

# Welbourn School Newsletter

Te Kura Tuatahi O Pukekura

November 16 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 Nēih hoū, Goeie more, Zdravo.

**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** - Corban Frost Rm 12, Aria Neumann Rm 5, Ellie Gardiner Rm 7, Zayria Cloninger Rm 14, Benji Earl Rm 10.

Congratulations to Lennox Marshall Rm 1, Maia Wood Rm 4, Edward Vickers Rm 6, Max Henderson who received a book in our “Caught in a Book” weekly draw.



A warm Welbourn welcome to

Theodore Stephens and Radenko Mirkovic

## Important Dates



**20-24 November** - ERO Team

**27 November** - Y6 AWE swimming week

**28 November** - BOT Meeting

**1 December** – Tough Kids challenge

**4 December** – Building work begins R11-12

**6 December** - Parent-Volunteer Morning Tea

**15 December** – Class Awards Assembly

- Year 6 leavers Assembly

**19 December** - End of school year

**Soaring to Success**



## Term Dates

**Term 4 2017:** October 16th-Dec 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 31<sup>st</sup> 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.

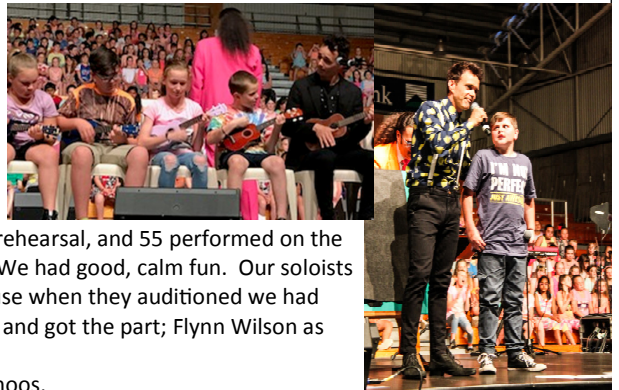
We know school families that will be ‘out of zone’ will be concerned about enrolment for the younger siblings of current students. The BOT has resolved to offer sufficient Out of Zone places at the time of balloting each year to ensure siblings of current students can also enroll.

## Kids for Kids

On Tuesday the 31st of October, Welbourn and 17 other Schools, with over 600 children performed at Kids for Kids, supporting World Vision. We had our first rehearsal with the other schools on the morning of the concert. 62 students came to the rehearsal, and 55 performed on the night. Nathan King was our host. We had good, calm fun. Our soloists had more fun than any of us because when they auditioned we had one soloist that wowed the judges and got the part; Flynn Wilson as the Wonky Donkey

Narrator. Well done to Amma Ellmoos, Izabella Bublitz and Jordi Sands for giving it your best effort and being resilient; they got to perform in the mod squad. Tara Greiner also performed in the ukulele item. World Vision is an organisation to help everyone around the world that are struggling. If you would like to find out more go to <https://www.worldvision.org.nz>. Myself, and many others, enjoyed ourselves through the entire experience. TSB Stadium was the venue and the perfect choice. A massive thank you to everyone that bought tickets to watch this event and thank you. to Mrs Rudman for making this possible.

**By Chance Rm 14**



## Road Sense - Making Safe Choices

Please model good safe choices for all our children with your actions and interactions outside the school gate.

- ◆ **Park and walk** to reduce congestion at the school gate.
- ◆ **Use the foot paths and pedestrian crossing.** Model these safe practices.
- ◆ **Respect our neighbours** - by not parking over driveways. Do not park on grass verges
- ◆ **Don't park in the accessibility carparks** - we have families that need to use these. **Only** mobility card holders should be using these spaces and have the card displayed.
- ◆ **Yellow lines at the turning end of Arawa street are a no stopping area at all times;** This is a public road and road rules apply.
- ◆ **The police and NPDC parking wardens continue to randomly patrol and check schools before and after school and will issue tickets and fines to anyone infringing road rules.**
- ◆ **Any parent volunteers available on a regular or casual basis to wear high vis and encourage drivers to move on and make the right choices would be much appreciated.**

## Home & School News



**MOVIE NIGHT - Our Bad Moms 2.** Movie tickets are selling fast **only 10 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,



## Road Patrol 2018

We have really appreciated the time, effort and responsibility given by our road patrol monitors on the crossing this year.

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**We are keen to organize our 2018 roster, ready for the start of the new school year. Please consider giving half an hour in the mornings from 8:25 to 8:55am to keep our children safe. Contact our school office if you are able to help**

## Sports News

**Term 1, 2018 sports registrations will all be out from Monday 20<sup>th</sup> November and will need to be back to the school office with payment by Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December.** Sports available in Term 1 will be Inline Hockey, Kiwi cricket (Yrs 1-2 only) Summer soccer, Bell Block Touch Rugby at Hickford park.

**Inline Hockey** – Season runs from Thursday November 2<sup>nd</sup> – December 14<sup>th</sup> 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 20<sup>th</sup> October – Friday 9<sup>th</sup> 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 18<sup>th</sup> October – 6<sup>th</sup> December

**Summer Soccer** – Season runs from Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> October – Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> 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 16<sup>th</sup> October - Monday 11<sup>th</sup> December.

Cancellations will be emailed to coaches from City Touch by 2pm Monday to be forwarded.

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## Book Club



Scholastic Book Club Issue 8 - Last chance this year. Great Christmas .  
Orders in by Friday the 1st of December.

Nga Mihi Kind regards

Kay Crowsley: Principal Tumuaki