



NEWSLETTER 2 February 2023

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**This newsletter is shared via email with our school families and the community email tree. It is available on our facebook page and the school website. A printed copy is available by request through the office.*

Principal's message

Three weeks into the term and we have so much happening! On Monday I'm off to Havelock with our Year 7 and 8's on my way to the Pelorus Principal Cluster meeting. There are 4 of these meetings throughout the year where we come together to organise the various cluster events. First up is our Junior Swimming Sports which is this Friday, followed by the Senior Swimming Sports next Friday.

Beginning of the Year routines-

1. **Student Details**-Going home to parents will be a copy of your child's student file. Please check all the information-medical, emergency contact details, phone numbers etc. Update and return to school by Thursday 23rd February. It's vital that we have this information, especially in case of emergencies.
2. **Community Emergency Phone list**- Please find attached a copy of the 2021 Emergency Phone List. This list is prepared by the school on behalf of the wider community. If you, or anyone you know of would like to be added to this list please encourage them to email their details through to office@waitariabay.school.nz with the necessary details by March 31st 2023.
3. **Bus Travel**- We will be sending home an updated bus user agreement form to all families which will include the guidelines set out by NZTA/Waka Kotahi. Previously this has just been for our regular bus users however there are times when we will be using the bus for various school events and it's important that everyone is aware of the rules and expectations.
4. **Community email tree**- if you would like to receive the school newsletter, and other information from time to time via email please contact the office either via office@waitariabay.school.nz or by phoning 03 5734377. Feel free to leave a message
5. **Parent Interviews**- if you would like to book in for an interview please be in touch and I will do my best to find a mutually suitable time. Please be aware that even though I am on-site I'm not always available. Mornings are vital for setting up for the day and connecting with the children and staff catch ups. Thursdays are BSLA training days via Zoom.

Congratulations - To Kate Hutterd and Kelly Beech who are our co-Presiding Members on the Board.

Thank you- A big thank you to everyone who supported our 2023 Calendar Fundraiser, from the photos to the sales. This was huge SUCCESS and a great way to kick off our fundraising for the year.

Playgroup- Every Thursday from 10.00am we welcome all our preschoolers. If you know of anyone with preschoolers who would like to join in the fun, send them our way.

Curriculum- The curriculum theme for the year is "Time" and we've kicked off with calendars and events. I'll share more as we go along. Check out our school calendar so you can keep up with all the happenings.

Goodbye and all the best- On Friday we said goodbye to Mathilda who is moving with her family to Reefton.

Situation Vacant- We now have a vacancy for a cleaner, 5 hours per week. If you are interested in being part of our team please apply by sending through a short resume detailing your work history for the past 5 years and the names and contact details of 3 referees to tineke@waitariabay.school.nz by 3.00pm Sunday 26th February.

Policies and Procedures- the school policies and procedures are available to parents via School Docs. <https://www.schooldocs.co.nz/> Username **waitariabay** Password **7283**.

School Term Dates for 2023

Term One: School begins Wednesday 1st February 2023 - Thursday 6 April

Term Two 24 April- 30 June

Term Three 17 July - September 22

Term Four 9 October - Monday 18 December (TBC)

Week	Date	What	Where	Who
Week 4	20 February	Year 7 and 8 Tech	Bohally	Millen, Jaxon, Kritnesh
	20 February	Pelorus Cluster Meeting	Havelock	Tineke
	21 February	Well Being Day	School/Hall	Everyone
	21 February	Working Bee	School	Everyone
	22 February	Last day for the roading survey	Linkwater	Years 1-3
	24 February	Junior Swimming Sports-Linkwater	Linkwater	Kate/Sara
	24 February	BSLA Training Day	Whitney School	Tineke
Week 5	27 February	Year 7 and 8 Tech	Bohally	Millen/Jaxon /Kritnesh
	1 March TBC	Manaroa Beach Clean Up weather/tide dependent	Manaroa	Everyone
	3 March	Senior Swimming Sports	Blenheim	Years 4-8
Week 6	7 March	Year 7 and 8 Tech	Bohally	Millen/Jaxon/ Kritnesh
	10 March	Awa to Moana day	Anakiwa/ Pelorus	Years 6-8
Week 7	17 March	MPA Swimming Sports	Blenheim	Parents/selected students
	31 March	Swimming Pool Keys to be returned		
Week 8	22 March	Rotoiti School visit	School	Years 1-8
	23 March	Board Meeting 8.30-10.30am	Office	Board members
	24 March	Teacher Only Day (TBC)		
Week 10	7 April	Good Friday End of Term		

Ngā mihi nui,



Waitaria Bay School Working Bee

Tuesday, 21st February 2023, 3.00 pm - 6.00 pm

Bring your tools or just turn up. Looking forward to seeing everyone.

Many hands make light work, we have a job for everyone.

6.00pm-7.00pm refreshments at the schoolhouse as reward for all your hard work

OUTSIDE:

- Gardening/weeding- frontage, library area, plant house etc.
- Wash down the buildings
- Dig up rengarenga along the path (overgrown-path is narrow and slippery)
- Move cubby house to the old sandpit
- Gentle clean of the water tank mural
- Waterblast paths
- Window cleaning
- Clear out surplus/rubbish from under the office-to go in the skip



INSIDE:

- Bottom classroom- reorganisation of storage
- Bottom classroom- reorganisation of resources
- Main block- windows (inside)
- Staffroom- empty/clean storage and fill with 7 years of required retained records
- Archive sorting into by year/decade
- Typing/labelling of reading book boxes

OTHER:

- Photograph and list various items on School Trade Me account

Community Phone List

Updated December 2021

A		H	
		Halifax,	Pat 027 220 5128
			Peter 027 554 5184
B		Hamlin, Ian	021 0224 1915
Betteley, Kate	021 2484 666	Harper,	Rob 021 266 0763
Bigley, Pete	573 4344		Sabine 021 103 9351
	021 455 593	Hartley, JR	579 8144
Boswell,	Carol 021 065 6789	Harvey/Watson, Adrian & Adi	579 8491
	Brian 027 864 2643	Harvey, Keelan	027 394 0671
Bowron, Robin & Alison	573 4432	Hebberd	579 8057
	027 454 4712	Hedley, Andrew & Gillian	021 333 654
Bradley, Roly	579 8014	Hertoghs, Frans & Maud	573 4545
Brown, Nannette	573 4279	Hodgson, CG	579 8293
Bush Telegraph inquiries	972 0045	Hook, Trevor & Jann	573 4089
	027 4884402	Hopewell Lodge, Mike & Lynley	573 4341
C		Hopkinson, Rod & Emma	579 8447
Campbell, Alan	573 4300	J	
Clarke, Brian	573 4272	Jamieson, Josh & Kate	579 8084
Clarke, Graeme & Liz	579 8225	Jamieson, Talbot & Jan	027 351 1026
Clegg, Mike & Lynley	573 4341	Jansen/Kroon, Joop & Hanneke	579 8298
Clegg, Phil & Deb	021 045 1358	Jenkins, Robyn	573 4342
Clova Cribs	579 8113	Jones, Ben	027 365 5994
Codlin, Graeme & Wendy	021 1768592	Jones, Kim & Sandra	021 254 2684
Conquest, Pete & Teresa	579 8100	Jones, Ralph & Cynthia	972 0001
Crocker, Bryan & Robbie	573 4339	Jones/Blackmore,	Samuel 027 534 5413
	573 4004		Sara 027 543 5632
Currie/Wilson, Ian & Anne	027 948 2612	K	
Curties, Nicola & Benjamin	Nic 021 2443018	Kerr, Mick	027 2267155
	Ben 027 4787733	Kilgour, Bruce & Brenda	573 4543
Cusiel, Brett	573 4522	King, Andrew & Sandra	573 4390
Cusiel, Allison	573 4404	L	
D		Lang, Alex	021 572 609
Day, Marion	579 8448	Lang, Betty	021 069 9505
Dowle,	Ally 021 952 787	Lilly, P	027 245 5566
	Helen 021 226 1484	Lottermoser, Eugen & Erika	573 4565
Duckworth, Chris	021 965 047	M	
E		Macdonald,	Arron 022 151 6617
Edwards, Jill	027 433 0588		Noreen 021 180 1527
England-Brassy,	Rachel 0272 111 955	MacKenzie Dr, Alastair & Nannette	573 4279
	Mathilda 0272 483 887	Mackie, Jason	021 727 247
Evans, Susan & P (Taradale)	579 8136	Mander, Debi & Paul	03 972 0153
Eyles, Barrie	021 176 6612		Debi 027 268 5363
F			Paul 027 416 5310
Fitzgibbon, Helen & Mike	573 4215	Mann, Ron	027 473 4182
G		Marchant, Cliff & Dianne	579 8483
Gerard, Mike & Kristen	579 8232	McClelland, BG	573 4125
Gerard,	Will 022 1992005	McFarlene/Lewis	Dave 021 404 406
	Georgie 027 392 0989		Dorothy 027 689 7995
	573 4366	McGillivray, Neil & Ginni	021 022 52654
Godsiff, Helen	027 6037916	McIntyre, G&D	573 4674
Godsiff, D	579 8292	McNab	021 296 5536
Godsiff, Chris	573 4660	Menzies, Bob & Caroline	579 8222
Goodlass,	Jamie 027 249 2900	Moleta, Braden	579 8062
	Dennise 027 449 1601	Moleta, N&D	579 8064

N		W	
Norris	573 4666	Waitaria Bay School	573 4377
Neal, Lyel & Gillian	579 8007	Warren, Mark	027 223 5022
	Lyel	Wells, Gary & Vicki	573 4814
	Gillian	Wilson, AJ	573 4107
O		Wood, Patricia	573 4799
O'Connell, Laurence & Sheryl	027 302 4831	Whitehead, Andrew	021 734 623
Offen, Trevor & Lynley	579 8113	Marlene	021 439 741
Orchard, Gary & Ellen	573 4203	Whitham, David Thomas	573 4799
	Gary 027 434 5488	Withell, Sylvia & Ross	573 4833
	Ellen 021 141 3235	Y	
Osborne-Bartlett, Emily & Mitch	573 4345	Young, Johnny	021 028 66980
	Emily 021 892552	Young/Godsiff, John & Lyn	573 4909
P		Z	
Powlesland, Ralph & Mary	579 8083	Ziegler, Peter & Ursula	573 4263
Podjursky/Day, Steve & Marion	579 8448		027 539 0493
Price, Kevin	0220851437	Rural Mail	
	Chris 0276481859	Adam Coleman	027 255 8882
Price, Gary	027 4423690	EMERGENCY NUMBERS	
	Mel 972 0045	Power outage	577 7007
Pudney family	573 4302	Blenheim Police	578 5279
Punga Cove	579 8561	Havelock Police	574 2011
R		Havelock Med	574 2233
Radzik/Takacs, Karoly & Agnes	021 081 61168	Civil Defence/Emergency Management	
Rands, Amos & Paula	928 4436	Call the Blenheim Emergency Operations Center	520 7490
Redwood, AB	579 8172		
Richards, Mike	573 4029	Wairau Emg Depot	520 9939
Rolston, Lorraine & Ron	573 4877		
Rowe, Stuart & Gail	021 563 573	Wairau after hours GP	579 4871
S		WATER TAXIS	
Saville, Jenny & Wayne	573 4388	Pete Bigley	573 4344
Schulz/Koester, Stefan & Heike	573 4373		021 455 593
Screen, Sharon	027 289 1006	Gary Orchard	573 4203
Sharp	021 443 749		027 434 5488
Sheppard, J	579 8010	FIRE & any EMERGENCY: Call: 111	
Smith, Warren	021 294 5695		
Solomon, J	573 4523		
Stevens, AJ	573 4406		
Stevens, Julie & Nelson	573 4888		
Stewart, Paul	021 184 8433		
Stone, G	573 4052		
Sumby, Maureen	573 4103		
Sumby, Neville	021 265 9828		
T			
Taylor, Tania	021 767 225	Go to: www.checkitsalright.nz	
Te Mahia Bay Resort	573 4089	Notes:	
Teonea, Rebecca & Danny	022 140 6092		
Thompson, GM	579 8182		
Thompson, Laura	021 215 8111		
Tipler, Maryanne	573 4939		
Toms, Trevor & Judy	574 2218		
Turner, Marina	027 247 0881		
	Mason 027 463 8515		
V			
van der Linden, Kees & Irma	573 4662		
	Irma 021 277 6075		