



# Marina View School NEWSLETTER



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Kia Ora, Annyong Hesayo, Ni Men Hao, Namaste, Talofa, Ni Sa Bula, Buenos Dias, Goedendag Greetings!

Tena koutou e te whanau, mihi nui ki a koutou katoa.

## Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Welcome back to Term 2! We hope you all had a safe and enjoyable holiday.

**YEAR 7 ACTIVITY WEEK & YEAR 8 CAMP:** Both the Year 7 and 8 students had great experiences during activity week and at Totara Springs Camp at the end of last term. It was very rewarding to see all children grow as individuals, takes risks, and enjoy education outside of the classroom. See page 3 for photos.

**STEPPING OUT PROGRAMME — YEAR 1 & 2:** This week we have had Constable Lorena in working with our Year 1 and 2 students in the Stepping Out Programme, which teaches students about road safety. Our lucky students even got to sit in a police car and hear the sirens — a highlight for many!



**OUT OF ZONE BALLOT PROCESS:** We are currently working through the Out of Zone Ballot Applications for May, and if a Ballot is required, this will be held on Wednesday 16th May 2018. All applicants will be notified by mail regardless of the outcome, within 5 days of this date.

**GIVE A KID A BLANKET 2018:** We are asking our community to support the 'Give a Kid a Blanket' cause this year, which involves donations of blankets, PJ's (new), pillows, duvets etc to keep kids warm over winter at night. One of our parents has kindly offered to collect any donations and will arrange to drop them to the 'Give a Kid a Blanket' warehouse facility. You can contact Rachael on [geeandrach@gmail.com](mailto:geeandrach@gmail.com) to organise a drop off. If people would like to donate to help with the costs of the warehouse hireage you can go to <https://givealittle.co.nz/cause/give-a-kid-a-blanket-2018>. Thank you for supporting such a worthy cause — the organisation & children who receive these kind donations will be very appreciative.

**QUIZ NIGHT 'SAVE THE DATE':** Our MVS Quiz Night Fundraiser will be on Saturday 11th August at West Harbour Tennis Club. This is a fun evening for the MVS Community to get together and help raise funds for our new pirate ship sandpit which has been designed by some of our students. A flyer with more details will be sent out soon.

**MARINA VIEW RAIN JACKETS:** We are currently taking pre-orders for Marina View School Shower/Windproof Jackets for winter. If you would like to order one for your child/children please come to the uniform shop to try on for size and arrange payment. Last day to order will be Friday 18th May. A notice was emailed out last week regarding this.

**PARENTS PARKING REMINDER:** We are receiving several complaints from neighbours of the school regarding parents parking across driveways when dropping off or picking up their children. Please ensure you do not park across any driveways, or on any yellow lines, for the safety of our children and respect of our neighbours. Thank you for your understanding.



**USE OF DRONES ON SCHOOL GROUNDS:** Drones (also known as UAV's or RPAS – Unmanned Aerial Vehicle or Remotely Piloted Air System) are becoming more readily available and pose a hazard to all aircraft. Drones are subject to stringent Civil Aviation Rules – a pamphlet explaining them will be sent home today to each student, which is testament to how much of a concern it is for the Base. The Marina View Primary School Board of Trustees are the custodians of the school's land and have determined that drones are not to be flown in the school grounds without the express permission of the principal. Overlapping this requirement is the military airspace which covers areas of West Auckland across to the North Shore, and the Base is required to authorise every drone 'flight' in this area. There are multiple layers of approval required and more information is available in the pamphlet, from [www.airshare.co.nz](http://www.airshare.co.nz) and [www.caa.govt.nz/rpas/rpas-faqs/](http://www.caa.govt.nz/rpas/rpas-faqs/), or by contacting the Base's Operations Centre on 09 417 7442 or [akbaseoperations@nzdf.mil.nz](mailto:akbaseoperations@nzdf.mil.nz). The Base's focus is conducting military air operations and keeping their aircraft and crews safe is a priority. Thank you for your cooperation.

Kind Regards,  
Maurice Young, Principal



## Pet Doctors West Harbour

West Harbour Vet Clinic has joined the Pet Doctors national group of clinics. We have the same great team to care for your pets, but a new look!! Learn more about Pet Doctors at [www.nzpetdoctors.co.nz](http://www.nzpetdoctors.co.nz)

09 416 6388



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**COMING EVENTS**

**MAY**

- 11 Y5 Trip to Pak n'Save
- 16 Out of Zone Ballot Day
- 17 Y3-6 Ripa Rugby North Harbour Competition
- 22 Y7/8 Boys Football Zones
- 22 Y2 Trip to Tip Top Factory (Rm 5&6)
- 23 Y2 Trip to Tip Top Factory (Rm 7&8)
- 24 Y7/8 Girls Football Zones
- 30 Y4 Trip to Arataki Visitors Centre (Rm 14&34)

**JUNE**

- 1 Y4 Trip to Arataki Visitors Centre (Rm 9&10)
- 4 Queen Birthday — School Closed
- 7 Y7/8 Table Tennis Zones
- 13 Class Photos
- 20 Individual & Sibling Photos

**SCHOOL EVENTS**

**PTA NEWS**

**CHOCOLATE FUNDRAISER**



Tomorrow we start the Whittaker's chocolate fundraiser, which runs from 11th May until 11th June 2018. This is our biggest fundraiser of the year with some great prizes:

**1st Prize: Go Pro 5 Session with SD Card valued at up to \$400.**

**2nd Prize: Family Pass to Rainbows End (2 Adults & 2 Children) valued up to \$200**

**3rd Prize: UE Wonderboom Speaker valued up to \$130.**

Pizza lunch for the first class with money handed in from both Junior and Senior school. Highest seller in each team (who is not a major winner), will win a \$50 Warehouse voucher. Everyone that sells at least one box will also have a chance in a number of spot prizes, so everyone is in with a chance. Boxes will be delivered to children tomorrow, with the fundraiser ending on Monday 11th June 2018. \$2 per bar or \$60 per box.

**NOTICES**

**COMMUNITY NOTICES**

**KIDS ART FESTIVAL — FREE EVENT**

Saturday 12th May 10am—4pm  
Hands-on Work shops. Performances, Exhibitors & more.  
Corban Estate Art Centre. 2 Mt Lebanon Lane, Henderson  
www.ceac.org.nz Phone (09) 838 4455

**KUMON ENGLISH/MATHS PROGRAMME**

Two week free trial during May. For more info contact:  
Kumon West Harbour Education Centre  
Instructor: Bhairavi Shah 021 259 3682



**NOW IN HOBSONVILLE**

Book online  
[www.hiltonbrownswimming.co.nz](http://www.hiltonbrownswimming.co.nz)

Hobsonville – Ph: (09) 666 0240

Albany – Ph: (09) 414 5484

**MUNCH BOX LUNCH ORDERS**

Munch Box Lunches will be available 3 days this Term — Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Your child can place their order in their classroom lunch order bin. Internet banking available:



**ANZ Bank: A/c 06-0185-0440108-00**

Check out our Facebook Page **MVS Munch Box**

**\*\*\*\*\* LOST PROPERTY \*\*\*\*\***

We still have a large amount of lost property in Room 17 including drink bottles, hats, shoes, shorts, tops, sweatshirts, raincoats and umbrellas! Please check to see if your child is missing any items, and if so come to Room 17 cloak-bay to see if they are there.



**ACTIVITY FEES — TERM 2**

- Y1 Team One \$ TBC
- Y2 Team Ashford: \$ 19.00
- Y3 Team Saunders: \$ 13.00
- Y4 Team Broadhurst: \$ 15.00
- Y5 Team Moore: \$ 8.00
- Y6 Team Oldham: \$ 13.00
- Y7/8 Team Buckley: \$ 10.00

*Please pay by Friday 18th May 2018*

**STUDENT SUCCESSES**

**Auckland Champs Swimming**

Congratulations to David Mihok who placed 4th in the Year 8 Boys Backstroke at the greater Auckland Championships. A fantastic achievement!



**Y5/6 Northwest Touch Tournament**

Dylan Hunter has been an important member of the Year 5/6 Touch Team called '#tags' who competed in the Northwest Touch Tournament last season and won their grade. The team have worked hard over the season and Dylan has been an integral part of their success with his defensive skills and quick thinking. Well done Dylan.

*Jody Morton (Manager of the #tags)*

A special mention to our Marina View School Choir members who performed at the Hobsonville RSA ANZAC service on 25th April. They were a part of the parade and then sung Mrs Sinclair's 'Beautiful Soldier' song. They did the school very proud!



Hi, my name is Tony. My children are part of the MVS community and I am a current member of our Board of Trustees. If you would like a friendly, no obligation chat about anything real estate, please feel free to contact me.



**Tony Buckwell**

**Barfoot & Thompson**

**Hobsonville Branch**

**(09) 392 4642 or 021 771 339**

[www.tonybuckwell.co.nz](http://www.tonybuckwell.co.nz)

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**Year 7 & 8 Bake Sale**

Thank you to all the Year 7 & 8 student and teachers who baked up a storm in the kitchen in preparation for the Bake Sale that took place on Friday 6th April. We raised \$660 from the Bake Sale which has been donated to the 'Love Soup' Charity [www.lovesoup.org.nz](http://www.lovesoup.org.nz). Thank you to all students & families who supported this cause.



Hello, I am a NZ Certificated Primary Teacher and a Private Reading Tutor. Right now I have a place available to help your child(ren) with reading and literacy skills in their own home.

**Please phone or text Julie Laing on 022 186 7055 or email [julielaing@narrowroad.co.nz](mailto:julielaing@narrowroad.co.nz)**



**YEAR 7 ACTIVITY WEEK**  
9th — 13th April 2018



**YEAR 8 CAMP — TOTARA SPRINGS**  
10th — 13th April 2018

