

# Whareama School

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# PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS

Usually, this time of the year we would have our parent and teacher interviews, however this year we are changing the way we are reporting and we will be having interviews in Week 2 of Term 3. The reason for this is that we think it is a better time to discuss the progress your child has made and a better time to discuss their goals for the end of the year. All Year 3-8 students will receive their written reports at the end of Term 2 so it is a great time to discuss these as well, if you have any questions about the contents of them. Of course we are more than open to meet with you anytime and you only need to ring the office to book a time to meet with us after school or just ring after school to speak to us about any issues that have arisen.

#### TAPU AE TOURNAMENT

Well done to Mrs Tiley and the kids from Whanake who took part in the inaugural Tapu Ae tournament at Lakeview School on Friday. All the kids did a great job and won a couple of games and ended up 5<sup>th</sup> in the competition. Thanks to Mrs Kerr and Maree Eastwood at Lakview who organised this well run event, and made sure they invited our school along.

#### **MUSIC**

Music lessons are back on tomorrow and the Year 7/8 students who are away will have a catch up at a later date.

# A BIG THANKS!!!!

A huge thanks to Alistair Grafton who dropped off a load of firewood for the school that the kids put away on Friday. Thanks so much Alistair for your support and to help keep us warm!

#### KIWI COMPETITIONS

An entry form to enter in the 2019 Great Kiwi English, Maths and Science competitions has been sent home to parents of Years 5-8. Please send any entries back to the school before the end of term. Fees can be added to your school accounts. If you have lost your form please ring the office.

# SCHOOL LUNCH ORDERS

Sausage sizzle this Friday. Orders to the office with your \$2 per sausage by Thursday please.

# WILLIAM PIKE CHALLENGE AWARD – Year 7/8's

Remember that we have the Riversdale Beach audit on Tuesday this week and we also have the White Water rafting trip on Monday next week. What a big couple of days and please be organised. Wainuioru School are with us so we want to make sure we keep on time and have all our gear!

# NGA TAMA TOA

All the best to Fontyne and Oscar who will be representing our school at the course Nga Tama Toa this year. There are 4 sessions over 2019.

#### DESIGN TECHNOLOGY

Two more weeks of Design Tech and the kids are having a blast each Friday at Makoura College.

#### **Upcoming Events:**

Tues 2<sup>nd</sup> April Tues 2<sup>nd</sup> April Thurs 4<sup>th</sup> April Mon 8<sup>th</sup> April Fri 12<sup>th</sup> April Mon 29<sup>th</sup> April WPC Award – Y7/8 – Riversdale Beach Nga Tama Toa – Fontyne/ Oscar BOT Meeting – 5.30pm - staffroom WPC Award – Y7/8 – White Water Rafting TERM 1 ENDS TERM 2 STARTS

#### SHOW AT TINUI - TIMATANGA

Another thanks to Playgroup who organised for Timatanga to go to the show at Tinui on Tuesday last week. There were many excited faces that came back from that event so a thanks from all of us at school.

SENIOR ROOM – can all senior room students bring an empty coke bottle next week to use for art!