

## **No. 2, 15 February 2013**

### **High Achievers Awards.**

- R1 Jayla. For showing great listening skills and an amazing attitude to learning.  
R2 Veronica. For being ready to learn in Room 2.  
R8 Georgina For showing amazing listening skills and being ready to learn.  
R12 Samantha. For excellent role modelling of what helping one another looks like at Wanganui East School.  
R11 Te Rito. An amazing effort with swimming.  
R15 Harmony. Listening well and working hard.  
R16 Blair. Showing fantastic listening skills and working hard to ACHIEVE.

### **Principals Award.**

Akiwa. Thinks school is cool.

### **Rodayo Robin Taonga.**

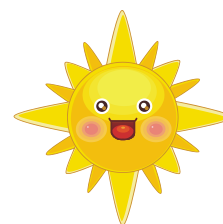
R3 Jayda. Who has settled into school well and is showing Mrs Metcalfe she is ready to learn.

### **Newsletter Cover.**

A BIG thankyou to the sponsors of our new look newsletter. Please support the advertisers on the back cover.

### **Sun Smart School.**

Last Friday, Jane from the Cancer Society presented the school with two sun shades, a voucher to buy two shade trees and a plaque that identifies our school for being a "Sun Smart" accredited School.



### **Warehouse Stationery.**

If you shop at the Warehouse Stationery you are able to identify Wanganui East School to receive points. These points turn into rewards for the school. So now matter what the purchase please ask for your points to go to our school.

### **Computers in Homes.**

Please call at the office for an information sheet and registration form for Computers in Homes. If you don't have a computer at home and have school aged children you can apply for the course. You will receive 20 hours of lessons, a free reconditioned computer and subsidised internet connection for 12 months. The cost is \$50.00 and this can be paid over time. Classes will start the end of February.

### **Uniform.**

All children must be in the correct footwear and uniform by the end of Week 3. (22 February 2013)

### **Pinecones.**

Room 11 are selling pinecones for \$5.00 a bag as a fundraiser for their Sailing Day. Enquire at the office.

### **Parent Hui.**

Week 4 – details to follow.

### **Sea Week.**

Planning is underway for a school trip to Castlecliff Beach on 5<sup>th</sup> March. Further information will be sent home closer to the time.

### **P.T.A.**

The PTA would like to thank all the students for the fantastic effort in selling the Cadbury Creme Eggs. They sold out in 3 days. Please return money a.s.a.p. to Mrs Smith or Miss O’Keefe in the hall before school.

### **Health Nurse.**

Kia Ora, my name is Cynda and I am the Child Health Nurse who visits Wanganui East School on a regular basis. I provide free support, advice and if need be referrals to other services. I can help families, caregivers or teachers with any health concerns they may have for the child/children in their care. This could be with:

- Parenting problems
- Home visits
- Referral to Health Camp
- Bedwetting & Soiling
- Health promotion activities
- Advocacy and Support
- Immunisation Queries
- Puberty issues
- Nutrition Concern
- Child Abuse Issues
- New Entrant Assessments

I can be contacted at the Public Health Centre by phoning 348 3343 or 027 3344 285. You can also leave a message for me at the school office if your concern can’t wait until my next school visit.

### **Relay for Life.**

Mrs Lourie is walking in the Relay for Life in remembrance of Brendon and to raise money for Cancer Victims. “Brendon’s Angels” – friends and family will join the walk over March 16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup>. Any sponsorship/donations can be left at the School Office.

### **Dance Classes.**

A great opportunity for your child to explore dance for the first time or boost their previous dance experience. Curriculum will focus on basic dance skills and hip hop. Class times as follows:

Nippers (5–7 yr) Tuesday 3.30 – 4.15 p.m.      Kidz (8–10 yr) Tuesday 4.30 – 5.30 p.m.  
Your (10–13 yr) Thursday 3.30 – 4.30 p.m.      Teens (14–16 yr) Thursday 4.45 – 5.45 p.m.  
Public Rate \$50.00 for term.

### **Archery Classes.**

Class times as follows:

Juniors (8 yr+) Monday 4.00 – 4.50 p.m.; 6.00 – 6.50 p.m.

Adults/Advanced: Tuesday 7.00 – 8.00 p.m.

A great chance for you to get out and have a go!

Public Rate: Under 18 \$30.00 for term; 18 yr and over \$50.00 for term.

Discounted rates and transport for YMCA OSCAR Families.

Phone the YMCA on 349 6119 or 027 477 7781 for further information.

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