

WEEDONS SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Te Kura o Karamu

*Kia uru kahikatea te tū
Let us stand like a grove of kahikatea*

21 Jul 2020 – Term 3– Week 1

www.weedons.school.nz

Diary 2020

20 Jul – TERM THREE STARTS

28 Jul – School Photos
30 Jul – Board of Trustees Meeting
31 Jul – Weedons got Talent entry close
03 Aug – School Interviews (2pm finish)
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10 Aug – Auditions Start
11 Aug – FOW – AGM 7pm staff room
12 Aug Child Anxiety Workshop for Parents
09 Sep – Weedons Got Talent Finals afternoon

25 Sep – TERM THREE ENDS

12 Oct – TERM FOUR STARTS

26 Oct – Labour Day
12 Nov- Teachers Only Day
13 Nov – Canterbury Show Day
17 Dec – TERM FOUR ENDS

Tena Koutou Katoa

Welcome to term 3 at Weedons. We are hopeful this term will have a minimum of disruptions and the rest of the year will follow suit. We are certainly feeling very lucky to be in our country and have the freedoms we have so plan to make the most of it this term.

Please check the diary for upcoming events, this will be added to during the term.

As mentioned at the end of last term, meetings with teachers will take place during **week 3** of this term, **Monday 3rd August** and **Tuesday 4th August** between 2.15 and 7.45. Children, especially in the senior school, are encouraged to come to these meetings where mid-year reports, progress and next steps will be discussed.

You can book a meeting with your child's/ren's teacher/s by following the link below. If you are unable to do this, please contact the office and we will be able to book for you.

Please note school finishes at **2 p.m.** on these days. If you cannot pick up your child at 2.00, please let us know so that we can make provision for their supervision between 2 and 3. The bus will run at the normal time and bus children will be supervised until then.

<https://www.schoolinterviews.co.nz/code?code=uw9pu>

Congratulations to this wonderful group of young people who were awarded the Weedons Way award at the end of last term for terms 1 and 2. These students were chosen for their commitment to upholding our school values - ambition, responsibility, independence, respect, manners, honesty and whanaungatanga. Well done to you all.

Back left to right

Addison Rm 2, Eden Rm 3, Nick Rm 3, Quinn Rm 1, Sara Rm 1, Bayley Rm 2, Lucy Rm 7.

Middle left to right

Leo Rm 6, Thea Rm 5, Ruby M Rm 6, Jack Rm 4.

Front left to right

Ella Rm 5, Harry Rm 7, Levi Rm 4

A date to put in your diary

Our Rolleston learning Community (Kahui Ako) is planning a parent workshop at Rolleston College on **Wed 12 August 7-9pm Child Anxiety Workshop for Parents**

All parents are welcome to this free event – see attached flyer.

Parking and pick-up

We will continue the pick-up zone in the afternoons. Please do not park along the shingle or grass verge on the Rolleston side of the school, this area is the queue for pick-up.

Cyber safety

Tik Tok, popular app used by young people has recently been in the news (see TV1 News Sunday 19th July) over privacy and security concerns. This app, like others, collects and stores data, it is the storing and security of this data that is in question at the moment. This aside, like many of these apps, they can be used in an unhealthy way and lead to cyber bullying. A timely reminder to be aware and vigilant about what your child has access to on-line, Tik Tok is illegal for children under the age of 13.

Student Council

Weedons Got Talent 2020

Welcome to **Weedons Got Talent 2020**. Have you got a talent you would like to share? Singing, dancing, playing an instrument, juggling, comedy act, magic or anything else we haven't thought of ? **This is your chance.**

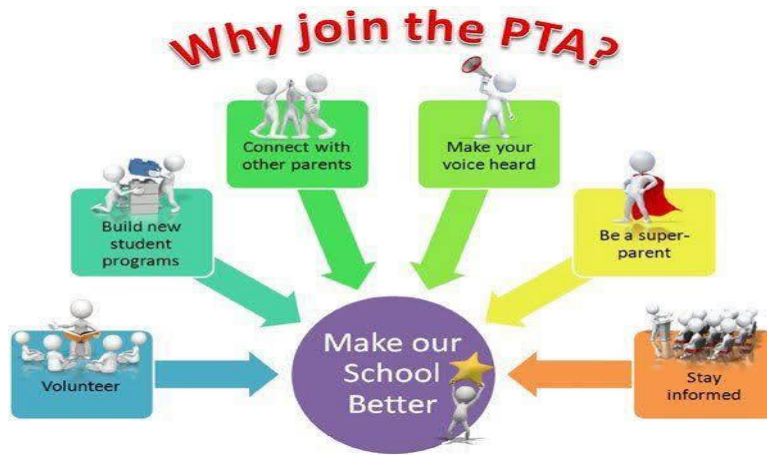
- Entry fee is \$2.00 per person.
- There will be a junior section rooms 4, 5 and 6 and a senior section rooms 1, 2, 3 and 7.
- You can perform as an individual or as a group (no more than 4 in a group).
- Performances must be no longer than 3 minutes but can be shorter.

Time- line

- Friday 31st July - entries into the box in the office by 3 o'clock.
- Monday 27th July to Friday 7th August- You may book a space for rehearsals.
To do this, please look at the timetable on the library, music room or Te Wharenuī door - to be fair please select only one slot each day.
You can also practice at home.
- Monday 10th August to Friday 28th August - Lunch-time auditions - we will let you know what day and time your audition will be - Your audition will be in front of the judging panel only.
- Monday 31st August, Tuesday 1st September - semi- finals in front of judging panel only.
- Wednesday 9th September - Finals in assembly - Afternoon.

Pick up your entry form from the office counter.

FOW WEEKLY UPDATE



REMINDER FRIDAY LUNCH ORDERING CLOSSES OFF AT 8.30AM Friday Mornings

FRIDAY LUNCH ROSTER FOR TERM 3 – Thank you to everybody that is on the roster. We still have gaps and always looking for backups. Please contact Kirsty if you can help out. If you are unable to do your day please arrange someone to cover you and let Kirsty know or leave a message at the office. Thanks

WEEDONS FRIDAY LUNCHES MORNING COUNT ROSTER - TERM 3 2020
PLEASE MEET AT OFFICE AT approx 8.30AM

DATE	NAME	NAME
24 JULY	Georgina W	Jo C
31 JULY	Tess B	Emma McA
7 AUG	Maree S	Paula B
14 AUG	Alex McG	Letisha D
21 AUG	Lauren J (new)	Jacqui W
28 AUG	Jo C	Cat M (new)
4 SEPT	Kirsty	Krystle B
11 SEPT	Maree S	Kristyn B
18 SEPT		
25 SEPT		

WEEDONS FRIDAY LUNCHES COOKING ROSTER - TERM 3 2020
PLEASE MEET AT FOW SHED AT 1240PM

DATE	NAME	NAME
24 JULY	Trevena W	Jaqui w
31 JULY	Annie. C	Bianca
7 AUG	Tiana S	Zara R (New)
14 AUG	Deanna M	Steph M (New)
21 AUG	Emily T	Esther P
28 AUG	Anna McL	Kerrile
4 SEPT	Jia	Donna c
11 SEPT	Steve	Sarah L
18 SEPT		
25 SEPT		

UP COMING FOW AGM

When: Tuesday 11 August

Where: Weedons School Staff
Room

Time: 7pm

WHAT: AGM, followed by meeting

WHO: All welcome

Community Notices

Come and join Mike King at The McCombs Performing Arts Centre 172 Rose Street Christchurch 8024 on August 3rd, 2020 at 7pm

THIS IS AN ALL AGES EVENT

Free Public Talk - All Welcome

Mike King is coming to Christchurch to give a free public talk about Normalising the Inner Critic - "that little voice inside our heads that's constantly second-guessing us." Canterbury has been over the past 10 years impacted by multiple large scale traumatic events and with the COVID pandemic still very current, particularly impacting our young people. We have invited Mike down to talk as we have witnessed increasing levels of mental health distress, thoughts around self-harm, and suicide.

[Familial Trust Website more information](#)

BOOKINGS

PLEASE NOTE: For multiple bookings [Click here to email](#)

or Phone [\(03\) 9811-093](#) with your name and how

many seats required.

Studio One Performing Arts, your local dance school, is currently giving Ballet, Jazz and Contemporary lessons in your area. The school's director is teacher, choreographer & ex-ballet dancer Patricia Paul A.R.A.D. (London). Ballet lessons from 3 years through to Advanced, and all levels in Jazz and Contemporary starting from age 7. For all enquiries please phone 372-9191 or email info@studioone.co.nz

Lincoln Waste Free Parenting Workshop: Thursday 17th September, 10am
@ Greenpark Memorial Community Centre, 503 River Rd, Lincoln

Lincoln Foodlovers Masterclass: Thursday 17th September, 6:00pm @ Greenpark Memorial Community Centre, 503 River Rd, Lincoln

Tickets are \$25 + a small booking fee, and you get a gift pack worth \$100 to take home!

Booking pages:

WFP: <https://www.eventfinda.co.nz/2020/waste-free-parenting-workshop/lincoln>

FLMC: <https://www.eventfinda.co.nz/2020/food-lovers-masterclass/lincoln>

Facebook Events

WFP: <https://www.facebook.com/events/659623371447568/>

FLMC: <https://www.facebook.com/events/681344985941229/>

*Is your child shy? Do they feel intimidated by the idea of public speaking and performance? Do they sometimes find it difficult to make eye contact? Do they just need 45 minutes a week to take part in organised craziness?! Come and join **Marrzipan!** We run awesome drama classes which focus on key life skills after school on Wednesdays! We play fun engaging games and perform at the end of term once to parents and once to the school. All scripts are original, engaging, educational and HILARIOUS. All parents receive weekly class reports too to keep them up to date on their child's development. Give me a call to come along for a free trial, or just a chat to discuss how our classes can benefit your child's development. **Contact Sarah on 027 333 4323 or email sarah@marrzipandrama.co.nz***



ROLLESTON
**Learning
Community**
Ngā Peka O Tauwharekākaho

UNDERSTANDING AND MANAGING CHILDREN'S ANXIETY



**FREE
EVENT**

Wednesday 12th August
7pm- 9pm

Rolleston College Auditorium
631 Springston Rolleston Road



MHERC

Mental Health Education & Resource Centre