



WAIHI EAST SCHOOL  
TE KURA RAWHITI O WAIHI



Waihi East Primary School Newsletter  
Term 3 Week 10  
24 September 2020



Morning Tea buddies– Leah, Nugget & Kylia

## UPCOMING DATES

Sep 25	Principal's Awards. Piwakawaka 12.15pm.
Sep 25	Principal's Awards. Kotuku 1.30pm.
Sep 25	Last Day Term 3.
Oct 12	First Day Term 4.
Oct 22	School Disco.
<b>Oct 23</b>	<b>Teacher Only Day.</b>
Oct 26	Labour day. School Closed.
<b>Oct 27</b>	<b>Teacher Only Day</b>
Nov 2	East School Ag Day.
Nov 5	Tapuwae tournament.
Dec 16	Prizegiving.
Dec 18	Last day Term 4. 1pm close.
	<b>2021</b>
Feb 5	Waihi College Powhiri for Year 7s.
Feb 9	First day 2021.

# WEEKLY NOTICES AND REMINDERS

Hi one and all,

Well, we made it! Term 3 is almost done... some of us are limping towards the finish line, and some are dancing across it... either way, we have certainly done it together - go us!

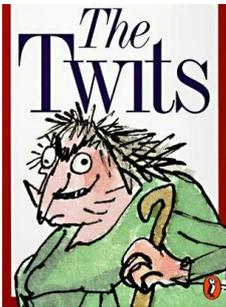
As you might have seen on Facebook - our 'Read me a Story' showcase is ready for you! If you would like the link sent to you - please let Vanessa, [vmaunder@east.school.nz](mailto:vmaunder@east.school.nz) or Sharon, [office@east.school.nz](mailto:office@east.school.nz), know your preferred email option, provide a small koha - and hey presto, it is yours for always! The children are super excited to be able to share with you all.

Over the holidays, the fort will be finished, and the shade sail in the Discovery Space will be put into place - it's all go!

I hope you find time to pop your feet up as a whanau, and to enjoy the small things together.

Nga mihi  
Briar

**THE TWITS SHOW**  
Congratulations to Anna R  
and Aaliyah H who performed  
today for our school as part of  
the Twits show at the  
Waihi Drama Society.  
They were **AWESOME!!!!**



**HAPPY  
HOLIDAYS!! SEE  
YOU BACK HERE ON  
THE 12TH OF  
OCTOBER.**



## TEACHER ONLY DAYS

We have two Teacher Only Days coming up next term  
for Professional Development.

**October 23** (the Friday before Labour weekend)  
and

**October 27** (the Tuesday after Labour weekend.)

## FIELD WEED SPRAY

Over the holidays and weather depending we are having the Onehunga Weed sprayed on all grass areas. Due to new health and safety laws coming into force we advise that all persons using the school grounds (excluding buildings) to please remove themselves while the spraying is carried out and for a few hours following the spray application.  
Thank You in Advance.



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

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

Emily T — Discovery Centre  
Willem F — Discovery Centre  
Te Paea H — Discovery Centre  
Emersyn P — Room 2

Charlie H — Discovery Centre  
Priya R — Discovery Centre  
Holly C — Discovery Centre

## ATTENDANCE MATTERS ATTEND TODAY ACHIEVE TOMORROW!

### RUNNING LATE?

Being late for school has a negative impact on your child's learning. Being just 10 minutes late every day adds up to an hour a week of lost learning. Over a year this adds up to one week of school missed in a year!

Being late for class often means important instructions are missed and the class is interrupted. Your child may feel uncomfortable and on the outer with peers. Children need to arrive on time ready to settle into their school work. Arriving at least 5 minutes before the first bell allows your child to interact with their peers and teacher and get themselves ready for their busy day.

### NEW WORLD LITTLE GARDENS

A huge Thank You to Waihi New World who are donating a Little Garden School Kitset Garden to our school. How cool is that?

### 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



### FOUND

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



### ABSENTEE NOTIFICATION

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



### Have you thought about becoming a board member for your school?

Come along to NZSTA's Kōrari Programme to find out about becoming a board member!

We are holding community hui in the lead up to this year's mid-term elections. Even if your school isn't holding this election, come along if you'd like to know more about school boards

**Te Puke High School, Tuesday 13 October at 6.30 pm**  
**Club Mt Maunganui, Wednesday 14 October at 7 pm**

At the hui you'll hear about:

- What is a school board of trustees
- What do trustees do
- What skills do trustees need
- Who can become a trustee
- How do I become a trustee
- Who is on a board of trustees
- How is a board elected
- What help do school trustees get
- How does the board of trustees work

We look forward to seeing you and helping your school's succession planning!

To register for Te Puke, click [here](#)  
To register for Mt Maunganui, click [here](#)

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**Kōrari** – a programme that provides you with governance training to help you understand the role of school boards of trustees

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

**020472 0084492-00**

# BOOK CHARACTER DRESS UP DAY



## STAFF v STUDENTS SPORTS





Mamma Mia!  
Here we go again!



Save the date – 22nd October  
Waihi East School Disco #2

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Vegetables and Fruit – aim for 5+ servings from this group every day. Vegetables and fruit provide vitamins, minerals and fibre which are essential to maintain a healthy body.

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# THANK YOU

Big thanks to  
the Harcourts  
Foundation for  
helping make  
our shade sail  
in the  
Discovery  
playground  
possible.



## 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



FREE  
EVENT

**GIANT Easer Egg Hunt**  
**Post-lockdown**

**11am**  
**Saturday September 26th**  
**at Waihi Beach School**

**Free event for ages 0-10**  
**including a free sausage**

**Come & find thousands of choicy 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](http://www.naturelibrary.co.nz) or

[www.thenestwaihibeach.co.nz](http://www.thenestwaihibeach.co.nz)

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



## WANTED

House to rent, 2-3 bedrooms

Please call or email Briar 07 863 8693

[principal@east.school.nz](mailto:principal@east.school.nz)

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*Owner/Operators*

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