

**WAVERLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL***Inspiring today's learners to thrive in tomorrow's world*

Kia Ora e te whānau,

I hope you have all had a wonderful Summer break. It is great to be back at school with some nice weather.

A gentle reminder that we have our school photos on Tuesday 27th February. There will be photo envelopes accompanying this newsletter. It is important to get these in as soon as you can so we can arrange a timetable for the sibling photos.

There are many school events this term. School photos, swimming sports, Greet, Meet and Eat, Cluster Swimming and many more. Please see the calendar of events for more dates and information.

I would like to warmly welcome all of our new students and whanau to our school community. It is great to see so many new faces within the school. We had 13 new enrolments over the summer break which is very exciting. I would also like to officially welcome Ciara Marriott to the school teaching team.

On the 19th February our year 5 and 6 students are heading to their camp at Vertical Horizon. I am very excited for the students. A lot of work goes into the organisation of a school camp and I would like to thank Hannah and Megan for all of their hard work. I can't wait to see some of the photos and hear many of the stories. There is a bake sale tomorrow to raise some funds for the camp. Please bring along some money to purchase some yummy treats.

Last year we had a really good response to our attendance wheel. We are running the attendance wheel again this year with some really good prizes for the students. To be in the draw each week all they have to do is be present at school for the whole week prior to the draw. The draw happens at the Monday morning admin assembly. All the very best of luck to all of our students.

There will be an adjustment to our end of year date. It will not be Friday 13th as advertised but Tuesday 17th December 2024.

With the warmer weather, the students are spending a lot more time in the sunshine. Please can you ensure that your children have a school sunhat and are wearing sunscreen. The hats are available at the school office at a cost of \$10. There is sunscreen available for the students in each classroom.

A gentle reminder that we are having our annual Hi-Viz day tomorrow. Please wear some hi-viz in memory of our caretaker Kerry Rees.

Have a great weekend everyone.

Tim Marriott

Term 1

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| Fri 9 Feb | - Kauri/Kowhai Bake Sale |
| | - High Vis Day |
| Tues 13 Feb | - Greet, Meet & Eat 5pm |
| Mon 19- Wed 21 Feb | - Y5&6 - Vertical Horizons Camp |
| Mon 19 Feb | - Technology Y7&8 - session 1 |
| Tues 20 Feb | - Board Meeting - 5.30 pm |
| Mon 26 Feb | - Senior Swimming Sports |
| Tues 27 Feb | - Senior Swimming - Postponement Date |
| Tues 27 Feb | - SCHOOL PHOTOS |
| Thurs 29 Feb | - Cluster Swimming Sports- |
| Fri 1 Mar | - Cluster Swimming Sports - Postponement Date |
| Mon 4 Mar | - Technology Y7&8 - session 2 |
| Mon 11 Mar | - Taranaki Anniversary - school closed |
| Mon 18 Mar | - Technology Y7&8 - session 3 |
| Thurs 21 Mar | - Waverley Cricket 6's |
| Mon 25 Mar | - Technology Y7&8 - session 4 |
| Wed 27 Mar | - Weetbix Tryathlon - NP |
| Fri 29 Mar | - Good Friday - school closed |
| Mon 1 April | - Easter Monday - school closed |
| Tues 2 April | - Easter Tuesday - school closed |
| Mon 8 April | - Technology Y7&8 - session 5 |
| Fri 12 April | - Sports Assembly |
| | - End of term |

ASSEMBLY - Kowhai Hub will be presenting assembly this Friday in the school hall at 2.30 p.m. Everyone welcome.

Waverley Carlyle Pony Club



"If anyone is interested in joining our local Pony Club please contact Fiona Blakeley 021544495"

Each week one class will be sharing photos of their learning & activities.
Check out Rimu Hub

Welcome to our new students. Kalyn Brewer, Malachai Hayward and Azariah Kelly.





Flying Start Waverley Primary School

2024

Flying Start is a free pre-school programme for 4 - 5 year olds aimed at supporting learners to get ready for school. Flying Start is held in Manuka Hub from 2 - 3pm.

Flying start dates for term one:

- Friday 16th February
- Friday 1st March
- Friday 15th March
- Friday 22nd March

Come along and join in the fun activities taking place in Manuka Hub.



If you are wanting to attend, please register with Gabrielle at the school office.



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Waverley Primary School

welcomes all whānau to our

Greet, Meet and Eat Evening

Tuesday February 13th
5pm

- Meet by the senior deck: Welcome from Mr Marriott
- Head to your child/children's classrooms: overview from teachers/look around the classroom/ask questions
- BBQ: a chance to socialise with a free sausage sizzle and some games

We ask that ALL parents/caregivers please attend.

Your child's education is a partnership between school and family and we value input and interactions with whānau. Bring along your children too!