

MBS Update

3rd December 2018

PLEASE TAKE NOTE OF TERM CALENDAR ACTIVITIES BUT BE AWARE THAT THEY ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE. Keep checking our website, Facebook page and newsletters for updates and changes.

Calendar Update:

3rd Dec – Yr 8 Graduation dinner
 5th Dec – Parent Helpers morning tea
 7th Dec – Whole school assembly @ 1:45pm
 13th Dec – Sports & School Responsibilities Prize giving @ 1:00pm
 14th Dec – Academic prize giving @ 11:00am
 18th Dec – School finishes at 1:00pm

2019

29th Jan 19 – Teacher Only Day
 30th Jan 19 – Day One Interviews
 31st Jan 19 – School starts

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:

T4 2018: 15th Oct – 18th Dec

T1 2019: 31st Jan – 12th Apr

T2 2019: 29th Apr – 5th Jul

T3 2019: 22nd Jul – 27th Sep

T4 2019: 14th Oct – 17th Dec

PARENTS ARE REQUESTED TO PICK UP SCHOOL PHOTO'S BEFORE WEDNESDAY 5TH DECEMBER. Any photo packs that remain uncollected after Wednesday will be sent home with the student and the school will take no responsibility for any damage.

Wednesday 5th of December will be the last day for uniform or stationery sales for 2018. Stocktakes and end of year processes need to be started so please get any uniform items you may need on Wednesday.



CLASS LISTS 2019: 2019 class lists will be published on Monday 10th December. Before you call the school requesting a class change for 'friendship' reasons, please know that a lot of thought goes into planning classes for the following year. Learning abilities and capabilities, strengths & weakness and teacher/student relationships are just a few things we consider when placing a child in a class. There are always break times to catch up with friends who may be in a different class.

When the class lists for 2019 are available, please make note of your child/children's class and purchase any stationery you may need during the holidays ready for the first day of school. You can also pay the school donation, Maths and Reading programmes online through OfficeMax MySchool at www.myschool.co.nz Search for *Mangawhai Beach School* to place your order when the website is open for transactions.



A special SPORTS/SCHOOL RESPONSIBILITIES assembly will be held on Thursday 13th December between 1:00pm-2:30pm. At this assembly we will be presenting cups and certificates for sporting event winners and also acknowledging our Peer Mediators, Librarians, Bus Monitors etc. Class academic and Year 8 awards will be awarded the following day on Friday 14th.

FINAL ASSEMBLY: Please note that the final assembly will start at 11:00am on **Friday 14th December**. We estimate the finish time to be approximately 1:30pm and you are welcome to take your child home at the conclusion. Please tell the school office if you take your child so corrections can be made to afternoon rolls and bus lists. Childcare will be available in Room 6 for parents with pre-schoolers. School buses will run at the normal time of 2:45pm so please be aware that buses may be half empty and running ahead of schedule. **Our last day of school will be Tuesday 18th December which will be a fun day of water fights and other activities. School will close for the holidays at 1:00pm and the buses will run at that time.**



DAY ONE INTERVIEWS 2019: Wednesday 30th January is parent/student/teacher interviews. We want to create a strong home-school partnership which will enhance students' learning outcomes. You will be able to meet the teacher and ask any questions about the learning taking place, homework expectations, behaviour expectations and anything else you think will help support your child's learning. Students will be expected to attend interviews in uniform with parents/caregivers. Once the 2019 class lists have been released (10th December) you will be able to book your interview with the 2019 teacher online at www.schoolinterviews.co.nz using the code **y2gm3**. If you don't have a computer, please call the school office on 09-431-4385 to book an appointment time. Teaching will begin on Thursday 31st January 2019.

FREE PARENTING HELPLINE
0800 568 856
 all issues – all ages
 9am - 9pm, 7 days a week
www.parenthelp.org.nz

Bingo
 at the Tavern
Thursday
11:30am – 2pm

Raffles with proceeds in support of Mangawhai Beach School Kapa Haka Group

18, 46, 62, 23, 12, 7, 74

MANGAWHAI tavern

SWIMMING LESSONS
Mangawhai Beach School Pool

Lessons Monday to Friday from 10am

December 2018: week beginning 17th,
January 2018: weeks 7th, 14th and 21st cost \$60.00 per week, per child.

Term 1 Mondays only from 3.10pm for 10 weeks \$120.00.

For further information, or to book please call Ross Millar Swim School Ph 431-4328, email rossmillarswim@xtra.co.nz