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A huge welcome to the following new students and their families:
Cooper Van Veen, Flynn Troost and Tommy'Lee Jones

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UPCOMING SCHOOL EVENTS

June	July
6-15 - Life Education Van is here	2 - PTA Meeting 7pm
22 - Fundraising Disco	3 - Waipu Speech Finals (In the Northpine Hall)
25 - Speech Competition Semi Finals	4 - BOT Meeting 1.10pm
26 - Junior School Matariki Lunch	6 - Last day of Term 2
28 - Mark Sommerset (Author) visiting	
29 - Des Hunt (Author) visiting	

Union Meeting

On **Thursday 21st June** there is a paid union meeting for all teaching staff at 1.00pm at Forum North. School will finish at 12.00pm. There will be limited supervision available for the afternoon and buses will run at 12:00pm. Please phone the office (4320135 Donna/Mel) if you require your child to be supervised until **2:30pm**. There will be no buses running at 2:30pm so you will be required to collect your child from school. After School Care (OSCAR) will continue as usual from 2.30pm.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Newsletter News!

We are moving from a paper newsletter to an electronic one from Week 9 of this term. This time the newsletter is being produced in hard and soft copy format, however, from now on will only be available electronically unless you request a black and white, hard copy from the school office. We are redesigning what we share and how we share it with the community and feel that there some exciting opportunities to share things such as short information videos via an electronic newsletter.

Netsafe Parent and Caregiver Evening

We have been working closely with Netsafe to ensure our devices (ipads) are safe for our students to use at school. As a result of this work, we will be holding a meeting for staff, and then parents and caregivers next Tuesday (19th June). This will be an informative evening and there will be time for you to ask some questions from the experts. The evening will begin at 7pm, will run for approximately an hour and a half and will take place in our wonderful Northpine Hall.

Correct Uniform

Please ensure your child is wearing the correct school uniform. We are beginning to see items that do not fit with the uniform code. We are updating the school uniform to include black long sleeved thermal tops to wear under t-shirts and ankle length, footless tights or leggings for the girls to wear under their skorts.

If you have any issues providing warm enough clothing for your child's school uniform, please come and see us. Mufti clothing will be confiscated and held at school until it is collected. We understand sometimes it is not possible to wear full uniform (if it has been very wet for example),

to avoid confiscation of clothing, please ensure you provide a note explaining why your child is in mufti that day.

Collecting Students During Assembly

Our Friday school assembly starts at 1.10pm and usually finishes around 2pm. If you must pick your child up early on a Friday please arrange this outside of these times. The office staff have been instructed not to disturb assemblies from this point on.

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Kai ora whanau

As I mentioned in the last newsletter, the Juniors and I have been focussing on waste, what it is and where it goes. We have just started exploring this subject and are going to make it a focus for a group to look at in relation to our school. We have realised that most of the waste we produce goes directly to landfill. We do recycle paper and cardboard but have a long way to go to ensure we reduce our paper use and to use both sides of the sheet.

Over the next two terms, we will look in more detail at the types and amounts of waste we produce as a school and will explore some initiatives to improve the level of waste we send to landfill. We will look to do a waste audit next term which we will repeat next year to see what impact we have had on our waste streams.

One change in NZ is that we are no longer able to send recyclable waste to China (\$21m of NZ waste a year has to find a new home, this includes plastic and paper). We therefore need to find an alternative within the country to deal with this waste. We would like to consider eventually becoming a plastic free school.

To begin to look at reducing soft plastic waste (such as gladwrap), over the next two terms we will be designing and making honey wraps. These are an excellent way to transport sandwiches and other items to and from school without having to use plastic wrap. Students will be able to enter a competition to design the fabric. This year we will use beeswax from a local source however next year, should the honey wraps prove popular, we will be able to use our own WPS beeswax.

The Senior school have been looking at making connections and the concept of sustainability and the environment. This includes having respect for both the natural and built (man-made) environments. It would be timely for you to have a conversation with your child about the value of respect - what it is and why and how we show it. The students at WPS have impressed me with their behaviour and display of values however, we are beginning to see some playground behaviour (and the behaviour some of the students demonstrated at the movie night last week) that is not showing respect for self, others or property. We are having this conversation at school too.

Have a good fortnight - and let us know if you have any awesome and creative ideas for waste reduction (reduce, reuse, recycle)!

Jo

WAIPU PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWS

PTA Movie Night

A big thank you to everyone who attended the very first PTA Community Event in our Northpine Hall. A very big thank you to those who helped to make this night happen! The children loved this popular night and we look forward to more fun events like this.



New Assembly Award

The Waipu 4 Square Weekly Award is given to students who demonstrate community spirit and support of others both in and out of school. Staff are able to nominate students for this award but we would also like to hear from you. If you know of a WPS student who displays these qualities or who has participated beyond expectation in a community event, please contact jo@wps.school.nz by the Wednesday prior to the upcoming Friday assembly.

Congratulations to **Kaiser Jacoby** (wk 5) and **Ruby Rose Harrington** (wk 6) who were our first two recipients.

BITS 'N' BOBS

Monster Garage Sale

NHHD's (Northland Hip Hop Dance) gigantic Garage Sale Fundraiser
Saturday 16th June from 7am
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SAT 8.30-9.30AM

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Share One Hoodie Project

Jaime Robertson, a parent from Waipu Primary School is involved in a fabulous initiative to help prevent over 300,000 Kiwi Kids go to school cold this winter. Collaborated by local street artists 'Component' and 'IThink' they have designed a stylish Leopard or Tui design to choose from. Hoodie's available for kids and adults and on purchase donations are made to schools to

make a big difference to a child in need

For more information please visit their website by clicking the following link: www.doublehappykids.co.nz/



CONGRATULATIONS!

Principal's Special Awards

Congratulations to the following students for an excellent effort in demonstrating our Key Competency for the last 2 weeks. Our Key Competency was **participating and contributing**.

Room 1 – Adara Lunjevich (wk 5), Jhazail Stephens (wk 6)
Room 2 – Joseph Patterson-Devine (wk 5), Aria Verweijmeren (wk 6)
Room 3 – Harlyn Abraham (wk 5), Emily Stuart (wk 6)
Room 4 – Brooke Thompson (wk 5), Abby Whyte (wk 6)
Room 5 – Kyla Mansell (wk 5), Lucy Troost (wk 6)
Room 6 – Lila Knight (wk 5) Mason Bell (wk 6)
Room 7 – Mason Hansen (wk 5), Noah Paringatai-Rowsell (wk 6)
Room 8 – Ciara Lee Steel (wk 5), Manea Raniera (wk 6)
Room 9 – Lief Manunui (wk 5) Charlie Oliver (wk 6)
Room 10 – Couper Greenbury (wk 5) Noah Cullen (wk 6)
Room 11 – Lara Nops (wk 5) Jed Green (wk 6)
Mrs Goodall - Mason Hansen (wk 5), Ashleigh Whyte (wk 6)

Player Of The Day

A huge congratulations to the following students for being Player Of The Day last weekend:

Rugby - Dredyn Abraham-Marsh, Rohan Gooseman, Jaylen Carson

Hockey - Ty Amsterdam, Will Wigram, Peyton Murray

Netball - Calais Carroll, Mila Tonkin, Lucy Troost

Soccer - Coby Britton, Carter Hughes, Isaac Chapple,

Golf - Sienna Mewett (Student of the week)

Kaiser Jacoby - 1st Auckland Golf Champs

Clan Of The Week

Clan *Argyll* was Clan of the week. Great efforts and well done to all.

UPDATES

Student Leadership Group Update

We are working on our role in leading our formal assemblies on a Friday. We are excited to be able to take more of a leadership role and we are working with Ms B to get some more 'interactive' activities happening which will help us to explore our values and Key Competencies more deeply as a whole school. We are also going to work with the Clan Leaders more closely for leadership training which will begin next term. You will also hear more from the Clan Leaders next term as they begin their wellbeing in school work and train for more of a mentor role in the playground. The Clan Leaders will have their own space in this newsletter from the start of Term 3.

Communities Of Learning

There are no new updates this fortnight.

Enviro News

Many thanks to the three people, Julie, Chauncey and Zac, who have offered amazing support for the enviro projects we will be undertaking. Currently we are scoping projects and ways that we could improve our school and what we do in the community. We have some incredible resources in our community and really appreciate you coming forward to offer help. We are looking forward to becoming more of a hub of sustainability within our locale.

REGULAR UPDATES

Newsletter Content

If you want to advertise any events/items in the newsletter, please email Jo Brown - jo@wps.school.nz. If you want to take up a paid spot let Cindy know - cindy@wps.school.nz.

Office Payments

Only small cash payments for lunches/mufti days are taken through classrooms. Any large cash payments are to be made directly to the office by Parents please. We now have EFTPOS available for your convenience (credit card payment fees apply). All other usual methods of payment other than cash or EFTPOS will be accepted.

Worm Tea - Liquid Plant Fertiliser

For Sale at school office, great for plants.

\$5 - 2 litre, \$2 - 1 litre.

USEFUL CONTACTS

Uniform Sales

Second hand uniforms are available from Kylie Jacoby. Phone Kylie on 02102693876 to see what she has available. If you have a uniform you do not need, please consider giving this to Kylie as the money from second hand clothing comes back to the school.

The uniforms are held at school but you need to arrange a time with Kylie to view on Wednesdays between 8:00am and 9:30am.

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