

What's happening?

Please note and put aside the following dates:-

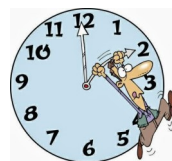
27th September—Pita Pit lunch

29th September—Red Nose Day

29th September—End of Term 3

16th October—Start of Term 4

Daylight Saving –



Put your clocks forward 1 hour THIS SUNDAY

School Photos –

These will be taken on Wednesday 8th November (Week 4). More information will be sent home early next Term.

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Principal

Learning Journals – These will be issued on Thursday next week.

Having read each of these I would like to congratulate each of the children for their efforts throughout the term in progressing their learning and to the staff for the programmes they put in place which focus on the needs and abilities for each of the children.

Not all the children find learning easy and I am pleased to see that all have remained committed to improving through the learning programmes in place, the support programmes that are administered by our Teacher Aides and the encouragement and support they get at home.

These journals show the endeavour towards their learning each child has shown. They are an impressive record of each child's work and give valuable information as to where they are with their learning, what the expected levels are, and advice to help them get there. I would really appreciate you sharing with your child their work and together setting some goals for Term 4 and commit them to paper for reflection later.

Congratulations –

To all those who Participated in the ICAS English examinations. Participation certificates for Alex W, Isabella G, Hayley, Matthew C, Ethan and Divij. A Merit certificate for Joseph and Credit certificates for both Joshua and Della.

Grandparents Day –

Each year we invite the children's grandparents to come and experience some of the learning going on and this year's event is to be held on **Friday 10th November**. All grandparents are invited to come along, enjoy some entertainment and enjoy our Paterangi hospitality.

Working Bee –

This was held **last Sunday**. Many thanks to Simon, Iain, Sri, Rebekah and Amanda who were able to spare a couple of hours to help tidy gardens, clean out side of buildings, clean gutters and generally tidy up. If we had to get contractors to do this work we would be up for approximately \$4000. This money we would not have to spend on resources for learning which assist **ALL** children. I know weekends are precious but once or twice a year helps us immensely.

Ag Day –

This is being held on **Wednesday 18th October**, which is the first week of next term. Group Day will follow on the Tuesday 24th of the following week at Ngutunui. Thank you to Alan Henderson and Janet Macky for visiting school this week to talk to the children about how to prepare their pets for Ag Day.

Senior Athletics –

Our senior children will be taking part in two athletic events, firstly at school on Tuesday 6th November and then at the Lower Waipa Athletics for those who qualify on Thursday 16th November.

Junior Athletics –

We will be hosting year 1-3 children at our annual Junior Athletics on Wednesday 22nd November.

PTA –

The PTA urgently require help on **AG DAY** to assist with the barbecue. This group is just a few and requires your support so they in turn can support your children and their learning. Please contact Rebekah Morton at school if you are available.

Class Awards

- Room 4:** Kodah - for being very friendly and welcoming this week and working very hard on his learning goals, especially in reading.
Heidi - for being an excellent role model all week in Room 4. You have been very helpful Heidi.
- Room 3:** Elliot - for the amazing work you are producing in writing. You try so hard to make your stories exciting for the reader.
Niamh - for being an all round super learner. You give your best all day, every day.
- Room 2:** Nathaniel - for his beautifully written Haiku and fantastic presentation.
Ronan - for listening and following directions in Art well and producing a wonderful piece of Art Works.
- Room 1:** Matthew J - for his improvement in basic facts. He has worked well to learn all his times tables and divisions.
Joshua - for his dedication towards improving his learning across all areas. He consistently gives 100% effort.
- Room 5:** Emmisyn -for his perseverance with completing set tasks and positive attitude towards his learning.
Joseph - for his focused effort in his learning, positive maths result and training really well for cross-country.



**Red Nose Day
Friday 29th September**

Wear something red to school

Gold coin donation and get a red nose or wrist band

Sausage Sizzle
\$2.00 a sausage

**PITA PIT LUNCHES
Wednesday 27th September**

These will be available at school next Wednesday, 27th September and can be ordered for \$4 (2 fillings) or \$5 (4 fillings). Please return your order slip in an envelope with correct money (no change given).

Orders to be returned by the morning of Tuesday 26th September. Sorry, no late orders.

Congratulations –

Well done to the students who competed in the inter-school cross country last Friday with a fantastic effort from all of our team. Those who placed in their age groups were Harrison 4th, Liam S 10th and Joshua 10th.

Calendar Art - Calendars

Classes are preparing their art for calendars which can be ordered. If you would like to make an order, this needs to be at school by Friday 20th October.

Calendars	\$10.00
Pack of 8 cards	\$10.00
Diary	\$13.00
Notepads	\$10.00
Mouse Mats	\$12.00

Order forms are attached to the newsletter with extra copies available at the school office.

Netball -

Draw for Saturday 23rd September	
Paterangi Pixels	9.00am
Paterangi Pirates	10.40am
Last games of the season	

Jewellery -

We are noticing that some children are coming to school wearing jewellery. Children are only to wear a necklace if it is of cultural significance and earrings are to be studs or small sleepers. Thank you.

TE AWAMUTU ATHLETICS 2017 - 2018

**SEASON BEGINS TUESDAY
OCTOBER 17th at 5.30pm**

**Please register online
following the links
on our website
[www.sporty.co.nz/
teawamutuathletics](http://www.sporty.co.nz/teawamutuathletics)**

Singlets can also be purchased online.

Uniforms

Compulsory for 5 years & over to be worn at all club nights & external events.

Tuesday Night Meets

5.30 - 6.30

Under 10 years
Mini Club, Under 7 years - run, jump, throw skills programme.
7 to 9 years - races and field events.

6.30 - 7.45

10 years and over - races and field events.

Working Bee

Sunday, October 15 at 10am

Fees

- 3-4 years - \$30
- 5-6 years - \$50
- 7-14 years - \$60
- 15-19 years - \$75
- Seniors - \$90

Parent help

Required throughout the season.

First Club Night

**for Registered Athletes
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 17
5.30pm**

Any enquiries
try the website first or contact

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