

MANGAWHAI BEACH SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER



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Monday 12th October 2015

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PRINCIPAL'S SOAPBOX

Welcome back to school for term four and a special welcome to all our new families to Mangawhai and Mangawhai Beach School. I will be Acting Principal until Aaron Kemp returns in week six of this term. We welcome Miss Rebecca Low into room nine for the term and Mrs Andie Gore will be the Middle Syndicate leader for term four. We have a very busy 10 weeks of teaching and learning as well as many events happening.

Firstly we have Mangawhai's Got Talent on Wednesday. This will be held in the gym starting at 1.30pm. Everyone is welcome to attend and enjoy the performances.

We will be making scarecrows to advertise our Ag Day in the second week on Wednesday. If you are able to come and help or provide materials for this it would be greatly appreciated. Please let your child's teacher know if you are able to help. *Materials we need for scarecrows include: newspaper, plastic bags, sacks or anything suitable to stuff scarecrows, old clothes to dress the scarecrows e.g. wigs, hats, belts, gloves, shirts, overalls, any old hay that we could use to stuff them or old plastic from wrapping bales*



Ag Day is Saturday of Labour weekend and as this is our major school fundraiser we really value all your support in whatever way you can. If you have not got a job for the day and are able to give us an hour or two please contact the school office and put your name down and the time you are able to help. Every little bit helps.

The fitness trail is all operational now. There are seven stations situated around the outside of the hard courts. This will be utilised by classroom PE programmes, our sports development squad and also the students at break times.

It is my pleasure to announce that in the term break we completed the appointments process and have appointed two new members of staff for 2016: They are Mr Teck Wee and Mr Nigel Rogers. We welcome these two experienced men to our staff and we also welcome their families into our Mangawhai Beach community.

- Congratulations to Olivia Platt who competed at the Northland Ballet competitions and was awarded the 'Most Promising Ballet Dancer' across all age groups. She also won several other trophies for her performances.
- Congratulations to Cory Vercoe who competed to a high standard in the Sticky Johnson Primary School Championships for surfing. Also congratulations to Luke Vercoe and Taj Robinson who competed at this tournament in Gisborne.
- Congratulations to Hannah Fisher who entered and did extremely well at the Northland Performing Arts Vocal Competition gaining a commended, highly commended, very highly commended and a 1st place out of 17 other children in each category she entered. We know that other students from our school entered and we would like to hear how you got on.
- Another mention I would like to make is Kayla Sharp. Kayla won the position of acting in the Hyundai ads which will soon be on our screens: Fantastic achievement Kayla well done from us all.



Lastly we wait with anticipation to hear from DOC any news on Oscar, our Kiwi, who is hopefully about to become a Dad.

Please contact your child's teacher if you have any questions about the term or events which are coming up. I am also available by phoning the office or you can email me:
pbygrave@mangawhaibeach.school.nz

Paula Bygrave
pbygrave@mangawhaibeach.school.nz

Kids Artwork Calendars and Cards



Cash or cheque only please as this is a fundraising venture. Please make cheques out to **FRIENDS OF MANGAWHAI BEACH SCHOOL (F.O.M.B.S.)**. Calendars \$13, Diaries \$18, Cards \$14, Sketch Pads \$15, Mouse Pads \$16. **Orders close 23rd October**. Parents can submit photos directly via the 'submit photos' area of www.kidsartworks.co.nz. Parents will receive an email back with a reference number. This reference number must be written on the parent order form. Each photo must be submitted as a JPEG file, minimum

350KB and no larger than 5MB.



We need helpers on the day, without your help on the stalls we cannot have Ag Day
Please fill out and return to School

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Child's Name(s) & Room(s): _____

Please circle your preferred time 9-11am 11am-1pm

Let us know if you have a preferred job or skill you would like to offer

*Any queries call Jo Yuretich 431 4637 or Denise Stuart 431 4023.
Thanks heaps for your support.*



✓ - to and from school
X - playdates, sleep overs,
art/craft class, soccer, golf,
tennis, rugby, skate park,
beach

Ag Day Calves & Lambs

The Vet Centre will be proudly supporting Calf Club and Pet Days again this year with vaccinating and docking, and our staff are always on hand for advice. Visit any of our four clinics with your pet day calves, lambs and goat kids for FREE vaccination and docking. Clinics situated at Maungaturoto, Waipu, Ruawai and Mangawhai.



Ag Day Calf and Lamb registration forms available at the office.

<u>Calendar Update:</u> 14 th Oct – MBS Got Talent Finals @ 1:30pm 14 th Oct – FOMBS Meeting 7:30pm (staffroom) 15 th Oct – Cricket Coaching 19 th Oct – BOT Meeting @ 6:00pm 21 st Oct – Scarecrow making for Ag Day 21 st Oct – Tech @ Rodney College for Yrs 7/8 22 nd Oct – Cricket Coaching 23 rd Oct – Ag Day Preparations 24th Oct – AG/GALA DAY 26 th Oct – Labour Day – School Closed 28 th Oct – Tech @ Rodney College for Yrs 7/8	<u>School Break Times</u> 8.55am Period 1 10:00am Brain Break (sml snack) 11:00am Interval 11:30am Period 2 1:00pm Lunch 1:40pm Period 3 2:45pm End of School <u>Assembly days:</u> 12:45pm Lunch 1:30pm Assembly
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GENERAL HOUSEKEEPING

MOVED HOUSE DURING THE HOLIDAYS? Please advise the school office of your new contact details so we can get hold of you in an emergency situation.



Visiting the School Grounds. If you are visiting the school for any reason you need to first sign in at the school office and obtain a visitors pass.

Absences. Children not attending school must be reported to the school office before 9.30am with the reason for the absence. You can either leave a message with our answering service or text the school mobile: 0223957708.

School Buses. Buses are provided to take children to and from their home. It is imperative that the school keeps a check list of children riding the bus home in case of an accident or emergency. Please let the office know if your child is not on their normal bus in the afternoon.

Head Lice. If you get a class letter home to say that head lice have been found in the class PLEASE check your child and treat if required for a minimum of three weeks in order to kill live pests and their eggs that will hatch during the following weeks.

AFTER3 Fun Factory. After school care is available **Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday** from 2:45pm – 5:30pm. Cost is \$15 per session and an OSCAR subsidy is available. Casual and permanent placing's are available. Please see the office to enrol.



Beach FM 87.8 - The student led radio station will be blasting every lunchtime. Please remember to tune in and listen to our students read stories, play music and practice their DJing skills.

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Mangawhai Beach School music lessons will be Mondays and are 30 minutes
Costs are \$25 per lesson for 1 on 1 Tuition and charged per term.

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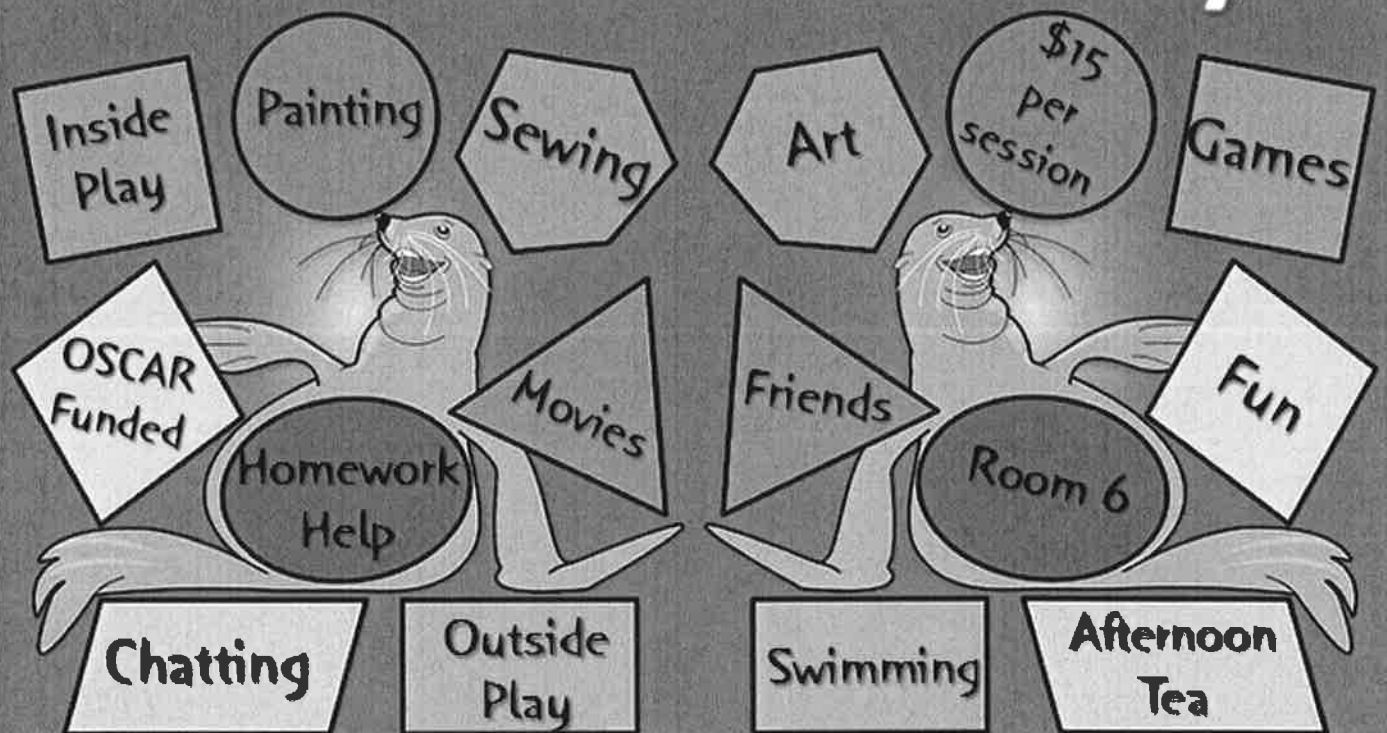
Guitar & Vocals will also be done in groups 2 - 4

Group cost is only \$15 per student per lesson

Email: aplusmusic tuition@windowslive.com Ph: 021-0273-1704

If you are interested in your child having lessons in Term 4 2015 or 2016 please collect a permission slip from the school office and return it to school filled in or you can phone or email me direct. Thank you, Martin Worthington

After 3 Fun Factory



2:45PM - 5:30PM - BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL
FORMS AVAILABLE AT THE SCHOOL OFFICE

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Adult Registration close 25th Sept 2015.
Adult Grading nights 1st & 8th October 2015.
Limited Numbers.

Kids Registration close 1st October 2015.
\$20 per player (\$10 late registrations fees apply)

Season Starts 15th October 2015.
Registration Night 24th September 5-7pm
Check FB for updates www.facebook.com/NorthlandTAG



Annual General Meeting

Monday 9th November 2015

7.30pm

**The Club, Mangawhai Heads
All Welcome**

*Agenda - Presidents Report - Treasurers Report
Election of Officers*

All enquiries to
mangawhainetball@yahoo.co.nz

OTAMATEA GROUP DAY Monday 26th October 2015

Pre-School Section - children under 5.

Junior Section - children 5 to under 9.

Senior Section - children 9 and up to and including Year 8.

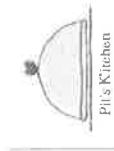
College Section - Year 9 to Year 13.

This year for the lambs there will be an intermediate section for children 8 years of age and under 10.

Parents and Children enter at their own risk.

Any queries should be directed to:
Vanessa Corry 09 423 8968 or
wrinklebrow@slingshot.co.nz

Thursday Lunch Options from Pit's Kitchen



Name:

Room:

Qty

Mixed sushi (\$4 or \$6) _____

French hot dog - pork sausage, baguette, onion, cheese (\$4.50) _____

Preservative-free pies from baked@devonport mince + cheese (\$4.50) _____

Chicken Salad Sandwich & comes with a free re-usable sandwich wrap from MIKOO (check out MIKOO's Facebook public group page to purchase your own) We try to reduce the amount of packaging waste in kids lunches (\$4.50) _____

Nice Blocks - apple/mango, orange/tangelo, chocolate, lemonade, vanilla, raspberry, feijoa, cola (\$3) (flavors dependent) _____

Less sugar mini brownie (\$1.50 or \$3) _____

Lightly buttered popcorn (home-made) with no nasty additives just olive oil/butter and salt (\$2) _____

Home-made Natural energy bar no added sugar or preservative, contains rolled oats, seeds, dried fruits and coconut oil (\$3) _____

Free fruits from the fruit basket (any donations greatly appreciated)

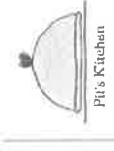
We would also love some free-range eggs donation for our brownies.

Note: Please place your order at the office by Thursday morning or with Pit (021 988715 or pchaisarn@gmail.com) Check lunch special announcement on www.facebook.com/pitskitchen or on school Facebook page

2 x Helpers needed each week.

Please let Pit know if you can help on Thursday (9-11.30 or 11.30-13.30)

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