

1 April 2016

Kia Ora, Talofa, Fakaalofa Atu, Hello.

St. Johns Whacky Green Day.

Wednesday 6th April.

This term we are supporting the St. Johns Ambulance by having a Whacky Green Day.

We will parade in the morning. Please be creative in green and send a gold coin donation.

Mrs Barry
Principal



High Achiever's Award. 24 March.

- R1 Isabella. For using great sounding strategies when reading new words.
- R2 Jade. For being honest in her work and ensuring she is doing the right thing.
- R3 Hope. Having a go at new things.
- R6 Haumaringiringi. Can discuss her progress and actions honestly.
- R7 Siobhan. Completing all her work and improving her writing.
- R15 Daniel. For using feedback and feed forward to improve his writing.
- R16 Regan. Taking his time to complete reading tasks.

Rodayo Robin Award.

- R8 Brodie. You are a very trustworthy student who consistently shows integrity.

High Achiever's Award. 31 March.

- R1 Aeva. For having a positive "give it a go" attitude to her learning.
- R3 Duane. For amazing effort in his writing.
- R6 Kymahni. Great reading and maths effort.
- R7 Kotahi. For using fabulous manners showing respect for others.
- R8 Shayna. For consistently showing our school ACHIEVE values.
- R15 For excellent co-operation skills during our classes maths activities showing enjoyment and teamwork.
- Rm 16 Joseph. For showing a mature attitude towards his work.

Rodayo Robin Award.

- R2 Kapi. For always putting lots of effort into his learning and helping others.

PTA GARAGE SALE

Saturday 2nd April
10.00 a.m. – 2.00 p.m.

*Cake Stall, Sausage Sizzle,
Clothing, Bedding, Books,
Toys, Kitchenware, Nik Naks,
Plant Stall.*

EARLY CLOSING
Wednesday 6th April
School closes 1.00 p.m.

3 Way ACHIEVE
Conferences



Congratulations to our 2016 ACHIEVE

Georgina, Jessica, Anna, Charlie, Daniel, Sophie Amber, Madyson J., Katie, Levi, Piper, Dariuz.

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Wednesday 6th April
Early closing – 3 Way
ACHIEVE Conferences

Photos.

Class photos will be taken on Tuesday 12th April.
Individual photos will only be taken where requested.
Envelopes for orders will be sent home shortly.
Payment with orders by 9.00 a.m. 12th April.

ACHIEVE Leaders.

The ACHIEVE Leaders trip is on Friday 15th April.

End of Term.

Term 1 finishes at 2.50 p.m. Friday 15th April.
Term 2 starts Monday 2nd May.

3 Way ACHIEVE Conferences.

Wednesday 6th April. Appointment times have been sent home.

Over the past few weeks the neighbours have had to ask children to come down off the roof in the early evening and at the weekend. Some of these children do attend our school. We are very concerned that the older children are encouraging the younger children to get up onto the school roof to play ball or with scooters. It is very dangerous and we are very concerned that a serious accident will happen. If your child is playing in the school grounds, please talk to them about keeping themselves safe.

Thankyou.

A huge thankyou to Erena Cresswell for donating a number of books to our school library. These will be well used and are appreciated by the children and staff.

Sports Uniforms.

Please return all summer sports uniforms to the office for your refund. The uniform deposit can be transferred to winter sports.

Board of Trustee Elections.

The Board of Trustees' three-yearly election will be happening in June this year. As a parent of a student at Whanganui East School, we would like you to consider standing or nominating someone who could potentially make a great trustee for our school. Trustees do not have to be a parent of a current student – wider whanau or community leaders are most welcome. We are looking for someone who has integrity, good communication skills and a strong commitment to a vision to see all our children succeed. The role of the BOT is to set the strategic vision, goals and priorities for the school, ensure it complies with legal and policy requirements and to oversee financial and property decisions. We focus on student well-being and achievement and are accountable to the Ministry of Education and local community for the school's overall performance.

The board is made up of 5 parent-elected trustees, one staff-elected trustee and the principal. We generally meet twice a term. You do not need any special qualifications. Ongoing support and training is provided. If you want to know more check out the NZ School Trustees Association website.

www.nzsta.org.nz, ask at the office or have a chat to one of the current board members.



**LOVE
OUR
SCHOOL**

“I love that we learn and the teachers are very nice.

Samuel, R7

Every Child Achieving