

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,

Mihinui ki a koutou, warm greetings everyone.

We have had another wonderful year at Marina View School. You should all be very proud of your children. They are a joy to teach. They come to school everyday excited about their learning and they have been enthusiastic, positive and caring in everything they do. Thanks parents and families for your amazing support to the school over this year. We are blessed with a caring and supportive community and this has enabled us to realise the educational goals we have for your children. We really appreciate such a positive partnership between home and school.

Thanks to our teachers for the stimulating programmes you have presented to our children, and for the individual care you have taken with each child in your class. Thanks also to all our staff, Board of Trustees and PTA for all your efforts over the year. Your positive guidance and support ensures that our school goes from strength to strength.

Best wishes to Ashleigh Phillips, Jenny Kellie, Sharon Yoon and to our long time music specialist, Marian Sinclair who will be leaving our school at the end of this year. Best wishes also to Cara Bergin-Stuart who leaves us after 20 years as Deputy Principal at Marina View. On behalf of our community I would like to thank you for all you have done for our children and our community. Ka nui te mihi ki a koutou.

Best wishes also to the children and whānau leaving our school community. We have loved having each and every one of you at Marina View School. I hope that you all leave our school with fond memories of your friends, your teachers and the wonderful experiences that you have had while you have been here. Make sure that you keep in touch and let us know of your achievements as the years go by. I am sure there will be many.

Have a well earned holiday over the summer break.

Kind regards,

Maurice Young
Principal



UPCOMING EVENTS

DECEMBER

15th TERM 4 ENDS @ 12:30PM

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

JANUARY

28th TEACHER ONLY DAY

29th TEACHER ONLY DAY

FEBRUARY

2nd TERM 1 STARTS @ 8:50AM



**HAPPY
HOLIDAYS**

TERM 4 EXTRACURRICULAR

ACTIVITY FEES



Year 1	Team Lydiard	\$0.00
Year 2	Team Ashford	\$0.00
Year 3/4	Team van Beek	\$0.00
Year 5/6	Team Oldham	Year 5 - \$160.00 Act. Week Year 6 - \$370.00 Camp
Year 7/8	Team Phillips	

Year 7 - \$14.50
- \$48.00 Rainbows End
Year 8 - \$14.50
- \$48.00 Rainbows End
- \$39 Graduation

THANK YOU!

We would like to thank The Trusts West Auckland for their generous donation towards our school Prize Givings.



MVS COMMUNITY NETWORK

Thank you to all who purchased raffle tickets over the past few weeks - the raffles were drawn on Friday 12th December and all winners have been notified. Congratulations again!

STATIONERY LISTS 2026

Stationery lists for 2026 were given to each child with their new 2026 class teacher letters today. These are also available to view on our school website:

www.marinaview.school.nz/uniform

Stationery for Years 3-8 can be ordered online at Office Max or Qizzle - just click on the below links to order via the Marina View School page:

Office Max:

<https://www.myschool.co.nz/marinav>

Qizzle:

<https://schoolpacks.co.nz/marina-view-school/>

Please ensure your child has all their new stationery purchased over the summer holiday, ready for the start of Term 1, 2026.

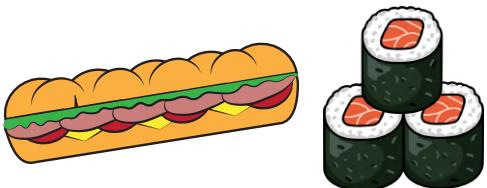


LUNCH ORDERS

Starting in 2026, Lunch orders will now be through EZ Lunches, as Kindo has acquired Lunchonline. Parents will be able to order via Kindo.

Lunch Orders will resume again in Term 1, on Monday 2nd February, 2026.

More information will be sent out about how to place orders via Kindo.



HOLIDAY OFFICE HOURS

The office will be open on the following days:

Wednesday 28th January 2026: 8:30am - 3pm

Stationery only for Year 0, 1 & 2. Also Year 7/8 Kupu, Tau & Taku Books

Thursday 29th January 2026: 8:30am - 12pm

Enrolments and Year 0, 1 & 2 Stationery

Friday 30th January 2026: 8:30am - 12pm

Enrolments and Year 0, 1 & 2 Stationery

Stationery



FOOTBALL DONATION

Thank you very much to Mauricio from Kiwi Kick Stars for the generous donation of footballs for our school. We really appreciate it!



SPORTS

BASKETBALL SEASON 2 PRIZE GIVING 2025

2025 Season 2 Basketball and Touch has now finished, and last week we concluded these seasons with a Prize Giving to recognise the effort and commitment of our amazing team members.

We also would like to thank all the coaches and managers who gave up their time to take our teams – really appreciate your dedication, your passion, commitment, and enthusiasm to coach our children.

Thanks also to the whānau for watching the games each week, the children couldn't do it without your support either. Congratulations to all the teams who played this season and to those who won awards.



TOUCH PRIZE GIVING 2025



FAREWELL TO CARA BERGIN-STUART

On Friday 12th December, the whole school gathered to perform our school song Kua Rongo and the Haka for Cara Bergin-Stuart, to say thanks for all she has done for Marina View School, and to wish her well at her next school.



We wish
you all the
Best



YEAR 5 & 6 AWARDS ASSEMBLY

Congratulations to our Year 5 & 6 students who won awards at our end of year assembly last week!



SPORTS AWARDS



CLASS AWARDS



ART AWARDS



SPECIAL AWARDS



WHOLE SCHOOL PRIZE GIVING 2025



CHOIR



YEAR 1 CLASS AWARDS



KAPA HAKA



YEAR 2 CLASS AWARDS



YEAR 3/4 CLASS AWARDS



YEAR 5/6 CLASS AWARDS



YEAR 5/6 CLASS AWARDS



YEAR 7/8 CLASS AWARDS



YEAR 7/8 CLASS AWARDS





ROAD PATROLLER'S THANK YOU

Thank you to our Year 7 & 8 Road Patrollers for their time and commitment this year keeping our crossing safe. We appreciate the very important job you do.



THANK YOU



MERRY CHRISTMAS

KIWI KICK STARS
AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMME
JANUARY HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

Term 1 Lunch & After School Football Programmes. Registrations Now OPEN!! Don't miss out. Secure your spot today!

BOOK NOW

LOOKING FOR SCHOOL HOLIDAY MAGIC? OUR SESSIONS ARE PACKED WITH ACTION, FUN GAMES, AND EXCITING STORYTELLING THAT BRING THE BEAUTIFUL GAME TO LIFE WHILE BUILDING FOOTBALL SKILLS AND CONFIDENCE. WE'VE GOT AMAZING PRIZES, AND EVERY CHILD WILL TAKE HOME UNFORGETTABLE MEMORIES!

WEEK ONE: TUESDAY 20th, WEDNESDAY 21st, THURSDAY 22nd JANUARY
WEEK TWO: TUESDAY 27th, WEDNESDAY 28th, THURSDAY 29th JANUARY
WHERE: HOBSONVILLE SCHOOL (104 HOBSONVILLE RD)
DON'T MISS THE CHANCE TO SHARPEN YOUR SKILLS AND HAVE A BALL!!
FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO REGISTER GO TO:

www.kiwikickstars.com

KIWI KICK STARS
MARINA VIEW SCHOOL
FUN FOOTBALL SESSIONS FOR BOYS AND GIRLS!!
TERM 1

Our awesome programme gets kids exercising through super fun activities based around football and storytelling. Kids build confidence while improving their motor skills and coordination, learning how to play with others, focus on problem solving.

Our friendly, experienced coaches have a hands-on, relatable approach and a passion for fun! Everyone's a winner at Kiwi Kick Stars!

Where: Marina View school fields
When: Tuesdays (Starting Tuesday 3rd February)
Time: 3 - 4 pm
Cost: \$12 per term (9 weeks)
Second child discount of 10% applies!

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GUITAR & UKULELE LESSONS

MUSIQHUB OFFERS GUITAR AND UKULELE TUITION TO STUDENTS AT MARINA VIEW SCHOOL WITH EXPERIENCED TUTOR DAVE GATMAN.

Students explore classic and modern songs, play as a group and take turns to solo. This format creates a relaxed and fun environment for students to learn. Lessons available on Mondays during school time.

ENROL NOW FOR 2026

If you are interested, please contact Dave on 021 2221456, or dave.gatman@musiqhub.co.nz.

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5-10 year olds
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www.littlescientists.co.nz