

Welbourn School Newsletter

Te Kura Tuatahi O Pukekura

16th May 2019

Newsletter

Tena ra koutou ki nga hau e wha ;Greetings to everybody; Kia ora, Talofa lava, Bonjour, Ni men hao, Guten Tag, Konnichi wa, Buenos dias, Kem cho, Namaste, Huan Yin, Anyunghaseyoo, Bom dia, Ahoj, Xin Chão Nēih hoū, Goeie more.

School Goal this term: EXCELLENCE - Hiranga. Doing your best, Perseverance. Excellence in everything you do.

Key Competency: Managing Self

Our school kupu of the week: Whakapaingia te ruma - Tidy the room Ka wani kē! - Awesome! Fabulous! Ka kite apopo - See you tomorrow

Congratulations to all children drawn from the Caught Making a Good Choice box: Emersyn Rm 4, Ella Rm 7, Jack Brown Rm 14, Jolee Rm 5. Congratulations to Anais Rm 12, Kyan Rm 4 winners of "Caught in a Book".



A warm Welbourn welcome to:
Zac Jury, Indie Olsson, Zoe Wood.

BOT News

2019 Triennial Trustee Election: Timeline for your information

- ◆ Close supplementary roll at noon on Wednesday 22 May 2019
- ◆ Nominations close at noon on Friday 24 May 2019
- ◆ Voting papers sent by Wednesday 29 May 2019
- ◆ Election day. Close poll at noon on **Friday 7 June 2019**
- ◆ Count votes on Thursday 13 June 2019
- ◆ Board takes office on Friday 14 June 2019

Nomination forms were sent out by post on Friday 10th May. If you do not receive this by mail, please let us know as the voting forms will be sent to the same address as the nomination forms were. You can collect a nomination form from the school office.

If you would like to talk about the work involved being a Board of Trustee please contact one of our current Board of Trustee members or John Carr

Alistair Simmers: BOT Chairperson

National Strike Day

You may have heard in the news recently that the NZEI and its members, along with the PPTA (secondary teachers) voted to hold a day of strike action, to be held on Wednesday 29th May. The Welbourn BOT have decided, that due to this strike action that the school will be closed on **Wednesday 29th May**. We know that this may be an inconvenience to families but we will not be able to provide a safe environment for your children while strike action is underway.

Please Note: If the strike action is called off the school will be open as normal. We will inform our community if this happens.

Alistair Simmers Board Chairperson

Student Council Trip to Wellington

We wish our Student Council a safe and enjoyable trip to Wellington next Tuesday as they attend the National Young Leaders Conference. While in the capital they will visit the Beehive and Parliament Building to see where our country's leaders work and make decisions. We look forward to hearing about the conference and trip on their return.



Important Dates

21-22 May - Young Leaders Conference -
Wellington (Student Council)

24 May - BOT nominations close

29 May - Voting papers posted

3 June - Queens Birthday (school closed)

6 June - Interschool vs Vogeltown (Away)

7 June - BOT election voting closes 12pm

13 June - Interschool vs Woodleigh (Home)

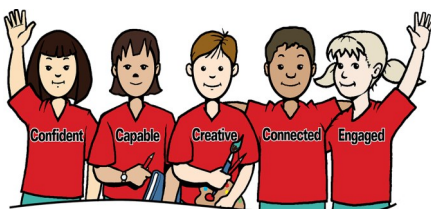
Term Dates

2019 Term Dates

Term 2: 29 April - 5 July

Term 3: 22 July - 27 September

Term 4: 14 October - 18 December



Pink Shirt Day aims to raise awareness of bullying issues to support programs that foster children's healthy self-esteem.

Pink shirt day began in Canada in 2007 when two students took a stand against bullying, after a friend of theirs got bullied for wearing a pink shirt.

WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING AS MUCH PINK AT FRIDAY'S ASSEMBLY AS POSSIBLE. Some of the money from the pink shirt disco on **Thursday 30th May** will be contributed to this cause.

Thank you - STUDENT COUNCIL

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Interschool - The netball A team played against Spotswood primary, it was such a close game but we ended up winning 12-11 they played really well and had really great defence, two of the Spotswood girls tripped over and skinned their knees, I think we played well but we definitely need to work on bounce passes and positioning. We are really looking forward to our next games against Vogeltown in week six.

By Briar

Netball

The Netball B team played against Spotswood Primary, it was a hard game but we ended up winning, and the score was 9-4. The Spotswood team played extremely well they were very good at shooting and defending. Our team also shot the ball really well and did some great passing and our defence did a great job also. I think we need to work on trying to make intercepts and getting the ball to our shooters a bit faster. We can't wait for our next match.

By Holly

Rugby

The Welbourn rugby team played Spotswood, it was a good tough game. The final score was 38-7. The people who scored tries were William, Shane, who scored two, Lukah, Charlie and finally me Ollie. The forwards and backs both played well and we made heaps of good tackles. Something we need to work on passing to the chest. We're going to practice really hard and are looking forward to playing our next game.

By Ollie room 13

Home & School News

SCHOOL SWEATSHIRT ORDER: We are running another order for our school sweatshirts and will be adding in a school beanie with the logo on as well. Order forms are available from the school office, they need to be back in by **tomorrow**.

Home & School Committee

Sports News

Winter sports - Registrations are now closed.

Miniball (Yr NE-4) - Season runs 13th May to 23rd September.

Basketball (Yr 5-6) - Season runs 13th May to 23rd September.

Winter Football - Season runs Saturday 4th May to Saturday 24th August. Cancellations can be found on the Central Football facebook page or <http://www.centralfootball.co.nz/HOME-1>

Junior tournament on June 1st at Peringa Park. All teams have been entered.

Netball (Yr 3-6) - Season runs from 30th April - 4th July. Yr 3-4 play Thursday afternoons, Yr 5-6 play Tuesday afternoons. Cancellations can be found on the Netball Taranaki Facebook page or <http://www.netballtaranaki.org.nz/>

Hockey (Yr NE-6) - Season runs from Saturday 4th May to Season end TBA. Cancellations can be found on the Taranaki junior Hockey Facebook page or <http://www.taranakihockey.org.nz/news-1/cancellations>

Community Notices

Taranaki Rugby Girls only rugby: Friday night for girls to give rugby a go and enjoy playing in girls only teams instead of mixed boys/girls teams on Saturdays.

A brief format for the night is:

Rippa and Under 11 Tackle: Players arrive 5.30pm – group warm up run by TRFU and into games at 5:45pm until 6:30pm . U13 Tackle: Players arrive 6:00pm – quick group warm up run by TRFU and into games at 6:20pm until 7:00pm. These nights are open to all girls under 13 and below (year 8 and below). Girls can come along individually and be put into a team on the night. Sessions alternate between Inglewood, Hawera and New Plymouth. For any queries, please email mel@trfu.co.nz

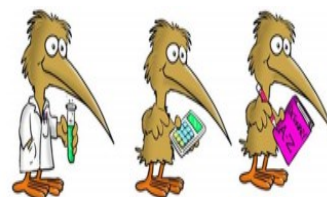
Any queries to:

Suzanne Hopkins Sport Administrator, Welbourn School Phone: 757 5810 - email: sport@welbourn.school.n

2019 Great Kiwi English, Mathematics and Science Competitions

Once again this year the University of Canterbury is delighted to offer the Great Kiwi English, Mathematics and Science competitions for Primary, Intermediate and Secondary schools.

The Kiwi competitions are written by New Zealand teachers for New Zealand students and are based on the New Zealand Curriculum. The online competitions will be run in the last 3 weeks of Term 2 and the first week of Term 3. All participating students will be awarded a certificate and prizes will be awarded to top students in each year group. The cost for a student to participate is \$9.00 per competition entered. Entry forms are at the school office and must be returned by 22 May 2019. Test dates to be advised.



Scholastic Book Club

Issue 4 is available at the School Office or Library.

Orders can be made online through LOOP or fill in the order form and return to the school office.

All orders must be processed/back by 24th May 2019.

Community Notice

- ◆ **Road Safety** - Please respect our neighbours, please park safely and legally; **There is no stopping on yellow lines or in front of residents driveways or double parking.** The disability carpark spaces should be kept free at all times for the use of drivers with a disability card.

Nga Mihi Kind regards

John Carr: Principal