

Wednesday 10th May 2017

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

We welcome our new students and their families. Welcome Irie to Room 3 and JJ and Boston to Room 7.

This Friday we will be holding a Mufti Day with a gold coin donation to Ronald McDonald House. Ronald McDonald House Charities New Zealand creates and supports programmes that strengthen Kiwi families throughout their children's medical journeys, ensuring they are better placed to cope and help their children heal.

Established in 1989, Ronald McDonald House Charities® New Zealand is the country's leading family charity and they work tirelessly to take care of Kiwi families throughout their children's medical journeys. At the heart of what they do is the simple premise that families are stronger when they're together.

Their core programme, Ronald McDonald Houses®, endeavours to strengthen Kiwi families who are away from home with a hospitalised child, by providing free accommodation and support services. Most importantly it ensures these families can remain together so that they will be better placed to cope and help their children heal.

They are part of a global network which is now over 40 years old and RMHC has Houses operating in over 40 countries.

A fantastic charity for us to donate to. All proceeds raised on Friday will be sent to Ronald McDonald House. Whanau & Friends will be holding a sausage sizzle as well on Friday and selling juicies. Sausages \$2 and Juicies \$1.50—please order and pay for at the school office.



## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

At Waipawa Primary School we celebrate all birthdays with every student receiving a birthday gift from the Board of Trustees at Assembly.

This week we wish a Happy Birthday to: - **Chanel**



## Waipawa Way Cards

Congratulations to this week's recipients: Eve, Michaela and Noah. They received their cards from Waipawa 4 Square and High Street Clothing.

## MATAWEKA HUB SPELLING BEE

The final was held this morning. Winners will receive recognition at Mataweka Assembly on Friday. We will publish the results in next week's Flyer.

Thank you to Tim Waite for the organisation of this and to those that participated.

## NATIONAL YOUNG LEADERS DAY PALMERSTON NORTH

On Monday I will be taking our School Leaders to the NYLD in Palmerston North. Thank you to the Board of Trustees for funding this day which is valuable for our School Leaders to hear from mentors from all areas of the community, sports and business persons. Reminder that School Leaders need to be at school by 7.15am

**OUTSTANDING DEBTS**—Unfortunately we still have some families that have outstanding debts with the school. These debts are now overdue. Please make arrangements to make payment or set up a direct debit to the school bank account.

Contact Sue in the school office for details.



## STAFF DEVELOPMENT

Next week staff will be completing a First Aid Course here at school on Tuesday evening.

**CHB College Work Day.** We were very lucky to have past student Courtney Green for the work day. Courtney spent her day making classroom resources and helping out around the school office. Thank you Courtney.

## CONGRATULATIONS to Libby Burne.



Libby has been selected as the Central FM Weather reporter this Friday. You can listen out for Libby from 8.00am.

Have an awesome week. Enjoy the sunshine while it lasts.

Bev and The Team.

## CONGRATULATIONS

Tapairu Hub Assembly Friday 5th May 2017

Congratulations to Eve, Eli, Ben, Sonny-Bill, Prodigy, Anaiah, Elizabeth and Tobie who all received certificates.



Congratulations to Celine who not only received "player of the day" on Saturday at Netball but she also met Irene Van Dyk.

## THANK YOU

A special thank you to Tania Death, Peter Robertshaw and Peter Burne for the organisation and the installation of the Rugby posts and covers.

## SLICE OF SOL



After a lot of work, collection of student voice and teacher input we now have our new SOL sheets ready to go. The changes will, we hope, encourage all students to further embrace the philosophy of SOL which is directing and owning their learning along with their behaviour. We have also connected the SOL goals to our school values and again have had input from students and all teachers.

While we know that many of our students take on board SOL, we are aware that this is not a good fit for all and the way we all learn is varied and diverse. We aim with SOL to meet the needs of all our students as much as possible. It is important to understand that SOL is an always changing process of reflecting on how it is working for all students, ways we can improve the delivery of SOL and interesting methods to enrich students learning even more.

Once again, we would encourage parents/caregivers to talk with children about their SOL goals but also discuss ways in which we can work in partnership to ensure all students are meeting their potential at school.

Scholastic Bookclub closes NEXT Monday 15th May 2017. Please have your order to the school office prior to this date.

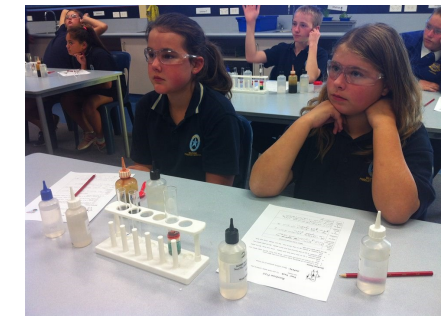
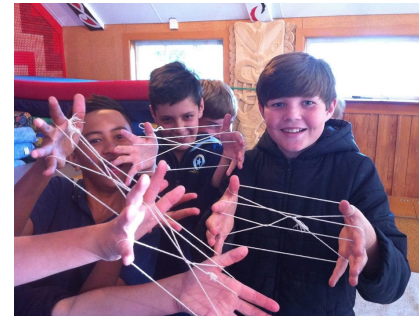
## WHANAU & FRIENDS

### FUNDRAISING

Ronald McDonald House Mufti Day and Sausage Sizzle Friday the 12th. All proceeds to this wonderful organisation that have supported and continue to support many of our Waipawa Primary Whanau when they must visit hospitals out of Hawke's Bay. W&F will be running the sausage sizzle and selling juices. Please pre-order at the

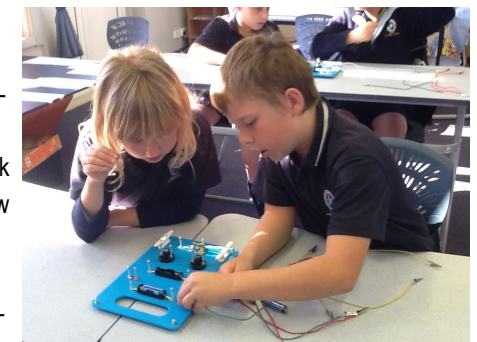
### CHB College Open Day

Yesterday the majority of our Year 7 & 8 attended the CHB College open day. Students were split into groups and toured classrooms, the Tech block, and Gym.



### SCIENCE KITS

Throughout this term all classes will have an opportunity to use the Science Kits which have been delivered to us. Mataweka Hub classes have spent this week looking at electrical circuits, exploring how to make bulbs glow, buzzers ring and propellers whirl! It has been fascinating to both watch students work together and discuss their findings. We are looking forward to seeing science in action during week 7 when we host the Makers Science Roadshow here at school. Who knows we may just have the next Alexander Graham Bell ( Inventor of the metal detector, the telephone, and the photophone – the first device to carry the human voice using light) or Grace Hopper (Pioneer of electronic computers. Invented the first compiler and was the principal architect of COBOL, the most widely used computer language of the twentieth century).



# Sport...

## Calendar of Events

10th May	Spelling Bee
12th May	Mufti Day—gold coin donation to Ronald McDonald House and we will be holding a Sausage Sizzle. Please order at the school office. <b>Mataweka Hub Assembly 12.15pm</b>
15th May	National Young Leaders Day in Palmerston North for House Leaders Scholastic Book Club closes today Communities of Learning meeting with Ministry of Education and Boards of Trustees
17th May	Ripper Rugby Tournament
18th May	Guitar Group play for Senior Citizens— <b>this has been postponed.</b> Hastings Boys High School—Boys Day Out
23rd May	Report Conferences for some students in Rooms 7,6,5 and 4.
23rd May	Board of Trustees meeting 5.30pm in the staffroom—All welcome. <b>Please note change of date.</b>
26th May	Whole School Assembly 2.15pm. Fish & Chips Friday Bake Sale—Camp fundraiser for Mataweka Hub
30th May	Hui in Staffroom
1st June	Cybersafety with Detective Mark Moorhouse from Hastings Police Presentation for parents and caregivers at 5.30pm in the school hall. All welcome.
2nd June	Whanau & Friends meeting in the staffroom at 9.00am
5th June	Queen's Birthday Weekend
9th June	<b>J Rock Day—tickets are on sale online through Ticktek</b>
12 & 13 June	Science Makers Roadshow
16th June	Hangi—Camp fundraiser for Mataweka Hub
21st June	Board of Trustees meeting 5.30pm all welcome
27 & 28th June	Three Way Conferences for Mataweka Hub only. Rooms 3, 2,1 and 12.
Hastings Boys High School	Hastings Boys High School will be holding a "Boys Day Out" on Thursday 18th May 2017 for Year 6 boys. Transportation and lunch will be provided.
7th July	Whanau & Friends meeting in the staffroom at 9.00am Last Day of Term 2 Fish and Chip Friday, Soup Day and PJ Day

CHB Ripper Rugby tournament is on Wednesday 17 May. Tim Waite is organising this and details will be given to those students involved.

NETBALL sessions - Mataweka Hub will have Netball sessions starting this Thursday. Natalie Corbett is delivering our sessions. These are held at school and run by Sport HB.

## 2017 REP PLAYERS

Congratulations to Ella M and Paige B who have been selected to play Rep Netball this season and to Bongzi, Zak, Charlie, Jayden, Evan and Jesse who have been selected to play Rep Football. Well done to you all.

### RUGBY DRAW THIS WEEK 13TH MAY

Under 13 Waipawa play Central ground CHB 1 at 11.00am

Under 11 Waipawa play Central ground CHB 2 at 10.00am

Under 9 Waipawa play Otane ground 5 at 9.30am

Under 8 Waipawa 1 have a bye

Waipawa 2 play Onga/Tiko ground 5 at 10.15am

Under 7 Ripper Waipawa—play Central Panthers ground 1b at 10.10am

Under 6 Ripper Waipawa play Central Lions ground 5b at 11.00am

CHB Junior Football season starts this Saturday. Students have been issued with their uniform and draw.

### WAIPAWA COUNTRY UNITED MEN'S RUGBY

It's the support of the WCUMR friends, family and supporters that gets the boys through, week in week out! We are wanting to get the WHOLE community to Coronation Park this weekend to support our boys against MAC and bring home our eighth win of the season! Bring your family down and cheer our boys home. Game kicks off at 2.45pm.

There will be a sausage sizzle stocked with drinks and lollies available under the green marquee by the grandstand! and, as always you are all more than welcome to join us in the club rooms after the game!