

Week 1, Term 4

DEPUTY PRINCIPAL'S COMMENT

Welcome back to Term 4. Who can believe we are so far through the year.

We welcome Oscar (Rm 2) and Max (next week to Rm 4) Deighton, and Georgia Murdoch (Rm 1) and their families to Kai Iwi School. We hope you enjoy your time at our school.

Our big day is fast approaching - Pet Day is next Monday, 17 October. The children are meeting in their teams today to sort out what to bring to make their scarecrow. Look out for the note in their bag. A detailed checklist notice went home yesterday outlining all the requirements for the indoor competition, what each family are asked to provide etc. We hope you are able to come along to this fantastic day. It is always great to see our community rally round in support of our school.

Athletics — the classes are out most days after lunch training for the school run, jump throw day later in the term. Please be mindful of clothing as the children will need to be dressed in or bring along a change suitable for these events. Please

ensure all clothing is named!!!

<u>School hats</u> will be issued this week and they are to be worn at all times the children are outside. The school hat is the only hat to be worn at school and is approved by the Cancer Society to provide the best protection. The hats should not come home so if they do please make sure they are returned.

Staff spent time at school on Friday to set up a **multisensory space** in the library which the classes are enjoying as they explore this term's integrated topic—Busy Bodies, learning about how our body works through our senses. You might like to check out this amazing space during Pet Day.

A reminder about the wearing of school uniform children must wear the complete uniform and not just parts of it. There will be a uniform order going in at the end of Week 4 of this term.

Jenny Foote, Deputy Principal

REMINDER - NETBALL UNIFORMS

We appear to be missing several of these uniforms. If you haven't returned yours yet, please do so ASAP in a clean & pressed condition. Thank you.

Waitotara School Quiz Night

Friday, 28 October, 7pm Waitotara Hotel Enter a team, phone the school on 3465957



SCHOOL CALENDAR - Term 4		
Mon 17th Oct	-	PET DAY
25 - 27 Oct	-	ERO visit
Wed 2nd Nov	-	Super 6 Touch (Yrs 7/8)
14 - 16 Nov	-	Life Education Bus visits
Tue 22nd Nov	-	School Athletics
Tue 29th Nov	-	West Country Athletics
Thu 1st Dec	-	Postponement date for above.
Thur 15th Dec	-	Prizegiving (early evening)
Fri 16th Dec	-	Final Day Term 4 and Whole School outing.

HEAD LICE

Please regularly check your child(ren)s heads for these pesky creatures and treat if necessary.

CELLPHONE FOUND

A cellphone was found in the school carpark after Room 4 left on their camp last term. If you have lost one and can describe it please phone or see Wendy in the school office.

WANGANUI TENNIS CLUB

Wanganui Primary / Intermediate Schools tournament Friday 15 October 2016: This annual local event has four events, year 6 & below boys singles, Year 6 and below girls singles, Year 7 & 8 Boys singles, Year 7 & 8 Girls singles. The winner and runner up from our local event qualify to play in the Tennis Central region Primary / Intermediate school tournament held in Palmerston North on the 11th of November against the winners of the other qualifying events around the region. The winners of the Regional event qualify to play in the National Tennis NZ Primary / Intermediate Schools tournament. This is for players who can play on the full tennis court, serve, rally, and score. Free entry for all players. Please see the attached information sheet.

Wednesday afternoon and Saturday Morning Weekly Junior Tennis competitions in Wanganui through term 4 and term 1: All through summer the Wanganui Tennis club offer weekly participation competitions for junior members of all ages and levels. These are free for Wanganui Tennis club members. A junior membership is just \$70 per year (only \$1.34 per week). These begin from Wednesday 12th of October 3.30 - 5.30pm and Saturday 15th of October 2016 from 9.00am - 10.30am, Players are arranged in to levels and experience and allow new and experienced players the chance to compete on a regular basis & be part of the club. Please contact me to register for the Saturday morning competitions, and please come down to the club on Wednesday 3.30pm for the Wednesday junior club tennis.

Regards,

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KAI IWI HONEY

We have more Clover & Bush honey available at school from the Valentine's. Please note that both of these have increased in price to \$15/kg, plus

there are 2 x 500gm Clover pots left at the old price of \$6/pot. Once those have gone the honey will only be available in 1Kg tubs.





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