

# WATERLEA WEEKLY



**Great Learning Happens at Waterlea by Connecting with  
our Community, Culture, World and Future**

**16 September 2020**

## Calendar

### September:

13th—19th Maori Language Week  
**17th Student Led Conferences (School  
finishes at 1.15pm)**  
18th PTA Sausage Sizzle  
20th-26th Chinese Language Week  
21st Junior School Fun Run 9.05-  
10.15am (*this is a new date*)  
22nd Middle School Cross Country 9.15-  
10.30am (*this is a new date*)  
22nd Senior School Cross Country  
11.30am-12.30pm  
24th Ambury Farm Visit Rms 22&18  
24th Middle/Senior Cross Country Rain  
Date  
24th PTA Casual Clothes Day  
25th Last day of Term 3

### October:

10th & 11th Advance Election Voting 9am  
-7pm  
12th Term 4 Begins  
13th Class and Individual School Photos  
15th Waterlea Welcome Assembly  
9.15am  
16th Junior School at Tim Bray  
Production  
17th NZ Election Voting in Hall 9am-7pm  
20th Interschool Cross Country  
26th Labour Day - Public Holiday  
27th Board of Trustees Meeting 7pm

### November:

10th PTA Funded Playhouse Show  
"Chilled" 2pm (*this is a new date*)  
12th Wero Trip Rm 7  
14th Diwali  
16th New Entrant Cohort Begins  
16th Board of Trustees Meeting 7pm  
19th Wero Trip Rm 8 & 9  
20th Wero Trip Rm 5 & 6  
21st PTA Quiz Night

### December:

7th Board of Trustees Meeting 7pm  
8th Graduation Ceremony 11.30am-1pm  
9th Year 6 Dine and Dance 6.30-8.30pm  
14th Last day of school for 2020

Hello, Kia Ora, Kia Orana, Talofa Lava, Taloha Ni, Bula, Ni Hau,  
Namaste, Malo e Lelei, Deea awit, Fakalofa, Lahi Atu,  
Vinaka, Dia daoibh, Sillaw, Hola, Huan Ying, Jó Napot  
Sagutom, Konichiwa, Guten Tag, Здравствуй

**Reminder school closes at 1.15pm tomorrow for  
Student led Conferences**

Ngā mihi nui ki a koutou katoa-welcome to Māori language week. This year the organisers of Māori language week had to be really innovative and explore different ways for us as a country to celebrate Te Reo Māori.

One of their ideas was the Māori language moment which happened at midday on Monday. At this time many of our Waterlea tamariki and kaiako along with many others throughout the country participated in this moment dedicated to te reo Māori. In fact Kiwis across Aotearoa and the world made history with over a million people coming together to celebrate te reo Māori



at the same time. According to the Māori Language Commissioner Professor Rawinia Higgins- "This is the largest, single celebration of te reo Māori in history. We have never had this many people celebrating our language together at the same time." Some of the ways Waterlea School participated in this history making moment were singing waiata, karakia, counting, using sign language and reading stories in te reo Māori.

Don't forget SLC are tomorrow and it isn't too late to book a time to share your child's learning-just phone the office on 636 4233. If you are unable to make tomorrow just email the classroom teacher to make a time that suits you better. School closes at 1.15pm and we are looking forward to seeing you tomorrow. The following morning, we conveniently have a PTA sausage sizzle so you don't need to worry about making lunches on Friday.

Andrea Jamieson - Principal



## **PTA Sausage Sizzle this Friday!**

It's sausage sizzle week! Please bring \$2 per sausage tomorrow (Thursday) to teachers in an envelope labelled with your child's name, class and number of sausages. Vegetarian sausages are now available so please also state if you want a vege one.

## **PTA News**

### **Yummy Apple Stickers**

With the disruption of lockdowns, we haven't collected as many Yummy Apple Stickers as usual, and these will be sent to the Yummy Apple company in a few weeks. The stickers are exchanged for sports equipment, so the more stickers we send, the more sports gear we'll receive. Please send the stickers and cut-out labels from your Yummy apples to your teacher.

### **Waterlea School's 2020 Cookbook - Village Eats**

The 300 page cookbook has been sent to the printers and we're now ready to take pre-orders! The books will be

delivered in mid-November, just in time for Christmas gifts. They are hard cover, professionally designed and printed and contain so many delicious, interesting recipes - they'll be perfect for all the cooks in your life. All profits will go straight back to Waterlea School - our big fundraising project this year is the Junior School playground. We have limited numbers so get in early to secure your books!

To order: Village Eats cookbooks are \$40 each. You'll receive a free tea towel with every order of two or more. Contact us on our Facebook page: Village.Eats.MB or email [waterleapta@gmail.com](mailto:waterleapta@gmail.com), or use the attached order form and drop it to school.



## **2021 Dates**

**Term 1—Wednesday 3 February to Friday 16 April (3 February Wananga Day Meetings, 4 February first full day of school)**

**Term 2—Monday 3 May to Friday 9 July**

**Term 3—Monday 26 July to Friday 1 October**

**Term— 4 Monday 18 October to Wednesday 15 December**

## Community News

### Orientation to Mangere Bridge

To support our vibrant and growing community, Friends of the Farm is hosting a trilogy of orientation evenings to introduce new residents to our community as well as including others who live here and want to know more about the range of possibilities that exist in Mangere Bridge.

When: Wednesday 4th, 11th and 18th November

Where: The Barn, Ambury Farm, Mangere Bridge

Time: 7:30pm – 9:30pm

Jacinta Kerrigan of One Agency, a local real estate business, will be kindly providing refreshments.

### School Holiday Programme @ Mangere Bridge Library

From Monday 28 September until Friday 9 October the library is running a photography competition.

Full details will be on the Auckland Libraries website.

Covid 19 permitting, the following activities will be held at the library. The back up plan is to have all the activities for you to "Take and Make" (at home)

**Tuesday 29 September 10:30 – 12:00** Unicorn magic.

A fun collage and other stuff

**Friday 2 October 2:30 – 4:00** Are you smarter than a librarian? REGISTRATION REQUIRED

A quiz to see if you can beat our librarians. Teams of 4 may register as well.

**Monday 5 October 2:30 – 4:00** Movie magic

Vote for the movie, from our list, you would like to see and we'll provide the popcorn

**Wednesday 7 October 10:00** What's in my tackle box?

A fun I Spy game to take home

**Friday 9 October 11:00 – 12:00** Library scavenger hunt

Are you able to find everything? Are they real or not?

**Saturday 10 October 10:30 – 12:00** Can you knot

Test your knotting skills with some fun projects to try.



**MARCELLIN  
COLLEGE  
ENROLMENTS  
OPEN  
2021**

Following the cancellation of Marcellin College open evening in August, if you would like a tour of our school or copy of our prospectus please email: [enrolment@marcellin.school.nz](mailto:enrolment@marcellin.school.nz) or visit our website: [www.marcellin.school.nz](http://www.marcellin.school.nz)



15/17 House Avenue, Mangere Bridge, Auckland, New Zealand

# Holiday Programme

Full Day	07:30 a.m.-06:00 p.m.	\$55.00
Short Day	08:30 a.m.-03:00 p.m.	\$37.00
Half Day (AM)	07:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.	\$32.00
Half Day (PM)	12:30 p.m.-06:00 p.m.	\$32.00
Trip Day	07:30 a.m.-06:00 p.m.	\$70.00

**Food Storm**

Mon 28 Sep

TRIP DAY: Cook up a storm with sKids Food Storm! We learn, cook and most importantly EAT food! We also get our main groove on with Barn to Move!

**Inflatable World**

Tue 29 Sep

TRIP DAY: We get into some bouncy fun! Join our fun day at inflatable paradise, and bounce they day away!

**Tuvalu Day**

Wed 30 Sep

Talefale! Come celebrate Tuvalu Language Week with us. We make Kiekie, build a Pale and learn about Tuvalu Culture.

**Movie: 100% WOLF**

Thu 01 Oct

TRIP DAY: Freddy Lupin, heir to a proud line of werewolves, becomes the most fearsome werewolf! Or at least the most fearsome poodle ever...

**Frozen**

Fri 02 Oct

Let it go, let it go, can't go to school anymore... Because it's school holidays! Join us for some Frozen themed activities

**St Johns First Aid**

Mon 05 Oct

TRIP DAY: St Johns joins us today to teach us important skills we can use in an emergency.

**Disney at its Best**

Tue 06 Oct

Join us for a Disney Adventure! Don't forget to bring your creativity and magic!

**Winter is Here**

Wed 07 Oct

Winter might be over but we can still make it feel cold! Join us for some cool activities!

**Mobile Laser Arena**

Thu 08 Oct

TRIP DAY: Paw! Paw! Paw! Come join us for laser tag outdoors! (weather permitting) Challenge your friends and dodge those lasers!

**sKids Active**

Fri 09 Oct

We get outdoors, have fun and play games with sKids Active!

Don't forget to bring your Lunch, Morning Tea, Jacket, Shoes and a Drink Bottle Everyday!

For more information, call 0800 274 172 Or 027 240 0024 or email [waterlea@skids.co.nz](mailto:waterlea@skids.co.nz)

Register now at [www.skids.co.nz](http://www.skids.co.nz) click on

**Parent Login**

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Work & Income NZ OSCAR Subsidy available!





# Village Eats is on its way!

Māngere Bridge's very own cookbook Village Eats brings together more than 200 recipes, all lovingly contributed by the whānau and friends of Waterlea School.

With delicious dishes to cover every meal and occasion and featuring beautiful photography and more than 300 pages all bound in hardcover, Village Eats celebrates our community and Waterlea School turning 65.

There's no denying 2020 has been a tough year. For tamariki and their whānau that's meant missing out on many special occasions, including the biennial Waterlea Summer Festival – one of the major social and fundraising events on the school's calendar.

So now, more than ever, we'd love for you to get in behind this project that supports our school and will help provide a new junior school playground for our youngest tamariki.

Copies of Village Eats land in mid-November – just in time to provide some Christmas kitchen inspiration and gift ideas. We think you, and your friends and family, will love this celebration of our diverse, caring, and talented community.

To avoid disappointment, pre-order your copy now. Copies cost \$40 each plus a free teatowel with each preorder while stock lasts.

To purchase visit [f Village.Eats.MB](https://www.facebook.com/Village.Eats.MB) or complete order form below and make payment to:

Account Number: Waterlea PTA 12-3054-0188049-00 (Please add your name for reference)

Cookbook order form:

Name:	
Address:	
Email:	
Phone:	
Quantity wanted:	

