



WAIHI EAST SCHOOL  
TE KURA RAWHITI O WAIHI



Waihi East Primary School Newsletter  
Term 2 Week 6  
10 June 2021



Tapuwae being played at the Marae.

## UPCOMING DATES

Jun 11	Chess Tournament. Ngatea. North Cluster Cross Country. Whakamarama. ( postponed from Wednesday).
Jun 15	Tough Guy/Gal Challenge. 7am departing School.
Jun 16	Student Leadership Day. Enviro Students Day.
Jun 23	Best Start Programme. 11.30am.
Jun 23	WBOP Cross Country.
Jun 24	Matariki Community Concert. 5-7.30pm. Waihi College Hall.
Jun 25	EPro8 Challenge.
Jun 29	<b>Staff Union Meeting. SCHOOL CLOSED from 1pm.</b>
Jun 30	Waimata Netball Tournament. Waihi Netball Courts. Year 5 & 6.
Jul 1	Tikanga Showcase.
Jul 5	Principal's Awards. 2.15pm.
Jul 7	Tapuwae Tournament. Held at Central School.
Jul 7	Parent/Teacher Interviews. 3.15pm to 5.30pm.
Jul 7	Bake Sale.
Jul 8	Parent/Teacher Interviews. 1pm –5pm. <b>SCHOOL CLOSED FROM 1pm.</b>
Jul 9	Last day of Term 2. Hangi.
Jul 26	First day of Term 3.
Sept 21	Duffy Theatre. 'Duffy in Bubble Trouble'. 11am.
Oct 1	Last day of Term 3.
Oct 18	First day of Term 4.
Oct 25	<b>Labour Day. School Closed.</b>



It's hard to believe we are just over halfway through the term!  
Our tamariki are just awesome, and for the most part, turning up each day and really trying their very best each day! We have lots of neat events to look forward to for the rest of the term -so please make sure you pop important dates into your family calendar.

Gracious me, nearly 200 children on a trip to the Marae is not for the faint hearted! Big thanks to our staff for making this happen for our children - and also to whanau who were able to take time to come along with us. We want to acknowledge the college support and students who spent the day with us too.

We are very excited to be able to celebrate Matariki this year - and kick it off with a Community Celebration at College. We would love as many of our children on stage to sing, in school uniform (except our Kapahaka Roopu who will be in costume). It is a great way to come together as a community. This will be followed by the Hikoi through town (more info coming), a Dawn viewing at Otawhiwhi, for whanau who wish to attend, and a Tapuwae tournament for our older children - where we fiercely compete with the other schools to take out the trophy. We will also be holding a hangi for our school community on the last day of school. There will be some more info and requests for donations coming out next week.

This Friday is our postponement day for Northern Cluster Cross Country runners - we wish you all the very best team!! Our chess team are off to their competition too—woohoo!  
Next week, Ms. Maunder and I are taking our student leaders to a Leadership day in Hamilton - info will be coming home by Friday.

Finally, we are noticing some ills and chills and a nasty tummy bug going around, so if your young person is coming down with something, please keep them home, until they are well - its hard for them to shine when they are feeling off colour.

As always, all of our staff are only an email away should you wish to chat.

Nga mihi  
Briar

# WEEKLY NOTICES AND REMINDERS

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

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

Olivia T—Room 8  
Tahlia M—Discovery Centre

## TEACHER UNION MEETING

Staff will be attending a Union meeting on June 29. **School will be closed** for instructions from 1pm on that day. Please arrange for a pick up for your child on this day.

## INTERVIEWS TERM 2

We will be holding parent/teacher interviews again this term on Wednesday 7th July 3.15-5.30pm and Thursday 8th July 1-5pm. **School will be closed from 1pm on Thursday.** Please arrange for a pick up for your child on this day.

## SOUP

Thanks to **KidsCan** we have a large supply of soup to use at school. Every Monday until we run out we will serving hot soup at lunchtime, It would be **very very helpful if you could send along a named cup** for your child to use if they would like to have hot soup at Monday lunches. We also will have some plain bread to go along with soup if they choose.

**BYO cup please!**



## NETBALL

2021 subs are \$60 for year 5 & 6 teams. Please pay to East School office. These are now **overdue** as we have to forward these in one lot to the netball centre.

Each week the draw will be on the Waihi Netball Centre FaceBook page.

Year 1 = East Tui

Year 4 = East kiwi

Year 2 = East Kea

Year 5 = East Kowhai

Year 3 = East Hihi

Year 6 = East Hurricanes

Please check on the Waihi Netball centre FaceBook page for cancellations. They will make the call at 2.30pm each week if the weather is looking questionable.



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**





**Staff Pepeha.**

Each week we will be featuring one or two staff members.  
Check out our wall in the office for all of them.

**Staff Pepeha.**

This week; Mrs. Leann Bellamy —Support Staff .



Tena koutou katoa,  
Ko Kapukatamahaka toku maunga  
Ko Manukau Harbour toku awa

Ko Bellamy toku whanau  
Ko Kerry toku papa  
Ko Kerry toku mama  
Ko Michael hoa rangatira  
Ko Neisha taku tamahine  
Ko Dylan taku tama  
No Waihi ahau  
Ko Leann taku ingoa

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

**Staff Pepeha.**

This week; Mrs. Michelle Burr —Support Staff and Student Teacher.



Tena koutou katoa

Ko Pukewa tōku maunga wairua  
Ko Ohinemuri tōku awa  
Ko Waihi tōku turangawaewae  
No Tamaki Makaurau tōku ingoa whānau  
Ko Mike tāku hoa rangatira  
Ko Braydon tāku tama  
Ko Kayla tāku tamāhine  
Ko McLeod tōku ingoa whānau  
Ko Michelle tōku ingoa

No reira, tena koutou, tena koutou, tena tatou  
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## NATIONAL YOUNG LEADERS DAY

Next Wednesday, 16th June, there is an exciting opportunity for our Student Leadership Team to attend a National Young Leaders Event at Claudelands Arena in Hamilton. The day is designed to spark the leadership potential that's inside every young person through practical, inspirational events and leadership resources. The day is made up of speakers, question time, short videos, music and student interaction. We look forward to the students' feedback from the event. Watch this space!

## TOUGH GUY/GAL CHALLENGE

A team of 6 children have signed up for the Tough Guy/Gal challenge on June 15th.

Please be at school ready to leave by 7am!

Bring a big lunch and some water.

Have fun and remember to take a change of clothes and shoes because you will get muddy!!



## CHOCOLATE BAR FUNDRAISER

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

Please return your \$\$ and any unsold chocolate bars back to the office now please. Thanks for your help in selling these.

Texts are going out to all unreturned boxes so please attend to this as soon as possible please!

All funds will be going to help pay for the amazing camps that have been organized for our students this year.



## 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 workshops.

### Best Start Waihi East

Wed 23 June 11.30am—12.30pm.

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



## WAIHI KIDZ R GOLD



### UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT

#### Before School Care 7am - 8.15am Monday to Friday

This programme is great for those parents that start work early, let Waihi Kidz R Gold take the stress out of your mornings. Drop the children off to us we will provide the children with breakfast and drop them off to school.

#### After School Care 2.30pm – 5.30pm Monday to Friday

Do you work past 3 pm and find it hard juggling children and babysitters? Then you're at the right place! Our programme includes us picking your children up from school, bringing them back to our centre where they will be provided afternoon tea and are supervised to do their homework and have fun until home time.

We also run holiday programmes during school holidays. Please contact us and/or like our Facebook page [WAIHI KIDZ R GOLD](#) to stay up-to date with programme information

For further information please contact Adisha on 02102777020 or [waihikidzrgold@gmail.com](mailto:waihikidzrgold@gmail.com)

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