



WAIHI EAST SCHOOL
TE KURA RAWHITI O WAIHI



Waihi East Primary School Newsletter
Term 1 Week 8
1 April 2021



Sculpture Outside Hamilton
Museum.
'Tongue of the dog'

Apr 2	Easter Friday. School Closed.
Apr 5	Easter Monday. School Closed.
Apr 6	Easter Tuesday. School Closed.
Apr 7	Bake Sale. 1pm under kai shelter.
Apr 7	Parent Teacher Interviews. School closes at 1pm. 1.00pm-5.00pm.
Apr 8	Duffy Assembly. 10.30am.
Apr 8	Parent Teacher Interviews. 3.00pm-7.00pm.
Apr 8	BOT meeting. 5.30pm. All welcome.
Apr 9	School photo orders close.
Apr 9	EPro8 Challenge. Katikati College.
Apr 14	WBOP Swimming.
Apr 15	Tiritiri Matangi Island Trip. Year 5 & 6.
Apr 16	Last day of Term 1.
May 3	First day of Term 2.
May 3	Mihi Whakatau. 10.30am.
May 6	Kapahaka Boys Waitawheta Hut Hike.
May 11-14	Camp. Waitawheta. Year 5 & 6.
May 27	Duffy Theatre. 11.00am.
Jun 4	Teacher Only Day. School Closed.

Kia ora whanau

A massive shoutout to our incredible staff who helped to create some fabulous experiences for our Year 3 and 4 children! The weather was against us, but with the awesome kids attitudes and brilliant whanau help, it didn't make a dent in the smiles our kids had! Some first's for some of our kids - being away from home, sleeping at school, going in other peoples cars, trying different food, having a go at new things, and did I mention surfing?!

As I stood in the water watching the huge sense of achievement and excitement on our tamariki's faces, I was reminded of how incredible our kids are, how brave and curious they are, and also how precious this time is with them. What a privilege it is to help create some cool memories!!



We are so looking forward to the Year 5/6 camp next term!! Please make sure you have returned all permissions etc. for this epic adventure ... I hear sailing is on the agenda! Woohoo!!

We are shutting the pool for winter over Easter, so no more swimming for the term; we will be starting our Cross Country training in the next week or 2, in readiness for our School Cross Country early Term 2.

Have a fabulous long weekend with those you love - I am excited to extend the table and have some of our adult kids join us for our annual Easter celebrations.

Nga mihi
Briar

Staff Pepeha.

Each week we will be featuring one staff member. Check out our wall in the office for all of them. This week; Mrs. Sarah Cannell—Team Leader & Discovery Centre teacher.



Tena koutou katoa,

Ko Mendips toku maunga
Ko Avon toku awa
Ko Boeing 737 toku waka
Ko Cannell toku whanau
Ko Peter Smith toku papa
Ko Marianne Smith toku mama
Ko Luke hoa rangatira
Ko Izzie me Freya taku tamahine
Ko Boey taku tama
No Waihi ahau
Ko Sarah Cannell taku ingoa

No reira, tena koutou, tena koutou, tena
tatou katoa.

WEEKLY NOTICES AND REMINDERS

EASTER HOLIDAYS

School is closed tomorrow Friday 2nd April (Easter Friday), Monday 5th April (Easter Monday) and Tuesday 6th April.



LOCKDOWN DRILL

We will be having a lockdown drill in the next week or 2. Please talk to your children about this. We will spend some time at school debriefing what we do during a Lockdown.

PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS

We are holding Parent Teacher interviews next week on Wednesday 1pm-5pm and Thursday 3pm-7pm. Notices have gone home with those children. Please return to the office to book your 20 minute spot. Some teacher will finish early on Wednesday because they are involved in Rippa rugby after school. Please note that school is **closed from 1pm on Wednesday** to accommodate these interviews. Please arrange pick up for your child.

DUFFY ASSEMBLY

We have a Duffy Role Model coming to our school on April 8th at 10.30am to give out books to our children. All welcome to attend.



SCHOOL INDIVIDUAL AND CLASS PHOTOS

Order forms and your proof photos have gone home. If you would like to order any please fill in the form inside your envelope, pay the photographer direct online then return your order form to school so we can bulk send these onto the photographer. Orders close on April 9th.



EPro8 CHALLENGE

We have two teams of Year 5 & 6 students heading off to Katikati College next week to compete in the EPro8 Challenge. They have been practicing every week at electives to prepare for this challenge. Our Thanks to Mr. Keith Derham for all his help with running this elective and also taking these kids through to the competition. Good Luck Teams!



ELECTIVES-EPro8



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

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ABSENTEE NOTIFICATION

Just a reminder that you can send your absentee notification by text to the school cell phone
021 0258 4817



CHOCOLATE BAR FUNDRAISER

A box of chocolate fundraiser bars went home with the eldest child in each family from year 4 up last week. The bars are \$2 each and the whole box sells for \$60.

Please return your \$\$ and any unsold chocolate bars back to the office before the end of term 1. Thanks for your help in selling these. All funds will be going to help pay for the amazing camps that have been organized for our students this year.



Year 3 & 4 Hamilton
Museum Trip
Surf n Turf Day 1



CURIOSITY LAB



Year 3 & 4 Hamilton Museum Trip Surf n Turf Day 1





Fundraising

Bake Sale



Date: Weds 7th April

(after Easter Weekend)

Time: 1pm onwards

(Baking for sale during parent-teacher interviews)

Where: Under Kai Shelter @ Waihi East School

**Come along and grab some yummy treats and
snack while you chat!**

STAFF EMAIL ADDRESSES

Neroli Matautia
Dorette Hartley
Jo Derham
Tammy Stevens
Jude Fletcher
Caitlin Kneebone
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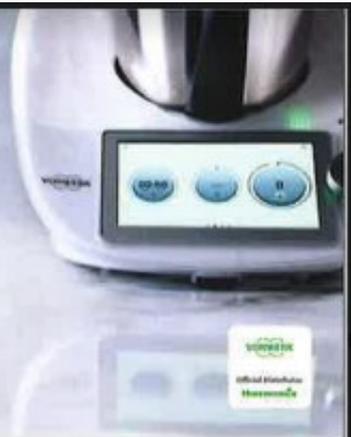
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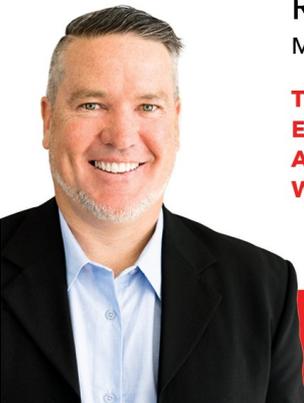
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