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WAIHI EAST SCHOOL

Newsletter

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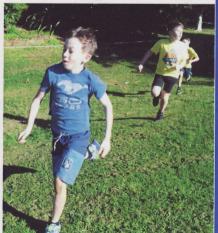














Waihi
East
School
Cross
Country



June 14
June 22
June 24
June 28
June 29
June 30
July 3
July 7
July 8

UPCOMING EVENTS

North Cluster Cross Country.
WBOP Cross Country.
Yellow Chromebook forms to be returned.
Matariki Hikoi.
BOP Cross Country.
Matariki Community Celebration. 5pm-7pm.
Assembly, Rooms 3, 5 & 8.
Matariki Dawn Viewing (Sunday).
Tapuwae Tournament.
Last Day of Term 2.

Cool Kids Afternoon.

First Day of Term 3.

Our Values

WAIHI EAST SCHOOL SCHOOL NEWSLETTER 17/2016

8th June 2016

Kia ora koutou. Ngā mihi maioha ki a koutou katoa. Warm greetings to you all.

ATTENDANCE - The weather has changed in the last couple of weeks, and staff and students are starting to come down with colds and other bugs. While we want each child to have an attendance rate of 90%+, (research suggests that rates less than that can impact on learning), we ask that they stay home if they are sick. Congratulations to Room 6 - their attendance rate was 94% last week!

FACEBOOK - Facebook can be a great way to communicate and keep in touch, and for some, preferable to trying to keep up with the weekly newsletter. Our school Facebook page, Waihi East Primary School, has 238 likes. If you are a Facebook user and haven't 'liked' our page, please do! You will get notifications and reminders that will help you know what is happening at school. From time to time, things don't go the way we want. We would ask that you don't use Facebook to vent your frustrations, but come and talk to us. We want to help resolve any problems.

Teachers are usually available to talk with you before 8:30am or at the end of the day (except Mondays). If you need more than a quick chat, you can email them to make a time, or you can leave a message with Sharon at the office. I have a varied schedule, so you could drop in to see if I'm available, or email me to make a time.

EMERGENCY DRILLS - Next week we will start practising our emergency drills: fire, earthquake, lock-down and bomb threat. If you are at school during these drills, please stay with the class you are with and follow the teachers' direction.

Ngā mihi nui, Whaea Steph (Anich), principal@east.school.nz

CROSS COUNTRY

Congratulations to all our winners from last week's Waihi East School Cross Country race. The results have been published on our Facebook page. Our runners also competed yesterday in the Waihi schools' cross country. Notable results were:

- Year 6 Monika V 2nd.
- Year 5 Tiare P 1st, Nareesha C 4th, Callum M 1st.
- Year 4 Victoria E-J 2nd, Mahe N 3rd, Alex E-J 6th, Johnston C 7th.
- Year 3 Celeste r 2nd, Katie T 3rd.Trent E 2nd, Rian M 5th
- Year 2 Isabelle C 3rd, Kylia M 4th, Kayla B 7th, Drew B 5th
- Year 1- Leah K 1st, Tuturi W 2nd, Mateo C 5th, Alex T

TEAM EAST WHANAU ROOPU MEETING

We are aiming to hold a **hangi** on the last Wednesday of term (6th July). Closer to the time we will be asking children to bring a vegetable (potato, pumpkin, kumara, cabbage) and a koha (gold coin) to go towards buying the meat. If you are able to donate quantities of vegetable or meat, or you are able to help in any way (providing kai baskets, muslin, rocks, irons etc), please let Briar know.

ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS

Entertainment Books are coming to Waihi East School again. They are absolutely full of thousands of dollars worth of FANTASTIC bargains and savings on food, entertainment, sports, attractions, shopping, travel, accommodation and so much more. We are selling these through the office. The book will be valid from April 2016 through to 1st June, 2017. The book includes deals in: Some restaurants and cafes in Waihi and Waihi Beach, Hamilton, Tauranga, Taupo, Rotorua, Coromandel Peninsula. The cost is \$60 per book and of this, our school will receive \$12 for every book sold.

A book will be in the office for you to view. The more we sell the more we make, so spread the word to your friends and whanau.

BOT ELECTIONS

Voting closed last Friday, 3rd June at noon. Counting takes place tomorrow to allow for any posted votes to arrive. Results will be in next week's Leader, and on the Waihi East School Facebook page and website.

BOT HUI DATES

The new Board will meet on Monday 20th June for Board training. The first official Board meeting will be Monday 4th July. Both of these hui start at 5:30pm.

MATARIKI WAIHI - Book in these dates! Community Hikoi (a march)

Friday 24th June, 12—1.30pm

Meet at Pumphouse, walk through town (along footpaths) singing our waiata, and back to Pumphouse for lunch.

Community Celebration

Wednesday 29th June, 5-7pm. Waihi Memorial Hall. Our **whole school and Kapahaka** will be performing! More details will be in a separate newsletter.

Hangi will be available, pre-order sales only.

Matariki Dawn Viewing

Sunday 3rd July, 6am, Bowentown Heads
Dawn Viewing of Matariki, followed by kai and cup of tea
at Otawhiwhi Marae. Some of the staff will be attending
this special event, and we hope that lots of Waihi East
tamariki and whānau will too.

Tapuwae Tournament

Thursday 7th July, 9-3pm at Waihi Central School. We have our Y4-6 East teams entered to compete for the carved trohpy and become 'Nga Whetu o Matariki' (the stars of Matariki).

JUICIES

There will be NO more juicy sales through the office for this term. (Because it's getting too cold for juicies!) Sales will start up again in Term 4. Thank-you for supporting this small fundraiser.

CHROMEBOOK PURCHASE—YEAR 3-6

'The Agreement' yellow form is due back at school by **Friday 24th June**, however earlier would be appreciated, so we can get a sense of how many Chromebooks we will be ordering.

Kids' Work



Aliya S with another horse riding trophy for the 2015-16 season. This is for the most points for the season. Well done Aliya!



Thanks to Mike Hill who took some great action shots at netball last Saturday.





SEAN PASTA Add 1 cup chickpeas' to 250g cooked pasta, ½ cup sliced tomatoes and a sprinkle of cheese. Developed by Sport Waikato 2016

COMMUNITY NOTICES

GROWLINK

Growlink orders have been dropping off so free delivery may have to be stopped to our school. Growlink offers your choice of fruit, veges and groceries online delivered for free to Waihi East School. Order Tuesday or a Wednesday delivery. Go to www.growlink.co.nz and use coupon code WAIHIEAST for free delivery.

KIDS MARTIAL ARTS CLASSES

Every Thursday and Friday 4.30-5.30pm @ St Johns Anglican Hall.

Age: 8-12 years. Cost: \$7.50 per week. First class is free with no joining fees. For more info phone 0211631891, email: waihimuaythai@gmail.com or check out our FB page: Waihi Community Martial Arts.

READING TIPS



READ a Bedtime Story to your child every night.

SPORTS DRAWS

NETBALL Saturday 11th June 2016

9.00 Ct 2 East Daisies 9.00 Ct 5 East Daffodils

10.00 Ct 4 East Suns v Whanga Mini Ferns
11.00 Ct 4 Shooting Stars v Beach Babes

BYE Comets

<u>Player of the Day Awards:</u> Suns; Victoria E-J & Victoria V.

Shooting Stars; Izabel B & Ashelin F.

Comets; Meg t & Lillie T

DUTY: Thank-you to all our parents who helped with duty last Saturday. You were amazing!!

Look out for the Comets \$100 Note Raffle - \$2 per ticket. They are fundraising so that they can train indoors.

SOCCER Year 1-4 Tuesday 3.30pm at Waihi Beach School.

SOCCER Year 5-6 Friday 3.30 pm, at Waihi College top field.



WHISK

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