



TERM 2 EVENT CALENDAR

JUNE

22	PTA Morning tea sale
24	M&S Auction & Quiz Evening No assembly
28	Inter-School Soccer (save day 30th)

JULY

1	Room 10 Assembly
6	Pizza with the Principal
7	Skipathon!!! More details later in the Term
8	END OF TERM House Assembly (wear your house colour with skort or short)

Congratulations to our MAGIC Students

Ryder D, Molly J & Eli C-W
Magic Person of the Week
 Sponsored by The Stables Restaurant & Smith

Elisha H, Issy M, Wynn C
Plume Playground Award
 Sponsored by Plume Cafe

*Annabella N, Charlie L,
 Freddy W*
Sports Star of the Week
 Sponsored by Matakana Fish Co

TERM DATES

TERM 2	2 May - 8 July
TERM 3	25th July - 23rd Sept
TERM 4	10th Oct - 15th Dec

Dear Parents & Caregivers,

A very warm welcome to our new students and families of our school. We trust you will enjoy your time at our magic school.

Congratulations to our new Board members - Cate Ashwell, Grant Clifton, Dale Daniels, Natascha Hurt, Tony Mordant and Wendy Chittenden (Staff Representative). They will take up their positions at the first Board meeting being held tonight.

Our PTA created a wonderful Disco for our students - what a phenomenal amount raised, see overleaf. Well done! Due to work commitments, Michelle Mordaunt, Secretary of the PTA has resigned. Thank you Michelle for all your efforts and help on the PTA.

I popped along to the Inter-School Netball held at Wellsford last week. It was thoroughly enjoyable to see our students playing the game and once again, as a school, we shone with wonderful sportsmanship. Thank you to Trisha Beamish, Ellen Edwards, Tony Mordaunt and Sharon Hallet as well as the many parents who all made this event possible for our children.

Our teaching team is committed to giving your children a variety of learning opportunities. Class trips and activities reinforce classroom teaching and offer hands-on learning. Permission and payment by a deadline date is required so teachers may plan the activity, complete the required Health and Safety documentation and organise groups. Recently our teachers and office staff have experienced upset and irate parents as permission was not provided in the required timeframe. Please complete the permission and payment by the required deadline date either via Kindo or the School Office. Failure to do so may regrettably result in students not being able to attend an activity.

This Friday is our annual Auction & Quiz Night. This is a fun, social evening for our parents and community, and also an opportunity to raise much needed funds for our school. We are able to hold this event annually because of event sponsor Bayleys, generous community and parent/carer and teacher volunteers. This year you can bid on Silent auctions via an App - an email with details of the App will be sent home today. Also behind the scenes our Gala team is busily preparing for the big day on Saturday, 22nd October. If you'd like to help at either event, please contact the school office.

The Science days which are incorporated into our Theme Week are lots of fun for the students. The past Science Day held on 9 June was a big hit with our students. Teachers prepared exciting lessons that allowed our students to experience the 'wonder and awe' of Science. Thanks teachers for a job well done.

Have a wonderful week

Kind regards

Darrel Goosen

Principal



Taking Students Beyond Expectations!



Kindo

If you have not already done so please set up your kindo account via the school website. If you have any problems please see the office ladies who can help you set it up, it is very easy.

Late to school If your child arrives to school after the bell rings, you and your child need to come to the school office to sign in late. Your child is required to take a Late Slip which they need to give to their teacher thus enabling the Roll to be completed accurately.

World Vision booklets with donations

Please return to the school office by 8th July

Visiting school? All school visitors must report to the school office, sign-in and wear a Visitors Badge for the duration of their visit. This is a Fire and Health and Safety requirement.

Student Absence Phone 422 7309 or send an email to office@matakana.school.nz both are 24/7. This is a Ministry of Education requirement in place to ensure the safety of your children.

Uniform A large number of uniform items are un-named. Please check all items and ensure the name is clear, and on the item! Time to check Lost Property as all un-named school items will be donated to the Uniform Shop and un-named non-uniform items donated to Hospice.

Do you have a sibling of an existing enrolled child turning 5 in 2016 or 2017? Please ensure you complete a Registration of Interest form asap. This form is available on the school website.

Please ensure children are in the winter uniform - no sport tops or sport pants please.

Photolife Photos Are now being produced and will be ready approximately early August.

Other Notices

Book Amnesty We have done a quick stocktake and have noticed we have not been able to locate some of our home readers. We are having a book Amnesty in place for the next two weeks in the hope that when the children are cleaning out their bags or bedrooms they may come across some lost books. They can return these to their class teachers - NO QUESTIONS ASKED. We just need them to be returned back so that others in the school can enjoy reading them too.

Learning Links Helpful tools on our school website. Literacy including Spelling Lists, Numeracy and General learning Links. Check them out at Our Curriculum/Learning Links.

Board of Trustees Election

Declaration of Parent and Staff Election Results

Parent representatives votes:

Ashwell,Cate	101
Beadsmoore,Jonathan	69
Clifton,Grant	98
Corinaldi,Angela	79
Daniels,Dale	96
Hurt,Natascha	108
Mordaunt,Tony	99
Invalid Votes	5

I hereby declare the following duly elected:

**Cate Ashwell, Grant Clifton, Dale Daniels, Natascha Hurt
Tony Mordaunt, Wendy Chittenden (Staff Representative).**

PTA Matters It's official, we raised \$2395 from the Upcycled disco! Thanks to everyone involved, and especially Vicki Fanning for her incredible organisation. This money will go towards some cool projects around the school. If you have any suggestions you are welcome to send them through to the PTA email pta@matakana.school.nz. We always love your feedback. Unfortunately we have to say goodbye to our secretary Michelle Morduant due to increasing work commitments. If anyone would like to take on this role, or be involved on a casual basis, please come and talk to us, or Helena in the office. On Wednesday this week we have a "Morning Tea Sale", it would be wonderful if you could drop off savoury and baking items to the hall in the morning. These will be on sale for between \$1 and \$2.50, and we would love some help to sell them if you have a spare 20 minutes. See you soon, Norm, Kirsty and Rachael

The Disco photos are now available to view on the school office TV and a link for you to view the photos will be sent home very soon.

Park safely and keep our kids safe This term our school is participating in Auckland Transport's 'Safety at the SchoolGate' programme. Drivers who stop in the wrong place to drop off passengers put the safety of children at risk. Parking officers will be on patrol outside the school this term and will be issuing tickets to drivers who park illegally. The agreed approach is 'zero tolerance' - There will be no warnings issued, you will receive a ticket if you are double parked, parked on yellow lines, or over someone's driveway - or for any other vehicle safety offence. Please park legally to keep our children safe and to avoid being ticketed.

New School Sponsor Welcome to our new GOLD Sponsor Matakana Event Hire. For all your party and event hire needs, contact Grant on 027 6455 344 or grant@matakanaeventhire.co.nz



This Friday Night!
Check out the Live Auction Catalogue attached !!

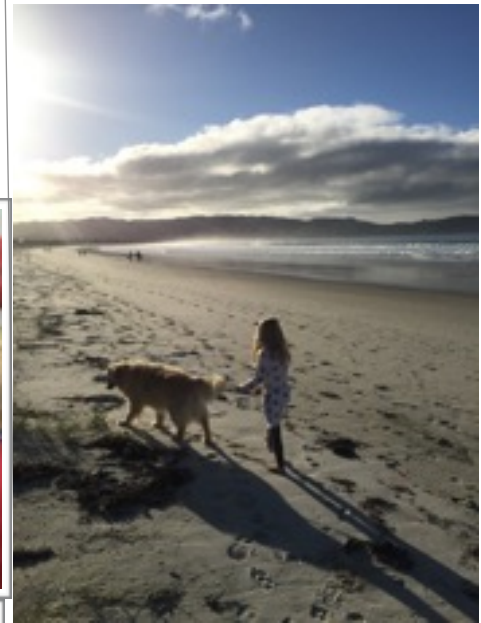


Matariki artwork - representing working together, Room 11 created this piece of Matariki artwork.

SCIENCE DAY!



Room 11 investigated magnets on Science Day. One experiment involved making an electromagnet. Charlie C and Oskar K persevered and succeeded.



"At the weekend I loved walking my neighbour's dog Burger at the beach". By Tilde

Room 8 making catapults



Lucy Brooking was a student of our school about 15 years ago! She popped in the other day to donate an electronic keyboard for our music room and was pleased to see her painting still up outside Room 2! Thanks Lucy!

Bruce Potter Visit



Room 6 had fun making bread buns recently during our science session.



Loving the beautiful weather at present - an ideal time to be outside. Room 4 & 5 enjoying a maths lesson.



Well done to all those who have already bought in their 20 hour famine money. Remember all money due in by Friday 8 July



Well done Bella and Ruby \$340 Raised!



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Principal



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This Friday **M&S**
AUCTION & QUIZ NIGHT

6.30PM, 24TH JUNE, SCHOOL HALL
TICKETS \$20 AVAILABLE ONLY ON WEBSITE, CLICK KINDO
ENTER A TEAM OF UP TO 10, CASH BAR AND GOOD FOOD



MATAKANA PTA
MORNING TEA SALE
WEDNESDAY 23RD JUNE

PLEASE BRING SAVOURY SNACKS OR BAKING TO SCHOOL HALL FIRST THING IN THE MORNING AND PLEASE PROVIDE YOUR CHILDREN WITH MONEY TO PURCHASE SOME BAKING.

PRICES WILL RANGE FROM \$1-\$2.50 EACH DEPENDING ON BAKING SUPPLIED. HEALTHY OPTIONS WELCOME (E.G. FRUIT KEBABS, POPCORN EXPL, SAVOURY BAKING, ETC)

PLEASE NAME ANY CONTAINERS AND PICK THEM UP FROM THE HALL AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTERWARDS.

Calling all old Mobile Phones to help Sustainable Coastlines look after NZ's coastlines and waterways.

Please rummage around in your drawers and toy boxes and bring into School any unwanted mobile phones you may have and drop them into the collection box in the school office.

Phones collected help our environment by keeping our landfills free of mobile phones and their array of hazardous toxic substances.

Watercress and Chilli sales

Watercress \$ 5 kg (a full plastic supermarket shopping bag). It is not connected to any waterways. Minimum order is 1 kg.

The chillies are jalapeno's and long red seconds, prices vary. Minimum order half a kg. Text or email me if you would like to collect some from us in Matakana valley road. Sorry we don't do deliveries.

Sandra sandratom@xtra.co.nz 0274900304



Open 10am to 4pm weekends, public and school holidays

School Holiday Programme starts Monday 11th July

See goatlandmarine.co.nz for details



Nia Dance is a fun, cardio-dance workout, a movement practice, done bare foot to soul-stirring music and moves to inspire the body.

When and where:
Tuesdays 9:15 - 10:10 am Matakana Hall, Matakana Valley Road
Fridays 12:30 - 1:30 pm Warkworth Performing Arts Studio
238 Glenmore Drive, off Woodcock Road

Cost: \$13 a class or a 10 class pass for \$110

Info: Marika van Egmond
m. 021-02572656
e. info@niadance.co.nz

general info about Nia: www.niadance.co.nz/what-is-nia or www.niaonline.com

Community Notices

The Mobile Dental Clinic is based at Rodney Surgical Centre in Warkworth.
Phone: 422 2714.

A ONE DAY KIDS' HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

is available in the school holidays. The theme is "Living in Papua New Guinea". The venue is Mahurangi Presbyterian Church, 5 Pulham Rd., Warkworth. Suggested donation \$1 or \$2 per day. Pre-enrolling is necessary. Forms and more information are available from Ann Cates (425 0966).

A LEIGH COMMUNITY MID WINTER SWIM!

Sunday, 26th June Meet at Matheson Bay at 10.30am. Come and support your local community and tennis club to keep fit, healthy and have lots of fun!

SPANISH CLUB 2016

at Matakana School
ENROLMENTS OPEN FOR TERM 3 (LIMITED PLACES AVAILABLE)

Starting date: August 2016
MONDAYS or THURSDAYS
from 2:45 to 3:45pm

Cost per session: \$12/child (2 siblings = \$11/child)

(payable termly in advance)

To register please contact Ruth Soriano at:

magiclanguages.nz@gmail.com

Easy ways to support our school

Collect and return **Yummy Stickers** - and help us receive more free sports gear for our sports shed!

Vodafone Home Line Customer
Nominate our school and Intelligent Rewards points will be given and new resources for classrooms may be purchased

Draw down a new ASB home loan of \$150,000 or more and ASB will donate our school \$500.

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