



**WAVERLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL**

*Inspiring today's learners to thrive in tomorrow's world*



### Message from the Board of Trustees

Thank you to everyone who came into the staffroom after the parent teacher learning conversations. It was great to catch up with so many of you and meet some families new to our community. We had many discussions around being a BoT member, joining a fundraising committee, ideas for raising funds and also received feedback for the school.

We wanted to acknowledge your ideas and suggestions below and also let you know that the "black box" for feedback is going to be travelling with us to all school events and will be located in the office at all other times. Please use it!

**Ideas for Fundraising:** Colour run/Diwali, movie night/picnic, horseracing night, cull cows/sheep, gala, quiz night, firewood, diary and calendar art, raffles, vintage moto/food stall, A&P show presence.

**Feedback Received:** "Information please for modern learning environments" "Good teachers" "Good work" "Love talent time" "My kids love school, it was great to meet the teachers" "Skiing Camp" "Hui" "Information on discipline in classrooms" "School update i.e. painting etc." "Share baking and feedback at prize giving."

We have already started working on some of these and would love to have people who want to be involved in a fundraising committee to action some of these great ideas. **If you wish to be part of this, I invite you to come to school at 11am on Monday 27th of August** for a bite to eat and a drink and we can get some movement happening. All welcome!

Belinda Price

### A Quick Message from the Principal

Thank you to Mr Moore for your organisation of Contributing School's Soccer at Wembly Park in Whanganui on Tuesday.

Our school Cross Country has been postponed until tomorrow so there will be NO school assembly.

I was approached by some Year 6 students who have come up with all of the ideas to celebrate **Daffodil Day and raise money for the Cancer Society** - please see more information on the following page. We would love to have your support for this day. What incredible initiative shown by the students!

Ngā mihi,  
Teana McKechnie  
Acting Principal

### Principal's Award



Blake Kiff

For being a friendly,  
positive member of  
our school community.  
You greet everyone  
with a smile.

## Principal's Awards



Samantha Rees

You are an incredible senior role model for others in our school to look up to. Keep it up!!



Olive Dickie

For always displaying our school values of Respect Self, Others and the Environment. Keep up the positive attitude!

### Term 3

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| <b>Mon 27 Aug</b>  | - Tech session 3                               |
|                    | - BoT Meeting 6.00 p.m. staffroom              |
| <b>Wed 29 Aug</b>  | - Kids for Kids - Palmerston North             |
| <b>Tues 4 Sept</b> | - Police Fitness Test                          |
| <b>Wed 5 Sept</b>  | - Art Exhibition & Waverley's Got Talent Final |
| <b>Mon 10 Sept</b> | - Tech session 4                               |
| <b>Mon 17 Sept</b> | - Tech session 5                               |
| <b>Wed 19 Sept</b> | - Kakaramea Cross Country                      |
| <b>Mon 24 Sept</b> | - Tech session 6                               |
|                    | - BoT meeting 6.00 p.m. staffroom              |
| <b>Wed 26 Sept</b> | - Taranaki Cross Country - Hawera              |
| <b>Fri 28 Sept</b> | - School term finishes                         |



### REMINDER

On **Friday 31 August** we will be fundraising for the Cancer Society.

We would appreciate some **yellow** themed baking (cupcakes, slices or biscuits etc.) which will be available at morning tea for a gold coin donation. We will also be making it a fun day so if you would like to come along to school dressed in **yellow** mufti (socks, scarves, rugby tops etc.) please bring a gold coin for this also. Please let Gabrielle in the office know if you are able to donate some baking.



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



**Student Voice – Media Team**

**Respect self – Respect others – Respect environment**

**Rayne**

**Q: What is your favourite subject that you do in your classroom and why?**

**A: I like writing because it helps me relax and it makes me think that my characters come to life.**

**Q: What is your favourite thing to do at break times and why?**

**A: I like hanging out with my awesome friends and also walking around with them.**

**Q: Where is your favourite place to work and why?**

**A: My favourite place to work is at my desk or in a quiet area.**

**Autumn**

**Q: Where is your favourite place to work and why?**

**A: My Favourite place to work is at the back of the room because it's where I can get some quiet.**

**Q: What's your favourite subject that you do in your classroom and why?**

**A: My favourite subject is writing because I love the way I can write as many pages as I want describing my story.**

**Q: What's your favourite school value and why?**

**A: Respecting others (speaking and acting kindly) because I see many people talking kindly to others throughout school time.**

**By Media Team: Diaz, Kaya, Eidee, Victoria and Chelsea.**