



Waihi East Primary School Newsletter Term 2 Week 4 07 May 2020



May 8	Fly a Kite Day. 5.15-5.30pm.
May 15	Home Learning Virtual Pet Day. More information coming on FB.
Jun 1	Queens Birthday. School Closed.
Jul 3	Last day Term 2.
Jul 20	First day Term 3.
Sep 25	Last Day Term 3.
Oct 12	First Day Term 4.
Oct 23	Teacher Only Day.

WEEKLY NOTICES AND REMINDERS

Kia Ora Whanau,

Week 4, and wow it's been another week learning how to be a home learner for us all!

Next week we will hear about Alert Level 2, and what possible changes this may make to school life. I am definitely keen to hear, and fingers are crossed that just maybe, we will all be back together in this space sooner rather than later.

My heartfelt thanks to our teaching team - these outstanding gorgeous people have gone above and beyond, creating incredible learning opportunities for us in a totally different way, overnight. I'm sure you will join me in applauding them and showing our thanks! Super stars!

My thanks also goes to all your amazing caregivers, who have had to learn overnight how to juggle work and also supporting your child's learning - like many of you, I am also doing this - and some days the struggle is real!! I take my hat off to each of you! When parenting +

Please take time for you - please look after your own needs as a caregiver or parent. Our children need us all to be healthy and well, so that together we can all Rise Above and Shine.

Wow! We have been blown away by the lovely, lovely responses from our amazing community agencies to the letters that have gone out to them. Some of our children have written the most beautifully worded messages of thanks, and we love that they have been received so well.

When parenting + teaching feels too heavy, drop the assignment and snuggle up to read together.



Reading is enough.

Nga mihi Briar

THANK YOU

A massive shout out to Waihi Mine Rescue Team, Liberty Growers, Salvation Army, Civil Defence and Waihi Marae for helping our community with kai and getting devices out to whanau. Thank You

If you have kai needs please ring the Civil Defence 0800 800 405 They are wanting to help or let Briar know.

Bank Account details for any and all online payments . Please use your surname as a reference. 020472 0084492-00



We are calling for all our students and whanau to build a special kite for our *Fly a kite for...Day*. Come on, let's get our whole community to build and fly a kite on Friday 8 May 2020. By doing so, we can all recognise the role our community has played during a unique and historical global event, dedicating our kites to those in our homes, community and nationally who have contributed to our well-being during this time.

Dedicate your kite to a special person, whanau or organisation that has stood out for you over the past 6 weeks, e.g.

- Essential workers
- · You parents/caregivers
- Our Government
- . Families who have lost a family member
- . Those that became ill
- . The many that simply followed the lockdown rules
- Local businesses

Take a photo and send to Ms Scott at principal@east.school.nz

Thank You Essential Workers! From Waihi East Room 1 & 2









EGGY BREAD

1 egg

- 1/4 cup low fat milk
- 1/2 tsp of vanilla extract
- 2 pieces of wholegrain bread

Beat egg, milk and vanilla in a bowl. Dunk bread into mixture until completely covered. Using a non-stick pan, cook bread on both sides until golden.

Enjoy with slices of fruit and a dollop of yoghurt!



















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