

Welbourn School Newsletter

Te Kura Tuatahi O Pukekura

November 9 2017

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Tena ra koutou ki nga hau e wha; Greetings to everybody; Kia ora, Talofa lava, Bonjour, Ni men hao, Guten Tag, Konnichi wa, Buenos dias, Kem cho, Namaste, Huan Yin, Anyunghaseyoo, Bom dia, Ahoj, Xin Chão Nêih hoū, Goeie more.

Our school Goal this term is: INNOVATION – Ngaakau Tapatahi, Wānanga - Have a “can do” attitude

Congratulations to all children “Caught making good choices” this week - Indie Simmers Rm 16, Nikita Myburgh Rm 9, Anae McCartan-Bellis Rm 7, Annah Watson Rm 12, Mali Edwards Rm 4.

Congratulations to Luke Eastwood Rm 14, Shari Geurtson Rm 12, Malaena Carino Rm 4 who received a book in our “Caught in a Book” weekly draw.



Important Dates

20-24 November - ERO Team

27 November - Y6 AWE swimming week

28 November - BOT Meeting

1 December – Tough Kids challenge

6 December - Parent-Volunteer Morning Tea

Soaring to Success



Term Dates

Term 4: October 16th-December 19th

Term 1 2018: February 1st-April 13th

Term 2 2018: April 30-July 6

Term 3 2018: July 23-September 28

Term 4 2018: October 15-December 18

BOT News:

School Enrolment Zone

Due to ongoing roll pressure and the risk of overcrowding, Welbourn School Board of Trustees and The Ministry of Education agree that an enrolment scheme is required in accordance with section 11H of the Education Act 1989.

We propose to have the enrolment scheme effective from January 31st 2018 for the beginning of the 2018 school year.

We are currently in the consultation process with our neighbouring schools. There may be some amendments to the draft zone description to accommodate their views and gain an agreement with them and the Ministry of Education.

An updated zone description will be posted on our website and shared with the school community when we have completed this consultation.

We know school families that will be ‘out of zone’ will be concerned about enrolment for the younger siblings of current students. The BOT has resolved to offer sufficient Out of Zone places at the time of balloting each year to ensure siblings of current students can also enroll.

ERO review

The Education Review Office (ERO) will be undertaking an external review of our school on the week of 20 November. Welbourn School was last reviewed by the ERO in May 2013.

The purpose of an ERO review is to look at how the school reaches positive learning outcomes - knowledge, skills, attitude and habits - for all children and young people. They are interested in what is working well and where improvements can be made. The ERO review process works with a school’s own evaluation processes. It also supports a culture of ongoing improvement.



Roadworks - that may affect some of the school’s student travel.

Powerco's project to lay a power cable from upper Vogeltown to Moturoa has reached the intersection of Carrington, Hori and Huatoki streets.

We have been asked to advise our students and their parents to take care when using this intersection during the works period.

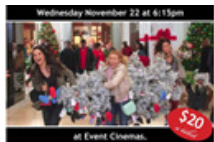
The intersection will remain open to traffic, and drivers should follow the direction of traffic management signs.

Footpaths will remain open throughout the works period.

While the pedestrian crossing on Carrington Street will be closed for a short time next week, Powerco will have an alternative crossing system set up during that time.

Home & School News

Calendar Art has arrived, you can expect it to come home in the next few days, so please check your child's bag.



MOVIE NIGHT - Our Bad Moms 2. Movie tickets are selling fast **only 22 left**, so make sure you grab them soon so you don't miss out. \$20-00 a ticket available now from the school office. We have some fabulous spot prizes for the night, so gather your girlfriends and come and have a laugh with us!!

Sports News

Term 1, 2018 sports registrations will all be out from Monday 20th November and will need to be back to the school office with payment by Friday 1st December.

Sports available in Term 1 will be Inline Hockey, Kiwi cricket (Yrs 1-2 only) Summer soccer, Touch Rugby at Bell Block, Hickford Park.

Inline Hockey – Season runs from Thursday November 2nd – December 14th from 5:30. Skates and stick are supplied at the arena.

Compulsory equipment from home required are mouth guard, black shorts and helmet and recommended are shin and elbow pads.

Kiwi Cricket (Yr 1-2) - Season runs from Friday 20th October – Friday 9th December with games at 5:30 from Lynmouth and Western Parks

Cancellations at <http://www.taranakicricket.co.nz/noticeboard>

Netball - (Yr 1-2) – Season runs from 18th October – 6th December

Summer Soccer – Season runs from Tuesday 24th October – Tuesday 12th December from 6pm at Merrilands domain. Cancellations can be found at <http://www.nprangers.co.nz>

Touch Rugby - (Devon Intermediate and surrounding schools in Term 4) – Season runs from Monday 16th October- Monday 11th December. Cancellations will be emailed to coaches from City Touch by 2pm Monday to be forwarded.

Suzanne Hopkins, Sport Administrator,

Welbourn School Phone: 757 5810 email: sport@welbourn.school.nz

Lost Property - Our children from Room 9 who help with this have sorted and returned named clothing. Please check the lost property located in the entry to the cloak bay next to Room 9. Unclaimed clothing at the end of the term will be bagged, held for a further period and then passed on to a charity.




2018 Planning

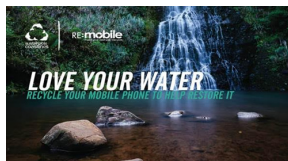
It is that time of year when we begin to plan class organisation for next year. To help us make sure our numbers are accurate we would like to know of any children who may be moving to another school (apart from Year Six's at the end of the year).

Please contact the school to check we have your child's name on our list if you have a five year old starting in 2018 or if there is any information that will assist us in organising classes. Thank you.

Community Notices

St Joseph's School New Plymouth are holding an Art Auction on Nov 17 starting at 7pm. The auction is being held in the St Joseph's Parish Hall, Devon St West (opposite WR Phillips). Over 150 art works from local, national and international artists will be auctioned off in a live and silent auction. Previewing of the Art is welcomed between 3-7pm Thurs 16 Nov and 5-7pm on Friday 17th November. Free entry.

 **Lost** last Friday – a black Macpac umbrella with orange handle with the name Rust on it. If found please return to Jack in Room 9. Thank you.



HELP SUPPORT SUSTAINABLE COASTLINES MOBILE PHONE APPEAL IN OUR SCHOOL.

It would be great if you could rummage around in your drawers and toy boxes and bring into School any unwanted mobile phones you may have. Phones collected help our School gain valuable rewards and the environment benefits too by keeping our landfills

free of mobile phones and their array of hazardous toxic substances. Please drop any unwanted mobile phones you may have in the collection box in the reception area at School.



DECK THE ROOMS FOR REFUGE

9AM - 4PM SATURDAY
18TH NOVEMBER 2017

Striving Inspiration for Christmas
TEN PROPERTIES OPEN FOR ONE DAY ONLY

35 TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM
Taranaki Women's Refuge, Repertoire, Petal & Prickle,
Martins Inglewood, Trade Aid, Petal Pusher, Footloose,
The Christmas Village, Sentiments, Hawera i-site

TARANAKI WOMEN'S REFUGE

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Nga Mihi Kind regards

Kay Crowsley: Principal Tumuaki