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Doing My Best

*Caring about Our
Environment*

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Newsletter Date*

NEWSLETTER NO. 22

26 August, 2016.

Principals Comments:

Kiaora e te Whānau, Greetings to you all,

Today is a very special day as it is the Tatarakihi Festival. This is held at the Hawera Hub. We have over 100 children performing in either the Whakataetae (Competition) or Nga Hau (Performance group). The tutors for these groups Whaene Vickie, Whaene Kiri, Te Ariki, Whaene Dixie, Whaene Toti, Whaene Kiriana, Whaene Deleraine, Whaene Ngawai and Matua Michael have put a lot of time and effort to get our tamariki to this standard. To our whānau tautoko (supporters) we thank you in making this possible. We wish them all the best.

**Don't forget the paid union meeting, which means
Waitara East School will be closed on
Monday, 12 September 2016 between 9.00 a.m. - 11.30a.m.
while staff attend the meeting.
School will start at 11.30a.m.**

Due to all the events happening this week we will have our Ranui next Friday. This is a day where children who consistently make MANA choices celebrate with an iceblock and free play. This happens every five weeks.

Waitara East School Phone App. This is a FREE downloadable app for your phone. It has all the calendar events for Waitara East School- Sports, Important Notices, Newsletters, Practices, Events, Cancellations, etc. Please give it a go and have a look. You can also report absences. The newsletter option is still being developed. To download the app go to play store, or app store and search PARENT TEACHER CALENDAR. Download the app then select area and school. We will be putting events on this calendar for each syndicate. We are trying to keep our whānau up to date with what is happening in our school.

Graham Sands.

Notices:

NO FISH AND CHIPS NEXT FRIDAY 2 SEPTEMBER.

NO LUNCHESES ON 12 SEPTEMBER, 2016 because of the Paid Union Meeting and children not starting school until 11.30.

WAITARA JUNIOR BASKETBALL—WAITARA EAST KINGS were the winners of the B. Division. There will be a presentation ceremony in the War Memorial Hall at 3.30 on Tuesday 30 August. There will be a town versus Country game prior to the presentation of trophies, etc, so all coaches, managers, teachers referees, parents, caregivers and adult support people are welcome to come along and play in the game. So, dust off the boots and join in the fun. We'd love to see you on court!

SCHOOL MARKET FUNDRAISER FOR ROOM 12:

27 August 8.30—12 p.m. If you would like a stall contact Joan on 0278859478. There will be fry bread, cakes, biscuits, chutney, chop suey with potato salad, Seafood Chowder, Mussel fritters, crafts, jewellery, sun catchers, dream catchers, knitting, sausage sizzle, plus more.

THE SCHOOL BIG FUNDRAISER EACH YEAR IS DELIVERY OF PHONE BOOKS:

This will be happening next Friday 2 September all day. If you can help deliver these books or if your child is a Year 4 to 6 and can help the drivers with delivering please ring the office on 7548334 as soon as you can. Your help would be most appreciated.