



St Matthew's Primary School, Hastings

Chatterings December 04, 2019



We have lots happening over these last weeks of school.

Please note in your diaries-

Athletic's day

Tomorrow the whole school is walking down to Akina Park for our Athletic's. We are leaving at 9:30am, returning at 2:00pm. All students need to wear their sports uniform, sports shoes, hat and take their lunch and water bottle. We still need parent help with walking there and back and with supervision there. Please let the office know if you can help.

W2 Camp- Weka point

W2 head off to camp on Monday at Weka Point. If you have not paid camp fees please do so online or pay at the office.

Optimist Yachting

Next Thursday, 12th, our seniors are heading to Pandora Pond for Optimist Yachting. W4 is traveling by bus, leaving school at 9:00am returning at 1:00pm and W2 will travel to Pandora directly from camp. Details and gear lists have been sent home.

Student Volunteer Army

Unfortunately we have had to cancel the SVA at the Ngaruroro River on Friday due to not enough parent helpers for supervision. The ratio of parents to students is a lot higher for a riverside outing so we are now having a clean up around the Hastings CBD.

Year 8 Leavers Dinner

This will be held on Monday evening, 16th December. Details will be sent home later.

Literacy Quiz Day

Monday 16th is also our Lit Quiz dress up day. Children come dressed like their favourite book character.

Prizegiving

Our end of year prize giving is on Tuesday 17th December at 6:00pm in the Church. All are welcome. Children need to wear their school uniform. **Can we please have all Cups and trophies back please.**

School Reports

Children's reports are due to go home on Monday, 16th December.

Canteen and Hot Dogs

Today was the last day for hotdogs and Friday, 13th December is the last day for Canteen.

W5 Park Island Trip

On Wednesday, 18th December, W5 are heading to Park Island by bus for the day. Some parent help is still required.

W4 KOS Wardens Splash Planet Day

Our KOS wardens are heading to Splash Planet for the day this Friday, 6th December.

2020 Start Date

We start back next year on Monday, February 3rd 2020 at 9:00am.

At A Glance

Thur 5	Athletics Akina Park
Fri 6	KOS- Splash Planet, SVA clean up
Mon 9	W2 Weka Point Camp week
Thur 12	W2, W4 Optimist Yachting
Fri 13	Last Canteen
Sat 14	Last Messy Church
Mon 16	Lit Quiz Day, Y8 leavers Dinner
	Reports Due home
Tue 17	6:00pm Prize giving
Wed 18	W5 Park Island
Thur 19	Last day of school 3:00pm finish

Messy Church @ St Matthew's Hastings



**Saturday
14 December
4 pm - 6 pm**

WHAT? Fun with crafts, games, Bible stories, a celebration time and a meal together.

WHO? Everyone is welcome. Children under the age of 14 need to be accompanied by an adult.

WHERE? In the church hall

WHEN? 2nd Saturday each month



**Advent
Christmas**



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