

## He nui te akoranga ki Waterlea Great learning happens at Waterlea

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

# Newsletter 20 September 2023

### **Important Dates**

18 September Chinese Language Week

22 September - Term 3 Ends

9 October - Term 4 Begins

9 October New Entrant Cohort Starts

9 October Life Education Caravan Visiting

9 October Fijian Language Week

27 October New Entrants Visit 1

3 November New Entrants Visit 2

10 November New Entrants Visit 3

13 November Teacher Only Day

13 November New Cohort starts

15 December - Last Day of School 2023 1:00pm finish

### Ni hāo

Welcome to Chinese Language Week which is a New Zealand initiative to encourage us all to learn more about the Chinese language heritage and culture. Waterlea has a number of Chinese students and this week they have been teaching others some popular sayings and talking about some of their favourite foods and traditions. See bottom of the page for some phrases you can try to start with.

We've had a number of language week celebrations this term and last night we ended Te Wiki o te Reo Maaori by hosting 'Kapa Haka, Kai and Korero'. It was a time to come together to celebrate our tamariki and whaanau were entertained by a wonderful Kapa Haka performance. The organisation of this event was a team effort and special thanks to Rawiri and Ranea our Hapa Haka tutors for supporting our tamariki last night. Check out some photos of the evening below. Even though we are winding down to the end of the term, some of our senior classes are getting ready to shift. From next term, Rooms 7 & 8 will be working in the David Lange Hall and Room 21. This is to make space for the senior school refurbishment to commence. This building project has been in the pipeline for a few years now so it is great that we are now in a position to get it underway. Over the holidays we are hoping to get some further progress on the shade structures of the playgrounds, so watch this space. We wish you all a happy and safe holiday and a special mention goes to Shumin Liu who is returning to China for an extended time to visit whanau. We look forward to seeing you, Shumin at the beginning of next year.



### Te Reo Maaori-a-thon

The total raised for our te reo Maaori-a-thon is currently \$18,409 with tomorrow being the last day. A huge thank you to our wider community for supporting our tamariki to further develop their te Reo Maaori skills.

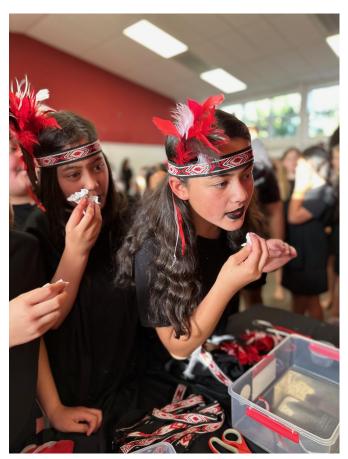
### MANA Korowai

Each term our MANA values korowai is presented to a student who demonstrates our MANA values in an outstanding manner. This term it was presented to Nicole Young in Room 19. Congratulations Nicole on this wonderful achievement - you most certainly are a role model to others.



### **Board of Trustees News**

Please click this <u>link</u> to hear an end of term message from Corinne Cameron the presiding member of our board.









# **Car Boot Sale & Family Fun**

Saturday 14 October 2023 9am to 12 noon

Pony Rides Car boot vendors BBQ
Fresh Farmers Market Homemade Bake Stall
Family Entertainment Live Music & More

Site bookings email office@amburyparkcentre.org.nz or call or txt 021 213 8397

Vendors: \$20 per car for second hand goods \$50 per commercial - food or selling new goods (No BBOS or bake stalls)

Bring cash/eftpos avail for cash out

66 Wellesley Road, Mangere Bridge



# Menu Changes Term 4



DailyLunch & Catering's sushi is changing. We think you'll like the new taste and the more affordable pricing.



Do you want to give your child the opportunity to enjoy fun experiences and learn new skills at school?

Do you want to share the gift of music with your kids?

Music lessons held on site at Waterlea Primary School!

MusiqHub are excited to offer private drum tuition to students at Waterlea School in a safe, in-school environment, from trusted and experienced tutor Benjamin Walker.

Students have fun, while learning a range of traditional and contemporary styled songs and techniques where they play together as a group, and as individuals.

### Three Easy Steps to Sign Up:

1. Email
jp.carroll@musiqhub.co.nz
Expressing your interest, and
any questions you might have

2. Find the right lesson time for your student

JP will help you choose from the options that are available

3. Confirm enrollment

Provide the details requested and get ready to rock and roll!

If you're ready to connect with your children over the excitement, fun and joy of music, get in touch now so we can help you begin this journey!

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