

Waihi East Primary School Newsletter Term 3 2018 Week 9 20 September 2018



Looking after lambs at Mr Scott's farm getting ready for Ag Day.



UPCOMING DATES Scholastic Issue 6 closes. Sept 21 Sept 24 **BOT** Meeting. Sept 26 Touch Tournament Thames. Sept 27 Wheelie Hour, 11.30am Sept 27 Principals Awards Assembly & Kapahaka dress rehearsal.1.30pm. Sept 28 Hauraki Festival. Manaia. Sept 28 Last day of term 3. Oct 15 Term 4 Starts. Oct 29 Agricultural Day. **Nov 10** Car Boot Sale. Dec 6 **Twilight Market**

WEEKLY NOTICES AND REMINDERS

Kia ora Koutou

The term is rapidly coming to an end with just over a week to go. It has been a very busy term with most families and staff been hit with sickness and bugs. We are all looking forward to a warmer and hopefully healthier term 4.

A huge thank you to all the parents that helped out with Friday electives this term, we look forward to seeing what options our tamariki will have next term. If you would like to run an elective on Friday mornings with a small group of kids, please let Miss Jones know asap.

Our kea crossing road patrol is going great! There is a real sense of pride for our kids that are officially 'on patrol' with authority from the NZ Police. We would love a couple more parent helpers that would be able to help supervise the kids on patrol. If this is something you can help with please get in touch with Sharon in the office or see Miss Jones.

We have received reports from parents about the speed of other parents entering and leaving our school zone. Please be aware that kids can pop out from anywhere and we need you to be driving slower around the school. If you feel someone is not driving safely the advice we receive is for you to call the police directly with a number plate.

Please do not double park or park across driveways to pick kids up, particularly those near the crossing. This causes even more congestion and danger to our kids. Staff **WILL NOT** allow your child/ren to run into the middle of the road to get in a car.

Next Thursday we have wheelie day(11.30am) and a Principal's Awards Assembly(1.30pm). As part of the awards assembly we will have our kapahaka group performing their dress rehearsal for the Hauraki Festival. Feel free to come along to support the group.

Enjoy the coming break and warmer weather!

Nga mihi nui Zac

DRIVING SPEED AROUND SCHOOLS

We have had more complaints about the driving speed of some cars that are driving past the school at pick up times. Please keep your speed very slow as you drive past the school. Thanks.



SCHOLASTIC BOOKCLUB ISSUE 6

Issue 6 closes tomorrow, Friday 21st September. All orders with payment to the office please. Books will hopefully be back next week.

YUMMY APPLE STICKERS

We are still collecting Yummy stickers of the yummy apples sold at New World and Pak n Save. Please keep bringing in your stickers and labels off the plastic bags. Charts are available from the office if you would like your own one at home. These will be sent away next week. The stickers are exchanged for FREE sports gear so the more we collect the more sports gear we receive.



THE HAURAKI KAPAHAKA FESTIVAL

Kapahaka Festival is on the very last day of term, September 28 in Manaia. Please return you permission slip to the office **asap**.



CAMP 2019 FUNDRAISERS

CAR BOOT SALE—10TH NOVEMBER 2018

Helpers needed: Can you help out for our Car Boot sale on the 10th of November from 8-1pm? Needing helpers for car directing, sausage sizzle making, food stalls, making and serving yummy kai, helpers with clean-up at the end and much more. Please see Briar or Karyn if you can donate a few hours of the day to a great cause!

TWILIGHT MARKET—6TH DECEMBER, 2018.

Helpers needed: food stall holders, makers and servers, elective helpers on Friday making things to sell at our market, raffle donations, sponsors and more. If you can help in any way, please let Briar or Karyn know. This event will only go ahead with parent support.

FREE EAR CLINIC SERVICE FOR CHILDREN

The caravan will be at; Waihi Central School, Moresby Avenue. Wednesday 26th September. 9.45am—2pm. 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.

ADVENTURE RACE















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CONGRATULATIONS MOTOR CROSS



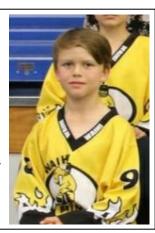
Alex M represented our school at the N.Z. Secondary School TT MX Tournament. Even though he is only 9 he raced his heart out in the 8-11 year olds category and placed 3rd overall. His points were added with his brothers and they won the Secondary Schools Trophy Overall. Well done Alex.





CONGRATULATIONS INLINE HOCKEY

Kayla B and Declan C have both been selected for the Central Region Inline Hockey Under 10 Rep team. Kayla has also been selected for the Junior women's team (Under 14). They will be travelling to Levin in October for the Inter-regional tournament. Good Luck!



From the Public Health Nurse

Nurses Natter #1 Chicken Pox – Varicella Virus

Hi there, at my recent school visit, a number of staff members voiced concern that there is chicken pox in the school. So my first Natter to you is on what to expect, what to look out for and what to do regarding this very easy to catch, nasty, common childhood viral illness. Parents don't think you are immune, yes you could catch it too if you didn't have the virus or the fun of those "pox parties" when you were younger!

The virus often starts with a fever, headache, runny nose, a cough, loss of appetite and lethargy. 1-2 days later a red rash occurs often starting on the face, then spreading to the back and tummy then all over the body, and it is very itchy. Within a few hours of the spot appearing a blister forms and over time releases the liquid inside which spreads the virus to others around them very easily. The person with the virus is infectious 1-2 days before the rash appears and symptoms may not appear for 10-21 days from time of exposure, therefore in places like schools and preschools it can become quite a problem. Students with chicken pox should stay away from school while they are unwell and infectious. Drink plenty of water, and treat the symptoms. But once all the spots have caused scabs they are no longer infectious they can return as long as they are well. Chicken Pox is a serious illness and can cause nasty complications. Children have been known to need hospital care from complications of Chicken Pox and pregnant women should see their GP for advice if they come in contact with the virus.

This is a vaccine preventable illness, you can see your GP/practice nurse for a vaccination if required, and further information can be found online at kidshealth.org.nz, healthnavigator.co.nz or on the Ministry of Health website.

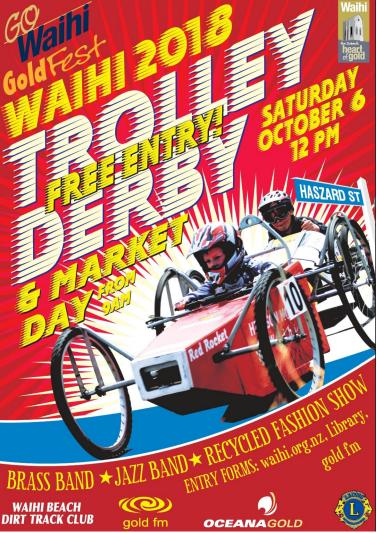
Alternatively you are welcome to contact me: 021 241 7800. Thankyou J Tracey

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COMMUNITY NOTICES



ACTING OUT SCHOOL OF DRAMA

Acting out School of Dramas School Holiday Programme is now taking registrations. The day offers students a chance to build confidence have fun and promotes imagination through games, creative storytelling and performance techniques. The course runs from 930am to 230pm on Wednesday the 10th of October in the lower pavilion on Rata Street at Waihi College and is offered to 6 to 12 year olds. The fee is \$65 for the day. To secure your child's place please email paulagaley@rocketmail.com or text 0223216171.



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Children's workshop

For children aged 6 to 12 who have a parent or carer with a cancer diagnosis

A mixture of therapy and fun, this workshop aims to provide children with tools and resources to build resilience and coping skills around the impact of cancer on them and their family/whânau.

TAURANGA

CIRCLE OF GROWTH BASKETBALL

Mondays 5th November—10th December (6weeks) Year 1 & 2. 3.30pm—4pm. \$5(parents required to stay)

Year 3 & 4. 4pm-5pm. \$5 Year 5 & 6. 5pm-6pm. \$25 includes t-shirt (t-shirts can be purchased by younger age groups for

Players will be coached by the Waihi College Basketball Players (under supervision) Please register through school. For more info contact Rachael on email rachaelh@waihicol.school.nz

Junior Social Summer League Basketball (teams) 26th October –14th December (8 weeks) \$10 per player Year 5& 6 teams 3.30pm-4.30pm Please register your team with Rachael @ rachaelh@waihicol.school.nz



Topics covered will include:

- What is cancer?
- Changes in family structures and relationships
- Feelings, emotions and communication.

The workshop will be facilitated by Debbie Mills-Henry, a family therapist and play specialist, alongside Penny Parsons, a Cancer Society supportive care nurse with a background in paediatric nursing.

Registration is essential.

Living for the future workshop

Date: Saturday 3 November 2018

Time: 9.30am - 3.30pm

Venue: Cancer Society's Tauranga office, 111 Cameron Road

Cost: Free of charge

For more information or to register, please contact:

Tammy Burgess - 07 927 6503 | tammyburgess@cancersociety.org.nz.

Angelique Ensor - 07 927 6505 | angeliqueensor@cancersociety.org.nz

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TUESDAY 9TH OCTOBER

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PAVILION 1 In Partnership with Impact Gymnastics

ENJOY A FUN DAY WITH SOME Challenging exercises that are suitable for all levels.

SUITABLE FOR AGES 6-13 ASB ARENA, 9.30AM - 3PM \$36 PER CHILD



WEDNESDAY 10TH OCTOBER

FOOTBALL

ASB ARENA
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WAIROP FOOTBALL

GREAT OPPORTUNITY TO DEVELOP YOUR BALL SKILLS.

SUITABLE FOR AGES 6 - 13 ASB ARENA, 9.30AM - 3PN \$36 PER CHILD



BASKETBALL

ASB ARENA IN PARTNERSHIP WITH TAURANGA CITY BASKETBALL

DEVELOP ALL THE SKILLS YOU NEED ON THE COURTS WHILST HAVING FUN

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THURSDAY 11TH OCTOBER

FOOTBALL

ASB ARENA In Partnership with Waibop Football

GREAT OPPORTUNITY TO DEVELOP YOUR BALL SKILLS.

SUITABLE FOR AGES 6 -13 ASB ARENA, 9.30AM - 3PM \$36 PER CHILD



FRIDAY 12TH OCTOBER

BASKETBALL

ASB ARENA In Partnership With Tauranga City Basketball

DEVELOP ALL THE SKILLS You need on the courts Whilst having fun.

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