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Newsletter

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Above and Left; The new layer of bark on the FORT playground.

Below Left; Cowboy Stew on a cold Tuesday.



UPCOMING EVENTS

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| May 27 | Rippa Rugby, Paeroa. |
| May 29 | Morrinsville Netball Tournament, Year 5 Team. |
| June 2 | Waihi East Cross Country, Morgan Park. |
| June 2 | Parent Workshop. 3.15pm. |
| June 3 | BOT Voting Closes. 12noon. |
| June 6 | Queen's Birthday. School Closed. |
| June 7 | Whanau Roopu Hui, 2pm. |
| June 8 | Waihi Cluster Cross Country, Morgan Park. |
| June 9 | Assembly, Rooms 1 & 7. |
| June 12 | Matariki Dawn Viewing (Sunday). |
| June 22 | WBOP Cross Country. |
| June 24 | Matariki Hikoi. |
| June 28 | BOP Cross Country. |
| June 29 | Matariki Community Celebration. 5pm-7pm. |
| June 30 | Assembly, Rooms 3, 5 & 8. |
| July 7 | Tapuwae Tournament. |

Our Values

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

Kia ora koutou. Ngā mihi maioha ki a koutou katoa. Warm greetings to you all.

We have quite a few events coming up that you need to know about and some that need your support.

CHROMEBOOK PURCHASE—YEAR 3-6

We are now ready to go ahead with this purchase for the families who would like to take advantage of this opportunity. All Year 3-6 children will have been given a final information letter and the agreement to bring home today. The Agreement is due back at school by **Friday 24th June**.

CROSS COUNTRY

Next **Thursday 2nd June** is the school cross country event. Each room needs parent helpers to walk with the class to Morgan Park. We will be leaving school at **11am** and returning at **2pm**. Please let your child's teacher know if you can help. There is also a letter going home today requesting parents to help as Marshalls around the course. Please return this permission slip to ASAP to the school office if you can help. We are also asking that children run in sneakers as there might be prickles, gravel and glass to run over. **We would be happy to accept donations of sneakers to distribute on the day.**

MATARIKI

We will be hosting a whānau roopu hui on Tuesday 7th June to confirm the events our school will participate in and to get more parent support for our involvement. We will meet in the staffroom at 2pm. All welcome.

Have a great week! Ngā mihi nui, Whaea Steph (Anich), principal@east.school.nz

BOT FAREWELL AND THANK YOU

A huge thank-you to Donna Walker (Chair), Seton Frew (Trustee, Previous Chair), and Alex Heremaia (Staff Trustee) for their dedicated, high quality service to the school. Both Donna and Seton have served for 6 years, and Alex for the last 3 years. Being a trustee is a big responsibility, and a Chair even more so. Thank-you for ensuring that the school has been well led and in great shape.

FRIDAY 27th IN THE OFFICE

The School office will be unmanned this Friday morning between 8 and 8.30am. Please call in or phone in after 8.30am. Thanks for your patience!

MEASLES

What is measles?

- Measles is a highly infectious viral disease that can be serious.
- It is spread from person to person through the air by breathing, sneezing or coughing. Just being in the same room as someone with measles can lead to infection if you are not immune.
- The first symptoms of measles are a fever, and one or more of a runny nose, cough and sore red eyes. After a few days a red blotchy rash comes on and lasts up to one week. The rash usually starts on the face and spreads to the rest of the body. Measles can be very serious.

What should you do today?

- Ensure your child is up to date with their immunisations.
- Locate you/your child's immunisation records, either in a Well Child book, or from the GP. This documentation would be required if there was a case of measles in your school in the future.

If you or your child develops symptoms of measles:

- Phone your GP or call Healthline on 0800 611 116 for advice or seek medical attention depending on severity of illness. It is important to call first because measles is highly infectious, and people with measles can infect others in the waiting room.
- Stay at home and away from public places (such as sports events, gatherings, parties, school, work, child care, shopping centres, public transport and so on).

Further information

If you require further information or clarification, please do not hesitate to contact Population Health (07 838 2569 or 0800 800 977) or visit [Waikato DHB website:](http://www.waikatodhb.health.nz/measles/)

SCHOLASTIC ISSUE No. 3

Issue No 3 has been sent home and closes this **Friday 27th May**. All orders with payment to the office please. Orders will be back the following week.

WATER BOTTLES

Please encourage your child to bring a water bottle to school so they can have easy access to water in class, during eating times and after their cross-country practice.

TEAM EAST WHANAU ROOPU MEETING

Tuesday 7th June in the staffroom, **2pm**.

All welcome to come along for a cuppa, we would love to hear your ideas on...

*how we can support your whānau.

*how you might help out with our Matariki celebrations.

*pōwhiri ideas to welcome our new principal in Term 3.

If you can't make it, but would love to share your ideas, please email Briar on bfrew@east.school.nz

HOW YOU CAN HELP AT HOME WORKSHOP

How you can help at home is a practical workshop to give you tips on how to support your children's learning at home. It runs on **Thursday 2nd June** for an hour, from **3:15-4:15 pm**. Children are welcome, we will have afternoon tea and a quiet movie and playground play time for them. **If you want to book a spot please text Nik Laing 027-433-8821 asap.**

PLAYGROUND RE-OPENED

Yay! The bark for the FORT arrived last week.

Thanks Mr Tai, Mr & Mrs Low, Mr Rush, Mr Burke, Mr Douglas, Mr Spicer and Mr Cowan who spread it on the weekend. What an amazing effort! Many Thanks!

POOL KEYS

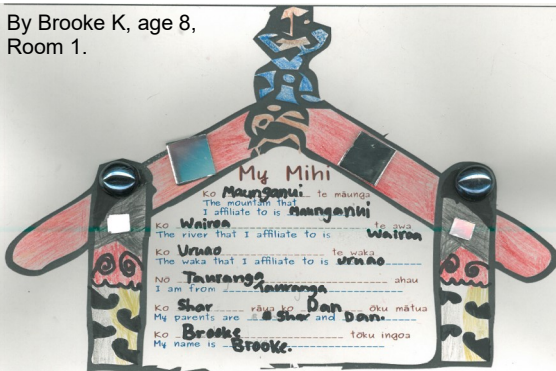
Please return your Waihi East School pool key to the office as soon as possible for a \$5 refund.

BOT ELECTIONS

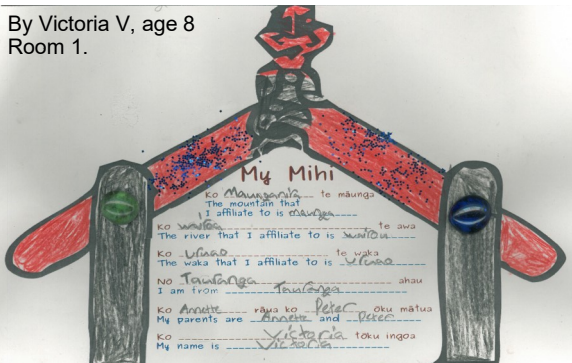
Voting papers were posted on Monday and should arrive at your place soon! This is a postal election and the voting paper is valid only if returned in the addressed envelope provided. If posting your voting paper, you must use the enclosed envelope and post to Waihi East School. Your vote will not be counted unless the envelope is postmarked before the day of the election, **3rd June 2016** and received by the returning officer not later than 5 days after the date of the election. **Ensure that you post it as soon as possible because New Zealand Post has reduced its mail delivery service.** If delivering your voting paper please ensure that it is delivered before noon on **3rd June 2016** in the enclosed envelope. It should be taken to Waihi East School.

Kids' Work

By Brooke K, age 8,
Room 1.



By Victoria V, age 8
Room 1.



The Swings in the playground...

The swings in the playground
they are so lonely looking..
until we play there!

By Cathy McGlynn (9)



Illustrated by Tevita H, age
6, room 8.

SPORTS DRAWS

NETBALL Saturday 28th May 2016

9.00 Ct 2 East Daisies
9.00 Ct 3 East Daffodils
10.00 Ct 2 East Poppies
11.00 Ct 2 Suns v Beach Babies
11.00 Ct 5 Shooting Stars v Central
1.00 Ct 4 Comets v Central Gold

EAST School is on duty this week. Please see roster sent home with your child this week for your time slot. Thanks for your help with this!!!

Congratulations to Lillie T, Riley F-P and Ellie A for trialing and being selected for the Year 6 Waihi Rep team.

SOCCER Year 1-4

Tuesday 3.30pm at Waihi Beach School.
Players of the day; Week 3, **Tuturi W & Isabelle C.**
Week 4, Brooklyn F & Arik W.

SOCCER Year 5-6 Friday May 27th

3.30 pm. At Waihi College top field.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

GROWLINK

Growlink orders have been dropping off so free delivery may have to be stopped to our school. Growlink offers your choice of fruit, veges and groceries online delivered for free to Waihi East School. Order Tuesday for a Wednesday delivery. Go to www.growlink.co.nz and use coupon code WAIHIEAST for free delivery.



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YOUTH WEEK

Next week is 'Youth Week' 21-29 May 2016. Waihi Blue-light are holding a Bluelight Disco event.

Waihi Baptist Church Hall.

Friday 27 May. 6pm-8.30pm.

Ages 4-8.

Gold coin donation.

Sausage sizzle, drinks, lollies available for purchase.

The theme is 'Fluro Rave'-come wearing 'glow in the dark', fluro or neon.

For more info on Youth Week and what it's about check out the following website;

<http://www.arataioho.org.nz/initiatives/youth-week/about>.

WANTED

3 bedroom or more, town or country. Warm, and good garage. Please phone Lynne, 8633442.

FOUND

A silver Pandora bracelet. No charms.

A silver pocket watch.

Please see the office if these belong to you.

KIDS MARTIAL ARTS CLASSES

Every Thursday and Friday 4.30-5.30pm @ St Johns Anglican Hall.

Age: 8-12 years. Cost: \$7.50 per week.

First class is free with no joining fees.

For more info phone 0211631891,

email: waihimuaythai@gmail.com

or check out our FB page: Waihi Community Martial Arts.

10 WAYS WITH BEANS,
LEGUMES AND LENTILS

DELICIOUS DIP!

To make a tasty dip blend 1 can chickpeas with garlic, a squeeze of lemon juice and 1-2 tbsps olive oil to make a delicious dip!



Developed by Sport Waikato 2016

Waihi East School – Cross Country 2016

Date —Thursday 2nd June (Postponement day Friday 3rd June), Waihi / Waihi Beach District Primary Schools' Cross Country- Wednesday 8th June (postponement day Friday 10th June), Northern Cluster Cross Country – Tues 14th June (pp Thurs 16th June) at and organized by Whakamarama School, WBOP Cross Country – Wed 22nd June (pp Fri 24th June) at Waipuna Park, W. Bay.

Venue– Morgan Park.

Time –12.00 noon —1.30 p.m. (leave East 11.00 a.m., walk the course 11.30 p.m.) (children can go home with parents after cross country), leave to return to school at 2.00 p.m.

Order of events—in year groups as listed below, girls events then boys. See maps on pages 2 and 3 for course details.

Yr 5—once around the orange course.

Yr 2—once around yellow course.

Yr 6—once around yellow course followed by once around orange course.

Yr 1—once around yellow course.

Yr 3—once around the blue course.

Yr 4—once around the blue course.

Yellow Course = 400m Blue Course = 1 kilometre Orange Course = 1.8 kilometres for year 5's and the year 6's cover 2.2 kilometres due to their small lap before the big loop.

N.B.—children are grouped according to current year.

Parent Help



We need ten parent helpers on the day for our cross country, the help is needed where the marshall figures are shown on the maps included with this cross country newsletter. We also need parents to walk with teachers and their classes from Waihi East School to Morgan Park and return, this will help us manage the well-being of all involved throughout the experience.

The marshalls will direct children, we really need these helpers to make sure the runners stay on course. The seniors will have walked their courses, but marshalls will still be needed on the day. Please help make our school cross country successful by volunteering some of your time. To offer your help, fill in the form below. See attached pages for maps of the courses and placement of marshalls.



Parent Helpers For Waihi East School Cross Country

_____ is available to help as
(Parent/ Caregiver's name)

a marshall on the course and/or walk with your child's class for the Waihi East
(Yes / No) - please circle as appropriate - (Yes/No)

Primary Schools Cross Country on Thursday 2nd of June at Morgan Park.

Phone _____

Course details P.T.O.

Yellow Course Year 1/2's



Blue Course Year 3/4's



P.T.O. For year 5 and 6 courses.

Orange Course Year 5/6's




Wednesday 25th May 2016

Chromebook Initiative 2016

After significant community consultation throughout Term 1, the Board of Trustees of Waihi East School is pleased to be able to offer the opportunity for parents/caregivers to purchase Chromebooks at a reduced cost for their **Y3, Y4, Y5 &/or Y6** child/ren at Waihi East School. This is an **optional** initiative that you may wish to be involved with.

Acer C730E Chromebook

We have sourced the Acer C730E Chromebook at an affordable price, with excellent specifications to best support the learning environments and programmes in place at school.

<p>Features</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 2.16GHz Intel Celeron N2840 dual core processor• 2GB RAM• 16GB Solid State Drive• Intel HD graphics• Google Chrome OS	<p>Specifications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Brand/Model: Acer C730E Chromebook• Processor: 2.16GHz Intel Celeron N2840 dual core processor• Memory: 2GB System Memory• Disk Drive: 16GB Solid State Drive• Optical Drive: No• Display: 11.6" 1366x768	
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Cost: **\$350.75** (inc GST)

Payment plan options:

1. \$100 deposit + \$13 per week (approx) over 20 weeks
2. \$18 per week (approx) over 20 weeks
3. Full payment of \$350.75

This opportunity for purchasing a device will also be available in 2017, however the device type and price cannot be guaranteed and is subject to change.

Procedure:

1. If you are interested in purchasing an Acer C730E Chromebook through Waihi East School, please read the attached Chromebook Purchase Agreement.
2. Return the signed purchase agreement, with confirmed payment plan OR deposit of \$100 & confirmed payment plan, OR full payment, before Friday 24th June 2016. We need to confirm our purchase order amount, to guarantee the purchase price.

There is more information about chromebooks on the reverse of this letter. If you have any questions, please see Rachael Coll at school.

Kind regards

Waihi East Board of Trustees

What is a chromebook? Why did we pick this device?



The key factors included:

- A chromebook comes with an integrated keyboard and mouse, which makes creating products online easier for many students and it's more than six hour battery life will let students work through an entire school day without charging.
- The ability for teachers and staff to manage the device and monitor student use at school through a security management console - Hapara Teacher Dashboard.
- Chromebooks update the operating system and security themselves, while we still have the ability to push out applications and tools to our students.
- We have the ability to lock anyone out of a stolen or lost chromebook, thus making it unusable and serving as a deterrent for theft.
- The chromebook offers a full-featured browser for working on the Internet that includes support for flash, a requirement for some online resources.
- Although the chromebook allows files to be stored on it, all of the work done on a chromebook ultimately backs up to the cloud. As a result a student will rarely, if ever, lose their work and if their device stops working, another chromebook can be substituted and the student can continue working as if they were on their original device.
- A chromebook also comes with the ability to add on external storage through USB flash drives or SD cards. So students can pull in and access work done on other Windows, Mac, or Linux based systems and still store and work with large files that do not easily store on a mobile device or in the cloud.



I already have a chromebook, do I need to buy one through the school?

- A student owned chromebook would have to meet the requirements of a 6 hour battery life (to minimise charging at school) and be enrolled in the security management console with monitoring software to be used at school. The school would then need to purchase the management tools so it could be managed by the school.
- The chromebook is the required 1:1 device. It will allow us to monitor student use at school and push out applications that students will use for school work.

Will students be expected to use this only for school related activities or can they add other content such as facebook etc.?

- Students can access any web-based resource at school that is allowed through the school's Internet filter. They can access anything at home that their parents allow.

How does the school plan to limit the use of the chromebook to keep students focused on school? The school must teach appropriate use of technology. How do I know my student will not be playing games all day and ignoring lessons?

- The classroom activities will leave little time for game playing. The devices will also have a security and monitoring feature (Hapara) where teachers monitor student use while at school so it is easier to keep track of student activities on the devices.

Short (2 minute) video clips about Google Apps for Education (GAFE) & Chromebooks.

Youtube clip about Google for Education <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uXFUI0KclKA>

Youtube clip about Chromebooks for Education <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mSbZQNJwPul>



Agreement to Purchase an Acer C730E Chromebook from Waihi East School 2016

I understand the following arrangements in regard to the Chromebook I am purchasing:

1. The Chromebook will not be allowed home (including holidays) until it has been completely paid for.
2. The Chromebook must be paid for with the school's financial year. The agreed date is **Friday 9th December 2016**.
3. Once a Chromebook has been confirmed for purchase through this purchase agreement, whether part or fully paid off, any damage sustained is the responsibility of the owner/purchaser, even if the damage happens at school.
4. The school's insurance will not cover damage to a privately owned device or one that is on a payment plan.
5. Each Chromebook comes with a one year warranty. This covers manufacturing defects.
6. Once paid for, use of the Chromebook outside of school is the responsibility of the parent/legal guardian.
7. Use of Chromebooks in class will be determined by the class teacher.
8. The school has the right to inspect a computer brought onto the school grounds.
9. The Chromebook I am purchasing is for the sole use of my child in their class.
10. The school will keep a record of my child/ren's Chromebook serial number on file.
11. All purchased devices will be named by the school for identification.
12. The school will determine the Google Apps that students will be permitted to use while at school.
13. All student files, work, email, photos, etc will be stored in the Waihi East Google Domain Account.
14. All student files, work, email, photos, history, etc will be monitored by both their class teacher and Principal.
15. A separate purchase agreement is required for each child you wish to buy a Chromebook for.
16. Additional items such as headphones, external mouse, case, pen-drive, etc are not provided by the school.
17. The school will hold the master copy of this agreement on file.
18. In the case that your child enrolls at another school you will have the opportunity to pay any remaining balance on the Chromebook so that your child can take it with them. If the balance is not paid in full, the Chromebook becomes the property of Waihi East School.
19. Children will sign a user agreement and be given time to put their Chromebook away out of sight at the end of each day. Rooms are locked and alarmed.

I confirm that I have read the above agreement, and based on this information, I wish to secure the purchase of an Acer C730E Chromebook (including charger), with final payment on or before **Friday 9th December 2016**.

Payments must be made through *automatic payment* unless otherwise agreed.

I would like to opt for the following payment option (select one):

- Pay **\$350.75** (inc GST) for the Chromebook outright.
- Pay a deposit of \$100, plus confirmed payment plan of a minimum \$13 per week over 20 weeks.
- Confirmed payment plan of minimum \$18 per week over 20 weeks.

Date: ___/___/___ Student: _____ Parent/Caregiver Name: _____

Signed: Parent/caregiver: _____ Principal: _____ (Stephanie Anich)

PLEASE RETURN THIS **FORM, PAYMENT PLAN, &/or DEPOSIT** TO THE OFFICE BY **FRIDAY 24th JUNE 2016**

OFFICE USE:

Serial Number of Device:	Deposit paid:
Student name:	Deposit amount:
Name of purchaser:	Date of purchase:

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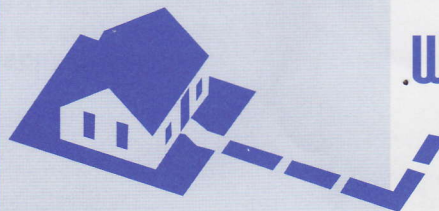
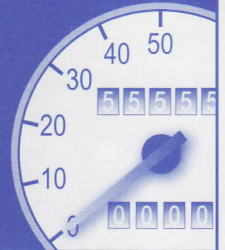
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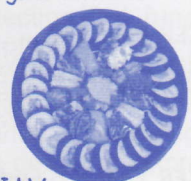
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