

MANGAWHAI BEACH SCHOOL

# NEWSLETTER



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# Monday 6<sup>th</sup> August 2018

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## PRINCIPAL'S SOAPBOX

### Calendar Update:

6<sup>th</sup> Aug – Book week starts  
6<sup>th</sup> Aug – Parent/Teacher Interviews 3-6pm  
7<sup>th</sup> Aug – Parent/Teacher Interviews 1-6pm  
8<sup>th</sup> Aug – Footsteps session  
8<sup>th</sup> Aug – Manual @ Rodney College for Yr 7/8's  
9<sup>th</sup> Aug – Book Character Parade  
10<sup>th</sup> Aug – School cross country @ The Domain  
15<sup>th</sup> Aug – School closed due to industrial action  
20<sup>th</sup> Aug – BOT Meeting at 6:30pm  
21<sup>st</sup> Aug – Yr 3/4 Rippa rugby training  
22<sup>nd</sup> Aug – FOMBS Meeting  
22<sup>nd</sup> Aug – Bream Bay Cross Country  
21<sup>st</sup> Aug - Assembly  
**27<sup>th</sup> Aug - Mid Term Break**

### School Break Times

#### 8.55am Period 1

10:00am Brain Break (sml snack)

11:00am Interval

11:30am Period 2

12:45pm - 1:20pm Lunch play

1:20pm - 1:30pm eat Lunch

1:30pm Period 3

**2:45pm End of School**

### MBS Term Dates:

Term2: 30<sup>th</sup> Apr – 6<sup>th</sup> Jul

Term3: 23<sup>rd</sup> Jul – 28<sup>th</sup> Sep

Term4: 15<sup>th</sup> Oct – 18<sup>th</sup> Dec

**Parent/Teacher Interviews:** Interview days are today 3pm - 6pm and tomorrow 7th August 1pm - 6pm. **School will finish early on Tuesday at 12:30pm with buses running from then.** If you are unable to collect your child at this time please inform the office so that we can arrange some supervision. Anita's after school care will run from 12:30pm in the recreation centre.

**Book Week:** This is a great week at MBS to celebrate literature. We have Mark Sommerset, author of 'Baa Baa Smart Sheep' and 'I Love Lemonade', coming in to discuss being an author with the students. Mark is a full time children's author and publisher who writes stories that make you laugh, think or dream. It is great to have an accomplished author at our school. **Cost is \$1.50 – have you paid?** Also during book week we have our Scholastic Book Fair that you can view during interview times. These times are on Monday 6th August 3-6pm and Tuesday 7th August 1-6pm.

Our book character parade will be on Thursday 9th August at 9:00am in the recreation centre. Children can dress up as their favourite book character - there will be prizes and certificates for the best dressed children.

## BOOK CHARACTER PARADE



**THURSDAY 9TH AUGUST AT 9:00AM**

**School Cross Country:** Week three is a very full week and concludes with the school cross country at the Domain on Friday 10th. Start times can be found here in the newsletter and course maps are available on our website and Facebook page. Students must stay in the designated area with their teacher. It would be appreciated if parents could keep children off the playground and show their support for other runners and keep the course clear during races. Parents may take their children home ONLY if they have had them signed out by the classroom teacher.

**The Board of Trustees has decided to close the school on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> August due to only skeleton staff being available because of the Teacher's Industrial Action**

# M.B.S Cross-Country 2018

Friday 10 August

Mangawhai Domain



Kia ora whanau,

Course maps for the cross-country can be found on our website or Facebook page. Weather dependent we will assemble near the southern end of the domain under the trees. All students must stay with their class teacher in the designated area. If you would like to take your child(ren) home after their race it is very important that you sign them out with their teacher.

It would be great if you could stay off the playground area and support and cheer on all the runners. Please be aware of the tracks and help to keep them clear so all runners can have the best chance possible.

We will need at least 10 parents to help with track marshalling. If you are able to help please email me ([smckenzie@mangawhaibeach.school.co.nz](mailto:smckenzie@mangawhaibeach.school.co.nz)) or let your child's teacher know.

*Race Schedule (approximate times only)*

*Age is based on child's age on the 1 January 2018*

11:30am - 10 year olds

11:45am - 9 year olds

12:00pm - 5 year olds

12:15pm - 6 year olds

12:30pm - 8 year olds

1:15pm - 7 year olds

1:30pm - 11 year olds

1:45pm - 12 & 13 year olds

Sharee Mckenzie

Mangawhai Beach School

**Influenza – or the flu – is a virus that spreads quickly from person to person. Symptoms include fever, chills, aches, runny nose, a cough and stomach upset.**



**Signs and symptoms of influenza can include: fever (a temperature of 38°C or higher), cough, sore throat, runny or stuffy nose, body aches, headache, chills, stomach upset, vomiting or diarrhoea.**

**It may take between 1–4 days to feel symptoms after you catch influenza. The worst symptoms usually last about 5 days, but coughing can last up to 2–3 weeks. If your child(ren) is/are unwell, keep them at home until they are better so they don't make other children or our teachers sick.**

## GENERAL HOUSEKEEPING



**In case of emergency:** If a situation arises during the day that will change your child's home time routine, we can send a 'green note' to the classroom to advise your child of this change. **Please note this is not for everyday reminders.** Reaffirm after school arrangements with your child in the morning so reminders are not necessary and keep school arrangements consistent so as not to confuse your child.

**School Uniforms:** Uniform items are sold on WEDNESDAY. You are welcome to come and try on if your child needs a bigger size or just purchase outright. If you would prefer to order and pay online, please send an email to [office@mangawhaibeach.school.nz](mailto:office@mangawhaibeach.school.nz) detailing the size, items required and pay directly into the school account (12-3094-0106669-01) with your child's name and 'uniform' as a reference. Garments will be sent home with your child.



**Absences.** Please advise the office before 9:30am if your child/children are not attending school on any given day. The Ministry of Education requires the reason for the absence. You can either leave a message on our answering service 09-431-4385 or text the school mobile 0223957708. **YOU MUST CONTACT THE SCHOOL EACH DAY YOUR CHILD IS AWAY.**

**School Buses.** Buses are provided to take children to and from their home not to after school sports/arts or friend's houses for play dates. Please let the office know if your child is not on their normal bus in the afternoon **before 2:00pm.**

**Visiting the School Grounds.** If you are visiting the school for any reason you **MUST** log in first at the school office and obtain a visitors pass – this is a health and safety requirement.



**No access for unauthorised persons**



**Recycle Mobile Phones.** The school has a collection box for old mobile phones. Phones collected help our school gain valuable rewards and also the environment benefits by keeping our landfills free of mobile phones and their array of hazardous toxic substances. Please drop any unwanted mobile phones you may have in the collection box in the office.



### Mangawhai Beach School Ag and Gala Day

One of the highlights for Ag Day is giving our children the opportunity to raise an animal as their own and show them at Ag Day.

#### Wanted Orphaned Lambs



If you have any orphaned lambs or think you may be expecting some and don't have time to raise it please contact Abby our Ag Day Animal Co-ordinator who will match you up to a willing local family



If you would like to register your details or would like to discuss further please ring or email Abby at

[aganimals@mangawhaibeach.school.nz](mailto:aganimals@mangawhaibeach.school.nz) or 021468195

#### Wanted—Willing families to adopt Lambs

Would your family like to love and raise a little lamb to show at the MBS Ag Day this labour weekend?

Please note that if you do adopt a lamb this way there is an expectation you attend and compete for AG Day

Ag Day animal showing is open to pre-schoolers, Mangawhai Beach students and home schoolers.

For any questions regarding anything to do with our Ag Day animal showing please contact Abby on the contact details above. We look forward to a great turn out with lots of pets to celebrate Ag Day, our school and our community



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# AG & GALA DAY!

## LABOUR WEEKEND SATURDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER

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### Secretary Position available

Job Description:

- Attend meetings and record and distribute minutes.
- Receive and distribute correspondence to the appropriate people.
- Send out emails to coaches and managers.
- Help the Grant Co-ordinator.
- Help the Club keep a player database.
- Be responsible for the maintenance of the club website and Facebook site.
- Attend to registration forms for Netball Rodney Centre in conjunction with the Treasurer.

If you would like to join our fantastic committee please email:

Andie Gore (president); [andie@tomarata.school.nz](mailto:andie@tomarata.school.nz)

**ALL 2017 TROPHIES MUST BE HANDED IN TO COACHES OR MANAGERS AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. THANKS**



WINTER SERIES

1.30-3.30pm

For Mums and Others!

Be Creative or just ENJOY!

12 AUGUST CRAFT DAY

Floral Tussie Mussie-Make your own!

With Mary Anne Boyd

19<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST CRAFT DAY

Charcoal and pastel drawing  
with Wendy Clifford.

26<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST CRAFT DAY

Card making with Marion Naish

\$25 per session with afternoon tea

Bookings online or at the museum

[www.mangawhai-museum.org.nz](http://www.mangawhai-museum.org.nz)



## MANGAWHAI BEACH SCHOOL FUNDRAISER



Golfers and  
Non-Golfers  
Welcome!

SAVE THE DATE

Sunday 16th September 2018

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Otamatea High School

*Te Kura Taumata o Otamatea*

## OPEN DAY

Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> August at 9.45am

Bus will depart Mangawhai Beach School at 9.10am and  
leave from Otamatea High School at 2pm.

Parents & whanau are warmly invited to come along  
and find out what OTA has to offer.

## MBS's Got Talent 2018

Do you love to perform? Do you have talent?  
Can you...  
DANCE? SING? PLAY AN INSTRUMENT?  
Do you have some other talent that you'd like to entertain us with?

Auditions and Syndicate semi-finals will be sometime in Term 3  
(your teacher will tell you more).  
Talent Quest Final is Friday 28th September.

Come to our  
**Book Fair!**

**Monday 6th August 3-6pm and  
Tuesday 7th August 1-6pm**

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## LIVE NIGHT AT THE MUSEUM

Come and Join the Fun!

See the Museum Characters come to  
life in the displays

Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> September  
Adults \$5, children Free




4.30 - 7.00

Sausage Sizzle and drinks available


Children must be accompanied by a parent or guardian

## SPRING SYMPHONY 2018 YOUTH VARIETY SHOW


25 August 4pm Coronation Hall, Waipu




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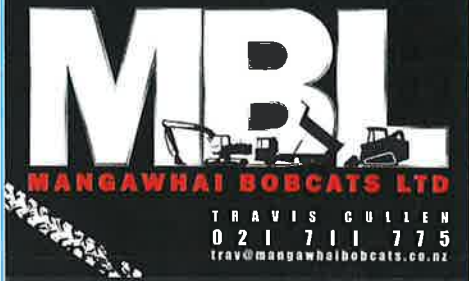


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