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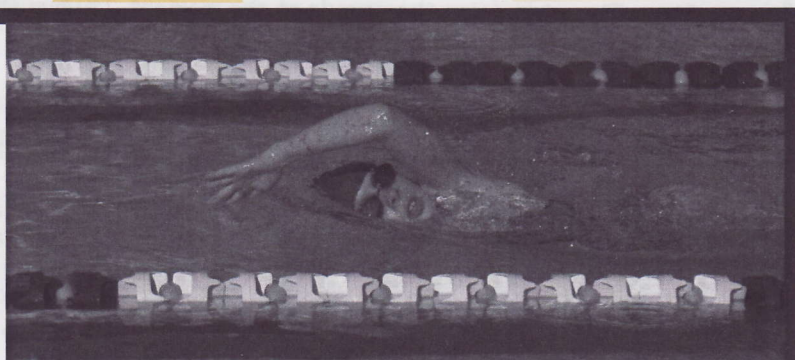
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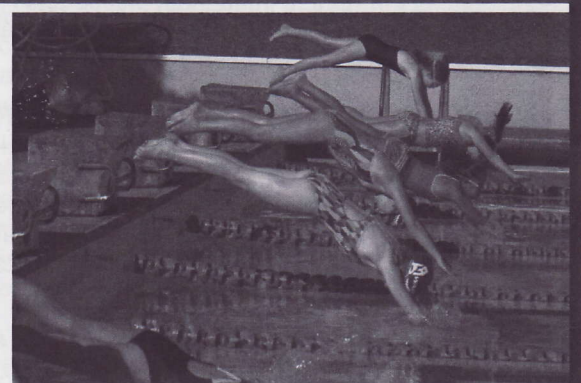
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4, 5 & 6
Swimming
Sports
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IMPORTANT DATES

- March 17 St.Patricks day. Wear green!
- March 22 North Cluster Swimming Sports.
- March 23 Rippa Rugby.
- March 24 Splash & Dash @ Anzac Bay.
- March 25 Easter Friday. **NO** School.
- March 28 Easter Monday. **NO** School.
- March 29 Easter Tuesday. **NO** School.
- March 30 Beach Hop warm up day.
- March 30 Rippa Rugby.
- April 5 Duffy Book Show.
- April 12 Class Photos.
- April 13 Giant Pumpkin weigh in.
WBOP Swim Sports.
- April 14 Emily's Farewell Assembly.
- April 15 Last day of Tem 1.
Cool Kids afternoon.



Our Values

Honesty & Trustworthiness | Independence & Initiative | Tolerance & Caring | Courtesy & Manners | Responsibility & Fairplay | Respect for Self, Others & Property

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SCHOOL NEWSLETTER 07/2016

16th March 2016

Kia ora

The term continues to fly by. We are welcoming the cooler days and having our fleece tops for warmth in the morning. We are very fortunate to have boxes of second hand fleece tops at school. You are welcome to check them out, and take them away for a gold coin donation.

Splash and Dash is a week away. We would love your support with transport and supervision. This day is a relaxed outing that children always look forward to. Car seats/boosters are required for children under 7 years/142-148cm. Please let your class teacher know if you can help. See separate flyer for more details.

Our pumpkin competition evening is coming along with a grand team of helpers. The new time is 4-6pm. Prizes this year are for the heaviest pumpkin, best pumpkin face and veggie creations. Please return the slip on the flyer, letting us know if you are entering a competition or coming along for the night. All returned slips go into the draw to win spot prizes. If you would like to help out our event organizers are pumpkin competition-Robin, communication/evening coordinators-Bindy and Annemarie, competition tables- Linda, raffles and prizes-Sue and Nicky. Each class is running a food stall. Check out what your children's class has selected. It will be a fun night.

Congratulations to our school swim team who performed to a very high level at our swim sports. What a challenging day. Our next step is the cluster event which is today. Good luck to our representatives. Go hard out!

Strep Throat is doing the rounds at the moment. If your child has stomach cramps, fever and a sore throat please see the doctor as it is highly contagious.

Nga mihi nui

Emily (ehargreaves@east.school.nz)

EASTER TUESDAY

A reminder that School is **CLOSED** on the Tuesday after Easter. Tuesday 29th March. There will be NO school.

HOW YOU CAN HELP AT HOME WORKSHOP

"How you can help at home" Workshop will be run from 5-6pm Monday 4th April. If interested, please text Nik Laing 0274338821 to reserve a spot. There will be kai and supervision for littlies, everyone welcome!

CRICKET—FREE AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMME

For years 2-6, At Morgan Park, Tuesdays (2 weeks left) 22nd/29th March, 3.30 - 4.30pm. Bring: shoes, hat, sun-block, drink. We will be operating a "walking school bus" to safely transport our children to Morgan Park for after-school Cricket on Tuesdays week 8-9. Our thanks to Sarah G for helping us with this.

BEACH HOP

Some of our classes are interested in going to Waihi's Beach Hop on Wednesday 30th March. We will require a ratio of 1:7 (or less!) to ensure we can attend this awesome event safely. Please see your class teacher if you are able to help out. Karyn Williams is also organising a stall with delicious American "pulled pork" sammies and lots of other yummy goodies, which our parents are helping out with (thanks!) so please support our camp fundraising stall at Beach Hop!

SWIMMING RESULTS

Congratulations to our Waihi East School (senior school) Swimming Championship overall points winners!

Y4 Girls 1st: Victoria E-J, 2nd: Jayda B, 3rd: Brooke K.

Y4 Boys 1st: Alex E-J, 2nd: Mahe N, 3rd: Johnston C.

Y5 Girls 1st: Sabine R, 2nd: Alyssa M, 3rd: Nicky T.

Y5 Boys 1st: Callum M, 2nd=:Samson P, 2nd=: Braydon B.

Y6 Girls 1st: Lillie T, 2nd: Ciara H, 3rd: Riley F-P.

Y6 Boys 1st=: Jackson W and 1st=: Connor T.

1 to 1 DEVICE SURVEY

We hope you have enjoyed Rachael and Robbie's workshops on devices. We are now sending out a survey to gauge your opinion of our next steps forward. Look out for this survey tomorrow. Please return.

FUNDRAISING

We are selling the Entertainment Book again this year. They are again just \$60. Entertainment memberships are packed with thousands of up to 50% OFF and 2 for 1 offers for the best local restaurants, cafes, attractions, hotel accommodation, travel and much more! Pre order before the 29th March and you will receive over \$150 worth of additional offers that you can use right away! See the office for your copy.

ABSENTEE TEXTS

When texting in your absences in the mornings, please include a reason for the absence. If no reason is given your child has to be marked as unexplained. If no contact from the family is received your child is marked as Truant so please make contact with the school with a reason.

CONSENT FORM WINNERS

Congratulations to Room 2 who were the first class to return 100% of their class consent forms. They will share a sausage and chips lunch this Thursday.

EMILY'S FAREWELL

We will be holding a Farewell assembly for our lovely principal on Thursday 14th April at 12 noon at School. Followed by shared kai and cuppa. All welcome.

ST PATRICK'S DAY

Every one is welcome to dress up this Thursday for St. Patrick's day. Wear something green or come as a leprechaun. There is NO cost for this day. If not wearing green please wear school uniform.

KIWISPORT BIKE SESSIONS

Bike sessions with Taryn from Kiwisport Cycling were held for most classes today. Ours thanks to Taryn.

SAUSAGE SIZZLE

We will be holding a sausage sizzle next Wednesday to raise funds for a new keyboard for our music students. \$2

SCHOOL BANKING

Our school bankers are trained and ready to take your banking on Thursday mornings at 8.30am Tomorrow's bankers are Lillie and Riley.

Kids' Work

The Princess's Birthday—Part Two

Once again it was the Princess' birthday, she got a baby brother. Alyssa got to choose his name. She named him Mason.

The Queen said "That's the perfect name for a boy".

"Thanks Mum my best friend has a little brother who's named Mason. What else did I get for my Birthday?" the Princess said.

The King said "I don't know, have a look in the lounge".

"Ok" said the princess.

"A TV all to myself! Thanks Mum and Dad, this is the best present ever." the Princess said.

"Actually we didn't give you this your Grandma and Grandad got this for you." the King and Queen said.

"Can we go see them please, so I can say thank you".

Queen and King said "Ok, if you insist".

The Princess said "Hi Grandad and Grandma thank you for the TV"

"Your welcome sweetie," said Grandma and Grandad.

By Alyssa M, age 9 room 1.

Mummy had a baby boy. He's cute. I get to hold my brother. He is so cute and I like my brother. Baby needs heaps of nappies and he needs lots of milk. He is so, so cute.

By Freya C, age 5. room 8.

From Room 6...

I went to the park, I went on the flying fox.

By Rylee K, age 5.

I went to the flying fox.

By Mateo C, age 5.

The boat went in the shed.

By Blake Sm, age 5.

Freya's Mum had a baby.

By Rylee K, age 5.

LOST & FOUND

Lost

School jacket named Izabel B. If found please return to Izabel or the office.

Found (see the office if yours)

Bright coloured Tickle watch.

Black framed reading glasses. Orson +1.50

Gold framed reading glasses.

SPORTS DRAWS

Rippa Rugby

Wednesday 16th March 2016

	3.30pm	3.50pm	4.10pm	4.30pm
Field 1	St Joes 1 Central 3	Central 1 East Warriors	East Roosters East Lions	East Lions St Joes 2
Field 2	East Roosters East Warriors	Waimata Central 2	East Chiefs Central 1	Central 3 Waimata

COMMUNITY NOTICES

WAIHI YOUTH RUGBY MUSTER

Official Weigh In

All grades including Rippa (age 4-6)

Wednesday 16th March

3.30-5.30pm

Waihi Athletic Club, Kenny street, Waihi

Please bring a recent photo.

PLEASE NOTE: THERE IS NO UNOFFICIAL WEIGH IN THIS YEAR. PLEASE PRE-REGISTER INCLUDING CHILD'S CURRENT WEIGHT AT:

www.sportsground.co.nz/waihiathleticrugby

New Registrations bring:

Recent Photo

A COPY of child's Birth Certificate

Please pay registration fees on the day: \$50 individual, \$90 for two players, \$120 three or more, \$20 Ripper.

For more information contact: Andrea Evetts-Jones

0211787438 or Matt Walker 021438758

We look forward to seeing you all!

GIANT EASTER EGG HUNT

Saturday 19th March (weekend before Easter)

11am

Waihi Beach School

Free Event for ages 1-10

1000s of eggs to be found

Also face painting, bouncy castle, sausage sizzle and a short family performance from Dr Xplosion.

INCREDIBLE YEARS

Free Parenting Programme for parents of 3-8 year olds. 14 week session held in Paeroa. Starts on Thursday 24th March 2016 10am-12.30pm. Morning tea provided. To register or for further information contact CAPS Hauraki 078688644.

We have an offer of transport for anyone who needs it.

Please see Kirsty Smith if you would like to take up this offer.

CHILDREN'S FREE MOBILE EAR CLINIC

The ear caravan will be at Waihi Central School. Moresby Ave, Waihi on Thursday 17th March 9.30-12noon & 1pm-1.45pm. For glue ear assessment and management, discharging ears and wax/foreign body removal.

SATURDAY NIGHT SKATING

Saturday night Skating is on again. Doors open 6pm-8pm. \$5 entry includes skate/scooter hire or bring your own. Food and drinks for sale.



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Dear whanau,

Our annual Splash 'n' Dash is happening next Thursday 24th March 2016 at Anzac Bay, Waihi Beach. What a fantastic, fun and whanau event for us all to enjoy before our long Easter weekend!



We will be leaving school at 9.10am, and returning by 2.45pm.

Students will participate in a fun 'splash'n'dash' event, either by running or swimming through the water at Anzac Bay. We will also have beach games and swimming after lunch.

For this event to go ahead, we will need at least 40 adults, plus legal transport for our students. We will need to know by Monday if we can go ahead with it. If you are able to help out for all or part of the day, please indicate on the permission slip below and return to the school office.

Kind regards,

Rachael Coll

Waihi East School staff

SPLASH'N'DASH event - Thursday 24th March 2016

I give permission for _____ to participate in the Splash'n'Dash event at Anzac Bay on Thursday 24th March 2016.

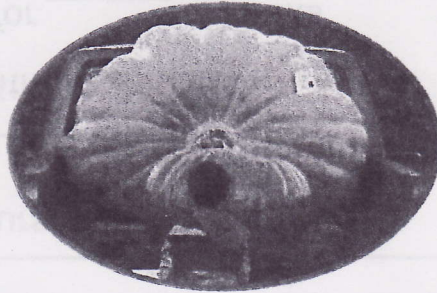
I can provide legal transport for _____ students YES / NO

I can stay for all/part of the day as parent help YES / NO

Please detail: _____

Signed _____ Phone _____

Name _____



GIANT PUMPKIN WEIGH-IN

**WEDNESDAY 13TH APRIL, 2016. All entries to school by 3.30
PM please. Food for sale from 4PM - WAIHI EAST SCHOOL**

Food for sale. Come along and join in the fun! Everyone welcome.

Prizes available for the following categories:

*** HEAVIEST—PUMPKIN ***

*** BEST PUMPKIN FACE ***

So your pumpkin didn't grow very big? No worries, we have a prize for the best pumpkin face..... let your imagination go wild!

*** BEST VEGGIE CREATION ***

No pumpkin at all? That's ok—you can enter our 'Best Veggie Creation' section. No rules here, just present an amazing entry into this category with vegetables from your fridge or garden.

AMAZING prizes for 1st & 2nd up for grabs in EACH CATEGORY.

Return the slip below to be in the draw for SPOT PRIZES

COMPLETE AND RETURN TO THE OFFICE FOR YOUR AUTOMATIC ENTRY INTO 'SPOT PRIZES' DRAW

We will / will not be coming to this evening with a pumpkin or vege creation.

We will / will not be buying from the food stalls.

No. of people attending: _____

Family Name: _____

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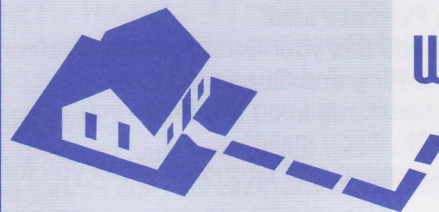
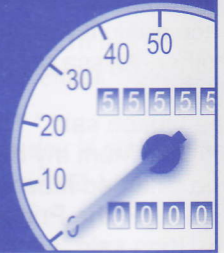
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