

**Te Pānui o Te Kura o Te Uku 15/19**

**6 Pipiri 2019**

Tēnā koutou e te whānau o Te Uku

Although the weather has put a bit of a damper on some of our recent school events, we still have a variety of things to look forward to. The Y7/8 caving experience has been rescheduled for this Friday 7th June and our whole school marae trip is all go for next Friday 14th June, with the Y7/8's arriving the day before in preparation for the important roles they will have in the pōwhiri and hāngī. We are hoping the weather will be kind to us so that these two events can go ahead, and we look forward to as many of you joining us as possible.

I am absolutely delighted to see the interaction that is underway between school and home via the Educa online student portfolios. The students are enjoying sharing evidence of their learning with their significant others outside of school, and both the teachers and the students are pleased with the encouraging comments that are coming back via this app. This collaborative process is proving to be a positive support, which is enhancing student learning. As always, if you have any questions about this, please feel free to ask.

Ngā mihi ki a koutou,  
Pip Mears - Principal

### **Class and individual photos**

Our class and individual photos will take place on Tuesday 11 June. Please send your children to school ready for photos on that day.

This year, we're working with a new photo company called PhotoPilot for our photographs, so the process is a little different to previous years. All children will have the opportunity to have their photos taken, and there is no requirement for parents to pre-order. Parents will be sent an email from the school containing a unique link to view their children's photos. Then you have the opportunity to view photos and choose the sizes and quantities that you prefer. Orders are all completed online.

PhotoPilot helps schools fundraise so Te Uku School receives a high proportion of the proceeds from every photograph ordered. One of our school parents is involved with PhotoPilot, so they are sponsoring the cost of the photographer as a further contribution to Te Uku School.

### **Waingaro Marae Visit**

Thankyou to all of those who have returned permission forms and koha of \$2.

We still need donations of food and help with transport. Please return your completed forms to the office by **Friday 7<sup>th</sup> June** - this will help enormously with the final preparations.

#### **Upcoming Events: Term 2 2019**

<b>June</b>	
<b>7</b>	Y7/8 Caving at Te Paha
<b>11</b>	Class Photos
<b>13-14</b>	Waingaro Marae Visit
<b>17-1</b>	Wheels Week
<b>20</b>	Assembly Y7/8
<b>24-28</b>	Zero Waste Ed Week
<b>28</b>	Ki o Rahi Tournament Y7/8 Horotiu
<b>July</b>	
<b>4</b>	Assembly Y5/6
<b>5</b>	Last Day Term 2

#### **Term Dates 2019**

<b>Term 1:</b>	Thursday 7 Feb - Friday 12 April
<b>Term 2:</b>	Monday 29 April - Friday 5 July
<b>Term 3:</b>	Monday 22 July - Friday 27 September
<b>Term 4:</b>	Monday 14 October - Thursday 20 December

Calling all buskers for...

# WHAINGAROA BATTLE OF THE BUSKERS

At the Old School Arts Centre on Saturday, July 13.

**Categories include:**

- Tamariki (7-12)
- Rangatahi (13-18)
- Locals/Visitors (19 & over)

Contact [music@raglanartscentre.co.nz](mailto:music@raglanartscentre.co.nz) to enter

Registration is open now  
Closes July 1st  
Entry fee \$5



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Old School Arts Centre

Wakato District creative COMMUNITIES

## Battle of the Buskers begins Saturday, July 13th

**Category winners receive  
cash prize!**

### Categories:

Tamariki (7-12) Rangatahi (13-18)  
Locals / Visitors (19 and over)

Warm up your vocals and dust off your costumes for the inaugural Old School Battle of the Buskers. Entries are now open for performers from across the Waikato to take to the stage to showcase their talents.

Organiser Deb King says the competition is a great opportunity for story-tellers, troubadours, dance groups or talented up-and-coming musicians to gain exposure in front of an appreciative audience of music and art lovers. "We'd love to make this a hotly-contended competition and showcase some of our best buskers."

Categories include - Tamariki (7-12), Rangatahi (13-18) and Local/Visitors (19+)

\$5 entry fee per act/performance. Judges will be looking for performers' interaction with the audience, presentation, most inventive and original.

Contact - [music@raglanartscentre.co.nz](mailto:music@raglanartscentre.co.nz) or Phone - 825 0023 for more information or Pop into the Old School, 5 Stewart St (Mon-Fri 10-2pm) to pick up a registration form.



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