



# Whareama School

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Term 2, Week 8



## ***SPEECH DAY 2016***

What a fantastic array of speeches we had again this year and some amazing presentations of their speeches as well. It is very hard to get up and do a speech in front of a group of people and everyone got up and gave it their best. There were some very funny moments in speeches and the way some students presented their speech was great. In the Year 7 and 8 competition it was so close this year it came down to only 1 point in the Year 7's and 3 points in the Year 8's.....this year Tessa taking it out for the Year 7's and Zara in the Year 8's. These two will go on and represent our school in the Wairarapa Speech Finals on the 29<sup>th</sup> of June, being hosted at MIS this year. Best of luck to both of these girls for their respective competition.

## ***RURAL KIDS PROGRAMME***

We have had some extremely pleasing feedback from many of our kids who took part in the two Rural Kids days this term. They have enjoyed the activities and building connections with other students from the other rural schools. Please remember there are two more days next term and the dates for these are the 18<sup>th</sup> of August and the 22<sup>nd</sup> of September. Please put these in your calendars now.

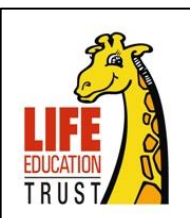
## ***CROSS COUNTRY***

We had 9 students running at the Wairarapa Cross Country Event last week and it is with great pride that 4 of these students have also qualified to go to the Wellington Regional cross country champs in Waikanae on Tuesday the 5<sup>th</sup> of July. A huge well done to Tessa, Oscar, Poppy and Rane who all came in the 1<sup>st</sup> ten of their respective races to qualify for this event. All of our other runners did themselves proud and ran their hearts out on the day as well.



## ***VISITORS TO SCHOOL***

This and next week as part of our Count on our Community unit we have visitors coming into the school to work with both classrooms. Today we have Scott Andrew and the JNL forestry team, on Wednesday we have the crew from Amalgamated Helicopters and on Thursday we are all going into the Masterton Fire Station for a visit as well. Next week on Thursday we have Red Cross coming out and taking us all for first aid basics. The services these companies provide for us are invaluable and we hope that the kids recognise this and the older students will also be doing some work around careers with them as well.



## ***LIFE EDUCATION VAN***

In Week 9 we have Kirsty and Harold from the Life Education Van coming into school. They will be working in the Life Education Van for two days and learning about friendships, tolerance and resilience. The kids always enjoy these two when they visit and for our Year 8's will be the last time they experience this.

### **WHAREAMA CAFÉ LUNCH**

On Friday the 1st of July we will be having Whareama Café lunch for all students. Blairlogie House is running it this term and Mrs Walker is planning crispy chicken wraps and fruit.

### **WINTER SPORTS**

**Rugby** - Some great results for JAB from the weekend.

U6 Ripa had a win and a loss. Liam Gardiner was player of the day.

U8 had an 8-1 win vs Carterton and 5-1 win vs MRS - team improving every week. Harvey Williams was player of the day.

U10 great victory over pioneer with a winning margin of 11-4 and Jory was player of the day with a high work rate, the whole team stood up vs a much bigger side

Go Coast!

**Hockey** – East Coast 1<sup>st</sup> XI – played MIS Gold and they drew 3-3. They will looking to get back into winning form when they play Hadlow this Friday.

6 aside – played against Gladstone and won 5-0 and with that win they have gone to the top of the table.

### **PE AND SPORT SELF REVIEW**

Last Friday at speeches I asked parents to complete a PE and Health survey and thanks so much to those who did it on the day for me. If you took a copy home please complete and send it back to school as soon as you can. Also if you need another copy please let Diana know.

### **COLGATE COMMUNITY RECYCLE DRIVE**

Our school has joined the drive to recycle oral care waste and in doing so is eligible to receive points and also have a chance to win cash and prizes for our school. Please send in your empty containers to school. Attached is a flyer showing what can be collected.

Regards

Darren, Katz, Irene and Diana

<b>Upcoming Events:</b>	
<b>TERM 2:</b>	
Thurs 23 <sup>rd</sup> June	Fire Station Trip
Mon/ Tues 27/28 <sup>th</sup> June	Life Ed Van at School
Weds/ Thurs 29/30 June	Wai Speech Finals Event
Tues 5 <sup>th</sup> July	Wellington Regional Cross Country
Thurs 7 <sup>th</sup> July	BOT Meeting – 5.30pm
Fri 8 <sup>th</sup> July	Term 2 Ends

### **NOTICES**

#### **Mauriceville School Fundraiser**

They holding a Mauriceville Family Hunt during the July holidays, running from 15 to 17 July, weigh in day is Sunday the 17<sup>th</sup>. Please see our website [www.mauricevillefamilyhunt.com](http://www.mauricevillefamilyhunt.com) for more details and registration forms or contact us on 372 5800. Flyer attached.