



**Te Kura
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Wesley Intermediate

WESLEY INTERMEDIATE NEWSLETTER 21 JULY 2023



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Tēnā koutou katoa, Talofa Lava, Bula Vinaka, Mālō e Lelei, Fakalofa lahi atu, Nihao, Namaste, Kia orana, Assalamu Alaikum, warm greetings to you all.

WELCOME TO TERM 3

It is hard to believe we are in Term 3 already! We are pleased to be back after a break, and have loved connecting with all of our students this week.

This week we received an attendance report from the Ministry of Education and we were so pleased to note that Wesley Intermediate's percentage of students attending regularly is excellent. Thank you to all of our whānau for supporting your children to attend school regularly.

As Winter continues this term, please continue to support your child to attend school everyday. If your child is sick please let us know that they will be staying home.

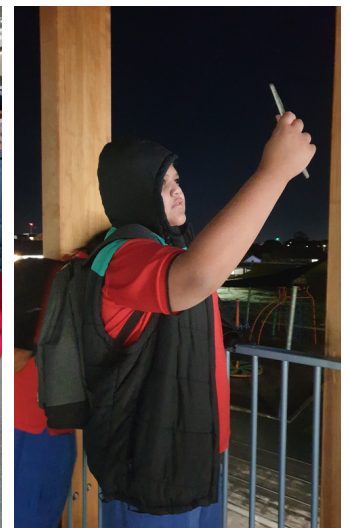
MATARIKI

Mānawatia a Matariki! We had a wonderful morning yesterday when we attended the Dawn Karakia at Wesley Primary School. Many of our students attended, and were able to view Matariki in the early morning sky. We were lucky that the clouds parted just in time!

We shared breakfast together and engaged in crafts, sports and activities to celebrate Matariki.

Next Thursday we are once again joining with our neighbours from Wesley Primary to have a celebration assembly and hangi. This event will be held at our school. You are welcome to join us for

the assembly and hangi. Please register at our office or via this form <https://bit.ly/matariki23> for catering purposes. See page 5 for more details.





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LEARNING KŌRERO

On Wednesday 2nd of August we are having our Learning Kōrero (chats). This is a great opportunity to come along and hear your child talk about their progress and next steps. It is also a good time to ask any questions you may have about your child's mid-year reports, which were sent home in hard copy and emailed home at the end of last term.

Please book via Skool Loop, return the slip that was sent home earlier this week, or contact the school office and Paula will make a booking for you.

School will finish at 1pm on Wednesday 2nd August to give enough time for all parents to come and see us. We look forward to seeing you then!

WESLEY COMMUNITY EVENTS

As always, there is a lot going on at our local community centre and Roskill Youth Zone. On Saturday 29th July there is a Wellbeing day from 10-2pm where you can have a taster of all the wellbeing classes such as Tai-Chi, Zumba and Yoga. On 19th August there is a showcase of musical talent from 1pm. The Bike Hub also has a number of events coming up, please see page 4 of this newsletter for more information.

CENTRAL ZONE SPORTS THIS TERM

Boys' Netball	25 July
Girls' Netball	11 August
Boys' Rugby League	17 August
Girls' Basketball	21 August
Cross Country	24 August
Boys' Basketball	28 August
Girls' Volleyball	19 September
Boys' Volleyball	21 September

IMPORTANT DATES

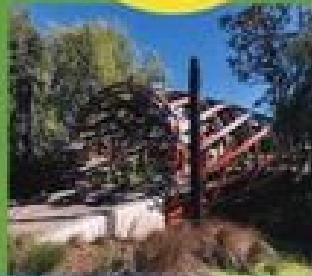
Matariki Celebration Assembly	27 July
Learning Kōrero	2 August
Board of Trustees Meeting	8 August, 4:30pm
Open Morning and Evening	16 August
Tonga Language Week	4 - 8 September
Board of Trustees Meeting	4 September 4:30
Te Wiki o te reo Māori	11-15 September
Last day of term 3	22 September

We are looking forward to another action packed term of learning! Ngā mihi nui, Whaea Rachel



Community Launch and Loop Ride

Join us for the community launch of the Bike Hub Mt Roskill, and take a fun guided ride around 4km of the finest cycleways in Puketāpapa.



Saturday
15 July
10am-12pm
FREE

Bike Maintenance Workshop

Learn what maintenance is needed, and what's not! **The Bike Professor** will show what can be done with just a few common tools.



Saturday
22 July
10am-12pm
FREE

Try out an e-bike or an e-cargo bike

Want to know what's all the rage with e-bikes? Come along to try out a range of e-bikes



Saturday
29 July
10am-12pm
FREE

Empowering women to ride bikes

A 'Heels on Wheels' event
This event supports young mums, grandmothers, or aunties to get on a bike.



Saturday
5 August
10.30am-1pm
FREE

Cycling 101: A basic intro to bikes

This event is for beginners, whether you can or can't ride, covering the basics. Bikes and helmets can be provided if needed.



Saturday
12 August
10am-12pm
FREE

Share the road

Heavy vehicle drivers and cyclists

Blindzone workshop

Get your hands behind a big rig to spot blindzones in this workshop to build rider confidence in sharing the road with trucks, buses and large vehicles.



Saturday
19 August
10-11am
FREE



WALK PEDAL
Walk + pedal
mountain bike

Bike Hub Mt Roskill is at **740 Sandringham Road**
Find us on facebook [@bikehubmtroskill](#)
For more information visit [AT.govt.nz/bikehubs](#)





WESLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL
Te Kura Tuatahi o Wēteri

Matariki Hei Wēteri

Wesley Primary and Wesley Intermediate Schools would like to invite our taura, whānau and special guests to celebrate Matariki as a community.

Dawn Service and Breakfast:

Wesley Primary School
26B O'Donnell Ave
Thursday 20th July @6am

Please RSVP by 24th July

via this rego form:

<https://bit.ly/matariki23>



Matariki Celebration and Hangi:

Wesley Intermediate Hall
776 Sandringham Road Extension
Thursday 27th July from 12.15 pm

If you can't access the form, you can also call us:

Wesley Primary: 09 620 9261

Wesley Intermediate: 09 620 9367

The Matariki Celebrations are made possible through whānau, community and organisations' koha and donations so all our students will have free kai. We would like to thank the following sponsors for making this years celebrations possible.



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