

Kia ora tatou.

A mere three weeks to go before the term ends: "summer" sports are winding down; winter ones cranking into action. But first (as a five-year-old confided in me): "We're having the affletics." He's right too - we are having 'the affletics' - and so far, the weather forecast means that we should be able to get this done next Tuesday.

If you are coming to either venue - the juniors (at Salford) or the seniors (at Waverley Park): thank you. Whether you are coming to assist or just to support your kids - thank you. It means so much to the kids when the adults in their lives can manage to get to their events - even if it's just for half an hour. If you need the senior timetable in a hurry, it's on our facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/waverleyparkschool/> See you next week, then. (-)

Hockey...

Hockey starts on Wednesdays after school next term. Teams need to be entered in the competition by Monday April 3. If your child wants to play, notices are available from the office or Mrs Hoffman Room 5.

We will enter a Year 1&2 team if enough children want to play. We'll need parent managers for all teams - coaching at school is sorted - please let us know if you can help. Thanks.
- Shona Hoffman

WPPA Easter raffle...

It's our annual Easter Raffle time! We would appreciate if each family could donate a small Easter item to become part of a prize hamper. All cards must be returned, sold or unsold, by Friday 31 March. More cards are available from the office.

School Accounts...

Payment can be made direct into the school's bank account (12 3154 0103559 00); cash; or by eftpos now that we have that available. If you have any queries about your account, please contact the office.

It's election year and boards of trustees need your help...



<http://betterfunding.org.nz/> to find out more about the funding freeze; to sign the petition and to keep up to date. Thank you.



No Canteen next week...

Due to the fact that Wednesday next week is a cancellation date for the sports (as are Thursday and Friday): there will be no canteen service available next week.

Speaking of lunch...

As of the start of term 2; Subway Windsor will be providing you with a lunch option for your Mondays - delivered to school. And, you'll be able to order online! More details coming soon.

EFTPOS now available...

Courtesy of a generous 'anonymous' benefactor (thanks Kathy Ngeru), you can now pay your school related payments by EFTPOS (and you are more than welcome to pay other people's too...)

How to	call us: 217 9332
	txt us: 022 3179332
	FB message us: http://goo.gl/ljlqac
	pay us online: 12 3154 0103559 00

What else is happening?

- March**
28 Phoenix Zone athletics
- April**
03 Board of Trustees - 7.00pm
08 Southland Athletic Championships
13 ILT Sing Out - "Out of the Box": 7.00pm at the Civic
13 Term 1 ends - 3.00pm

The new guy, huh?

Brian was sitting in a fancy restaurant when his food finally arrived at his table. As the plate was being placed before him, he noticed the waiter's thumb on the edge of his steak. "Umm, excuse me," he said, "ummm - I couldn't help but notice: you had your thumb on my steak!" "Yeah I know, sir," the waiter stammered, "it's just that I didn't want to drop it a second time."

Not going so well then?

Evidently exasperated, she exploded at her doctor: "There are seven trillion nerves in the human body and my husband manages to get on every single one of them!"

Makes sense - I guess...

Knock! knock!
"Who's there?"
"Doorbell repair man..."

Until next week - nga mihi nui.
Kerry Hawkins & staff

Thursday April 13 is our night...

The Invercargill Licensing Trust proudly presents...

ILT SING OUT

OUT OF THE BOX

Starring 'The Hits' **Liv McBride** of wireless & 'Into the East' fame
700 kids from 17 schools
The fearless baton of **Sarah Rae** conductor extraordinaire
and the mayhem of **Dr Mike & the Rest Home Refugees** backing band

CIVIC THEATRE

APRIL 11, 12 & 13...7.00pm - 8.45pm
Tickets from ICC Booking Office (Esk St)
Adults \$12.50 / Kids \$6.50 - plus booking fee

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Pre-Purchase before 5th April to receive Early Bird Bonus Offers you can use straight away! (Subject to availability)
20% from every membership we sell contributes to our fundraising. The more Memberships we sell, the more we raise.
Please tell your family and friends. Thank you for your support!

Want one? Contact Fiona - 027 381 6224

- Pirates Old Boys Junior Rugby -
Registration/weigh in days at the clubrooms for new players
Fri 24 March 6-7pm and Sat 25 March 1 - 2pm. Current players can register online; just go to: www.sporty.co.nz. For further information re junior rugby visit the club website www.pobrugby.com

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HERITAGE HARVEST FESTIVAL COMING UP
25th & 26th March 2017
10am-4.30pm Saturday & Sunday
Aparima College Hall, Leader St Riverton- Gold coin entry

Come along to Riverton's annual Heritage Harvest Festival. **This year's workshops include:** Holistic poultry keeping, flax weaving, fermenting foods, willow basketry, preserving your harvest, introduction to becoming a beekeeper, forest gardening, starting your orchard with fruits and berries, harvest crafts & more! To book workshops go to <https://bookwhen.com/harvestfest17>

Demonstrations of: beekeeping, cheese making, felting & harvest crafts, and more! The Harvest Café will be open for heritage style morning tea, lunch & afternoon tea.

Competitions: Bring along and display the best of your harvest ~ **The Champion of the Harvest:** Fill a basket or a plate with things you've grown and things you have preserved. Winner is crowned "Champion of the Harvest" and receives the Harvest trophy & a prize

Children's Competitions: 1. Make a creature out of fruits & vegetables 2. Make a garland of harvest flowers. To Enter Competitions: Bring along to the Aparima College hall after 3pm on Friday and fill in the entry form. Please pick up your entry again on Sunday afternoon.

HARVEST FEAST - Saturday 25th March 7pm - POT LUCK MEAL & good music. Please bring a plate of food to share, and something you like to drink. \$5pp to cover hall hire and nibbles- Riverton Primary School Hall.

For more info: <http://www.sces.org.nz/events>
South Coast Environment Society, phone 234 8717, email info@sces.org.nz