

Waihi East Primary School Newsletter Term ONE Week 4 2017 23 February 2017



Year 5 / 6 camp at Rotorua

UPCOMING DATES

- Feb 24Electives Start.
Year 6 Leadership Day.Feb 27Year 3-4 Waimarino Trip.Feb 28Year 3-4 Hamilton Zoo Trip.Feb 28Project Energize Supermarket Tours.Mar 1Project Energize Supermarket Tours.Mar 3East Sch Swimming sports @College. Y 4-6.Mar 8Best Start Programme.
 - Mar 9 Waihi Cluster Swimming.
 - Mar 15 Best Start Programme.
 - Mar 24 East School Triathlon.
 - Mar 29 Best Start programme.

SUSHI We are trialling a new day for sushi

lunches.

MONDAY

All orders to the office on Monday morning before 9am.

East School Values

Honesty and Trustworthiness | Tolerance and Caring Respect for Self, Others and Property | Courtesy and Manners Responsibility and Fair Play | Independence and Initiative

WEEKLY NOTICES AND REMINDERS

YEAR 6 LEADERSHIP DAY

Sharlene from Project Energize is holding a Y6 Leadership Day for our selected students on Friday 24th February. Students will gain valuable team and leadership skills including; cooperation, communication, trust and respect - while having fun working with other leaders from Waihi schools!

Y6 Leadership Day Waihi Events Centre.

9.45am: Morning tea at school

10am: Bike to Events Centre

2pm: Leave Events Centre.

2.30pm: Arrive at Waihi East School

Please bring large lunch and drink, shoes and warm jersey/jacket.

Parent Help needed for the day!!

Please let Rachael or the office know if you can help.

YEAR 3 & 4 SURF N TURF

Surf n turf is next week - a few outstanding permission slips needed in ASAP, along with \$40 to cover the costs of our awesome adventures. The food list for Year 4 kai donations is up by the office;

please indicate what you are able to help out with - thanks.



KOTUKU SENIOR ELECTIVES

We are looking for parents, family or community members who could help out with managing or supervising a group of students each Friday. Do you have a special skill or passion, with a couple of hours spare on a Friday morning? We need to hear from you! Art, crafts, woodwork, fixing, making, cooking and creating - all things considered! To run our fabulous learning programmes, we need parent help...please let Rachael know if you are available, starting Friday Week 5, from 9-11am this term. Thanks!!

BULLSWOOL FARM TRIP

Bullswool farm was a wonderful time for our little ones - a massive huge thanks to those who were able to come along and make it all happen for us we appreciate you.

YEAR 5/6 HOCKEY/VOLLEYBALL

Due to lack of numbers Hockey and volleyball that was going to be held at the college has been cancelled for this term .

RIPPA RUGBY

Rippa has started really well, with 38 students from East in a team! :-)

Thanks to the few adults who have offered to help, unfortunately we need more coaches or managers to help out to run these teams either for trainings during the week, or subbing team members on and off during the games. Please let Rachael or Kim know if you can help out in any way.



KOTUKU SWIMMING SPORTS (Year 4-6)

Next Friday 3rd March, from 8.45am -12.15pm, at Waihi College Pool. We need help with transport and supervision, along with assistance to run the swimming sports that morning.

Please text Rachael on 021555542, if you can help with transport and supervision. Please come along to support our swimmers at the College.

The students are competing to qualify for the Waihi Cluster Swimming Sports which is on Thursday 9th March at the Waihi College Pool.



WAIHI EAST SCHOOL TRIATHLON

Friday 24th March at our school keep your training up for our school triathlon coming up!



BEST START WAIHI EAST SCHOOL

We would love to invite you to attend our Best Start workshops, here at Waihi East School, aimed at delivering successful transitions to school for all New Entrant children entering our Junior School. Our programme will look at 3 aspects of starting school, over 3 workshops sessions.

We invite you to attend the session in our staff room, whilst your child enjoys some time getting to know their teacher and classroom.

SESSION 1: WEDNESDAY 8TH MARCH 2017 - Our School. SESSION 2: WEDNESDAY 15TH MARCH 2017 - Literacy. SESSION 3: WEDNESDAY 29TH MARCH 2017 - Numeracy.

Please confirm your attendance by contacting Briar Frew (Deputy Principal) email: <u>bfrew@east.school.nz</u> or through the school office.

We can't wait to meet you!

PROJECT ENERGIZE SUPERMARKET TOUR SESSIONS

Thanks to Shar from Team Energize who is working with our classes on Tuesday and Wednesday next week, to deliver healthy eating lessons with our tamariki. We hope you get some tips for home too!

SIGN IN /OUT BOOK

If you are picking up your child early from school please pop into the office to sign them out. Also if you are dropping your child off late in the morning please also pop into the office to sign them in. Thank You.

ANNUAL CONSENT FORMS

We held the draw for the \$25 scholastic Bookclub voucher on Monday for returning the school consent form.

The winner was Lortress T!

CHROMEBOOKS

Chromebook forms are due tomorrow for all year 3 students and the year 4, 5 & 6 students who don't have already have a

Chromebook. If you would like to purchase a Chromebook please fill in the form and return to school. The chromebook will be issued depending on your payment option.



SCHOLASTIC BOOKCLUB

Issue No. 1 has been issued and closes on 24th March. All orders with payment to the office please.

SPORTS COACHING WORKSHOP

Waihi Central School is hosting a parents and teachers sports coaching workshop with the help of Project Energize, Sport Waikato and WaiBop football. The focus this term will be on netball and soccer.

When: Tuesday 28th February in Week 5

Time: 5:15pm

Where: Waihi Central School.

This will be an evening workshop with nibbles provided. It will give you the opportunity to gain skills and knowledge to work with children's sports teams.

If you have been thinking about giving coaching a go this is the perfect opportunity for you. We are crying out for coaches and managers for both netball and soccer this year and parents and caregivers play a crucial role in making these sports run smoothly.

For more information email tuim@waihicentral.school.nz or nikkis@waihicentral.school.nz.

MUSIC TUITION 2017

Professional and fun filled lessons by registered music teacher Mrs.Wella Tasma. Lessons at school during school hours. For info and enrolment pick up a **form** from the school office.

YEAR 5 / 6 CAMP AT LAKES RANCH ROTORUA









































KIDS' WORK

From Room 5... Topic: Me and my world—My skeleton.

I have a skeleton because I can move my body so I can grab stuff. By Weston R, age 8.

I need bones to stand up and I need bones because they give me a shape. By Brooklyn F, age 7.

We have a skeleton because we need it to hold us together otherwise we would be jelly on the ground. By Sienna L, age 7

The Human Body Skeletons are really strong and the bones are really really strong. If you didn't have any bones you would be a blob and when you are an adult you have 206 bones. By Tevita H, age 7

You have 206 bones inside your human body and 300 when you are a baby. By Mateo C, age 6



COMMUNITY NOTICES

Waihi Gymnastics Club Registration Wednesday 1st March 3.30-5pm Waihi College Gymnasium, Rata St, Waihi

Contact and coach Tracey Fowell 0272897799





FREE EAR CLINIC SERIVICE FOR CHILDREN

The caravan will be at Waihi Central School, Moresby Avenue on Friday March 3rd and Friday 7th April 2017. 9.30-12 and 12.45-1.30pm. Visit the ear nurse for advice on Glue ear assessment and management, Wax/foreign body removal, Grommet checks and treatment of discharging ears. All children must be accompanied by a caregiver. For enquiries regarding this service please contact 07 838 3565.



Do you want to make a difference in a child's life?

Child, Youth and Family are currently looking for people in this area who can offer safe, caring, stable homes for young people in need of short term care, time out over weekends and/or holidays, or a home for life. Our team will support you to understand and manage the challenges of fostering a young person, and we will be there

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You may be surprised; you could be just the right person to offer your care to a young person who needs you!

If you are interested in finding out more, or know someone who may be interested, or if you think you might be able to help in some other way then we would love to hear from you! Please call Johnson Taoho, Care Services Manager, on 07 957 4740 or email johnson.taoho001@cvf.govt.nz







Growlink aka The Onion Place in Katikati delivers Fresh quality Veges, fruit, eggs and pickles etc. to the school every Wednesday. Order online at **www.growlink.co.nz** Use the code WAIHI EAST to get free delivery to school or \$5 delivery to your home.

THANKS TO OUR GREAT SUPPORTERS

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.

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