



## Message from the Principal

Welcome back to Term 4 (how did that happen!) and a special welcome to our new learners and families – we hope you love being a part of our school community. This term we also welcome Miss Katie Talbot into Te Kete Kākano with a new whanau group of five year old learners.

Thanks to the families who were able to attend our Te Ara Tupu Year 1 mix and mingle evening last night. Miss Laura Finn and her whanau group have moved from Te Kete Kakano into Te Ara Tupu this term so it was a good opportunity for the children and families to meet in a relaxed and informal way after school. Thanks to staff for being so willing to extend your working day.

In the holidays we received the exciting news that our school had won the 'Become a Heart Saver' cigna draw and that we would be the recipient of a Heart Saver AED7000 defibrillator. This will be an invaluable tool for not only our school community but the local community that lives at this end of Rolleston. Thanks to GROW WRPS for promoting this initiative and to the 47 families who nominated our school! Thanks to Cigna, Grown ups and Heart Saver.

This week it has been awesome to start the term with a special schoolgen week planned by Mr Ben Galletly. The children have enjoyed a range of learning experiences about making sustainable lifestyle choices to help our planet. It is great to see that some of our older learners will relate their passion projects this term to worthy causes like building 'tiny houses.'

Today we have given our senior learners the opportunity to compete for places in the zones athletics sports. Well done to all of our children for demonstrating a GROW attitude and good luck to the children who will go on to represent themselves and our school in the zone competition.

Finally, congratulations to all of our children who have earned wish jar #1 as part of our positive behaviour for learning plan. The children may bring bikes, scooters and skateboards to school tomorrow for use during the school day. Helmets are compulsory thanks.

Sylvia

PS thanks for the google form responses to our submission to the Selwyn District Road Committee, we have 21 so far and would LOVE more

## Term 4:



### Upcoming Dates section

Please check our website calendar for regular updates

<http://www.westrolleston.school.nz/news/calendar>

The link may not work here but please go and have a look

Week 1: Assembly this Friday

Week 2: Monday - Labour Day School closed  
New parents morning tea Wed 25th October

Week 3: Assembly this Friday  
Science road show gate trip, Frid 3rd Nov  
Yr 5-8 Rolleston College trip Fri 3rd Nov

Week 4: HPV Yr 8 vaccinations, Mon 6 Nov  
Zone Athletics Sports Fri 3 Nov

Week 5: Yr 1-2 Swimming (11am to 1.30 every day)  
Yr 7 Leadership trip to Christ College Wed 15  
Cluster Jump Jam Thur 16 Nov  
Friday - Show Day - school closed

Week 6: Assembly this Friday  
Yr 1-2 Swimming (11am to 1.30 every day)  
BoT meeting Thur 23rd Nov

Week 7: Yr 3-8 Swimming  
Te Kete Kākano fish & chip dinner Mon 27

Week 8: Yr 3-8 Swimming  
Learner Led Conferences Tue 6 and Wed 7  
Dec

Week 9: Trip to Orana Park  
Year 0-1 children - Monday 11th December  
Year 2-4 children - Tuesday 12th December  
Year 5-6 children - Wednesday 13th December  
Thursday 14th Dec FINAL assembly and prize  
giving 9.15am  
Friday 15 Dec last day, SCHOOL CLOSSES at  
12.30

### TERM DATES 2017

Term 4: Monday 16 October - Friday 15 Dec (school closes at 12.30pm)

### TERM DATES 2018

Term 1: Tuesday 30 January - Friday 13 April  
Easter: Friday 30 March, Monday 2 April, Tuesday 3 April  
Term 2: Monday 30 April - Friday 06 July  
Term 3: Monday 23 July - Friday 28 September  
Staff Only Day - Friday 07 September  
Term 4: Monday 15 October - Monday 17 December



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## School Notices

### Assembly:

No assembly tomorrow, next assembly will be week one of term 4. Friday 20th October 9.05am all welcome

### Account Information on Linc-Ed

You can easily check out your school account details in Linc-Ed, if you log onto your child's account, at the top of the page click on accounts and you will be able to see your statement.

### School Bank Account Details

**12-3153-0021818-00**

office@westrolleston.school.nz

### Lunches

www.lunchonline.co.nz

Wednesdays - Subway

Thursdays - Sushi

Fridays - Sydenham Bakery

### ASB Banking

DEPOSITS CAN BE MADE ANY DAY.

Just put envelopes in the box at the office.

Banking will be deposited at the bank once a week on a Thursday or Friday.

### Dental

For emergencies please call 0800 846

Assembly Awards Week sponsored by  
COFFEE CULTURE - ROLLESTON

Community - Robyne Lumley

Uniform - Pranjal Chand, Leyton Rahui  
Bennett

Thanks also to Mrs Leona Whittington  
for organising some coffee vouchers  
from our FRIDAY coffee van - coffee  
vice



Welcome to our new West  
Rolleston Learners

Paris, Willow, Hayley, Eva, Quade  
Josephine and Imogen

Trinity, Logan, Mikayla,



Top Knots  
\$10 each, \$5  
donated to school.  
Available in small  
and large.

## On the couch this week

**Katie Talbot**

Role: Teacher in Te Kete Kakano

Favourite Book: I love 'Oh the places you'll go' by Dr Seuss, or 'Of thee I sing' which Barack Obama wrote to his daughters.

Favourite Food: Quinoa Soup, Sushi, or Vindaloo!

When I'm not at West Rolleston I love to go for a run or a nice walk outside, I love to go camping or travel to new and exciting places!



### Itinerant Music Lessons

Mondays: Piano and recorder lessons available with Delwyn McKenzie from Accent Music School.

Thursdays: Singing lessons available with Jacqueline Soper

Fridays: Guitar Lessons available with Andrew Morriss

FORMS FOR ALL LESSONS ARE AT THE OFFICE

# LOUD SHIRT DAY

A huge thank you to everyone who donated for Loud Shirt Day last term. Along with Waitaha and Rolleston College, we raised \$371 for this charity.

Everyone participated in the Loud Shirt competition on the day. Well done to those students who won the competition, the designs that came through were creative, colourful and promoted awareness about this charity really well. If students want to come and see their shirt designs on display, feel free to visit TPH.



## HATS HATS EVERYWHERE

Hi Parents it is only week one of term 4 and we already have a huge amount of lost property at the Office.

PLEASE PLEASE ensure everything is named. Some names have worn off clothes so we urge you to check your childrens clothing to make sure the name can be read.

MANY THANKS Trish and Amy

If you would like your child's hat embroidered please contact Ann on 027 421 4270 or 3474535. \$10 per hat.



WOW

### Subway Wed, Sushi Thurs and Sydenham Fridays

Starting Term 3

It's simple; all you need to do is register at [www.lunchonline.co.nz](http://www.lunchonline.co.nz) and follow 4 easy steps to get started

- 1 Register an account
- 2 Add member/s including your child's name, school and classroom
- 3 Make a payment so you have funds in your account before you order
- 4 Select your lunch and place an order





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Phone 0800 LOL LOL  
Phone 0800 565 565  
[info@lunchonline.co.nz](mailto:info@lunchonline.co.nz)

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This week as a part of our Schoolgen week, Schoolgen educator Rob Duff came down from Auckland to work with our learners. He taught them all about light, solar energy, energy efficiency and what they can do to help stop climate change. We had a great time!



Thanks to the families who were able to make our Te Ara Tupu Year 1s whanau mix and mingle dinner.





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## little Turtle



These 100% Merino thermal tops are great at keep your kids warm at school.

Order directly from Little Turtle and mention West Rolleston Primary school and we receive 10% of all sales made!

[www.littleturtle.co.nz](http://www.littleturtle.co.nz)

"Please follow GROW (pta) on our Facebook page to keep updated with our exciting school events and other information from Grow"

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/GROWWRPS/>

Entertainment books are still available



# Community



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Te Kura o Te Uru Kōwhiri



KEEP CALM AND SWAP CLOTHES



21 OCTOBER AT THE LOUNGE, ROLLESTON COMMUNITY CENTRE

FROM 12.30PM TO 2PM

GOLD COIN ENTRY PER ADULT

PLEASE BRING A BAG OR TWO OF CLOTHING YOU NO LONGER NEED, WANT OR FIT AND EXCHANGE THEM FOR "NEW" SECOND HAND ITEMS. THE MORE BAGS YOU BRING THE MORE BAGS YOU CAN TAKE HOME. LADIES, MEN, KIDS AND BABIES CLOTHING WELCOME.

ALL UNCLAIMED ITEMS WILL BE DONATED TO THE ROLLESTON SALVATION ARMY.

IF YOU CAN NOT ATTEND, BUT WOULD LIKE TO DONATE, PLEASE CONTACT ME VIA EMAIL [HANA@NZTRAVELBROKERS.CO.NZ](mailto:HANA@NZTRAVELBROKERS.CO.NZ)

## WEST ROLLESTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

### FUNDRAISING OPPORTUNITY

Anyone connected to the West Rolleston Primary School can help raise funds for the school.

If you know someone who is wanting to sell their home, then simply refer them to Fay Merry, once their property has been listed and sold with Fay Merry, First National Christchurch Real Estate will donate \$500 to West Rolleston Primary School. This amount will be paid within 10 working days of the fee being paid to First National Christchurch Real Estate for the sale.

The property does not have to be in Rolleston, First National Christchurch Real Estate sell property all over the Selwyn District and Christchurch City.

Multiple referrals can be made, so the potential for your school to receive donations is unlimited.

We pride ourselves on providing an exceptional customer focused service, hand in hand with proven great results, in the best time and with the least hassle, from an award winning salesperson now working with an exciting global brand.

Being passionate about the community and playing an active role, living locally in Stonebrook, Rolleston.

Our fee structure is highly competitive to ensure the best deal for our clients as well as for the school.

Fay Merry  
Residential Sales Consultant  
Contact: 021 182 1502 | 03 3900 522  
E-mail: [faymerry@chcrealestate.co.nz](mailto:faymerry@chcrealestate.co.nz)  
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