



Matahui School Bulletin - Nuts & Bolts

Term 2- Week 1: 2 May - 6 May 2016

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TERM 2 2016: Dates for your Diary

Tuesday 17 May - ICAS - Digital Technologies

Tuesday 31 May - ICAS Science

Tuesday 31 May - Year 8 HPV - Girls - 2nd dose

Monday 6 June - Queens Birthday - no school

Wednesday 8 - Friday 10 June - Life Education

Monday 13 June - ICAS - Writing

Wednesday 15 June - ICAS Spelling

Friday 17 - June - Room 5 Assembly

Wednesday 22 - Thursday 23 June - People Savers Training - Rooms 5 and 6

Friday 24 June - Room 1 Assembly

Friday 24 June - Year 7 - Boostrix Education Session

Wednesday 29 June - Reports issued

Friday 1 July - Room 3 Assembly

Monday 4 July - Follow-Up Report Conferences (optional.)

Wednesday 6 July - Follow-Up Report Conferences (optional)

Friday 8 July - Room 6 Assembly

A Message from Max

Our learning community.....

The first term has come to a close for us and looking back as an entire learning community, there have been numerous ways we have engaged in learning that has on occasions extended well beyond what happens within the class room setting.

The students have experienced..... an extensive swimming programme; Beach Ed Day for Years 1 – 6; the Year 7/8 Team Building retreat at Bowentown; Deep Water Day for Years 5-8; the Year 5/6 camp at Omokoroa; the pop up Globe theatre trip for Years 5-8; Boat Day and the Family Fishing Competition; Bus monitor training; the Year 7/8 Waimarino kayak training day; an ERO visit; a wide range of field trips for Years 1-6 including - Mauao rock pools, Uretara estuary, the Art Gallery, the University of Waikato Coastal Marine station, the water treatment station, Aongatete Forest Restoration Trust and the Aongatete river: the Year 7/8 Leadership camp at Tarawera; Small Schools, North Cluster and Tall Poppy swimming competitions;

Our parents/caregivers have had the opportunity to participate in..... Back to School teacher presentations; an ERO visit; a Conceptual Learning workshop/presentation; 3 Way Conferences; a range of field trips and camps; and a coffee morning.

We have also hosted an Open Day and had a visit from Beach Kids pre-school and while life at the school may seem rather “full and active,” we wouldn’t have it any other way.

On behalf of the entire Matahui staff we wish you all a relaxing and safe holiday and look forward to seeing you all in Term 2.

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Max

Citizenship Award - Week 10, Term 1 2016

Week 10, Term 1 - Henrietta was awarded the Certificate of Citizenship for Co-operation.
Congratulations!

Detailed below are the recipients of school awards for Week 9 in Term 1:-



Week 9, Term 1, 2016

Henrietta, Sam, Bryleigh, Denley Alex,
Abygale and Kiera

SCHOOL WIDE – MISCELLANEOUS

Please check the school notice board for various extra-curricular opportunities provided by external companies as well as additional information relating to wider community events. The notice board is located by the entrance way to the school office.

- Please note, unless otherwise advised Classroom Assemblies will always be held at 2.30 pm on the relevant Friday.
- Please keep collecting Colgate boxes etc - as we will be taking part in the Colgate competition in 2016.

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Tauranga City Basketball Holiday Camps

Join Chief/ Luke & Other TCBA guest coaches for two action packed days of basketball at ASB Arena on 27th & 28th April. Each day is from 9:30am-3pm and is packed full of skills, drills and games before concluding each day with a mini tournament to apply all the new skills learnt.

To enrol please ring the ASB on 577 8560 Ext 6000

Thanks

Mennie

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Te Puna, R D 4
Tauranga 3174
New Zealand
Phone: 027-686-7449
<http://www.menniescapens.com>

Principal's Scholarship

There is a Principal's Scholarship available for boys and girls who wish to enrol at Wesley College in 2017. Please contact the Matahui school office for more details.



MATAHUI SCHOOL
NOTICEBOARD

- Holiday Swim Programme - contact Andrea 07 544 2141 or 027 286 8506 for more details.
- Sanctuary Mountain Maungataurtari Autumn School Holidays Promotion - Saturday 16 April to Sunday 1 May. Kids Go Free and Photo Competition. 07 870 5180
- Edventure Holiday Programme and Camp - please see the school notice board for further details.
- Katikati Hockey Club Primary School Muster for Years 4, 5 and 6 for any boys and girls interested in playing Saturday morning hockey will be held at the Katikati College turf on Saturday 9th April 10 am - 11.30 am.
- Waihi Beach Holiday Programme - enrolments open for April 2016 school holidays
- Snow White & the Evil Queen - 23-24 April 2016 - Baycourt Theatre
- Tauranga Holiday Programme - Time 9am-12pm
- Cost: \$20 per day - Venue: Te Wati Park - Date: 21st and 28th of April - Ages 6-12 : **Juan Bautista Propato Bay of Plenty Football Development Officer & ASB National Women's Head Coach, WaiBOP Federation M 021 807 634 P 07 211 7365 W www.waibopfootball.co.nz | www.waibopunited.co.nz** 22 Commerce Street, Whakatane 3120, New Zealand
- Argos School Holiday Programme -26th April to 28th April 2016

More detailed information can be viewed on the school notice board

WOODEN PALLETS OR BINS

If any families have spare wooden pallets or bins (in good condition) that they no longer require, we would be extremely grateful to accept them for the Matahui School hut building area.
Many thanks.



ORAL HEALTH SNIPPETS

Autumn is here and it is time to change your toothbrush!



Brush teeth with a fluoride toothpaste twice a day, especially last thing at night. Remember to floss daily.

- Modeling good tooth brushing behaviours can have benefits for you and your family and helps to establish good habits for life.
- Help children to brush their teeth if they are under 8 years.
- A smear of adult strength fluoride toothpaste for children under 6.
- A pea- sized amount for children over 6.

Regular dental check-ups help to prevent problems and can reduce stress and pain caused by dental decay

- To make an appointment, call 0800 TALK TEETH (0800 825 583).

Check your child's teeth and gums every month. Healthy teeth are happy teeth

Choose healthy snacks and foods

- Choose foods that are low in sugar and don't stick to your teeth.
- Autumn is a great time to make delicious and nutritious soups use bright coloured veggies (the brighter the better). Experiment; try kumara, pumpkin, creamy spinach, potato and leek or carrot with coriander soups.
- If having something sweet have this at the end of the meal
- Be creative with sandwiches, alternate the fillings mashed eggs, & cress, low fat cheese with grated carrot, peanut butter or try some of these suggestions;
<http://myfamily.kiwi/foods/articles/sandwich+fillings+to+inspire+you>
- Perhaps try making Rewena bread.

Drink water or milk

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Message from the Public Health Nurse

Hi, my name is **Nicky Johnson** and I am the Public Health Nurse for your child's school. I visit the school on a regular basis and I offer support to children and their families around a wide range of health issues such as:

*Asthma

*Hearing/Vision

*Stand referrals

*Hygiene Issues

*Soiling/Wetting

*Head lice and scabies

*Nutrition

*Behaviour

*Sores

If you have any concerns about your child, please ask his/her teacher to fill out a referral form and leave it in my folder. *Urgent* referrals can be phoned or faxed to me.

My follow up may include having a chat with you to seek further information or clarification about concerns.

Matahui Bank Accounts

You may not be aware but there are two main bank accounts re Matahui School.

We would be grateful if you could please ensure that the tuition and bus fees are paid into:

**Matahui Road School Charitable Trust:
Account Number 02 - 0466 - 0269554 - 00**

For all school trips, camps and general payments please pay into:

**Matahui Road School (2004) Ltd:
Account Number 02 - 0466 - 0269562 - 00**

We would be very grateful if you could always detail a reference to the payment - many thanks.



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