

WEEDONS SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Te Kura o Karamu

Kia uru kahikatea te tū
Let us stand like a grove of kahikatea
28 July 2021 – Term 3– Week 1
www.weedons.school.nz

Tena Koutou Katoa

Diary 2021

2021

26 Jul – Start of Term 3

02 Aug – Ferrymead Yr 5 -8

03 Aug – FOW Meeting 7pm

04 Aug – Ferrymead Yr 1-4

10 Aug – Rugby Netball
Tournament Yr 5-8 Teams

17 Aug – City Architecture –
Rooms 1 and 2

19 Aug – Ski Trip

06 Sep – Challenge 8 – Yr 0-4
15-17 Sep – Hanmer Springs Yr
5/6

21 – 23 Sep – Koru Games Yr
7/8

24 Sep – Colour Fun Run

28 Sep – Athletics Day Yr 5-8

01 Oct – End of Term 3

18 Oct – Start of Term 4

22-23 Oct – 150th Jubilee

25 Oct – Labour Day

12 Nov – Show Day

16 Dec – Last Day of Term 4

2022

02 Feb – Start of Year

14 Apr – End of Term 1

15 Apr – Good Friday

01 May – Start of Term 2

09 Jul – End of Term 2

25 Jul – Start of Term 3

30 Sep – End of Term 3

17 Oct – Start of Term 4

16 Dec – End of Term 4

Welcome to term 3, it has started here with our refurbishment project finally underway. The last week of term found us frantically vacating the office area and Rooms 1 and 2 in preparation for a start in the holidays. Thank you to students, staff and parents for their support during this time, it was very full on as we weren't sure we had the go ahead until the final week of term. The whole project including refurbishment of Rooms 3, 4 and the library is expected to be completed by Labour week-end.



What will the refurbishment look like?

Stage 1 - Rooms 1, 2 and office area.

Replacement of wooden windows.

Re-lining of walls including insulation

Upgrade of fire system

New carpet

Re-configuring of cloak-bay and toilets to create a break- out space for students and teachers to work in small groups or independently. This will include a wet area.

Alterations to staffroom, resource storeroom, principal office and sick bay.

New phone and electronic bell system.

More about stage 2 (Rooms 3, 4 and library) closer to the time.

Jubilee (to be held Labour week-end) registration forms are now available through the Facebook page and our website or can be collected from the office here at school. Please pass the word around

to anyone you know who may be interested. On the Friday, all current students will be involved in the day but there is no expectation that current students need to be available over the long week-end. If there are seniors around on the Saturday, we may call on some of them to be present to welcome past students but please don't feel you need to stay in town over Labour week-end for this reason.

150 YEARS

Thank you to those of you who provided feedback to our two surveys last term, Health and PE curriculum and Cohort entry. Feedback for both was very positive.

Cohort entry

After consultation with staff, parents of current and prospective students and local early learning services, we wish to confirm that as of term 1, 2022 Weedons School will be adopting cohort entry. This means children will start school in cohorts but only after they have turned five. There will be two entry points per term, one on the first day of term and one at a mid-point during the term being the start of week 6.

Health and Physical Education curriculum

As a result of the positive feedback we received from you, the Health and PE curriculum statement in the survey has been adopted by the Board for the next two years.

This week is **Netsafety** awareness week. Netsafe is an excellent resource to support you to help keep your children safe on-line. Visit their website - <https://www.netsafe.org.nz/>
I have added a link to a section of the website which may be useful for you if your child/children are gaming.

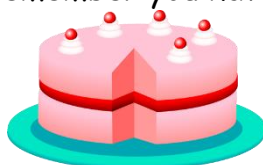
Young people prefer to engage with adults who have a genuine interest in their online lives. Our newest **whanāu toolkit** offers seven steps to help parents and guardians get to a place where they can confidently talk with their children about gaming.



Years 5 & 6 Cake Raffle



Only 3 more weeks of our amazing Years 5 & 6 Cake Raffle to go! Thank you so much to the huge numbers of parents and children who have supported us so far and good luck to you all over these next few weeks!! Remember you have to be IN TO WIN!



\$50 iTunes credit for sale

This was accidentally brought from Noel Leeming Rolleston at the end of last term to purchase some apps for a classroom iPad. Unfortunately we are unable to use it as we need volume purchasing credit. It is in the form of a top up card and comes with receipt. Please see the office if you would like to purchase.

SPORTS AND KAPA HAKA UNIFORMS – If you haven't returned these please do so by the end of this week. Many thanks

Friends of Weedons

Welcome back to term 3, hope you all had a safe and enjoyable holidays.

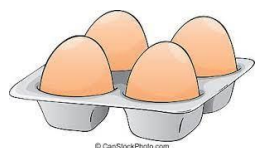
This term we are back to Friday Lunches, so if you are available to help with the lunch count on a Friday morning at 9am or the lunch cook at 12.40pm we would love you to volunteer your time. Please message Zoe Bell to be added to the roster, this would be muchly appreciated.



Friends of Weedons Meeting

When: Tuesday 03 August
Where: Silver Dollar
Time: 7.00pm
All welcome to attend.

These lunches will start this Friday 30th July.



Lamond free range eggs are still available. These are to be collected at office on a Friday from 2.30pm please.

Lunches and the eggs need to be ordered through the kindo app before 8pm on Wednesday nights please. If you are late your order will not be available for the Friday.

We have had an amazing amount raised already for our colour fun run over the holidays. This is just a start and we need to keep the amount raised to keep raising so we can achieve our new scooter/bike track on our back field.

Remember to register your child by following the instructions in the last newsletter or in the pamphlet your child brought home the last week of school.

Below is the amount raised so far and our leader board, keep up the challenge of getting sponsored your all doing great



SCHOOL FUN RUN

Money Raised

Online

\$5,286.49

*Estimated amount only

Offline

\$150.00

*Guide Only - Cash is added by children

Total Raised

\$5,436.49








Your School

Total Enrolment:	Children With a Profile:	Children Raising Money Online:
250	61	50

Leaderboard

Children

Top Classes

Rank	Student	Class	Online
1	 Mason J	3	\$380.00
2	 Tayla B	5	\$250.00
3	 Millie M	4	\$250.00
4	 Davis V	7	\$235.00
5	 Oliver V	6	\$225.00
6	 Couper B	6	\$220.00
7	 Charlie M	4	\$215.00
8	 Jayden B	5	\$215.00

TUNING IN TO KIDS



**A six-session
programme for
parents/ caregivers
of children aged
4-12 years**

Emotionally Intelligent Parenting

Tuning in to Kids is an evidence-based programme designed to teach parents & caregivers:

- How to coach a child through periods of heightened emotion resulting in emotional regulation
- Awareness of their children's emotions
- To use children's emotional experiences as an opportunity for closeness and teaching
- Skills in assisting children to verbally label and manage their emotions
- Skills in assisting children to problem solve
- To guide children's behaviour with appropriate limits

Sessions include:

- Watching video material
- Group discussions and exercises
- Role plays
- Home-based activities to practice different ways of responding to your child's emotions

Parents are encouraged to share experiences and ideas within the group

When?

Time:

Wednesdays at 7pm (6 weeks total)

Dates:

11th August- 15th September

Location:

Clearview School,
20 Broadlands Dr,
Rolleston

Spaces are limited. Please contact:

for further information or to reserve your place.
danielaj@psusi.org.nz



MANA AKE
STRONGER FOR TOMORROW

SELWYN WAHINE CRICKET CLUB

FREE 'TASTER' PROGRAMME FOR
YEAR 5 - 8 GIRLS



Dates & Times of available times:

Sunday 1st August: 10 - 11am
Sunday 8th August: 10 - 11am
Sunday 29th August: 10 - 11am

All hosted at Lincoln University.

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FOSTER
PARK



\$30

Age	Swim	Bike	Run
5-6yrs	300 (run)	1.5km	300m
7-8yrs	25m	2.5km	1km
9-10yrs	50m	2.5km	1km
11-13yrs	75m	2.5km	1.5km

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