

Wednesday 21st June, 2017
Term 2, Week 8

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Welcome Bay School
Ma te huruhuru, ka rere te manu Adorn the bird with feathers so that it can fly.

Kia ora Parents, Whanau, and Caregivers,

the Parenting show with Pio

Last Thursday night we were so lucky to host Pio Terei in our school hall to talk to our community about some Parenting tips on behalf of "The Parenting Place". It was a great night and an encouraging turnout from our community, including some whanau from both Selwyn Ridge and Maungatapu schools.

We really want to take the opportunity to thank the Parenting Place, and the team from Welcome Bay Baptist Church who really made this opportunity a reality. We hope that those who attended got some good tips that can practically be put to use at home with the family. Here are 10 hot tips for Parents:

1. A calm voice, kind words, and regular doses of fun = a great family atmosphere
2. Positive parents grow positive children
3. Model the kind of behaviour you want your children to copy
4. Tell your child what they have right more than tell them what they have done wrong
5. Let your child know you are on the same side
6. Do more things **with** your kids than you do **for** them
7. Saying thank you shows your children you appreciate what they do
8. Successful parents trust themselves, aren't afraid to ask for advice and notice when they have done a good job
9. Parents who encourage themselves are better at encouraging their children
10. Teach your child to give compliments, a great way to build kindness in families

For more parenting gold, check out the parentingplace.com

Learning Catch Ups

We have scheduled our "Learning Catch Ups" next term for week 2 on **Tuesday 1st August from 3pm - 7pm, and on Wednesday 2nd August 8am - 5pm.**

Each family will be allocated a half hour time slot where your child has a component of sharing their learning, and the teacher also has 15 minutes to discuss your child's learning. The **online booking system** is ready to go and has proven very successful previous years. If you cannot access this please call the school office for support to make your booking. We would love to see every family ;)

As we have for several years, we will allocate a full day to meet with families so that this time is valued and timeframes can cater to the varied and busy lives of our parent community. The **full day for Catch Ups will be the Wednesday**, and while **we encourage children to be catered for at home** and attend the Catch Up with their parents on this day, we will run an alternative programme for those children where alternative arrangements are not possible. We will send a form home next week so you can let us know if your child will need to be catered for at school.

For online bookings check out the details below:

Below is the information you need to make your online bookings. It is very quick and easy, just follow the instructions below.

First go to the website using the address:

www.schoolinterviews.co.nz

If you cannot access the school interviews online please phone Cherie in the school office (**5441113**) and we can support you in making a time. Also if you have **more than one child it would be advisable to book as early as possible** to ensure your times are available to be better coordinated.

THE EASY WAY TO BOOK
SCHOOL INTERVIEWS

Now you can book school interviews for the times that suit you. Simply enter the event code and press "Go".

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Enter this code to begin

New Sports/House tops for sale at



We have been working hard to grow our House group competition over the last few years and have seen our children take a lot of pride in their given House group, working hard to earn points each term.

We have developed a new top that is extremely similar to our sports tops, but also has each of the House Birds printed on the back. These are for sale by order and can be used as a Sports top for your child's teams throughout the year, which would mean no more \$5 fee every season. Tops could also be worn for school house and special events. The tops are available in all sizes and are very good quality.

These new sports tops are **not to replace school uniform** and should only be worn during sports and special events.

The price for one of these new tops is \$35, we have sent home an order form (or you can get one from the office), and also have tops at school in the full range of sizes should you want to try one on your child. Once orders are placed it takes approx. 4-7 weeks for them to be made and sent back to school.

We will take orders once every term with the first order being placed this term on Friday 23 June. Please have your order form and the money to the office by then.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to ask.



Orders close this Friday, so if you haven't ordered one in the office or through the online shop do it now.

KICK Start: Transition to school programme

This programme is for both new parents and children starting at Welcome Bay School and runs for approximately seven weeks during the term.

NEXT SESSION: Monday 31 July, 2017 @ 1:45pm (Term 3)

FOCUS: Intro to WBS

If you are interested in attending please call the school office on 544 1113 and let us know you will be along so we can plan for numbers. Also, if you know someone who intends on enrolling at Welcome Bay School but does not get the newsletter please let them know, too. We look forward to seeing you!



Sports News

If you have any queries or can offer your time, skills, knowledge, or support in any way please do not hesitate to contact Lisa House via email:

sports@welcomebay.school.nz

Sports News and Results

School Sports:

Netball

Draw

Wednesday 21st June

Year 3-4

There is no netball on Wednesday 21st June due to the Magic v Stars game at ASB Arena.

Saturday 24th June

Year 5-6

WB Karearea v Merivale Tutarawananga, 9.50am, Court 1, Harbourside Netball Centre

Tuesday 27th June

Year 1-2

3:45pm Report to your designated court

3:50pm Warm Up

3:55pm Skill Development Session

4:20pm Game Time

4:45pm Cool Down

4:50pm Home Time

Netball draws, results, skills and programme times are available at <http://www.harboursidenetball.co.nz/>

Results

Saturday 17th June

WB Karearea played Omokoroa No1 Ferns and won 21 - 1. Player of the day was Ariadna Martinez.

Basketball

Draw

Tuesday 27th June

Year 3-4

WB Falcons v Fairhaven Kahu, 4.50pm, Court 4

Friday 23rd June

Year 5-6

WB Toroa v TPS Thunder, 5.40pm, Court 9, ASB Arena.

Monday 26th June

Year 1-2

WB Kereru v St Mary's Bobcats, 4.00pm, Court 1a, QEYC

Basketball Results

Year 3-4

Tuesday 20th June

WB Falcons (Year 3-4) had a bye.

Sports News and Results

Year 5-6

Friday 16th June

WB Toroa (Year 5-6) had no game last week.

Hockey

Saturday 24th June

Year 4-5-6

WB Kea v OPS Smashers, 10.10am, P2, Tauranga Hockey Centre, Blake Park.

WB Kereru v Pillians Point Pandas, 9.20am, BC3, Bethlehem College.

Results

Year 4-5-6

Saturday 17th June

WB Kereru played the Katikati Quickcats. This was a great game with lots of action and the team are really starting to display their hockey skills. Although they lost the game 7-4 everyone learned a lot. Player of the Day was Ava Watts for her amazing efforts.

WB Kea had a tough game against the Pillans Point Panthers and quickly went into a 5-3 lead. The second half saw Pillans Point rally and eventually won 8-6 but the Kea fought to the final whistle. Max Allan scored his first goal and the Player of the Day was Katelyn Kerrison-Parkes for pushing herself and really getting involved.

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Please join us for our
PTA MEETING

next Wednesday 6pm
in the school staff room
(use staff entrance via carpark).

Can't make it?

If you are unable to attend but would like more information or to stay involved, please contact us on welcomebaypta@gmail.com

Kai Day Friday this week



Order forms have been sent home



Orders online via school shop
before school Thursday 22nd June,
for delivery Friday lunchtime 23rd June

ANIMATES

FREE
**SCHOOL
HOLIDAY
ACTIVITIES**

Thursday 13th & 20th
July, 11am

Everything you need to know
about fantastic fish and
rocking reptiles





Welcome Bay Playcentre

Welcome Bay Playcentre (next door to Welcome Bay School) has spaces available for the **Monday** and **Wednesday** sessions. We offer three free visits, so come along between 9am - 12pm for a coffee, play and chat to find out more! Or call Mel on 027 576 3105



the warehouse //
where everyone gets a bargain



Fraser Cove

It is an absolute privilege to partner with The Warehouse Fraser Cove to benefit the children and community of Welcome Bay School. The funds we raise from this support will go towards increasing our stock of sports equipment and our school sports uniforms so our children have ample opportunity to success in physical activity.

Next time you, your family or friends go to The Warehouse Fraser Cove please ask them to support us by placing a token in the Welcome Bay School box near the checkouts.

Parent's Coffee Group



Tuesday mornings from 9.00am at Palmers Garden Centre Cafe. A great way to connect with other parents. For more info text...

Helen 027.438.8977 or

Jenny 027.578.7676

TERM DATES 2017

Term 1 2017	Tuesday 31st January - Thursday 13th April (11 weeks)
Term 2	Monday 1st May - Friday 7th July (10 weeks)
Term 3	Monday 24th July - Friday 29th September (10 weeks)
Term 4	Monday 16th October - Wednesday 13th December (9 weeks)

Upcoming events

Wed 21st June: WBOP Cross Country

Thurs 22nd June: Basketball Mini World Cup
- Year 5 - 6

Tues 27 June: BOP Cross Country

Wed 28 & Thurs 29th June: Self Defence
- Year 3 & 4 Girls

Wed 28 June: Board Meeting @ 5pm

Thurs 6th July: Basketball Mini World Cup
- Yr 3 & 4

Fri 30th June: Sports Assembly

Fri 7th July: Celebration Assembly
Last Day of Term 2

Mon 24th July: Term 3 starts