

MARINA VIEW SCHOOL

Matatau mo te ao Learning for Life



NEWSLETTER

Tena koutou e te whānau, mihi nui ki a koutou katoa

Dear Parents & Caregivers,

END OF YEAR SCHOOL PRIZE GIVING

Marina View School will be celebrating Prize Giving as a whole school community in our gymnasium across Years 0-8. The date of prize giving is Tuesday 5th December and will be held in our gymnasium at 9:30am.

Each class will be giving out three to four certificates (depending on class numbers), one excellence, and two to three based around our school Maunga Values- Mana, Māramatanga and Manaakitanga.

Parents/Caregivers of prize winners have been notified if their child is receiving an award. We request that only 2 family members of prize winners attend the prize giving, in order to minimise the numbers in the gymnasium at any one time.

The Year 7 and 8s will continue as they have in previous years, with the key focus of the night being about the celebration and graduation of our Year 8 students. The date for this celebration will be Thursday 7th December at 5:00pm in the school gymnasium.

SCHOOL HATS

School hats are compulsory for Term 4. MVS caps and bucket hats can be purchased from the online uniform shop:

<https://www.argyleonline.co.nz/shop/auckland/marina-view-school>

or the office for \$20 each. Please ensure your child's hat is named clearly.



UPCOMING EVENTS

NOVEMBER

- 30th Basketball Prize Giving 12pm in Hall
- 30th FAMILY FUN NIGHT 4PM - 7PM

DECEMBER

- 1st MUFTI DAY FOR STARSHIP
- 5th Whole School Prize Giving (By invitation only)
- 7th Y7/8 Prize Giving & Graduation 5pm
- 13th Touch Prize Giving 12:30pm in Hall
- 14th Junior Athletics Day
- 15th Last Day for Year 8's
- 18th TERM 4 ENDS at 12:30pm

SUMMER HOLIDAYS

JANUARY 2024

- 30th TERM 1 STARTS at 8:50am

2023 PRIZE GIVINGS

TUESDAY 5th DECEMBER

Whole School Prize Giving
9:30am in the Gym

By invitation only, limited to 2 per family of prize winners

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THURSDAY 7th DECEMBER

Year 7 & 8 Prize Giving &
Year 8 Graduation

5:00pm - 6:30pm in the Gym
All families welcome



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TERM 4 EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITY FEES



YEAR 1	Team Scott	N/A
YEAR 2	Team Ashford	\$3.00
YEAR 3/4	Team van Beek	\$21.00
YEAR 5/6	Team Oldham	Year 5 \$157 Act. Days
		Year 6 \$355 Camp
YEAR 7/8	Team O'Reilly-Dodd	Year 7 \$11.00
		Year 8 \$49.00

A reminder that you can view your financials on your child's Hero page using your login to Hero.

LUNCH ORDERS

Lunch orders are available Mondays and Thursdays:

- MONDAY – PIZZA**
- THURSDAY – SUBWAY**
- FRIDAY – SUSHI**



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JUNIOR BOOK STOCKTAKE

The school is about to conduct the End of Year Stocktake of the books (readers) the teachers use to support the children with reading in the classroom. These are the books that are sent home each night in the children's book bags. As you can imagine this is a huge process, and to accurately count all of the books, it is vital that all books are returned to school by Friday 1st of December 2023.

LIBRARY BOOKS DUE BACK

The annual stocktake of our library books begins next week. Can you please check at home for any library books that may be lying around and return them by Friday 1st December. Thank you for your assistance with this.



CHANGE OF CONTACT DETAILS

If your child's contact details need updating with new contact phone numbers, address, or email address please email office@marinaview.school.nz so we can update our records.



COMMUNITY NOTICES

TE MANAWA COMMUNITY LIBRARY

Reading for Pleasure- Summer Kiwiana Reading Programme

Come into Te Manawa from 11 December to collect your free BINGO reading challenge sheet and you're on your way to reading success.

Earn some cool badges and go into the prize draws as you proceed through the challenges.

Events at Te Manawa include a family Christmas storytime; Christmas craft; a cartoon workshop with the famous cartoonist, Stu Duval; movies; Popcorn the magician; a scavenger hunt and an event at Moire Park with facepainting, games and a sweet treat.

Support your child's reading with this fun, engaging programme and you will be developing a lifelong love of reading.

PTA NEWS

Come along and enjoy our Family Fun Night!



SPORTS

YEAR 7/8 ATHLETIC ZONES

This year our North West Athletics Zones was held at Waitakere Trusts Stadium. It was a wonderful opportunity for our athletes to compete on an international running surface. Highlights of the day were four of our students qualifying for the Auckland Champs - Maia Andrell, Jess Buckley, Sadie Parker and Olivia Harvey. As always, Isaac and I would like to thank parents for both supplying transport and support on the day.

Rhonda Sowter



YEAR 5/6 TAG ZONES

On Tuesday 28th November, our Year 5/6 Tag Team participated in the North West Tag Day, at Moire Park. The team were placed into the B grade for the day, and won all their games convincingly. It was great practise for a number of the team players who also have a Club Tag Competition coming up this weekend.



CHRISTMAS CAN COLLECTION

It's that time of year again where we are collecting cans to share with our community. The collection starts this week and will end on Friday 24th November. Students can bring NON PERISHABLE donations to the library, which opens at 9am. Please try not to leave items outside the library before this time. Thank you in advance for your support.



JUNIOR CHOIR PERFORMANCE

60'S UP CLUB

On Monday 27th November, our Junior Choir were invited to perform for the 60's Up Club, in Progress Hall, Browns Bay. The children were amazing and sung beautifully, even getting a standing ovation by the guests. Afterwards we took some photos with the lovely beach background. I was so proud of all the children and look forward to our next performances!

Marian Sinclair
Music/Choir Teacher



Our amazing soloists!



PTA FAMILY FUN NIGHT

We are very much looking forward to coming together as a school community tonight at our Family Fun Night, from 4pm - 7pm. We would like to thank the PTA members, teachers and students for all their hard work in planning for this evening. Special thanks to Kieran Horler, Carol Plewinski, Sam Baker, Cherry Tong and Kat Schipper for their time and efforts - this night wouldn't be possible without all your hard work. Finally, a huge thank you from Marina View School PTA to the organisations, businesses & families that donated goods and services to our Family Fun Night. We really appreciate the support!

Thank You to our Sponsors



TEACHER GRADUATION

Congratulations to our Year 5/6 Teacher Melissa Whiting, for graduating from Beginning Teacher to Fully Registered. Melissa was acknowledged for her graduation at the West Auckland Principals Association Newly Registered Teachers Function, last Thursday 23rd November. Congratulations again Melissa!



YEAR 5/6 TE REO

During Te Reo Maori we were learning to use kupu and actions together.



Runga-up

Raro-down

Matau-right

Maui-left

Muri-behind

Mua-in front



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