

# Weymouth Primary School

## NEWSLETTER

No. 15 Friday 6 September 2019



Saane Faafo Oldehaver  
Principal

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Kia ora koutou, talofa lava and warm greetings to our Weymouth Community, parents, grandparents, aunts and uncles, cousins and our beautiful tamariki.

**TE WIKI O TE REO MĀORI**—next week is our opportunity to celebrate and acknowledge Te Reo Māori, the theme for the week is “Kia Kaha Te Reo Māori”. We will begin our week with an opening assembly on Monday at 9.15am and Te Manu Tukutuku will perform for us. On Wednesday our whole school will be having a Hangi taster for lunch, and we will end the week with a House haka competition. We would love to see all of our students wearing their house colours on Friday. Te Uru—Red, Te Whiti-Yellow, Te Raki-Blue and Te Tonga-Yellow!

**ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABLE WHANAU WORKSHOP**—A huge thank you to Whaea Willi-Anne, Whaea Sarah and our amazing Enviro buddies for an awesome workshop with our whanau. There were some wonderful ideas on how to reduce, reuse and recycle. Congratulations to Alanpilato Ioane Rm10 and Riley Kashyap Rm20 for winning a Zero Waste prize. Thank you to all our whanau for your support.



**BREAKFAST/MILK/LUNCHES/FRUIT**— Also a friendly reminder that we have Breakfast Club in the hall from 8.30am till 9am. We also send milk and fruit to classes daily. Students who do not have lunch can go to the hall before school or at morning tea and make their lunch with Whaea Cherylene. We provide sandwiches and crackers.

**CONGRATULATIONS**— Whaea Maria, who works in our Maori bilingual classes, is going on maternity leave this week for the rest of the year. We wish her all the best and look forward to her returning next year. We welcome Mrs Riwhi also known as Whaea Maria who will work in our Maori bilingual classes for the remainder of the year. We welcome Maria Riwhi (Snr) to our school.

**MEASLES** —There are clinics you can go to in the community to get the measles vaccine. Manukau SuperClinic—Monday to Sunday 9 to 4pm & Clendon Shopping Centre, Monday to Friday 9 to 4pm.

Faafetai tele lava  
Saane Faafo Oldehaver

### Measles in Auckland schools

The only way to protect your family is to make sure they are vaccinated or immune.

Please see your doctor now to catch up on missed vaccinations. They are FREE at your GP.

If your children are vaccinated, they won't need to stay at home if there is measles at your school.

Keep your child at home if they are sick and watch out for symptoms:



If you or your children show symptoms please stay at home and call your doctor or Healthline (0800 611 116) for advice.

Measles info at: [arphs.health.nz/measles](http://arphs.health.nz/measles)

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# CELEBRATING TONGAN LANGUAGE WEEK



Malo ē lelei si'i ngaahi matu'a tauhi fanau,

This week we celebrated Tongan Language Week. The theme this year was 'Fakakoloa 'o Aotearoa 'aki 'a e Tauhi Fonua - A Tongan Perspective of Enriching Aotearoa. It has been a great week with lots of learning about the Tongan language and culture. We had a successful opening assembly on Monday where the students and staff showcased our traditional ta'ovala, kiekie and other cultural items. We ended our Tongan Language Week with all the classes sharing their learning and our Tongan group with their special performance. Thank you to all the staff and students of Weymouth Primary School for embracing our culture and language.

Oku ou oatu heni ha fakamalo lahi aupito kihe ngaahi matu'a Tonga kotoa pe koe 'uhi ko homou poupu mai kihe ako ae fanau.

Malo aupito e ofa moe tokoni, tu'a ofa atu.



# Principal's Awards



## Term 3 Week 5 FRIDAY 23 August 2019

Rm 1	Eve Martin	For her dedication to her learning and for accomplishing her goals. Eve strives for the best in all areas of school life. Well done, Eve!
Rm 2	Yahmani Daniels Walker	For being a motivated reader and bringing her book-bag everyday.
Rm 3	Blaze Burke	For making a big effort to use 'can do's' task board correctly.
Rm 4	Tony Fainu Tekeu	For his consistent effort when reading and writing in class.
Rm 5	Aanika Wihongi	For her consistent effort during writing time. Ka pai Aanika!
Rm 6	Ethan Goundar	For his consistent effort and positive attitude towards learning.
Rm 7	Ivan Raghwan	For his consistent effort in using his letters and sounds knowledge in his writing.
Rm 8	Kaden Humphreys	For expressing himself more confidently and recording his great ideas in Writing.
Rm 9	David Cecil-Kaletā	For focusing on his learning goals in Handwriting.
Rm 10	Misa Siale	For being able to manage himself and work independently in class.
Rm 11	Wairua Reihanai-liga	For making great strides in his reading. Ka Mau te Wehi! Keep it up!
Rm 12	Tyron Hart	For trying so hard to complete his reading tasks independently and with great care.
Rm 13	Dallas Moa	For always being kind and caring to all. Tino pai Dallas!
Rm 14	Hector Spence	For showing a great improvement in his handwriting skills. Ka wani kē!
Rm 15	Madison Keesing	For improving her attitude towards mathematics. Great Work Maddy!
Rm 16	Righteous Manuel	For trying his best with his reading. Keep it up Righteous!
Rm 17	Matthias Afungia	For his consistent effort during maths week. Tōtōatu!
Rm 18	Nahal Naidu	For showing resilience during Innerfit.
Rm 19	Vika Fotu	For always showing a positive attitude in her role as a PAL and Enviro Buddy everyday. Keep Striving Vika!
Rm 20	Cruz Quedley	For pushing himself in mathematics and showing perseverance when challenged.
Rm 21	Tua Pepe	For role modelling awesome behaviour and having a positive attitude on the school trip. Ka rawe Tua!
Rm 22	Norma-Jade Raeina	For always showing the Weymouth Way, particularly with her helpfulness and learning.
Rm 23	Maia Walker	For being brave and showing her new found confidence in front of her peers. Tau kē!!
Rm 24	Rico Walker	For diligently practising his reading each day, congratulations on such a big improvement in your reading level!

### Eco Award

Rm 6	Raisha Sharma	For being an Eco Warrior and knowing that we need to put our rubbish into the RIGHT bin. Tino Rawe! From Whaea Sarah and Whaea Willi-Anne.
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### Weymouth Way Trophy Winner

Rm 21	Emilia Aukino	For being a responsible member of the class.
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## Term 3 Week 6 FRIDAY 30 August 2019

Rm 2	Pippa Davies	For using her school garden adventures as inspiration for some awesome recount writing.
Rm 4	Royalle Morris	For improving in his attitude when completing his handwriting and story writing.
Rm 5	Athena Herbert	For being kind and caring towards others.
Rm 6	Jeremiah Kaifa	For his consistent effort in using his letters and sounds knowledge in his writing.
Rm 7	Tere White	For being a motivated and independent student with a great love of learning!
Rm 8	Harmony Ropata	For having a positive attitude and showing greater confidence in Reading. Ka pai!
Rm 9	Mitihana Faniniva	For working together for the best outcome.
Rm 10	Fanga Fua	For her enthusiasm and hard work during our Growth Mindset lessons.
Rm 11	Shyniar-Lee Pure	For her kind and gentle nature and for her diligence in all areas of her learning. Ka Mau te Wehi!
Rm 13	Raynjah Leef	For his great smile every morning and his willingness to take on any challenge. Keep up the hard mahi!
Rm 14	Temperance Hamiora	For teaching her elder peers how to weave kete on our Open Day. Me he tē!
Rm 15	Abel Maber-Tumai Totorewa	For walking away and handling disagreements between peers appropriately.
Rm 16	Mele Lomu	For her awesome ideas and improvement in writing.
Rm 17	Knea Taoa	For demonstrating our values of respect and honesty.
Rm 18	Aleesha Hartnett	For demonstrating leadership qualities.
Rm 19	Shekainah Hokianga	For always striving to do her best even when learning is hard. Kapai Shekainah!
Rm 20	Sapphire Lee	For being a confident leader and displaying self control.
Rm 21	Hayden Murfitt	For working hard all week and being a great role model. Tino pai Hayden!
Rm 22	Hazel Mokalei	For constantly focusing on her learning and sharing her ideas.
Rm 23	Jace Heke	For always being an awesome role model to our taina in Te Manu Tukutuku. Mo te mahi rangatira ko koe kei tawhiti!
Rm 24	Razeen Khan	For showing thought and care in his work this week. Ka pai!

### Weymouth Way Trophy Winner

Rm 12	Katrina Poh	For showing the Weymouth Way during split class.
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# UPCOMING EVENTS

# and Notices

## Upcoming Events

9 September	CLASS PHOTOS
9-13 September	Te Wiki o Te Reo Māori
11 September	Hangi Taster Day!
11 September	Walk to School Wednesday
13 September	HOUSE COLOURS DAY
13 September	Whole School Assembly (9.30am)
17 September	BOT meeting 6pm
18 September	Walk to School Wednesday
20 September	Whole School EOTC Day-Survival!
23-27 Sep	Tuvalu Language Week
25 September	Walk to School Wednesday
27 September	LAST DAY OF TERM (School CLOSSES at 2pm)
27 September	Final Assembly—1.30pm
14 October	TERM 4 starts

**Hau Mai Haere Mai to the Whānau Hub**

We have 11 weeks of drop in open mornings for you to have free morning tea, share your ideas for the hub and get to know our friendly co-ordinators Sandra, Brian and Sharnelle.

You can also meet our Hope Navigators Melissa and Kasia who are available to support whānau with getting support for health, housing, addiction, parenting and general whānau well-being.

**Open mornings are:**  
 Monday 9.30am-12pm  
 Wednesday 9.30am-12pm  
 Friday 9.30am-12pm

Whānau are our first community walking group leaving the Bull at 8.00am.

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## Class Photographs

All children will be photographed with their class on Monday, 9th September 2019. Photo orders are taken on a pre-paid basis by completing the order envelope provided.

### PLEASE NOTE:

- Return the envelope to school BEFORE photo day WITH payment enclosed.
- PhotoLife accepts cash, cheque, internet banking or credit card
- You may pay for more than one student's photograph with the same payment, but EACH STUDENT must have their own envelope completed.
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**Greetings from The Leaders of Learning:**  
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 Linda Hodge and Tania Johnson