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UPCOMING SCHOOL EVENTS

August 2020	September 2020
12 - Learning Hub at WPS	2 - Cultural day
13 - 14 - Starlab show	11 - Year 6 Disco
18 - BOT meeting	16-17 - Senior team market
19 - Cross Country	22 - BOT meeting
26 - School photos	25 - Grandparent's day
28 - Daffodil day	25 - Last day of term 3
31 - Gymnastics	

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Kia ora koutou

Our school has been working with SchoolDocs to create a website for our policies and procedures. We are excited to announce that the site is now live and available to our school community.

The school works on a subscription basis with SchoolDocs to maintain, update, and review our policies.

SchoolDocs provides us with a comprehensive core set of policies, which have been well researched and follow the Ministry of Education National Administration Guidelines. The policies and procedures are tailored to our school, and the school supplies specific information such as our charter, and procedures for behaviour management, reporting to parents, etc.

SchoolDocs updates, modifies, or creates policies in response to changes in legislation or Ministry guidelines, significant events, reviews/requests from schools, and regular reviewing from the SchoolDocs team. Our board of trustees has the opportunity to view changes/additions and comment on them before they are implemented. We will advise you when policies are up for review and how you can take part in the review.

We invite you to visit the site at <https://wps.schooldocs.co.nz> (note that there's no "www."). Our username is "wps" and password "argyle".

As previously mentioned, this term we will be consulting with you on a range of topics. The first of these consultations is on Health, so over the next couple of weeks you will be invited to complete a survey on the delivery of the health curriculum at Waipu Primary School. It is a Ministry of Education requirement for all schools to conduct this survey every two years and it will be available to you via Survey Monkey. We would really appreciate this being completed by 14 August.

Later in the term, we will be holding a parent meeting at school to gather your opinions on the future direction of our school. The ideas you provide, will feed into our strategic plan which we are developing to cover the next five years.

Nga mihi,
Julie

CONGRATULATIONS!

PB4L Values Certificates

Congratulations to the following students for an excellent effort in demonstrating our PB4L values in **Week 1**.

Kruz Heke, Isla Cullen, Ciara-Lee Steel, Dylan Mansell, Alyx Challenger, Peyton Andrews, Nerissa Barton, Genevieve Donn, Daisy winters, Vigga Jansen, Luke McInnes

We look forward to continuing to look for children who are displaying our values this term and you never know what special treat might be on offer at our last assembly.

Chocolate Fundraiser 1st Draw Winners

Congratulations to the winners of the 1st draw of our chocolate fundraiser. The following students got to choose a sports ball:

Melissa Williams, Luke Campbel, Cate Field, Addison Stewart, Ayden Cook and Charlie Comery

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

2020 Term Dates

The 2020 Term dates are as follows:

Term 1: 3 February - 9 April

Term 2: 28 April - 3 July

Term 3: 20 July - 25 September

Term 4: 12 October - 15 December



Matariki Festival

Last week Waipu Primary School hosted a Matariki Kapa Haka Festival with all four schools of our Kahui Ako - Waipu Primary, Ruakaka Primary, One Tree Point Primary & Bream Bay College. This was the first of a yearly event that will rotate around all of the schools.

This event was to mark the start of the Māori New Year and gave us a chance to celebrate together as a community of learning through Kapa Haka & kai. Each Kapa Haka group did very well and we were very proud of our own tamariki. We are already looking forward to next year.

Ngā mihi o te tau hou Māori - Happy Matariki



Marmalade and Honey For Sale

We have the most scrumptious homemade marmalade made by the Robertson family out of our school's citrus, for sale in the office, \$5 per jar. Be in quick, it sells out fast! Also....our world famous Honey is back, made by our very own bees and collected by our year 6 Apiarists. This honey is delicious! Be in quick, it's a steal at \$8 per 500g jar.

Change Of Date - Cultural Day

We have changed the date of the Cultural day to 2nd September.

Learning Hub

The Learning Hub -Te Manawa Tahī will be held at Waipu Primary School next Wednesday 12th August, 9am - 12pm in Room 10 (beside the workshop). If you have any concerns regarding your child's learning, behaviour or wellbeing, please feel free to call in.

Lost Property

We have a large pile of lost property at the moment, including loads of shoes. Please go to the library entrance to check the wardrobe stand for your child's lost sweatshirt or outside the door for shoes.

School Pool Chocolate Fundraiser

Please send your chocolate money (in a named envelope) along with any unsold chocolate back to school by tomorrow (Friday 7th August).

Agricultural Day - Saturday 17th October

If you are looking for a calf, lamb or goat. please ask at the office. Often we have farmers who are happy to supply children with animals and take them back once Ag day is over.

Otamatea Group Day 2020

Otamatea Group Day will be commencing this year on Sunday 18th October and will include calves, lambs and goats. Animals must be born between 1st June to 31st August 2020. There will be a preschooler section for children under the age of 5, along with Juniors 5-9 years old and Seniors 10 year olds to Year 8. College class is for Years 9 to 13.

We ask that you please register by Friday 9th October 2020 so we know how many animals to expect on the day.

To enter, email silverstreamsalers@gmail.com for entry forms.

Skate Park in Waipu - Community Voting

Our community have the chance this week to voice their opinion by voting for the Waipu Activity area (Skate Park). Your YES or NO vote may be cast today, Thursday 6th August 12pm to 6pm or Saturday 8th August 8am-1pm at the Waipu Presbyterian Church Hall, 50 The Centre, Waipu.

PTA Fundraiser - Volunteers needed

On Monday night the PTA met to discuss possible fundraisers through to the end of the year. Please refer to the flyer below for the suggestions that were discussed. We'd love for you to volunteer to help get these off the ground. We had 18 parents turn up for the meeting which is a fabulous turnout. Please let Mel or Julie know if you're keen to help.



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED - FUNDRAISING FOR WAIPU PRIMARY SCHOOL

1 COLOUR RUN AT WAIPU PRIMARY - SEP

If you want to lend a hand to a small team to help plan this event. Date to be confirmed (early to mid September)

2 AG DAY FUNDRAISING - 17 OCTOBER

We need a few people who would like to help run a White Elephant in the Northpine Hall &/or some fun country games for the kids.

3 ADULT QUIZ NIGHT AT SCHOOL - TERM 4

Are you an expert at Quiz night? We need a small team to run this themed event in the Northpine Hall. Grating platters & drinks included & someone to manage RSVP's.

4 MOVIE NIGHT FOR KIDS - END TERM 3

Can you help to organise a movie night? Date to be confirmed.

CAN YOU HELP? PLEASE EMAIL

waiputachair@gmail.com

Time	Bus Location - School 1	Bus Location - School 2	Bus Location - School 3	Time
07:15	Manawatu High School, 110 Siskinapa Road, Manawatu 050	Beranda, 2 Armstrong Avenue, Manawatu 050	Whaka Road, 40 King Street, Whangarei 010	9:00am - 12:00pm
08:15	Wainui Community Trust, 9 Tahiri Place, Rukaka 010	Clark Road Chapel, 4-6 Clark St, Kaim, Whangarei	Bus 2 Bells, Mangotopu	9:00am - 12:00pm
08:30	Parua Bay Community Centre, 1475 Whangarei Heads Road, Parua Bay 050	Russell Primary School, 4275 State Highway 12, Russell 050	Te Aho, 57 Tamatea Drive and Park Place, Otago	9:00am - 12:00pm
09:15	Mangakohi Beach School, 291101 Street, Mangakohi 050	Whangarei School, 2914 Russell Road, Whangarei 050	Te Aho School, 5139 Papanui Road, Whangarei 0276	9:00am - 12:00pm
09:30	Overall Community Hall, Overall, Whangarei	Matahuru Primary School, Matahuru 050		9:00am - 12:00pm
11:00	Waipu Primary School, 4 Argyle Street, Waipu 050	Clark Road Chapel, 4-6 Clark St, Kaim, Whangarei	Tamara Area School, Omara Road, Mangakohi 010	9:00am - 12:00pm
11:30	Beranda, 2 Armstrong Avenue, Manawatu 050	Seppelt Primary School, State Highway 12, Seppelt		9:00am - 12:00pm
13:15	Jurika Hall, 111 Kaitake, 11 Columbia-Mangakohi Rd	Haberford School, 6 Green Street Road, Haberford 010	Bus 2 Bells, Mangotopu	9:00am - 12:00pm
09:00	Beranda, 2 Armstrong Avenue, Manawatu 050	Orange School, Orange, Otago		9:00am - 12:00pm
14:00	One Tree Point School, 97 One Tree Point Road, One Tree Point 010	Clark Road Chapel, 4-6 Clark St, Kaim, Whangarei		9:00am - 12:00pm
27:00	Te Aho, Williams Jones Drive and Park Place, Otago	Waipu Primary School, 12 State St, Te Aho		9:00am - 12:00pm
02:00	Paparoa Primary School, 11 Parkin Rd, Paparoa	Beranda, 2 Armstrong Avenue, Manawatu 050	Mangakohi Community Hall, Mangakohi Road, Te Aho 010	9:00am - 12:00pm
05:00	Whangarei High School, 184 Conry Road, Whangarei 010	Aspeton School, Aspeton 010		9:00am - 12:00pm
08:00	Rukaka School, 12 Scotland Rd, Rukaka 010	Clark Road Chapel, 4-6 Clark St, Kaim, Whangarei	Bus 2 Bells, Mangotopu	9:00am - 12:00pm
10:00	Whangarei Sports Club, North Crescent, Whangarei 010	Seppelt Intermediate School, 18 Charlotte St, Seppelt	Overall Community Hall, Overall, Whangarei	9:00am - 12:00pm
14:00	Mangakohi Primary School, 9 George St, Mangakohi	Whangarei Baptist Church, 100 Park Rd & Herenga St, Whangarei	Whangarei Baptist Church, 100 Park Rd & Herenga St, Whangarei	9:00am - 12:00pm
17:00	Beranda, 2 Armstrong Avenue, Manawatu 050			9:00am - 12:00pm
18:00	Beranda, 2 Armstrong Avenue, Manawatu 050	Presbyterian Church - Seppelt, 18 Charlotte Street, Seppelt 050		9:00am - 12:00pm

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For those of you keen to start, or continue lessons this year, I will be coming in to school again on Tuesdays. All enquiries welcome. My contact numbers are 4320680, or 021 0343557. All the best, Janeen Soderling.

Circool Circus

Friday classes, Coronation Hall, Waipu Primary students 3.15pm - 4.15pm

Secondary students 4.30pm - 5.30pm

Enquiries Achmed 02102777294

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Newsletter Content

If you want to advertise any events/items in the newsletter, please email Julie Turner at principal@wps.school.nz. If you want to take up a paid spot let Cindy know - cindy@wps.school.nz.

Office Payments

Only small cash payments for lunches/mufti days are taken through classrooms. Any large cash payments are to be made directly to the office by parents please. We now have EFTPOS available for your convenience (credit card payment fees apply). Please refer to the accounts below for Internet banking, bearing in mind there are different accounts for different payments.

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Waipu Primary School OSCAR: 12-3099-0833144-01 (**OSCAR payments ONLY please**)

Waipu Primary School PTA: 12-3115-0143849-00 (Second hand uniforms and calendar money)

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Buses

Any bus issues should be reported to Jordan McDonald either directly (jordan@wps.school.nz) or via the school office. Please complete the paperwork provided by the office staff to record your issue/complaint.

Uniform Sales

Second hand uniforms are available from Kylie Jacoby. Phone Kylie on 02102693876 to see what she has available. If you have a uniform you do not need, please consider giving this to Kylie as the money from second hand clothing comes back to the school.

The uniforms are held at school but you need to arrange a time with Kylie to view on Wednesdays between 8:00am and 9:30am.



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