<u>At West Harbour School we stand tall, proud and confident, continually discovering and applying new learning.</u>

<u>Together we encourage our learning community to realise its unique talents and aspirations.</u>

It is great to see how many children have returned to school. While we experienced a lot of absence at the start of the term due to concerns over Omicron, we are now regularly having the majority of students back and learning. It has been a long journey since the beginning of Covid in 2020, but hopefully the new normal is almost with us.

Gates/Parents in the School: While our gates are open in the mornings, we do not want parents going up to the classrooms. If you have anything you need to discuss or query please go straight to the office. **Any adult coming into the school must wear a mask.**

Easter Raffle: Tickets are being sold at the office and cost \$1.00 each. There are a number of prizes and the draw will take place on the last day of term - Thursday 14 April.

<u>Mufti Day</u> - This Friday, 01 April. West Harbour School Student Council is running a <u>Mufti Day</u> for all students on <u>Friday 1 April.</u> Participation is by <u>Gold Coin donation.</u> The funds raised will be used to repair the climbing wall and the basketball/netball goal posts on the courts. Special prizes will be awarded for the best decorated covid face masks.

Enrolments: If you have a child who will be turning five this year would you please let us know and we will begin the enrolment process. This information helps us with our future planning for classes. If you have a friend or neighbour with a child turning five, would you please pass this information on.

Inter-school Art Exhibition: Massey North West Schools Art Exhibition

North West Mall, both Farmers and Countdown ends of the mall

Monday 4th April until Sunday 10th April at 3pm

IMPORTANT DATES

Thursday 14 April - Last day of Term 1 Monday 02 May - First day of Term 2

2022 Term Dates

Term 2: Monday 02 May -Friday 08 July (Accord Day Friday 03 June, Queen's Birthday Monday 06 June, Matariki Celebration Friday 24 June, school closed)

Term 3: Monday 25 July -Friday 30 September (Accord Day Friday 12 August, Mid-term Break Monday 15 August, school closed)

Term 4 Monday 17 October-Friday 16 December (Labour Day Monday 24 October, school closed)