



**WAIHI EAST SCHOOL**  
**TE KURA RAWHITI O WAIHI**



**Waihi East Primary School Newsletter**  
**Term 4      Week 2**  
**28 October 2021**



**Athletics Practice Rotations**

**UPCOMING DATES**

Oct 28	National Shake Out day.
Nov 1	East School Agriculture Day.
Nov 2	Cricket coaching at school.
Nov 4	East School Athletics.
Nov 5	School Fun Run fundraiser.
Nov 5	First day to order Fun Run Prizes.
Nov 8	Funky Fun Day. Year 1 & 2.
Nov 10	Waihi College Parent Information Evening for 2022 year 7 Whanau. 5.15pm-6pm.
Nov 11	Cluster Athletics. TBC.
Nov 12	Last day to order Fun Run Prizes.
Nov 12	Principal's Assembly.
Nov 15	Funky Fun Day. Year 3 & 4.
Nov 17	Kapahaka trip.
Nov 18	Best Start Programme. 11.30am.
Nov 18	Pepeha & Pizza . 3pm-5pm & 5.15pm-7pm. TBC.
Nov 23	Best Start Programme. 11.30am.
Dec 1	WBOP Athletics.
Dec 8	Principal's Awards.

Welcome to week 2!

It's a short whirlwind week! I hope your weekend was fabulous!

I have included below the arrangements for our week 3 activities, please make sure you read them and then email any questions you might have to [principal@east.school.nz](mailto:principal@east.school.nz). With so many things being cancelled for our children, we were determined to make these school based events work, and have certainly put a lot of time into making sure we are following alert expectations, while still allowing our tamariki (students) to have some fabulous experiences.

We are so very thrilled with the fundraising going on for the Fun Run!! I suspect we might make between \$9-10 thousand dollars!! Woohoo!!! How brilliant is that!? Keep it going whanau. We are really looking forward to our obstacle fun run for all, and relay for those who love to run - it's certainly going to be epic!!

Alert level 2 info for whanau with Week 3 events.

You will have received separate letters arrive home (hopefully) on Wednesday afternoon, for both Ag day (Monday) and Athletics (Thursday). Our Fun Run's (Friday) information is included below.

**AGRICULTURE DAY**, Monday 1st of November -*please note children with pets have an additional newsletter.*

The information is for viewing children's creations for Agriculture Day.

Please see what time is available for viewing under the Alert Level 2 guidelines, and only 1 adult per family - thanks so much for supporting this:

- Please distance where possible and wear a mask.

11.40-12.10pm	Rooms 1, 2, DC, 5
12.10-12.40pm	Rooms 3, 4, 8, 9
If you have children in both time slots, please feel free to choose which one you wish to attend.	
If you are a parent attending your child and pet for Ag day, we are aware that it may impact your viewing time, please choose the closest timeslot you are able to.	

**ATHLETICS DAY** - Thursday 4th of November

Event timings: 9.20-2.30pm

1 adult per family

9.20-11am	Rm 3 / DC	If you are coming to watch your child/ren, please sign in at the office, and out when you leave. MOE guidelines have asked that you wear a mask when onsite, and please distance where possible.
11.30-12.40	Rm 2 / 8 / 4	
1.20-2.45	Rm 1 / 5 / 9	While we know having timeframes for spectators to watch athletics is not ideal or fabulous... we thank you for working with us to make the day happen. So many events are being cancelled for our kids, and we really really did not want to cancel yet another event.

**FUN RUN** - Friday 5th November

Event timings: 11.30 - 1pm - 1 adult per family only please

11.30-12.15pm	Piwakawaka	Please RSVP your attendance. If you are coming to watch your child/ren, please sign in at the office, and out when you leave. MOE guidelines have asked that you wear a mask when onsite, and please distance where possible.
12.15-1pm	Kotuku	While we know having timeframes for spectators to watch our Fun Run is not ideal or fabulous... we thank you for working with us to make the day happen. So many events are being cancelled for our kids, and we really really did not want to cancel yet another event.

# WEEKLY NOTICES AND REMINDERS

## AGRICULTURE DAY

This year Waihi East School's Agriculture Day is being held on next week  
**Monday 1st November.**

All children will be making an animal to display using recycled materials (Linking into the EnviroSchools zero waste learning). These can come from home or be sourced from our makerspace. We will start this work at the beginning of term 4.

The children not showing their live animals are also encouraged to make a nature product on the day, these materials will come from home with a purpose to use objects from outside. Some ideas for nature products include: fairy house, miniature garden, rock painting, flower display or garden art.



The animals and nature art will be displayed in classrooms for viewing starting at 11:40am on Monday 1st November, you are invited to join your child's class as they will be moving through each of the classrooms in the following order starting in Room 1, 2, 3, 4, 8, DC, 5 and 9.

We will also be having a silent cake auction to raise funds for extracurricular activities. If your family would like to make one to donate, please let us know.



## SCHOOL FUN RUN



Thank you all for creating a School Fun Run profile! There is a way to go yet, so please keep supporting us!

Please remember to keep sharing your online fundraising link that can be shared via text, social media and email. Students who raise funds can apply for their prizes from Nov 5 to Nov 12. Check out the prizes on offer from the brochure sent home last term.

## SCHOOL FUN RUN

This is happening next Friday!  
11.30am start



## TERM 3/4 FUNDRAISER

### Personalised Artwork Calendars, Cards, Diaries, Mouse Mats & Sketch Pads

Order forms went home last week.

Calendars are \$15 each, Pack of 8 cards \$12, Diaries \$16, Mouse mats \$15, Sketch Pad \$14.

We have a few examples of what's on offer in the office. Please pop in to check them out.

All orders need to be placed online. We cannot accept eftpos or cash for this fundraiser. Sorry.

Orders close on November 22nd so get in quick!!

This is so the orders will be back in time before the end of the year!



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**







## East School Athletics Practice Rotations

### **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*

Thurs 18 November 11-30am-12.30pm.  
Weds 23 November 11.30am-12.30pm.

Contact Briar on [principal@east.school.nz](mailto:principal@east.school.nz)  
or 863 8693.



# COME JOIN US!

**WE WARMLY WELCOME NEW FAMILIES TO JOIN THE FUN IN OUR JUNIOR SURF PROGRAMME**

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- 5-13yrs

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Every Sunday morning at 10am  
Starting Labour Weekend!

Due to Covid requirements, if you would like to come to our Opening Day please RSVP Link on our facebook page.

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6 WEEKS YEAR 1-4

# SUPER SMASH HUB

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### CATCH! THROW! STRIKE!

LOCATION	DAY	START DATE	TIME
Pohlan Park, Matamata	Monday	18 Oct 2021	4.00pm
Te Aroha College, Te Aroha	Wednesday	27 Oct 2021	4.30pm
Rhodes Park, Thames	Friday	29 Oct 2021	4.00pm
Moewai Sports Park, Whitianga	Monday	01 Nov 2021	3.30pm
Hauraki Plains College, Ngatea	Monday	01 Nov 2021	4.00pm
Paeroa College, Paeroa	Wednesday	03 Nov 2021	4.30pm
Waihi College, Waihi	Friday	05 Nov 2021	4.00pm
Morrinsville Recreation Ground	Friday	05 Nov 2021	4.30pm
Albert Park, Te Awamutu	Friday	05 Nov 2021	5.30pm
John Kerkof Park, Cambridge	Friday	05 Nov 2021	5.30pm
Whangamata Area School	Wednesday	10 Nov 2021	3.15pm

REGISTER VIA [NDCRICKET.CO.NZ/PLAY](http://NDCRICKET.CO.NZ/PLAY) - TURN OVER FOR MORE INFORMATION

## YOUTH THEATRE WAIHI 2022

# PERFORMANCE CLASSES

with SANDRA TIMLIN

Our Youth Theatre is offering classes again to teach acting and performance skills in 2022, using Road Dahl's James and the Giant Peach.

The classes will show participants how to work with a script and develop characters using voice and movement.

### WITH A SHOWCASE PRESENTATION OF JAMES AND THE GIANT PEACH

AGES	TERMS	Tuesdays & Wednesdays	STARTING
8 to 12	1&2	4:00 to 5:30 Boyd Rd Theatre	8 <sup>TH</sup> FEB

INFO AND APPLICATION FORM FROM [YOUTHTHEATREWAIHI@GMAIL.COM](mailto:YOUTHTHEATREWAIHI@GMAIL.COM) or 863 9090

LEARN  
ACTING TECHNIQUES  
GROUP SKILLS  
SCRIPT AND CHARACTER WORK  
MOVEMENT AND MIME  
BUILDING CONFIDENCE

APPLICATIONS CLOSE  
13 DECEMBER 2021

WAIHI DRAMA SOCIETY Inc. Hauraki District creative nz COMMUNITIES



### MISSING BIKE

One of our whanau are missing a small pink bike (no printing) and a bike (picture above) has been left behind. Is this your bike? Has your child taken the wrong bike by mistake?

If so, could you please call the school 8638693 and we can arrange a swap. Thanks heaps!

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