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Term 3 Week 1

24th July 2018

A warm welcome back to Term 3. It was lovely to see all the children again yesterday and they are obviously happy to be back!

We have Gymnastics starting straight away and later in the term, the children will be involved in Dance. We also have 4 interschool sports fixtures, the Tough Kids' Challenge, 2 sports tournaments, Student Council events, Mathex and loads of other things to keep us busy and having fun.

Please read through the attached Term Calendar so you are aware of what is happening during the term.

Sir Peter Blake Award

Congratulations to Lucy who received this award in recognition of her leadership skills. This was presented by Mark Wilton from the Westpac Bank. Earlier in the year, the senior students voted for who they thought should receive this award. Well done Lucy.

PTA Meeting

The first PTA meeting of the term will be next Thursday 2nd August at 7.00pm in the staffroom. All welcome.

Soccer Rep

Congratulations to Max who has been selected in the Manawatu Under10 Football Team. That's great news Max.

Gymnastics

Our Gymnastics unit started yesterday and will culminate with a display for parents on the afternoon of Friday 24th August. A reminder that children need to have appropriate clothing.

Teacher Aide

Te Aniwa O'Fee has been employed as a Teacher Aide for Term 3. She is taking a short break from her teacher training.

Assembly

Room 4 will host assembly this week, starting at 2.30pm.

Please note that there will be NO assembly next week (3rd August), as we have almost 100 children attending the Tough Kids' Challenge

Board of Trustees News

- The major upgrade to the senior toilet block is now complete.
- The BOT will consider the strike action planned for Wednesday 15th August and make a decision about whether the school will close or not. We will keep the community informed when we know if it is a full or half day strike.
- The 'Surrender and Retention of Property and Searches Procedures' were agreed and ratified.
- Some minor repairs will be completed along with an upgrade to the Monteith Street steps under the archway.
- The BOT received the ERO report following the recent visit and is thrilled with the excellent and well-deserved report.
- The BOT has agreed to continue to have calves at Pet Day this year despite the Micoplasma Bovis issue. It is up to individuals as to whether they enter calves or not.
- The library will become a classroom before the end of the year with the library shifting out to Room 8.

Rochelle Chase

For the Halcombe School Board of Trustees

Nga mihi

Kind regards

Sue Simpson

Waituna West School Fundraiser



How To Dad

Also including;

Patch Lambert & Local Comedian Paul King

Saturday 11th August @ 6pm, Waituna West Hall

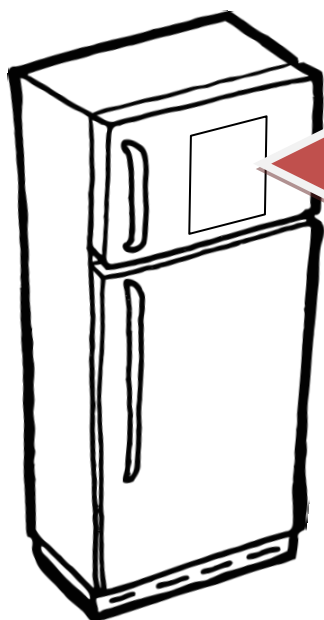
Limited Tickets - \$50.00pp

Ticket includes; great line up of entertainment, dinner, cash bar, auction. R18 event.

For ticket sales please phone school office on 06 3286 805 or office@waitunawest.school.nz

HALCOMBE SCHOOL - TERM 3 CALENDAR 2018

July	23	Gymnastics begins
	27	Assembly – Room 4
August	2	PTA Meeting 7pm
	3	Tough Kid Challenge NO assembly today
	7	New World Netball Tournament Board of Trustees Meeting 7pm
	8	Interschool Sport vs Newbury School (away)
	10	Manawatu Mathex Competition Assembly - Room 3
	14	Interschool sport vs South Makirikiri School (away)
	15	Teachers' planned Strike Action
	16	Turners Tournament (year 5 – 6)
	17	Assembly Room 2
	22	Interschool sport vs Bulls School (home)
	24	Gymnastics display afternoon and Sports Prizegiving 2pm (instead of assembly)
	27	Dance starts and final Senior netball
	29	Student Council event
	30	Interschool vs Colyton (home)
31	Assembly Room 1	
September	8	Assembly Rooms 7 – 8.
	10	BOT Meeting 7pm
	14	Room 5 Assembly
	20	Student Council event
	21	Drama Club Performance 2.00pm instead of assembly.
	27	Senior Social
	28	Assembly Room 6 Term finishes at 3.00pm.



Term
Calendar
on the
fridge.

Perfect!