



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,

Reminder: School Closed Monday 12th November due to Teachers Strike

MVTV & S.T.E.A.M VISITORS: On Tuesday 6th November we had some Australian visitors from Cairns, North Queensland, who came to look at MVTV and the STEAM programme we have running at school with four teachers (Mr Gover, Mrs Sutton, Mrs Riddell, and Mrs Stobrawe). They were very impressed with everything they saw, they talked to the teachers and children about MVTV and STEAM so we asked Lily Grace and Megan, Year 5 children from Room 17, to interview them. You can see the interview on YouTube by clicking this link: <https://youtu.be/9t8rCf2AGbg>

YEAR 7 & 8 VISIT TO MASSEY HIGH SCHOOL: On Thursday 1st November six chosen students spent a few hours at Massey High to see how to become young leaders. The day started in the auditorium with a talk from some of the students and the teachers from Massey. We were shown a video of an entrepreneur who looked after 200 orphans. We were asked a lot of engaging questions such as what does leadership mean to you and what means the most to you? From this, we learnt a lot about leadership and people that have helped make a difference. It was truly inspiring. We played a couple of games and then we proceeded to the gym where we worked together to untangle a human knot. We also read some inspirational quotes about leadership and then chose one that represented us the most. 'Leadership is the capacity to translate vision into reality'. We had to say what it meant to us and shared what made them good leaders. We headed back to the auditorium and wrote the quotes in a booklet we had been given, and we had a discussion about what our favourite part of the day was. It was an amazing experience and we learnt so much and were extremely lucky to be chosen to take part.

Written by, Jessica Stevenson, Ellaby Fabricius and Penny Edwards.

NEW ENTRANT INFORMATION MORNING: There will be a **New Entrant Information Morning, Friday 23rd November 2018, 9:30am - 10:30am**, for parents of children starting school in the new year. This will also double as a visit day for children who will be starting school in the New Year, and activities will be set up for the children.

STUDENTS LEAVING MVS: If your child is leaving Marina View School at the end of 2018, would you please advise the school office in writing, so we may update our records. If you are going to be away on holiday at the end of the 2018 school year, please also advise the office in writing of these dates.

FAMILY ZONE : As part of our ongoing commitment to educational excellence and our duty of care to ensure students' safety and well-being, we're proud to announce that Marina View School has partnered with Family Zone. Family Zone is the leading provider of cyber safety security services to both schools and parents. To read more about this service and to sign up please click on the below link: <https://www.familyzone.com/marinav-nz>

Kind Regards,
Maurice Young
Principal



TROPHIES



This is the final call for the return of trophies that were presented at the 2017 Prizegivings, so that we may start preparing them to present to students this year. If you have a trophy, please return it to the school office by **Tuesday 13th November 2018**



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

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COMING EVENTS

NOVEMBER

- 9 Leaders Trip to Wellington
- 12 SCHOOL CLOSED—TEACHERS STRIKE
- 14-16 Year 6 Camp at MERC Long Bay
- 15 Rm 9 & 10 Night Safari at Auckland Zoo
- 17 Ukeleles Festival—MVS Kiwileles Performance
- 19 Orchestra Rehearsal at Town Hall for APPA
- 20 Y2 Visit to West Harbour Gardens
- 20 APPA Choir Rehearsal at Town Hall
- 21 APPA Music Festival—Choir Performance
- 22 Rm 14 & 34 Night Safari at Auckland Zoo
- 26 Y7/8 Trip to Rainbows End
- 27 APPA Music Festival—Orchestra Performance
- 28 Parent Helpers Morning Tea at 10:30am
- 30 PTA Family Fun Night 5-8pm

DECEMBER

- 3 Y5/6 Awards Assembly
- 4 Whole School Prizegiving
- 6 Y7/8 Prizegiving and Y8 Graduation Dinner
- 11 Junior Athletics Day
- 13 Y8's vs Y9's Capture the Flag
- 13 Y8's Finish School at 3:00pm
- 14 Term 4 Ends at 12:30pm

ACTIVITY FEES — TERM 4

Y1/NE Team Aylett	\$5.00
Y2 Team Ashford:	\$2.00
Y3 Team Saunders:	\$14.00
Y4 Team Broadhurst:	\$60.00
Y5 Team Moore:	\$5.00
Y6 Team Oldham:	\$0.00
Y7/8 Team Buckley:	\$42.00 - Year 7 \$77.00 - Year 8

A REMINDER TO PLEASE PAY ANY OUTSTANDING TERM 3 ACTIVITY FEES .

LOST PROPERTY

We still have many jumpers and other items in the lost property in Room 17. Please come and check if your child is missing any items.

SCHOOL EVENTS

PTA NEWS

CALENDAR ART FUNDRAISER

Order cut off date has been extended to **Monday 12th November**. Please order online at <http://www.abacus.co.nz/>



If anyone would like to donate items for raffles, prizes, or hold a stall, please contact the PTA on mvspta@hotmail.co.nz Thank you More information to follow



NOTICES

COMMUNITY NOTICES

POLICE OPEN FAMILY FUN DAY

Sunday 11th November 2018, 10am—2pm
North Shore Policing Centre
52 Parkway Drive, Mairangi Bay

BANANA BOAT OCEAN KIDS SERIES

Saturday 15th December 2018 at Omaha Beach
The Gem which features three swim events for kids aged 7-12. This fun-filled day at the beach promotes confidence and creates lasting memories.

THE GREAT NZ SANTA RUN

Support the Graham Dingle Foundation by entering the Great NZ Santa Run to help kids overcome any obstacles
5th & 6th December. For location details and to register visit www.santarun.co.nz



WEST HARBOUR TENNIS CLUB

Kiwi Tennis Open Nights on the following Fridays:
9th & 23rd November, 14th December from 5pm.
Kiwi Tennis will be there to help all kids wanting to give tennis a go. Meals & drinks available by Villa Rose Eatery. Everyone Welcome!



FREE PARENTING HELPLINE
0800 568 856

all issues - all ages
9am - 9pm, 7 days a week
www.parentinghelp.org.nz



SPORTS NEWS

AIMS Volleyball Champs

The 2018 AIMS Volleyball Auckland Champs were held at North Shore Events Centre on Thursday 2nd November. Our Marina View Y7/8 Girls team represented our Northwest zone at the tournament. A fantastic opportunity to play the best intermediate schools from North Harbour, Auckland and Counties on international sized volleyball courts. Our girls were competitive in every game and finished the tournament in 6th position having four losses and two wins. The highlight of the day was a fantastic come from behind win over Murrays Bay Intermediate. Many thanks to the Lynch Family—Mr Lynch for coaching the team throughout our campaign and Mrs Lynch for her continued support.



Y7/8 Touch Zones

Marina View entered both a boys and girls team into the Northwest Touch Zones, played at Moire Park on Tuesday 6th November. Our boys team had 3 wins and 1 close loss in the their pool leaving them out of the semi-finals by one try. Our girls team were unbeaten throughout the day beating Huapai in a hard fought drop off in the final. They will now represent our zone at the Auckland Champs. Many thanks to Mr Williams, Mr Routledge (our caretakers) and the Lynch family for helping transport our teams, saving us a lot of money in bus fares.
Rhonda Sowter

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PART TIME CHILD CARE

I'm Caroline Watson, a year 11 ex Marina View student looking for part time child care work. I'm available to work after school, holidays and weekends. For more information please phone 0211485822 or email sw0rmd6ker@gmail.com



Epro8 Challenge

On Thursday 25th October the Year 5 & 6 students represented Marina View at the EPro8 competition. The two teams competed against other West Auckland schools in Engineering Problem Solving challenges. The students displayed terrific teamwork and problem solving skills. Our Year 5 team 'Levitation Federation' came 8th and our Year 6 team 'Engineering Investigation Bureau' won the competition. They will be competing again in the semi finals next month.