

Dear Parents & Friends

END OF TERM 2:

School will close at **3.00pm tomorrow Friday 2 July** for the end of Term 2. School will reopen for Term 3 on **Monday 19 July** at 9.00am.

SCHOOL ASSEMBLY:

There will be two school assemblies **tomorrow** in our **School Hall**. The Year 1 – 4 assembly will start at 9.15am and the Year 5 – 8 assembly at 9.45am.

MID YEAR STUDENT PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS:

Once again we are using a web based booking system for our 3-Way Parent/Student/Teacher Interviews. You can make your bookings on the school website at....

<http://www.waikanae.school.nz/1/pages/79-mid-year-parent-student-teacher-interview-bookings>

- Interviews will be held over two successive **Thursdays - 22nd & 29th July**.
- The only exception to this will be for parents of students in Room 6 where Interviews will take place on **Tuesday 3rd** and **Thursday 5th August** from 3.15 to 6.15pm.
- Interviews are 15 minutes in duration.
- The school will **close early on Thursday 22nd July** with buses leaving at **12.40pm**.
- The school will close at the normal time of 3.00pm on Thursday 29th July.

SKI CAMP PIE FUNDRAISER:

Some of our parents have organised a fundraiser for ski camp through selling delicious, family-sized homemade pies! Some of the delicious flavours available are Mediterranean Lamb, Country Chicken, Steak and Kidney, Mince and Cheese, Apple, Lemon, Caramel etc. Pies are **\$8.00** each with money raised going to offset the cost of ski camp.

Order forms are available from the school office. Just fill it in, put in an envelope together with the necessary money (cash or cheque) and return your order to the box in the office by **FRIDAY 23 JULY**. The orders will take about two weeks and we will advise parents when their pies are ready. Parents need to collect the pies from school as they might not get home in one piece otherwise!!



SKI CAMP FUNDRAISER:

Meat, Meat, Meat, Porterhouse, Fillet, Scotch steaks, Schnitzels, Mince, Roasts, Salami and Sausages etc YUM! Here's your chance to feed your family top quality meat at an affordable price. As a ski camp fundraiser Abbie is selling a beef beast all cut up and individually packaged into meal sizes. \$450 per ¼ or \$900 per ½ beast. It will be processed by a butcher and delivered to you frozen. Please call or txt 0275180260 or 2932210

BOOK AMNESTY:

The Book Amnesty has been very successful and will continue until after the school holidays. Holidays are a great time to tidy up bedrooms and find any forgotten Waikanae School books?

You may even get a prize if yours has been ‘missing’ for the longest time!!! These books can be junior readers (with small coloured stickers at top right), library books, or senior novels. All should have a Waikanae School stamp inside.

So... get searching!!!

COMING DATES:

02.07.10	School Assembly, School Hall 9.15am & 9.45am End of Term 2
19.07.10	Start of Term 3
20.07.10	NZSO Concert for Yr 5-8
22.07.10	Parent /Teacher Interviews Day 1 – school closes 12.30pm
29.07.10	Parent/Teacher Interviews Day 2

CANTEEN: Wednesday Special, 21 July – Spaghetti Bolognaise Reminder – Friday is Sushi Day

RED SOCK DAY:

Tomorrow, **Friday 2 July**, the Senior Syndicate will be running a red sock day. Red Sock Day is to support and encourage young leaders of New Zealand to reach their goals. Activities to be held during morning tea and lunch will be:

Sausage sizzle (**\$1.50**)
Jump Jam
Singing
Coin Trail

Skipping Contest
Cup Stacking
Spot prizes



Lapel pins will be on sale in the morning for **\$2.00 each**. All profits raised will be donated to the Sir Peter Blake Trust. At lunchtime there will be a sausage sizzle to raise funds for the Year 7/8 ski camp. Show your support by wearing red clothes, wigs, accessories and socks! The class with the most red socks will win the Red Sock Trophy.

NETBALL DRAW – SATURDAY 3 JULY 2010:

Team	Opposition	Court No.	Time
Tuis	Paek Pango	PJ Plumbing	8.30am
Keas	Kapanui Tactix	Finman Services	8.30am
Wekas	Te Ra Kiwi Kids	Texturite	9.15am
Rubies	St Pats Emeralds	Otai Landscaping	11.00am
Diamonds	PBS Cookies	Glassfit	11.00am
Kiwis	RSS Pixies	10	11.00am
Sapphires	Wae Emeralds	10	12.00pm
Pearls	KK Shooters	Otai Landscaping	1.00pm

ENVIROCENTRE NEWS:

Oh McCain You've Done It Again

We have registered for the McCain School Veggie Patch Promotion. Through this promotion we can redeem points gained from barcodes for equipment and supplies for our Envirocentre. Please cut out barcodes from the McCain Frozen Vegetable and McCain Purely Potato range and hand them in to the office. If you want to read more about this promotion, you can go to www.mccainveggiepatches.com. Thank you for your help.



YUMMY STICKERS:

A reminder that we will be collecting Yummy stickers right through until the end of Term 3. Class totals will be kept and **all** rooms will be able to choose sports equipment of their choice depending on their total of Yummy stickers. Sticker sheets can be downloaded at www.yummyfruit.co.nz or picked up from the school office.



REGIONAL CROSS COUNTRY:

Thirteen children from Waikanae School represented Kapiti in the Regional Cross Country at Waikanae Park on Tuesday. They did extremely well and consistently finished in the top half of their races. The star competitor was **Ella Bain** Yr 7 who finished a meritorious **8th**. Ella has been selected to represent the Wellington Region in the Central NZ Championships at Hanmer Springs. Children who competed were:

Maxine Taylor, Maia Shackelford, Marcus Flattery, Jaden Fearon, Cooper Hodges, Edward Couchman, Ben Clarke, Kesiash Dennis, Ella Bain, Eriki Wilson-Arapere, Sam Selby-Bennetts, Jesse Pearson, Isaac McLennaghan

PROTECTION AGAINST INFLUENZA – from the Public Health Nurse:

Winter is with us and there are a few things which are easy to do and will help protect you against influenza (flu). There is still time to get vaccinated. This year's vaccine provides protection against 3 strains including swine flu. It takes 10 – 14 days to get protection so don't delay. People with health conditions and some others are able to get free vaccinations, so check with your doctor about being vaccinated.

The following will help prevent people getting sick.

- Clean your hands often. Either wash with soap and water, for at least 20 seconds, or use alcohol-based cleaners. Remember to dry your hands well.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose or mouth as germs are spread this way.
- Try to avoid contact with sick people.



If you become sick with influenza:

- Stay home from work or school.
- Avoid close contact with other people.
- Cover your nose and mouth with tissue when you cough and sneeze. Throw the tissue in the rubbish.
- Wash your hands regularly, particularly after you cough or sneeze.
- Drink plenty of fluids.

- Keep areas clean. Disinfect surfaces within your home to kill germs. Read the labels to make sure the disinfectant kills germs on surfaces. Keep a close eye on people who are sick, as they can get very unwell quickly and need medical help.

If you have further concerns please phone your family doctor or Healthline 0800 611 116.

COMMUNITY NOTICES:

- **For Sale:** Computer station \$30.00, phone 9043660.
- **Lindale Farm** is re-opening on **Saturday 3 July**. All new animals to meet – bottle feed our baby lambs & calves and have a ride on Dillon the donkey! Adults \$8.00, kids \$5.00, under 2's free. Enquiries to Virginia 027 4432541.
- **James Wynn:** James is a 19 year old Waikanae local who attended Waikanae Playcentre, Kapanui School & Paraparaumu College. Come & hear James speak about his experiences as a Trainee with the San Francisco Ballet School. He will perform a couple of solos & present a slide show at 3pm on **Sunday 4 July** in Kapanui School Hall. Gold coin donation entry. For further info, phone Bronwyn on 293 6380.
- **Ladies Pamper Evening:** Massages, Facials, pedicures etc & demonstrations including Zumba and much more. **Friday 9 July**, 6.00-11.00pm at Te Horo Hall, School Rd, Te Horo. Ticket presales \$5.00, door sales \$10. Tickets available from Whirling Rainbow, SHI Otaki, Prenzels, Paraparaumu & Te Horo School Office. For more info phone 021 2052574.
- **Zumba Kapiti:** Bringing Zumba to the Kapiti community!! Ditch the workout, join the party! Classes starting at Waikanae Memorial Hall on Thursdays at 7.30pm from **Thursday 15 July**. Classes also in Paraparaumu and Raumati. For further information contact Natalie on 021 206 3440, email zumbakapiti@gmail.com or go to www.zumbakapiti.co.nz.. Find us on Facebook too!!
- **Bright Pre-schooler? Small Poppies** is NZ's longest running extension and enrichment programme for bright & gifted pre-schoolers aged 3–6 years, run by the Gifted Education Centre. Founder & Lead Teacher, Sue Breen, will be in Johnsonville, Wellington, on **7 & 8 July**, to hold parent & teacher workshops and to see children who wish to be considered for the programme. For further information, please contact the Coordinator: Shirley Lawn, tel **04 2323523**, email: shirley.lawn@giftededucation.org.nz, website: www.smallpoppies.co.nz
- **Guitar Lessons:** Learning to play the guitar is fun. I teach individual students or in pairs. Currently a few time slots still available for children (or parents). Lessons are held weekly & run for half an hour. Held at Waikanae Beach. Phone or txt Tony 021 0559940 or email tony@koretzmusic.com
- **Mid Winter Fun Night: Thursday 1 July**, 7:30pm. A three course buffet dinner and bingo at the Waterfront Bar and Kitchen, Raumati Beach. \$28 per person. Full bar services available. Raffles & extra bingo cards also available to purchase. A Waikanae Montessori fundraiser. Purchase tickets from Waikanae Montessori phone 9026135, Dhakshi 04 2981608 or Tracey 021 718 542.
- **Waikanae Fire Station Open Day:** Come along & see how the emergency agencies work. Live displays, fun for the kids, safety tips for your home, free entry. **Sunday 4 July**, 10am – 4pm at 353-355 Te Moana Rd, Waikanae. Find this advert in your local paper, bring it long to the open day & receive a free smoke alarm (conditions apply).

- **Children's Pottery /Sculpture Classes:** Taking enrolments for Term 3. Monday 3.30-5.00pm, 4 sessions \$25.00 incl clay and firing (subsidised). Sessions include coiling, slab, pinch pots & glazing. Approx 12 children per class at Otaki Pottery Club Parent helpers welcome to stay and learn. 8 years & older (children under 8yrs considered if a parent stays to help). commencing Monday July 19/26 & August 2/9. Limited spaces. Contact Michelle Retimana 905 298.
- **Scouts Jamboree – Fundraiser:** We are looking for stuff to sell at a Garage Sale on **Saturday 17 July**. Bring your donated stuff to the Scout Hall on regular nights.
- **Hip Hop Classes:** To start **Monday 26 July** in the Small Hall at the Waikanae Memorial Hall. Times: 3.15-3.45pm for 5-6yrs, 3.45-4.15pm for 7-8yrs & 4.15-5.00pm for 9-10yrs. Cost: 5-6yrs & 7-8yrs - \$45 for 8 week block. 9-10yrs - \$55 for 8 week block. Phone Sumara to book now 9054249 or 021 0501565.
- **Konfident Kidz:** Is your child demanding, disrespectful or difficult? Maybe lacking in confidence!! Konfident Kidz is a new innovative self development programme designed to empower your children with confidence, sureness and self control. Come to our presentation at 'Crossroads' corner of Kings Crescent & Cornwall Street, Lower Hutt at 7pm, **Tuesday 27 July**. Please register your interest with Jo or Lisa by the 23 July on 04 586 9222 or email konfidentkidz@clear.net.nz
- **Minx Shoes:** Sale preview night **9 July** till 7.30pm. Winter sale begins **13 July** at Otaki, Petone & Greytown www.minxshoes.co.nz

HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES:

- **Free Holiday Fun** at your local library. Matariki stories & crafts plus New Zealand musician Levity Beet...interested? For more information check out our website www.kapiticoastlibraries.govt.nz or visit the library.
Bookings Essential
- **School Holiday Football Programme:** From **Tuesday 6 – Thursday 8 July**, 9.30am to 12.30pm. For ages 5 to 15 yrs. For more info email stu.jacobs@captalkaizen.co.nz
- **Waikanae River Planting:** If you are looking for a holiday event, the Friends of Waikanae River are holding planting events on **12 & 19 July** from 9am. This will be on the south bank of the river with access to the planting site from SH1 beside the road bridge. The holes are already dug so just planting required. For further information contact c.duncan@clear.net.nz
- **Kapiti Modelling & Grooming Academy** are running fun workshops in the July Holidays. Modelling, grooming, positive attitude on **9th July**. Also an Auditioning workshop for boys & girls on **15th July**, 6 - 16 yrs. Workshops held at the Kapiti Community Centre. Enquiries welcome ph Vicki 2988148 www.kapitimodelling.com
- **Stables on the Park:** Special Holiday Programme – grooming, tacking, on the ground tips, 10.30am – 3.30pm, cost \$85 per day (bring your lunch). To book a place (numbers limited) phone 0274 486764, 06 3643336 or 2984609
- **Netball Coaching Clinic** will be run during the second week of the school holidays, 9-12 noon, **Monday 12 to Friday 16 July**. Open to all Yr 4 to 8 children and is being held at Te Atiawa. The cost is \$15 per day or \$60 for the week. Participants are to bring morning tea/snacks each day & a drink bottle. During the coaching clinic kids



will learn new skills, meet new friends, play games & have FUN! To register go to www.netballkapiti.org.nz or contact us on ndo@netballkapiti.org.nz or 296 9003.

- **Farm Club Holiday Programme** - Are you looking for something different to do in the holidays? At the Kapiti Equestrian Centre & Vaulting Club holiday programme you will ride horses, try vaulting, learn about animal care, go on walks, ride bikes do crafts & have heaps of fun. \$40.00 per day Mon – Fri 9.00 am – 3.00 pm . For **more** details contact Ruth on 021 2669 553, or email gaudelm@yahoo.de or check out our
- **Lighthouse OSCAR & Lighthouse Youth Holiday Programmes** open now for enrolments. Visit www.thekapitilighthouse.co.nz for details of activities & enrolment form. \$4.50per hour, capped at \$180 per week. In house appointments with Winz available Thursday 24 June 4.30-6.30pm. Phone 2988549. **Lighthouse Youth:** A Winz subsidised holiday programme for 12 & 13 yr olds. Based in a cafe setting with loads of age appropriate fun with adult support. Phone Shelley 2988549 for details.
- **The Kapiti Gymnastics Club** is running their School Holiday Programme in week one of the holidays 5-9 July 2010. Bookings are essential – please telephone 2987010.
- **Artful Kids Holiday Fun, Paekakariki and Raumati:** Fine Arts Classes for 6-13 year olds. All materials supplied. Runs 1st and 2nd weeks, starting July 5th, 9.30am till 12.30pm. \$25 a morning or \$100 for the week. Call Rachel on 04 905 8219, places limited to 12 per class.
- **KidzOwn Winter Holiday Program** is now available. We will be running from Monday **5 July to Friday 16 July 2010**. Contact Motu on 0800 543 9696 or email admin@KidzOwn.co.nz for a free Info Pack.
- **El Rancho Camps:** Camps to be held during the July school holidays – Kid’s Camp for 7-9 yr olds, Tues 6 – Sat 10 July, \$150 per child. Junior Camp for 10-12 yr olds, Tues 13 – Sat 17 July, \$150 per child. Registration forms available from the school office or book online at www.elrancho.co.nz
- **SwimMagic Swim School Lessons** in our nice warm pools at Otaki Pool during the July School Holidays & in Term 3 2010. **Holiday dates:** 5 – 9 July & 12 – 16 July. Cost: \$50 per week or \$75 for two weeks. **Term 3:** Monday 19 July – Saturday 25 September. I have a special running for Term 3. Have lessons twice a week and receive 50% discount on the second lesson. That’s only \$150 for 20 lessons. To book your swimming lessons contact Kimra on 06 3645542.
- **Art Of This World...**Art Education. Two day workshop, **Monday 5 & Tuesday 6 July**. Following up on our workshop on faces & hands we will advance into:
*Foreshortening - making things that are closer look bigger. *Have you heard of Louise Nevelson? She puts together things that have been thrown away & brings them back to life (Assemblage). All materials provided. Spaces are limited, \$30 per day, bring your lunch. Venue: Te Horo School Hall. Phone Brenda (06) 364 3565 or 021 1789153. brosenberg@ihug.co.nz
- **Upper Hutt Roller Skating Club:** During July school holidays Roller Disco, Mon - Fri both weeks, 1:00 - 3:00pm. Entry \$6 Blade hire, \$3 Skate hire Free. 34B Goodshed Rd Rink phone 9390507.
- **SKIDS** (Safe Kids in Daily Supervision) July School Holidays, **6 July to 16 July** at Raumati South School. For brochure/enrolments/bookings or enquiries contact: Sonia South (06) 3648852, 027 739 1986 email: raumatisouth@skids.co.nz, www.skids.co.nz