

At West Harbour School we stand tall, proud and confident, continually discovering and applying new learning. Together we encourage our learning community to realise its unique talents and aspirations.

Important Announcement: I would like to take this opportunity to officially inform you all that I will be retiring at the end of Term 3 - 22 September. This has been my plan for a while and the Board is well through the recruitment timeline. More information to come.

Regards - Vicki

Update of Teacher Negotiations: There has been no new offer put forward so the teachers' union, NZEI, will continue to negotiate on our behalf. We will keep you informed of any developments.

Term 1 Reports/Booking for Conferences: Reports for Years 1-6 are being sent home at the end of this term. The reports for Years 7 & 8 will be given to you at the student conferences. More information about the student conferences will be coming soon. You will each receive a school code that allows you to log on to the conference sheet and choose a time slot for your appointment. Conferences will be taking place in the first week of Term 2 - Wednesday 26 and Thursday 27 April. Bookings will also be able to be made at the office.

Easter Raffle: We are continuing with our fundraising for the camps this year with an Easter raffle. Tickets are now on sale and cost \$1.00 each. We have a large number of prizes and the raffle will be drawn on Wednesday 05 April after lunch.

Class/Sibling Photos: You will receive a key code to order your photos early in Term 2. You'll need to log on to Photolife's website, make your order and pay for it. No orders are being taken at school. If you don't receive your key code, we will have copies of them at the office.

End-of-Term Returns: If you still have any sport uniforms, netball uniforms or school journals, readers at home, would you please return them to the school next week.

Daylight Saving: Daylight saving ends this Sunday, 02 April, at 3.00 am. This means you will need to turn your clocks back by one hour. On Sunday 24 September, clocks will go forward by one hour.

SCHOOL CLOSURES: On the following dates West Harbour School will be closed:

Friday 07 April - Good Friday, start of school holidays

Monday 24 April - Curriculum Refresh Professional Development Day

Tuesday 25 April - ANZAC Day

THE FIRST DAY OF TERM 2 IS WEDNESDAY 26 APRIL

IMPORTANT DATES

Monday 24 April -
First curriculum refresh
professional development day.
School closed for learning

Tuesday 25 April -
ANZAC Day,
School Closed

Wednesday 26 April - First day of Term 2.

First day of student conferences -
3.15-5.30 pm

Thursday 27 April - Student conferences -
3.15-7.30 pm



Netball: Starts end of Week 2 (06 May). We are looking for parents of Year 6 or Year 8 children going to camp who might like to come along on a Saturday morning to run the BBQ and fundraise for your child's camp fees. If you are interested please contact the office. *We had an offer to coach a Year 4 team this year, but have mislaid your details. If it was you, please accept our apologies and would you contact us again.*



APRIL SCHOOL HOLIDAYS TE MANAWA

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
23 Make your own ANZAC poppy 11am - 12pm <small>Ages 5+.</small>	24	Additional School Holiday Activities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Eco Warriors Scavenger Hunt Te Reo Māori Vegetable Word Find 			7 PUBLIC HOLIDAY	8 Easter Stories & Card Making 10:30am - 12pm
9 PUBLIC HOLIDAY	10 PUBLIC HOLIDAY	11 Marble Run and LEGO 10:30am - 12pm <small>With Keith the LEGO master!</small>	12 Puppets with Hands Alive! 10am - 11:15am Workshop: 11:15am - 12:15pm*	13 Pic n Paint 4pm - 6pm <small>13+ years only.</small>	14 Family Movie 10:30am - 12pm <small>BYO snacks</small>	15 Colouring In in the Creative Space! All day
16 Colouring In in the Creative Space! All day	17 3D Colouring Fun 10:30am - 12pm	18 Kahoot! Online Quiz 11am - 12pm	19 Make an eel puppet activity 11am - 12pm	20 Te Fatu Manawa Climate Change Event Launch Please see Te Manawa Facebook for times	21 Family Movie 10:30am - 12pm <small>BYO snacks</small>	22

*This puppet workshop is a registered event. See the Te Manawa Facebook page for more details.

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