

#### **BOARD & SCHOOL**

If You Wouldn't Want To See It In A Newspaper Or On The Evening News, Don't Do It!

It is with excitement that I pen the latest newsletter for Term 3, the middle of August and already the Cherry and Magnolia blossoms are breaking out. That must mean spring is only around the corner....bring it on I say!

Next Newsletter: Thursday 30th August 2018

All items for the next newsletter are due by: 12 noon, Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup>August 2018



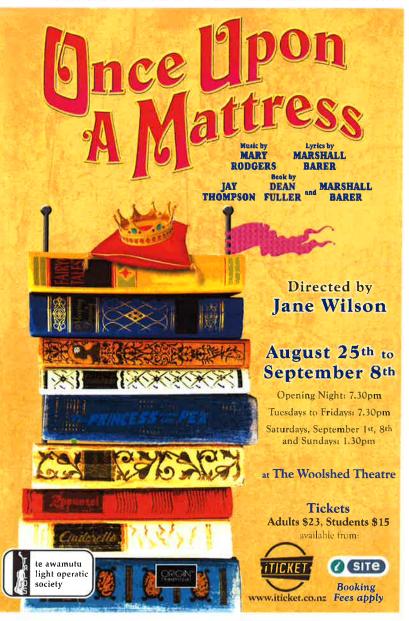
- 1 c flour
- 1 tsp baking powder
- 1 coats
- 1 tsp cinnamon
- 1/3 c sugar⅓ c oil
- 1 egg beaten
- % c low fat milk
- 1 c diced fruit
- Sift flour and baking powder, add other dry ingredients
- 2. Mix fruit with egg, milk and oil. Add to dry ingredients
- 3. Mix until just combined 4. Spoon into muffin travs
- 5. Bake at 180°c for 15 20 mins

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#### COMING EVENTS

- Aug 16 School Speech Finals
  - 20 Hall AGM, 7.30pm
  - 21 Science in a Van, whole school
  - 21 E-Z Speech Finals
  - 24 Tech Arts (Y7&8) finish
  - 24 Burger Night
  - 27 BOT Meeting, 7pm
  - 29 Free Ear Clinic, St Pats, Te Awamutu
  - 30 Te Awamutu College Visit for Y8
  - 31 Snr Winter Sports at Wharepapa Sth
- Sep 7 Jnr Winter Sports at Wharepapa Sth
  - 7 Burger Night
  - 12 R2 & R4 First Aid Course
  - 19 WFP Cross Country
  - 24 School Photos
  - Free Ear Clinic, St Pats, Te AwamutuLast Day of Term 3
- Oct 15 First Day of Term 4
  - ? Country Kids Day, No Ag Day this year
- Nov 23 E-Zone Athletics
- Dec 13 Last Day of school for 2018



### DISTRICT NOTICES

# FREE MOBILE EAR CLINIC FOR CHILDREN

Glue ear assessment and management
Wax /foreign body removal, Grommet check,
Treatment of discharging
Ears

The mobile clinic will be at: St Patricks School @ the Rewi St entrance

## Wednesday 29 August 9.00 am - 2.30 pm No appointment needed

All children must be accompanied by a parent or caregiver

For enquiries contact: 07-838-3565

### **Excess Calf Milk Wanted**

Will pick up \$ paid

Call Nick Ph 027 554 6627

#### Coriander

If anyone would like some coriander, come and grab it from the school vege garden, just help yourself!

#### Pukeatua Community Hall

A.G.M. will be held

Monday 20<sup>th</sup> August at 7.30 pm

A representative of all users of the Hall are requested to attend

All community members are Welcome

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#### Principal's Message

Thank you for your cooperation Wednesday when Primary teachers around New Zealand held their "Strike Day." We know the day off inconvenienced families but as mentioned the decision to strike was not taken lightly. Teachers feel the time was right for people in power to realise that the teaching profession is facing critical teacher shortages and a growing amount of children who have extra learning needs.

A good number of children came to school this Monday talking about "Burger Night Fridays!" This is once again a great initiative by the Pukeatua Playcentre who run the night. It's a great opportunity to get together and the children enjoy running around after dark! A young child asked me on Friday if I was coming to Burger night. When I replied I lived in Putaruru and said it was bit far to travel, he was surprised I lived somewhere other than Pukeatua! I still think a lot of the children think teachers live at school!

Next week we hold the "Eastern Zone" Speeches at our school. The older children have been busy writing and presenting their own speeches. Whilst not everybody's cup of tea or strong point, it was pleasing to see the general effort that went into these. As per normal there were a variety of topics. One of the hardest parts of writing a speech is to have something to write and talk about!

We are gearing up also for the Winter Sports days at Wharepapa South School at the end of the month. Garth has been in to teach the children two different games. Tapu-ae and Ki -O- Rahi. Both games involving large ball skills and are very engaging for all participants! No down time where only a few are doing the work! A Sport Waikato tutor is also coming into school to introduce the senior children to volleyball skills! This is another sport to be played at our winter sports day. Sport Waikato do a very good job in our area and non more so than our energiser Garth Thomas!

I thought we had a hint of spring in the weekend but looking out the window Tuesday 2pm we have been fooled again! Great isn't it! Gives us something to talk about I suppose!

#### Quote of the Week

Today you are you! That is truer than true!
There is no one alive who is you-er than you!

Dr. Seuss

#### **Pupils of the Week**

Blake Watkin, Tristen Ramsey, Holly Shortt, Daniel Lewis, Kaiden Kite-Ryan, Jamie McCool, Aurelia Holmes, Hayden Duncan, Dayiss McCool, Tommy Yates, Blake Kite-Ryan, Ophelia Brawn, Sayan Slade, Madison Phillips

#### **Principal Awards**

**Ophelia Brawn** - Working so well in all areas **Marcuss Tutty** - Helpful and responsible behaviour

John McLean

Principal

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