waimata, Waihi Beach, Bowentown, Athenree Gorge and Athenree.

Thanks to Waihi Lions and OceanaGold for their assistance.

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