

MBS Update

6th June 2017

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

Calendar Update:

9th Jun – Senior Syndicate Assembly
10th Jun – Te Uri O Hau Festival at O.H.S.
12th Jun – BOT Meeting @ 6:30pm
16th Jun – Middle Syndicate Assembly

2017 MBS TERM DATES

Term2: 1st May – 7th Jul
Term3: 24th Jul – 29th Sep
Term4: 16th Oct – 19th Dec

School Break Times

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

Assembly days:

12:45pm Lunch
1:30pm Assembly

Thanks to all of those students and staff that wore their pre-loved and second hand clothing last Thursday in support of World Environment Day. It certainly is scary to think that clothes are the second largest source of pollution after oil and that 100 million kilos of textile waste is thrown away each year!

We hope that our families enjoyed the Mid Term Break on Friday and the extra long weekend. It was nice to see groups of parents and children out enjoying the long weekend and spending quality family time together. *Please note that Mid Term Break days are made up at the end of the year so we will finish school on the 19th of December 2017.*

Welcome to Cate Campbell who will be teaching in Room 15 from next week. We look forward to tapping into your great experience. Cate, as some of you know, has already been running the Tournament of the Minds group at our school on a volunteer basis.

Fidget Spinners are the latest craze but we have had to initiate a ban of these during class time. Any fidget spinners played with in class time will be confiscated. Parents and students are reminded that if you bring a special toy from home it is not the schools responsibility if it goes missing.



Saturday 10th June Te Uri O Hau Festival at Otamatea High School. Our Kapahaka will be performing at 12:45pm.

**POLICE VET CHECKS COST
\$10 FROM 1ST OF JULY**

The Incredible Years® is a highly successful parent programme provided to families around New Zealand. This programme involves parents attending fun interactive weekly group sessions. We know parenting can be challenging at times and some support can make a big difference! The sessions are run over a few weeks and involve plenty of time



to discuss and practice new ways to manage children's challenging behaviour, get ideas for growing positive social skills in children, and find ways to enhance relationships in families.

Eileen Turner from the Ministry will be coming to Mangawhai Beach School in July. **The course is open to the whole community and surrounding area.** If you are keen to participate please register your interest with Emma Grieve at Mangawhai Beach School egrieve@mangawhaibeach.school.nz

HISTORY ROCKS!!!

We are well overdue for a Performing Arts Extravaganza, so we are planning to hold a whole school production at the end of Term 3. The title of the production is **"History Rocks"** and is the story of music through the ages alongside the concepts of bullying, loss, friendship and self-confidence.

Each team (of 2-3 classes) will have a song to perform (through singing, dancing and acting). A production also encourages our gifted children to showcase their amazing talents as lead actors, choir members, dancers and musicians. The virtue of hard work and values of tolerance, love and cooperation will also encourage our children to do their best in The Arts.

To make this production successful, WE NEED YOUR HELP with:

- Costumes
- Props
- Set Design/staging/scenery
- Lighting/light mixing
- Microphones/sound mixing
- Make-up and Make-up artists
- Holding rooms/backstage
- Front of house
- Publicity/Programmes/Tickets
- Set-up/Clean-up Crew
- Fundraising/baking
- Photographer
- Videographer
- Sound/Lighting technicians
- Specialist dance teachers (to support our classes)
- Musicians (to support our student band)



If this sounds like you, please contact Ms Hampton or Mrs Neels (thampton@mangawhaibeach.school.nz).

Get ready to ROCK!!!



JUN 8 New Entrant Transition to School Meeting
Thursday at 9 AM - 10 AM

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Parenting Helpline

get support, advice
and practical strategies

we can help
with your
parenting concerns

Call 0800 568 856

9am - 11pm Monday to Sunday

www.parenthelp.org.nz



MUFTI DAY / BAKE SALE IS COMING UP ON THE 20TH OF JUNE. A REMINDER NOTE WILL GO HOME CLOSER TO THE TIME AND WE ARE ASKING PARENTS OF ROOMS 5 – 7 – 8 – 9 – 11 & 12 TO CONTRIBUTE TO OUR FUNDRAISING WITH BAKING ON THE DAY.