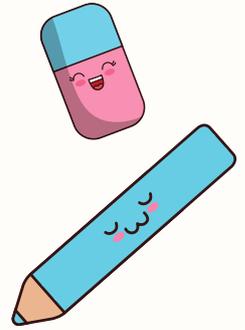




Whareama School Newsletter

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Term 4, Week 1



FROM THE PRINCIPAL

I hope you all had a great time with your children over the past 2 weeks and their batteries have been recharged for what is going to be another whirlwind term. This term is nine weeks long and we will be ending our school year on Wednesday the 14th of December, at 1pm. Our school prize giving and dinner will be on Tuesday the 13th of December, starting at 5pm. There is a huge list of events on this term and I have put them all on the timetable at the bottom of this newsletter. Please phone us at school if you have any questions around these events but we aim to send out extra newsletters to the students involved in any of the planned activities, if they are not mentioned in the newsletter. So, let's get into the final term by continuing with our engaging programmes, developing our students' knowledge in all curriculum areas and achieving our school and personal goals for 2022. Please keep newsletters and help us out by organising things at your end, when needed, to help make our jobs easier. This term has so much on like sports, EOTC class events, Ruud Kleinpaste coming to work with us, end of year prizegiving, school trips and you can see from the list below that it is going to fly by. This term will fly by and so please be ready for many fun events and a wide range of learning this term, the final one for 2022 at Whareama School.

Dates - Term 4

Mon 17th Oct - Term 4 Starts

Fri 21st Oct - PETS DAY

Mon 24th Oct - LABOUR DAY SCHOOL CLOSED

Tues 25th Oct - BOT Meeting 5.30pm, staffroom

Thurs 27th Oct - Pukaha Visit for Whanake

Fri 28th Oct - Design Tech (Y7/8) for 2 weeks

Thurs 3rd Nov - Smash Cricket Festival (Y5-8)

Thurs 10th Nov - Rural Cluster Athletics Day

Weds 16th Nov - Masterton Athletics Day

Mon/Tues 21st/22nd Nov - Wellington Overnight Trip
for Whakatututuki

Thurs 24th Nov - Ruud Kleinpaste Visit

Mon 5th December - BOT Meeting 5.30pm, staffroom

Tues 13th Dec - School Prizegiving and Dinner (5pm)

Weds 14th Dec - School Year Ends - 1pm

Ski Trip

We had a great trip away and I want to pass on a huge thanks to Michelle Kucyniak and Richard Fairbrother for their amazing help on our trip by supporting all of our kids while travelling and also up on the mountain. Also thanks to all the parents who supplied the delicious meals and snacks.



Design Technology - Yr 7/8

There will be two more weeks in Weeks 2 and 3 and that will end the 2022 Design Technology classes at Makoura College for this year.

Pets' Day 2022

Our annual Pets' Day will be on Friday the 21st of October, and will be pretty much back to normal this year. An extra notice about this was sent home last term and if you do not have this please contact school for another copy. The student stalls will open to the public at 12pm and then Pets' Parades will start at 1.30pm.....we would love to see all family and friends come along on the day. Please remember to bring change along for the student stalls as having change is always really helpful. There will also be seedlings for sale from our Garden to Table programme - tomatoes, zuchinnis, beetroot etc.

SUNSMART SCHOOL

We are now in Term 4 and ask that all students wear their green school bucket hat when playing outside in break times. We have allowed the kids to be sorted by Tuesday next week and any students who do not have a school hat will need to stay in the shaded areas during break times.

Get, Set, Go - Run, Jump, Throw

We have Mark Harris and his team coming in on Mondays for the athletics support programme for Term 4. This is a great way to build student skills and teacher knowledge in athletics skills and every student will be part of this programme.



SMASH PLAY CRICKET

Each Wednesday from Week 2 and for 3 weeks we will have Nathan Elliot from Wairarapa Cricket coming in to take all of our kids for a fun new format of cricket and the trainings will culminate in a cricket festival day later in the term.

SCHOOL ACCOUNTS

Term 3 accounts will be sent out this week. Please keep a look out for them in your email.

