

Tēnā koutou e te whānau o Te Uku

Senior Discovery Swimming Safety Skills Programme

On Monday 12th March, Mark Haimona will be teaching the Years 5 and 6 children water safety skills as part of the swimming programme. Mark will teach survival swimming and the use of life jackets. Mark is a competitive swimmer who has taught swimming and survival skills in both local and Hamilton Schools. Water Safety NZ is providing the funding for the programme which will take place in our school pool, every Monday afternoon until we close the pool for the summer.

Professional learning Day with James Nottingham

We had a great day of learning with James Nottingham on Tuesday, thank you for your support. The key messages certainly affirm our focus on developing a learner-driven philosophy. We have some new things to think about to further support our growth mindset work. It was really worthwhile attending as a whole staff; our new principal Pip also joined us for the day. Our plan is to update our website before the end of term with information about learning in our school!

Open Day Catch-Up Session

A reminder...if you weren't able to make it along to our Open Day and would like to find out more how we are implementing our learner-driven teaching philosophy, please make contact with me (rachela@teuku.school.nz or 8255815). I can arrange a tour of the classrooms and spend time with you sharing what we do.

Reminder: Te Uku School Curriculum Survey

This year we are reviewing and revising our Te Uku School Curriculum (all school's develop their own curriculum in alignment with the NZ Curriculum). We are interested in gathering your views about learning for your child/ren. Could you please respond to the question below:

- What do you consider to be important for your child's learning at Te Uku School?

If you would like to email your response, please send it to bernardb@teuku.school.nz. Alternatively, you can send your **written response to the Office**. Your input will be valued so we hope you will be able to find the time to respond by Friday 9th March, thanks!!

Ngā mihi ki a koutou,

Rachel Allan



Swimming Sports

A few photos from this morning's Junior Swimming Sports!





Get Set, Go Day

A huge thank you to all of the parents and caregivers who joined us last Friday at Whatawhata School. It was a fantastic day, full of great activities that the kids loved.

A big "Thank you" from the Office

A huge thank you to all the parents who have been remembering to supply their children's lunch orders in an envelope with their details on or in it. It has made Wednesday mornings in particular, a whole lot more pleasant without queues of excited children extending out of the door! I appreciate the effort that you are going to, to make this new system work 😊
Whaea Rachel

Term One Events:

Interschool Swimming Sports – Thursday 15th March

School Closed for Easter Break – Friday 30th March to Tuesday 3rd April

Interschool Softball Tournament – Friday 6th April

Next BOT Meeting – Wednesday 11th April, 6:30PM

Last day of Term One: Friday 13th April

First Day of Term Two: Monday 30th April



WAIKATO DIOCESAN
School for Girls

Waikato Diocesan School for Girls
Open Day 2018
Anglican Boarding School for Years 9 to 13

Friday 16 March
10:00am to 12:00pm

Come experience what Dio has to offer at our Open Day 2018.

10.00am – Principal's welcome in the All Saints Chapel followed by tours of boarding and the day school.

Waikato Diocesan School for Girls – on-site parking at Martin Street entrance (off McNicol Street).
*No registration required

We welcome your enquiry about joining our school family.

Phone 07 855 2038 extn 2703,
email admissions@wdsg.school.nz or
visit www.waikatodiocesan.school.nz



Making the Dio Difference



WAIKATO SYNCHRONISED SWIMMING CLUB




HAVE A GO AT SYNCHRO!

If you're 7 to 12 years old, a good swimmer but getting a bit bored with swimming lengths, love to dance, or enjoy the flexibility in gymnastics – you should think about taking up synchronised swimming. Come along with your friends and have a go at Synchro!!

First lesson free: Sun 18th March 12pm – 1.30pm at Gallagher Aquatic Centre

For enquiries contact Sophie on 027 229 2278 or waikatosynchro@gmail.com

