

Greetings, Tena Koutou, Talofa.

Principals Awards.

- R2 Zephire. For taking risks to achieve in reading.
- R3 Veronica. For always using her manners.
- R5 Azaleaha. For working hard during reading lessons and being on task.
- R8 Jarias. For amazing effort in literacy and numeracy.
- R11 Damien. A fantastic start to his time at Wanganui East School.
- R12 Tyrone. For always working well with others.
- R16 Sophie. Being a fantastic member of Room 16 and always trying to AHCIEVE.

The Rodayo Robin Taonga Principals Award.

- R15 Renee. Writing well in a variety of areas.

Art Gallery – Earthquake Risk.

The Wanganui District Council has recently published the results of engineering surveys of council buildings in relation to their potential earthquake risk. The Art Gallery currently meets 5% of the new building code and has therefore been designated an “Earthquake Prone Building”. The council information in regards to this indicates, “The likelihood of a major, damaging earthquake is small and we are continuing with our exhibitions and education programmes as usual.”

The school acknowledges the value of trips to the Art Gallery and would like to continue to offer these opportunities to the students. The Board feels it is important that parents are able to make informed consent in regards to these trips and permission forms for future trips will reflect this.

Headlice.

Unfortunately headlice have been noticed in the classroom. Could you please check your child’s head and treat as necessary so we can prevent further spread. Public Health Nurse, Cynda Thompson has limited number of nit combs and shampoo available. You can contact her on 348 8343 for assistance.

Daffodil Day.

Friday 31st August - Please encourage your child to wear yellow mufti to school on Daffodil Day in support of Cancer Research. Gold coin donation will go to the Cancer Society.



Canteen.

Buy Hot Chips, \$2.00, over the next 2 Thursdays and go in the draw for a Disco Voucher.

Hamburger Day – Tuesday 21st August, \$2.50 each at the canteen.



Computers in Homes.

On Monday 20th August at 5.00 p.m. we will be having our Graduation celebration for this year's Computers in Homes participants. Nine adults have attended the 20 hour course and each will receive a computer, a flash drive and Internet connection. Special guests for this evening will include the Mayor, Annette Main, Alistair Fraser from Computers in Homes and Alan Cooper, a well known Education Consultant. This programme has been very successful and it is hoped that the School will be able to host another Computers in Homes Course again next year.

Meadow Fresh Giveaway.

Our school has registered for the Meadow Fresh Art/Sports Gear giveaway. All you child needs to do is collect the "Cool Stuff Sticker" on specially marked Meadow Fresh milk and yoghurt products and bring them into school. Your child will receive house points for each sticker they bring in. So let's see which House receives the winning prize!

Hockey Results – 15th August.

Wanganui East Black won 8 – 1 against Durie Hill. Goals by Jackson and Matthew. Player of the day: Braydin.

Wanganui East Blue lost 1 – 3 to St. Johns Hill. Player of the day: Emily.

Wanganui East Red won 5 – 1 against Carlton. Player of the day: Raniera.

Community Notices.

S.K.I.P. Wanganui

S.K.I.P. Wanganui have Nathan Mikaere-Wallis presenting the Brainware Seminar on Tuesday 4th September at Central Baptist Community Centre, 285 Wicksted Street. Two sessions: 1 – 3 p.m. OR 7 – 9 p.m. FREE ENTRY. Did you know that –

- 85% of the brain develops in the first 3 years!
- The way you speak, handle and respond to a baby shapes the baby's brain?
- Nurturing and responsiveness in the early years builds a strong foundation for learning, behavior and relationships?

Community Meeting: Problem driving in Eastown Road.

Wanganui District Council is holding a community meeting on Tuesday 4th September 6.00 – 7.00 p.m. at the Wanganui East Club to discuss concerns residents on Eastown Road and in the vicinity had raised about "boy racers" and drivers who are using the road in ways that are not safe for the community.

ACHIEVE

TIPURANGA (GROWTH)

V = VALUES

(Caring about each other and the community)

"Value others personal space"

PB4L FOCUS

"Do not interrupt"

Key Competency: Thinking

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