

Please ensure students arrive at school before 8:45am. If students are going to be late, you must ring the office and let us know.

MPS EXPECTATIONS

Positive Behaviour for Learning (PB4L)
At MPS we want all students to have fun and enjoy their break times in a safe environment. In our effort to remind students who make poor choices we are introducing a letter home to inform parents/caregivers if their child has been removed from the playground to think about their behaviour. These letters will be emailed if we have an email on file. Students who are removed from the play area are required to sit on the bench outside the staffroom or outside the Principal/DP's office for a period of time during morning tea or lunch. We hope you will support your child by talking to them about our school expectations and encourage them to make good choices in all situations.

Senior Syndicate Sausage Sizzle

Friday 3rd March

\$2 each

(Year 5 and 6 students DON'T have to pay. They will get a free sausage as part of EOTC, Tent City)
Orders taken at the office Friday morning 8.15am

Whanau Picnic and Tent City

Thursday 2nd March.

We welcome all school families along for a picnic on our Whanau Picnic evening 5.00-7.00pm. We have booked the WBS giant inflatable obstacle course.

We welcome and encourage all families to attend.

Tent City will be for our Senior students as part of our EOTC Activities week.

Sausage Sizzle

The Senior Syndicate are having a sausage sizzle at the Whanau Picnic to raise money for the year 6 camp later in the year. Please support the children in this, the cost is \$2 a sausage. Look out for us, we will be next to the FOS (Friends of the school) table.

Mobile Dental Bus

The Mobile Dental Bus has arrived at MPS today and will be here for the rest of the term.

Our winners last week were:
Mariano Posa Rm 7 for being co-operative, Tania Heitia-Forsman Rm 4 for waiting patiently following instructions and making good choices and Tania Searle Rm 14 for being co-operative and being on task.

WHAT'S HOT
Dhanisa De Silva
For being a great buddy to a Rm 2 friend.

Calendar of Events

- Tuesday 28th February
- 28th Feb – 10th Mar
- Thursday 2nd March

Mobile Dental Clinic at
EOTC Activity Weeks
Tent City and Whanau Picnic

ASSEMBLY

This week's assembly is run by
Room: 12
Friday 12.00pm
Parents/Family welcome

JUNIOR SYNDICATE EOTC

The Junior Syndicate go on their park trip TOMORROW. We should have everyone's permission forms by now. Please check with your child's teacher if you are in any doubt. Children need to be at school on time and will not be able to purchase a lunch order.

MIDDLE SYNDICATE EOTC

Week 5

Wednesday 1st March - Wheels day

Week 6

Tuesday 7th March - Trip to park and pools

SENIOR SYNDICATE EOTC

Thursday 2nd March:

Tent City & Sausage Sizzle on Friday
Various day & classes.
Water Survival Skills at the Rec Centre Pools.
Wednesday 15th March:
Wheels Day at Queen Elizabeth Park and Henley Lake.

AUTISM NZ Seminar

A one-day seminar from Autism New Zealand for parents/whānau, caregivers and early childhood educators

- Autism spectrum and how it can affect young children
- Importance of play to support child development
- Simple play strategies, like playing with toys and being a guide
- Methods for interactive play, like pattern, memory and variation
- Access to Way to Play website for ongoing coaching and support

Date: Friday 3rd March

Times: 9.30am-3.30pm

Location: Carterton

Cost: \$20.00 family/Whanau,
\$75.00 Professional

For more information & to Register:

www.autismnz.org.nz/training_programmes

Or wairapa@autismnz.org.nz

MPS Softball/TBall Draw

SOFTBALL (4th March)

MPS Giants V Lakeview Giants @ Lakeview
MPS Chuckers V Ferridge Falcons @ MPS

TBALL

MPS Strikers V Lakeview Eagles @ Lakeview
MPS All Stars V DPS Faulknors @ MPS
TBall Practice – Thursday 2.30-3.15pm
Softball Practice – Friday 2.30-3.15pm

MOTHER-DAUGHTER FUN SKILLS DAY

WE WANT YOUR VALUES IN OUR SPORT!

WAIKATO

Trust House Community Enterprise

FREE

Superstar Cricket

10.00 x 5.63 m

Come and join us at our first ever Mother-Daughter Fun Skills Day!

Sunday 19th March 2017
10.00am till 11.30am
Queen Elizabeth Park, Masterton

Whether you have played cricket before or are completely new, come along, learn some new skills and most importantly have some fun with your family!!

Enjoy a nice morning out with the chance of leaving with some giveaways, including restaurant vouchers and white fern gear!!!

Turn up on the day or let us know you're coming by emailing our Female Development Officer at fdo@wairapacricket.co.nz

Heart Foundation

Filling lunch boxes

Protein is important for helping children grow and to sustain energy levels throughout the day.

Protein-rich ideas for lunch boxes:

- ♥ Cheese sticks, cubes or grated cheese
- grated carrot and cheese is also a tasty sandwich combo
- ♥ Yoghurt
- ♥ Boiled eggs, in a sandwich or whole
- ♥ Lean meats: chicken or turkey, tuna, or salmon
- ♥ Dips such as hummus are ideal with vegetable sticks or crackers
- ♥ Cooked or canned chickpeas or falafel
- ♥ Homemade leftovers, roast chicken, tuna or bean pasta salad, pizza, chop suey, frittata etc.

For more lunchbox ideas visit www.fuelled4life.org.nz

BLOOD DRIVE

MASTERTON SENIOR CITIZENS HALL!

8 Cole Street, Masterton.

Wednesday 8th March - 1.00pm – 6.00pm

Thursday 9th March - 8.00am – 1.00pm

If you have ANY queries please call

FOS Lunch Orders

WEDNESDAY

MPS Healthy Burgers

\$3.00 each

Orders taken at the office Wednesday morning 8.15am-8.45am
NO LATE ORDERS

FRIDAY

No Pies this week due to Senior Syndicate Tent City Sausage Sizzle. \$2 each (except Year 5 and 6 students who stayed overnight.)
Orders taken at the office Friday morning 8.15am

PLEASE REMEMBER TO CALL/TEXT THE OFFICE IF STUDENTS ARE GOING TO BE AWAY. ALL LATE STUDENTS MUST COME TO THE OFFICE FOR A LATE STAMP. PLEASE DO NOT BE LATE!