



WAIHI EAST SCHOOL
TE KURA RAWHITI O WAIHI



Waihi East Primary School Newsletter
Term 3 Week 10
21st September 2023

ROOM 5 INVITES YOU TO OUR...

EDIBLE ROCK FUNDRAISER

Friday 22nd September
2:45pm until all items are sold
Waihi East School - Kai Shelter
Cash Only

SEE YOU THERE!

Items for sale:
Crunchie Pumice \$2
Rock Slice \$2
Bugs, Mud & Rocks \$2
Rock Chunks \$3
Hard Rock \$3
Rock Cakes \$3
Rare Gold Coin \$6

UPCOMING DATES

Sept 21	Principal Assembly. 2.15pm
Sept 22	Edible Rock fundraiser
Sept 22	Last day of Term 3.
Oct 9	First day of Term 4.
Oct 11	Mihi Whakatau. 12noon.
Oct 12	Agriculture Day- Waihi East School.
Oct 12	Ag Day Bake Sale.
Oct 19	Interschool Agriculture Day.
Nov 18	Hauraki Festival. Kapahaka.
Nov 17	FUN RUN
Nov 20	Teachers Only Day.
Nov 23	Twilight Gala.
Dec 8	Year 6 Waimarino Trip
Dec 15	Prizegiving.
Dec 19	Last Day of Term 4.

Kia Ora Whanau,

Firstly, thank you for your kind words, encouraging messages and thoughtfulness, on my appointment at Waihi College, as Principal next year.

Oh how I will miss our little people, but am so very thrilled to be there, waiting for them as they grow.

Many of you will be wondering what happens next, here at Waihi East School. The Board will follow due process in appointing a Principal in 2024, for Term 2 and beyond. Ms. Vanessa Maunder, our current Deputy Principal, will step into the role of Acting Principal for Term 1. So all will be well, not too much will change! All will be sorted in terms of staffing, programs and our way of being will be set and sorted prior to the end of this year, before I leave.

We are fortunate to have an amazing team of teachers and support staff, who know the ropes and how we roll! Waihi East will continue to 'Rise Above and Shine'.

So lovely to be able to celebrate our children in various ways this week. Our Student Leaders attended Waihi Beach School's wearable arts! Gracious me! What incredible creativity! Well done to all who were involved!

Some of our students shone this week - singing and playing in the Spring Concert, at Waihi College - they sounded on point, and made our hearts glow - well done to you all!

Some of our students wowed us with their drama performance yesterday, talent galore, and hilarity to boot! Thank you for sharing your talents with us!

I was stopped in the street afterwards, by one of the drama organizers, who commented on what amazing audience members our school made, with beautiful manners. They were particularly touched by the waiata our students presented with their thanks.

Holidays are nearly here - enjoy your Spring break! When you come back, we will be right into Ag day and more, so please make sure you check out Facebook, and our newsletters for things that will continue to change and unfold for term 4.

Nga mihi nui
Briar



NOTICES AND REMINDERS

Bank Account details for any and all online payments.

Please use your surname as a reference.

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PHONES

ABSENTEE NOTIFICATION

Just a reminder that you can send your absentee notification **to the eTap parent app.**

Did you know that if you don't contact the school when your child is absent they are marked as Truant?



Global Games New Zealand Junior Rugby Festival Taupo
Under 10 Waihi Athletic Team won Best and Fairest Award.

Won 2, Drew 1, Lost 2

East members; Back row; Travis F, Eden B,
 Front row; Josiah de O, Piri P, Carter H, Tyler C,
 Tournament team; Piri P.



UNIFORM

Please name **ALL** uniform, togs, towels, shoes, drink bottles and lunch boxes for ease of returning items to the correct student. Thanks.☺

UNIFORM COLOUR

A reminder that our uniform for the bottom half is either **black, navy and blue or black jeans**. Please do not send your child in pink, yellow, red, green or stripey shorts or track pants.

We thank you for your cooperation in this.

HATS

Hats are compulsory in Terms 1 & 4. School hats are the royal Blue bucket hats or black or navy beanies. Thanks for your cooperation with this.



SAVE THE DATE
TWILIGHT
GALA

THURSDAY WAIHI EAST
NOVEMBER 23 SCHOOL
4.00PM - 6.30PM



FREE ENTRY



To book a carboot or
market stall email:

vlambert@east.school.nz



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Above
and
Shine

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Whānau Day Out

Tuesday 26th September 2023

10am - 1:00pm

PAEROA WAR MEMORIAL HALL

A fun interactive gathering of local health providers, social services and community groups for the local and wider community

Fun kids activities - FREE Sausage Sizzle - Spot Prizes - Bouncy Castle - Health Services - Community Services - Music - Mahi Toi - FREE Health Checks + MORE !



WAIHI EAST SCHOOL AG DAY BAKE SALE

Bake your sweetest treats for our AG Day bake sale on Thursday 12th October. All proceeds will be going towards school resources.

Baked goods will need to be at Waihi East School by 9:15am. Please bring it to the staffroom.

You will have until 2pm to bid. If you are the lucky winner you will be contacted to pick up your sweet treat by 3:30pm same day.

Bidding will take place on our school facebook page 'Waihi East School'.



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**Enquire now
to start in
Term 4**



Agricultural day activities

Thursday, 12th of October is Agricultural Day. This year, the Pwakawaka teachers will each be running an activity for those students who remain in class. The children will be spending time looking at the animals with their classes. We would love to see you all come along and join us for some of the day - feel free to bring your whanau and friends! along during lunch time.

Sausages will be available for purchase (\$2) plus there will be a silent auction cake stall so look out for more details.

Room 5:

Our class has been busy making creative nature rocks to put around the school and take home to add to the garden. You will be able to come and have a look at these in Room 5 on the day before we scatter them around.



On Ag Day, we plan to make some craft animals using plates, paper, craft supplies and natural resources. Please send along any craft or natural materials that your child can use on the day.

Room 8:

Marie-Louise is going to be in Room 8 on Thursday and Friday and she is going to do some Agriculture-themed activities with the class.

Sarah will be in Room 8 on Agriculture day. We will make some pine cone animals.

I will be out in the back field with the calves, lambs and goats.

Room 6 & 7:

We have been busy making our Farms and Fairy Gardens in class. You will be able to come and have a look at these during lunch time.



In class time, we plan to make a saucer garden with flowers and natural resources. Please send along any flowers, nuts, seeds, twigs etc that your child can use on the day. We will supply each child with a paper plate to use.

Room 9:

Activities in Room 9 will include creating flowers out of recycled egg trays.



We also plan on making saucer gardens out of the natural materials the students bring in and from what we can find around the school.

It looks to be an amazing day for our children and community.

Ngā mihi nui, Pwakawaka Team

Agricultural day activities

Thursday 12th of October is Agricultural Day. This year, the Kotuku teachers will each be running an activity for those students who remain in class. Prior to the day, each student will choose the activity they wish to take part in.

Parents are invited to view the students' finished creations during lunchtime on Agricultural Day (12:40 - 13:15)

Here are the options available for the students to choose from:

Room 1: Farm Theme Cupcake



Make the icing, get creative, ice cupcakes and turn them into a farm animal with sweet treats.

Room 2: Nature Collage



Make a picture using natural resources (sticks, leaves, flowers etc) found at home or at school.

Room 3: Miniature Gardens

Create an interesting garden or choose a theme e.g zoo, underwater, space, farm, construction, fairyland, and create an interesting scene around this.

You will need to bring to school a baking tray or large shallow container. You will also need soil or sand, ornaments, small stones, flowers etc to go along with your theme.



Room 4: Still life flower art



Use paint, pencils or oil pastels to create a still life from a beautiful fresh flower arrangement. No need to bring anything - just an open mind and creativity! We will set up Room 4 like an artists' studio.



ST JOSEPH'S COMMUNITY AGRICULTURAL DAY 2023

friday 13 october 2023 [week 1 -
term 4]

farm animal
competition



bread baking
competition



bean growing
competition



produce stalls



food stalls



silent cake auction



domestic animal show



family, siblings, friends and community welcome to join us
burgers for sale for lunch at 12.30pm



Aug 2023

Core Tennis

School tennis follow-up

The five tennis clubs in Paeroa, Waihi, Waihi Beach, Whangamata and Katikati have joined in a regional initiative to reinvigorate tennis in our region.

As Core Tennis, we provide a complete junior and senior programme for all ages and abilities, including tournaments and events.

It was great to see your child participate in our school tennis programme this term. We amazed ourselves how well many did and how enthusiastic the majority of the kids were.

That's why we now invite your child over to our clubs, where we have small-group coaching to truly develop your child's passion for a game for life!

HOW IT WORKS

Our junior programme at the tennis club has approximately the following schedule (can vary slightly):
2.45-3.15pm: preschool
3.15-4.00pm: 5-8 years
4.00-5.00pm: 9-10 years
5.00-6.00pm: 11-12 years
6.00-7.00pm: 13-18 years

To enrol for our junior programme, clubs requires a yearly junior membership. Then, you can enrol for coaching for the term via www.ctcnz.com/enroljunior

Costs range from \$33-\$110/session. Coaching is always on, rain or shine. We have rackets to lend. The term fee comes with free tournaments and interclub



Sven van Toeuw
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020 42 42 411

GIVE CRICKET A GO!

SUPER SMASH HUB

60 MINUTES
\$30 FOR 6 WEEKS
YR 1-4 / YR 5-8

SCAN TO REGISTER NOW!

CATCH! STRIKE! THROW!

TOWN	LOCATION	DAY	AGE	START & END	TIME
Ngatea	Hugh Hayward Domain	Mon	Year 1-4	30-Oct - 4-Dec	4pm
Tairua	Tairua Rugby Sports Ground	Mon	Year 1-4	30-Oct - 4-Dec	4pm
Te Kauwhata	Te Kauwhata Domain	Tue	Year 1-4	31-Oct - 5-Dec	4pm
Te Kuiti	Te Kuiti Domain	Tue	Year 1-4	31-Oct - 5-Dec	4.30pm
Whangamata	Whangamata Area School	Wed	Year 1-4	1-Nov - 6-Dec	3.15pm
Waihi	Waihi College	Wed	Year 1-4	1-Nov - 6-Dec	4pm
Tokoroa	War Memorial Sports Ground	Wed	Year 1-4	1-Nov - 6-Dec	4pm
Tokoroa	War Memorial Sports Ground	Wed	Year 5-8	1-Nov - 6-Dec	5.15pm
Otorohanga	Otorohanga South School	Thu	Year 1-4	2-Nov - 7-Dec	3.30pm
Whitianga	Moewai Park	Thu	Year 1-4	2-Nov - 7-Dec	3.30pm
Matamata	Pohlen Park	Thu	Year 1-4	2-Nov - 7-Dec	4pm
Te Aroha	Te Aroha College	Thu	Year 1-4	2-Nov - 7-Dec	4.30pm
Thames	Rhodes Park	Fri	Year 1-4	3-Nov - 8-Dec	4pm
Morrinsville	Morrinsville Rec Ground	Fri	Year 1-4	3-Nov - 8-Dec	4pm
Te Awamutu	Albert Park	Fri	Year 1-4	3-Nov - 8-Dec	4.30pm

YOU'LL GET FREE TICKETS TO THE SUPER SMASH WHEN YOU REGISTER!

Waihi Budget Service

Would like to give the Waihi community the opportunity to grow their own vegetables this summer!!!!

Are you or someone you know a keen gardener? Are you or someone you know wanting to be a keen gardener but don't know where to start? Would like to teach your children or grandchildren how to grow a vegetable garden?



Then this is your opportunity.

Conditions: There are **NONE** apart from being committed to putting these packs to good use!!

Each pack will consist of seeds, seedlings, gardening tools, accessories, and some fact sheets.

Ways to enter:

- o Flick us an email telling us a bit about yourself and family. (wfbbs@xtra.co.nz Gardening Pack as subject) or
- o Drop into our office and pop your details onto an entry form. 19 Hazard Street, Waihi between 9am to 3pm

But hurry entries close Friday 6th October 2023 so you can have these packs ready for planting on Labour weekend.



Waihi Golf Club

WAIHI GOLF CLUB JUNIOR TOURNAMENT

SUNDAY, 24TH SEPTEMBER 2023

Four Divisions

Futures 11
Stableford
No Handicap needed
11 Holes
\$15 entry fee

Futures 5
Ambrose
No Handicap needed
5 Holes
\$15 entry fee

Futures 18
Stableford
Handicap Divisions:
0-24 & 24+
18 Holes
\$20 entry fee

COOL
PRIZES

LUCKY
DRAW



Hot Chips
& Soft
Drink at
end of play

Start
from
10.00am

Max Age U19.
U10 must
have a
parent/adult
with them

Registration is required
for entry.

Email or phone entries to
Waihi Golf Club Manager.

Ph: 07 863 8678 | www.waihigolf.co.nz | golf@waihigolf.co.nz |   [waihigolfclub](https://www.instagram.com/waihigolfclub)

WAIHI GOLF CLUB JUNIOR FUTURES
TOURNAMENT SUNDAY 24 SEPT 2023
REGISTRATION FORMS ARE AVAILABLE FROM
THE OFFICE.

HOLIDAY IDEAS



The AnA Kidz Club

Donnelly Street, , Waihi, New Zealand

Tricks & Treats

Full Day 08:30 a.m.-05:00 p.m. \$55.00
 Half Days (5hrs) \$33.00
 Casual 09:00 a.m.-03:00 p.m. \$35.00

Tricky Challenges

Mon 25 Sep

This week is all about Tricks! Lets get Tricky with some challenges set up, inside and outside.

R-ock & Roll

Tue 26 Sep

Ready, Set, Go! Show us your tricks on your bikes or scooters for a wheelie Awesome day!

In-quisitive Minds

Wed 27 Sep

Lets make Magic, and put on a Magic Show - What Ideas do you have?

C-ome Adventure

Thu 28 Sep

Scavenger Hunts - Explore and Adventure with us at the Lost City

K-idz Club Dance Par

Fri 29 Sep

Dress Up in a 'Tricky' Costume, Disco Dance and Games!

T-asty Treats

Mon 02 Oct

Lets Make, Bake and Create this week! Today we treat others, Gratitude is the Attitude. Make something special for someone Special.

R-ituals and Rites

Tue 03 Oct

Treating ourselves today with self care and lots of loves. Magic potions and lotions, and actions for our reactions.

E-xciting Eats

Wed 04 Oct

Lets Make. Treats to Eat! Funky Fruits, Edible Animals and Cake Decorating.

A-mazing Treats

Thu 05 Oct

A day of outdoor ball Games Fitness Fun and making Sweet Treats to balance.

T-ime to Celebrate

Fri 06 Oct

Dress to Impress for our last day! Be a Prince or Princess. Games, Dance Competition and Technology Day.

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LET'S GET CRAFTY

and more!

Hauraki District Libraries

TERM 3 HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

Waihi Library 10.30 - 12 noon

Monday Waihi 25 Sep	Tuesday Waihi 26 Sep	Wednesday Waihi 27 Sep	Thursday Waihi 28 Sep	Friday Waihi 29 Sep
LEGO	Sewing Session	PlayStation 4 Session	Picasso Art	Board Games
Monday Waihi 2 Oct	Tuesday Waihi 3 Oct	Wednesday Waihi 4 Oct	Thursday Waihi 5 Oct	Friday Waihi 6 Oct
LEGO	Zine - Card Making	PlayStation 4 Session	Rock Painting	Board Games



HAURAKI
DISTRICT COUNCIL



EAT YUMMY APPLES FOR NEW SPORTS GEAR FOR YOUR SCHOOL!

Collect the stickers from Yummy Apples and cut-outs from 1.5kg bags of Yummy Apples for your school's share of sports gear worth

\$200,000

RUNS THROUGH TO END OF TERM 3

EATING HEALTHY FOR COOL SPORTS GEAR SINCE 1998...



YUMMY STICKERS

We are once again collecting Yummy stickers off apples and off apple bags from the supermarkets. If you would like your own collection sheet to hang on your fridge they are available at the office. Please send all collected yummy stickers into the school office.



BAGs for FRUIT



MAKE YOUR BAGS GO ANOTHER ROUND



We have teamed up with Beach Road Garden Centre to help recycle packaging bags in return for Free Fruit

you can drop any bags off to the East School Office

(bags need to be in clean reuseable condition)

For every 10KGs of paper supermarket bag's we supply, they will donate to us 10KG of yummy, healthy fruit to share amongst our students.

IT'S A WIN WIN!

COMMUNITY NOTICES



BASKETBALL HOLIDAY PROGRAMME 5-13 YRS

COST \$45 PER CHILD PER DAY

SEPTEMBER INTAKES	OCTOBER INTAKES
MERCURY BAYPARK Tuesday 26 th	WAIHI COLLEGE Monday 2 nd
AQUINAS COLLEGE Wednesday 27 th	AQUINAS COLLEGE Wednesday 4 th

Development Team | 022 461 5443 | dev.admin@tauranga.basketball

Please follow the below link to register players
<https://taurangacitybasketball.co.nz/holiday-programmes/holiday-programmes>
 If you have previously registered a player please use your existing login and password.

Waihi Kāhui Ako Community Consultation - 2023

Kia Ora - Welcome!

Ehara taku toa I te toa takitahi engari, he toa takitini.

Success is not the work of one, but the work of many.

Our community consultation is a chance to gather voice from our students, parents, teachers, School Boards, support services, whānau, hapū and iwi. The outcomes from the consultation will be used to inform our Strategic Planning.

The Waihi Kāhui Ako are currently developing our three-year Strategic Plan which informs our goals and priorities to improve the way our schools and early childhood centres care for and educate your children/ākonga. From here, we develop our Annual Implementation plan to ensure these Improvements occur.

We appreciate you taking a few minutes to provide this feedback as it all goes to ensuring our

children/ākonga get the education they deserve. Please submit one response for each Kura / ECE you are currently enrolled with.

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1atU->

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

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