

Waihi East Primary School Newsletter Term 1 Week 8 2018 29 March 2018





UPCOMING DATES

OPCOMING DATES	
Mar 29	Scholastic Bookclub Issue 2 closed.
Mar 30	Easter Friday—School Closed.
Apr 2	Easter Monday—School Closed.
Apr 3	Easter Tuesday—School Closed.
Apr 4	Best Start Session 3. 1.45pm.
Apr 6	Rippa Tournament. Paeroa.
Apr 12	BOT Meeting.
Apr 13	Last Day of Term 1.
Apr 30	First Day of Term 2.
May 4	School class photos.

WEEKLY NOTICES AND REMINDERS

Kia ora Koutou

Easter is upon us! Enjoy the short break from school and work. After the Easter break we only have a week and a half left until the term ends!

A huge congratulations to the students that received principal awards this week, it is so exciting to be able to acknowledge and promote students that are stepping up and demonstrating our school values.

Respectful Whakarangatiratanga

Manaakitanga Caring Responsible Tutika

We had the privilege of having Tim Tipene come to school yesterday and talk to us about his life story and motivate us to be more engaged in literacy and reading. He was captivating, exciting and motivational. We are so lucky to be part of the Duffy Books in Schools programme. Your kids should have come home with 2 new books yesterday!

We have also had tennis this week with Shannon, from Hot shots Tennis. The classes have loved trying out all our new tennis gear and getting some fun lessons from an expert.

This term we have discovered that texting has been one of the most reliable forms of communication from school to parents/whanau. Most of this texting is done directly from our school management system, if you are replying to a text, please add your name to the end of the text.

Next term we will be increasing the amount of communication via texting. If you have not received any texts from school this year already, it may pay to check what phone number we have down for your family.

Have a great Easter weekend!

Nga mihi nui

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EASTER BREAK





Friday 30th March Monday 2nd April Tuesday 3rd April



REPORTING CHANGES

Due to National Standards now being lifted from our expectations (rather being learning progressions), our Junior school is undergoing some reporting and formatting changes. If your child has been at school for 6, 12, 18, or 24 months this term, they will receive a report late in the term, or the beginning of Term 2.

Thanks for your patience, we are very excited about the next chapter in education and are keen for this to reflect what is important to help make our tamariki shine at Waihi East School.

SCHOLASTIC ISSUE 2

Issue 2 closed today March 29th. All orders will be here in the next week or two.

ELECTIVES

There will be NO electives this term as we are focusing on the awesome camps we had and the learning that comes from this.

NETBALL COACHING

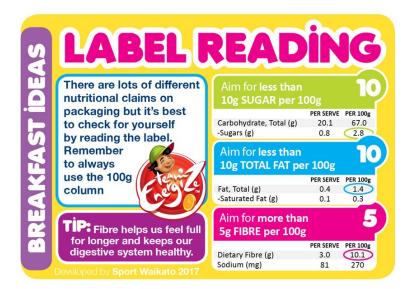
Karen Aulelio will present a Star Helpers and Junior Coordinator coaching module on 4th April from 6.30pm – 8.30pm. Venue: Waihi Event Centre. NO CHARGE. At least two representatives must attend from each school. For years y1-2,y3-4,y5-6. Names need to be confirmed by 2nd April 2018. Please let Sharon know if you are interested in attending.

PHOTOLIFE CLASS AND INDIVIDUAL PHOTOS

School Photos are booked in for Friday 4th May. Each child has been given their own named order form. These need to be filled in for both individual and class photo orders and need to be back at school with payment **before** Friday May 4th. Sibling photos will also be taken on the same day. There are different envelopes for sibling photo orders. These are at the office. Just pop into the office for one.

NITS

Please check children's hair daily as we have nits in some classes at the moment. If you would like some free kidsCan treatment spray please see the office. We have spray and combs available.



THAMES VALLEY PRIMARY SCHOOLS TRIATHLON **COOKS BEACH**

Year 5/6

RESULTS;

Boys:3rd Alex E 5th Johnston C 7th Mahe N

Girls; 1st Victoria E 4th= Brooke K 4th= Shakia L



Try these quick and easy swaps! 1. Nutrigrain to Weetbix with low fat milk and fruit 2. Coco Pops to porridge with low fat milk and fruit 3. White bread for wholegrain bread These easy changes are lower in sugar, higher in fibre and better for your body too!

AJ Parts Colouring Competition.

A lot of students entered a colouring competition that ran alongside Beach Hop last week.

Winners from East School:

Year 3 & 4 division 1st Rory D 3rd Isabelle C

Year 5 & 6 division 1st Justin S 2nd Trent E 3rd Teija-Lee J



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

Week 9 Wed 4 April 1.45pm — Maths Learning and helping your child.

> Contact Briar on bfrew@east.school.nz or 863 8693.





PRINCIPAL'S AWARDS



Caring; Teija-Lee J, Micah F, Alexis H, Dannika W, Briar H, Poppy B, Mason V, Arleearna D.

Respect; Shakia L, Rian M, Mana B, Jazmine J, Mateo C, Josiah M, Lachlan H, Reef F.

Responsible; Nevaeh V, Leah K, Tarshay I, Bronsen S, Judah M, Ella V, Willow H, Oliva P, Alexis M.



Mrs Chapman's Farewell

We sadly say farewell to Jade (Mrs Chapman) at the end of this term.

We will miss you heaps Jade and wish you all the very best with whatever the future holds for you and your family.

PB4L

As you know, we are on our PB4L journey. As part of this we are handing out 'Caught Shining' tokens for positive behaviour, working towards whole class parties as a reward. Ask your child if they know what they are for and how to earn them!













































COMMUNITY NOTICES

Welcome to Astro Cheer, the Bay's newest Cheerleading Club. We have recently started in Waihi and are excited to be part of the Waihi Community.

We aim here at Astro Cheer to provide the opportunity for our athletes to learn not only new skills and a new sport, but also teach lessons about hard work, determination, team work, confidence and self-belief. Cheerleading makes you as an individual stronger not only physically but also mentally. You will not only make friends and memories in your team but you will be part of the Astro Cheer family. Everyone is welcome no matter what gender, age, or ability level you are. We require all our coaches to be fully qualified in line with the requirements set out by the NZ Cheer Union. This is a highly specialised sport and health and safety is paramount.

We have spaces available for our Level 1 Recreation Team - this is for those in Years 1-6

Training is on Saturday 9.00-10.30am \$75 per term + \$15 for club bow - rest of uniform is optional

Come along for a free trial Check out our website for more de-

tails: www.astrocheer.co.nz Phone: 022 457 1627







Five different rides all finishing at the Railway Reserve Paeroa

9.30am start - Pipiroa to Paeroa (37km)

10am start - Waihi to Paeroa (25km) Start at Goldfields Railway Waihi 10am start - Thames Kopu to Paeroa (26km) Start at Placemakers Kopu 10am start - Te Aroha to Paeroa (21km) Start at Old Te Aroha Railway Station 11am start - Karangahake to Paeroa (7km) Start at old Karangahake Hall site

Major Spot Prize: \$1000 Travel Voucher

ALL ENTRIES

special cash draws

Flight Centre Thames, 507 Pollen Street, 0800 328 426

PRE PAID REGISTRATION

- 3. ADULTS \$15 CHILDREN \$5 FAMILY \$35 (2 Adults + 2 Children)

www.lionshaurakifunride.co.nz

Every rider will be allocated a number to participate in Spot Prize Draws at finish line Prizegiving at 12.30pm - Must be present to claim prize Organisers: Combined Lions Clubs of Ngatea, Paeroa, Thames, Te Aroha and Waihi,

COOMBE &







Waikato East Life Education Trust, thank you all for your support

Ngatea Lions

Hauraki Golf Club



COROMANDEL - KAIMAI For full details & to register: echowalkfest.org.nz

FREE EAR CLINIC SERIVICE FOR CHILDREN

The caravan will be at Waihi Central School, Moresby Avenue on Tuesday10th April 2017. 9.45—2pm. Visit the ear nurse for advice on Glue ear assessment and management, Wax/foreign body removal, Grommet checks and treatment of discharging ears.



ADVERTISING FOR DUFFY

We are selling Advertising for this page again this year. Solid ads (no changes) will be \$180 for the whole year and editable ads will be \$200. Income from the ads will be used to support the Duffy Books in homes programme that we have at Waihi East school. Please see the office if you are interested in placing an ad on the back of our weekly newsletter.

DUFFY BOOKS IN HOMES

Waihi East School is lucky to be a Duffy school. We appreciate all our sponsors.

Each year over 100,000 students take ownership of 650,000 brand new books an extraordinary amount that continues to enhance literacy skills as our Duffy kids grow into adults who inspire a love of reading in their own children.

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