



*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, Здравствуй

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## Newsletter 5 June 2024

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### Important Dates

10 June	Board of Trustees Hui 7pm
11 June	MOSA Netball
14 June	Whole School Mana Assembly 9:30am
19 June	Battle of the Bridge
19 June	Maritime Museum Rooms 6 + 7
20 June	Maritime Museum Rooms 8 + 9
21 June	Maritime Museum Room 5
22 June	PTA Quiz Night
24 June	Mid Year School Reports go home
24 June	Board of Trustees Hui 7pm
26 June	Teacher Led Conferences 1:30pm
28 June	Matariki (school closed)
5 July	Last day of Term 2
22 July	First day of Term 3
25 July	Structured Literacy for Whaanau 3pm

We hope you enjoyed an extra long weekend with the King's Birthday and Teacher Only Day on Friday. Waterlea School hosted our 10 Kahui Ako schools for a day of professional learning and networking. It was great to have kaiako from the primary sector through to the secondary school sector, all learning from each other. We also had some dynamic and thought provoking keynote speakers followed by a variety of hands-on workshops. Thank you for supporting this opportunity for mahi tahi - collaboration with our partnership schools.

Last week we discussed the Teacher Led Conferences (TLC) and promised the online booking information for **Wednesday 26th June from 1.30pm - 7.30pm**. To book a time with the teacher we use an online booking system - [www.schoolinterviews.co.nz](http://www.schoolinterviews.co.nz), use the code **hrnvk** and the event is called **Teacher Led Conference 2024**. We are intentionally opening this site early giving you time to think ahead, plan accordingly and book in early.





## Welcome to Room 22

We are delighted to welcome to school our newest Waterlea tamariki who have started in Room 22 this week with Whaea Rachel and Mrs Gilmour. We hope you all settle in well at Waterlea school.



## MOSA Boys League Tournament

On the 23rd of May, our Year 5 and 6 U45kg boys went to the MOSA rugby league tournament. We all had an amazing day playing rugby league. It was tough for everybody, getting tackled and making some huge tackles. It certainly was different to playing football, that's for sure!

We did a lot of running and we scored lots of brilliant tries. We played four games, winning two and losing two very close games. We all played brilliantly even though this was the first time playing rugby league for most of the team. It was a great test of our aumangea, and we made our school proud! We came sixth place out of all the schools, which is really good, particularly against more experienced teams.

Thank you to all the parents and families for turning up to support us. Many of our parents were surprised that we wanted to play rugby league and we even heard a few gasps from the sidelines when there were solid tackles being made.

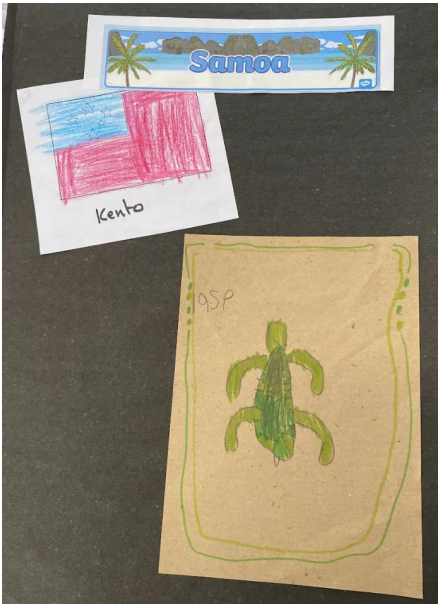
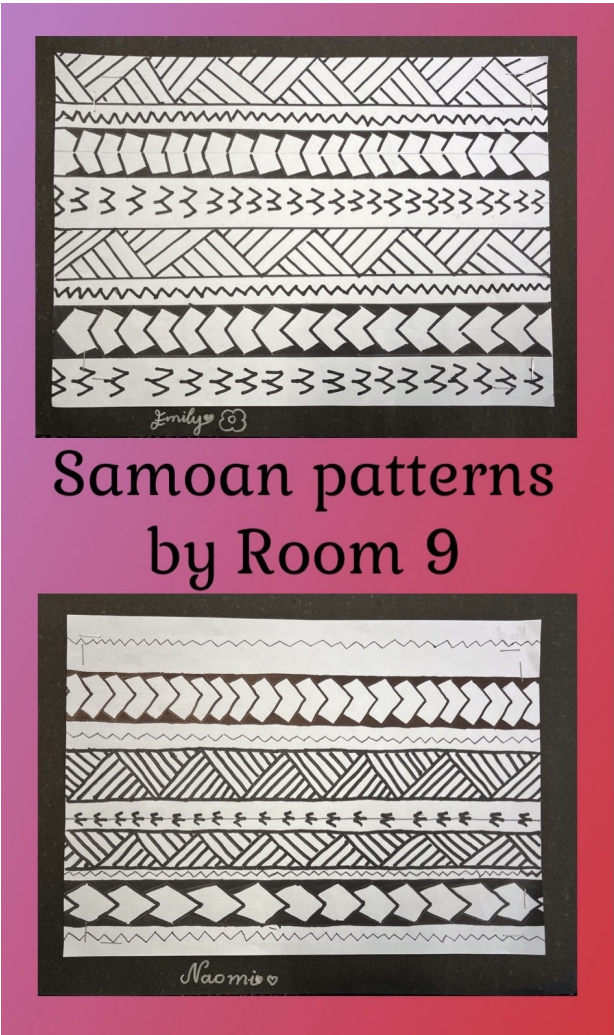
A huge thanks to Mr Matthews for training us, and to Nick Edwards for helping us on the day.

By Joel, Cameron and Art





Room 5 looking stunning for Samoan Language week!



Room 3





## MANA Assembly Photos







A native habitat restoration  
and community garden  
project in Onehunga

# Onehunga Peoples Garden Combined Schools Working Bee

**Sun 16th June 1-3pm**

Location: 64 Arthur St, Onehunga

[www.onehungapeoplesgarden.org](http://www.onehungapeoplesgarden.org)







**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!  
Introducing Keyboard Lessons***

MusigHub are excited to offer private guitar and drum and keyboard tuition to students at Waterlea Primary School with experienced tutors JP Carroll and Joshua Nelson.

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](mailto: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!**





- Community run organisation aiming to encourage children's love of swimming from ages 5 and up.
- Build swimming confidence and water safety skills.
- Learn to Swim through to Competitive Squad training.
- Regular Club Nights to develop competitive swimming skills in a supportive and fun environment.



**manager.onesc@gmail.com**



**Onehunga War Memorial Pools,  
Jellicoe Park**



**<https://uk.gomotionapp.com/team/ohsc/page/home>**



WELCOME TO....



# WATERLEA PTA 2024 QUIZ NIGHT

LET'S TAKE A TRIP AROUND THE WORLD!

6:30 PM SATURDAY • 22<sup>ND</sup> JUNE

**Waterlea School Hall | 17 House Avenue**

*Proudly brought to you by Ray White Mangere Bridge.*

*Tickets for tables go on sale on Friday 24th May at 8pm. Tables are \$350, with a maximum of 10 people per table. Please find the link in our @waterleapta instagram bio to book in!*



## SECOND-HAND UNIFORMS

If you are after any second-hand uniform items, such as tee-shirts, polo shirts, skorts, shorts, or sweatshirts, please get in touch with the Waterlea PTA and we will do our best to help you find what you need.

All items are \$2, except the fleece sweatshirts which are \$10

We also, accept donations of uniform, so please get in touch if you would like to donate.



Gmail: [waterleapta@gmail.com](mailto:waterleapta@gmail.com) | Facebook: @Waterlea PTA | Instagram: @waterleapta

## COLLECT YUMMY STICKERS AND GET SPORTS GEAR FOR OUR SCHOOL!

Collect the Yummy cut-out labels from bags (each cut-out label is worth 10 stickers) and individual Yummy apple stickers for Waterlea School's share of the \$200,000 free Sport sports gear prize pool.

Yummy apples are available from New World, PAK'nSAVE and participating Four Square stores. The more you collect, the more sports gear we can get so get going and start collecting your Yummy cut-out labels and stickers now!

**All stickers/cut-outs along with your school's Total Tally Sheet must be received by us by Tuesday 24 September.**

[Download your sticker collection sheet here or pick one up at the office.](#)



**NEW WORLD**



sKids Collab presents...

# AFL Footy Fun

*Kick it to me!*



Tuesday 30 April – 4 June, 2024 | 3.30-4.30pm  
Waterlea School Hall

Come to sKids at 3.00pm for roll call and afternoon tea. Our activity kicks off at 3.30pm



*Spots limited!*

**BOOK NOW!**

**sKids**  
*Collab*



*Did you know...*

**New OSCAR  
thresholds from  
April 1st!**

**Get up to 50 Hours  
of Free Holiday Care  
at sKids\***

**Find out if you qualify**

\*Free 50 hours apply to eligible families receiving the highest OSCAR Subsidy threshold.



**sKids**






# Waikōwhai Intermediate PRESENTS



## Open Evening



JOIN US FOR AN EVENING  
DEDICATED TO SHOWCASING THE  
PROGRAMMES THAT SHOW OFF  
OUR 'WAI'!



All prospective families and  
students welcome!



**6:30PM - 8PM**



**WAIKŌWHAI INTERMEDIATE**

Parking at the Eden Roskill Cricket Club

**Monday,  
29th July**

If you are unable to attend the evening, but you're interested in our school, please email [reception@wai-int.school.nz](mailto:reception@wai-int.school.nz) to book a tour

For more information: [www.wai-int.school.nz](http://www.wai-int.school.nz)

