



# Marina View School NEWSLETTER



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## Tena koutou e te whanau, mihi nui ki a koutou katoa.

Dear Parents and Caregivers,



### MESSAGE FROM MINISTRY OF HEALTH:

Chickenpox is a very contagious (catching) disease. It causes small itchy blisters on your skin. Sometimes the children scratch the blisters, and they can become infected. If this happens, you will need to take them to the doctor. If there are no complications, chickenpox usually clears up within 3-7 days for adults, and 5-10 days for children. Symptoms are small blisters (like a rash) on their skin—these can be very itchy. Other symptoms are tiredness, fever, and general aches and pains.

The virus is spread through the air by infected people when they sneeze or cough, and by touching the chickenpox blisters, then touching objects, or other people.

- **Always turn away from others and use tissues when you cough or sneeze**
- \* **Always wash your hands after coughing, sneezing or blowing your nose.**



Currently, we have 2 reported cases of chickenpox in the school, so we ask that you please be vigilant if your child shows any of the early signs of chickenpox. A timely reminder also about general hygiene practices.

**YEAR 7/8 BOYS SOCCER:** On Tuesday this week our Year 7/8 boys soccer team competed in the North West Zone Soccer tournament at Huapai Domain. After a long day, with many games, our boys came 3rd overall. Well done! Our Y7/8 girls soccer team compete in the same competition today.

**GUMBOOTS:** Do you have a spare pair of gumboots lying around?? We are asking if you would please donate them to school, for our students who do our daily Road Patrol duty. They would be great for the children to have on those wet wintery days.



Mr Young joining our Year 7's during the biking day of their Activity Week last term.

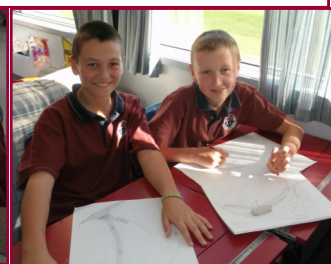


**DROPPING OFF AND COLLECTING CHILDREN ON PICASSO ROAD:** We ask that when you are dropping off or picking up children, please make sure that you do not park over people's driveways. It can be very frustrating for our neighbours if they try to leave or enter their properties and someone has blocked their way. Thanks for your help with this.

**QUEENS BIRTHDAY WEEKEND:** A reminder that this coming weekend is a long weekend, with Monday 2nd June being Queens Birthday holiday. School will be closed on this day. Enjoy your extra day of holiday everyone.

Kind Regards  
Maurice Young (Principal)

Room 21 Y6), working on their Warren Pohatu inspired art



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## COMING EVENTS

## MAY

30 Senior Assembly R19

## JUNE

- 2 **Queens Birthday holiday**  
 3 Y7/8 trip to Stardome  
 4 Australian Science test  
 6 Junior Assembly R14  
 9 Y5/6 Bike Safety training  
 13 Y5/6 Bike Safety practical training  
 19 Class Photos  
 25 Portrait Photos



## JULY

- 4 **END OF TERM 2 @ 2.15pm**  
 21 **TERM 3 BEGINS @ 8.50AM**  
 29 Australian English Skills test

## SCHOOL EVENTS

## PTA NEWS

### CHOCOLATE FUNDRAISER: THIS FUNDRAISER IS DUE TO FINISH ON MONDAY 9TH JUNE 2014.

Thank you for the support with our current chocolate fundraiser. This is our biggest fundraiser of the year with some great prizes:

- 1st iPad Mini  
 2nd iPod 16GB 5th generation  
 3rd camera  
 Pizza lunch for the first class with money handed in from both Junior and Senior school. For every box sold you will also have a chance in a number of spot prizes, so everyone is in with a chance. Please note the 2nd prize is definitely a 5th generation iPod not 3rd generation as printed.



## NOTICES

## COMMUNITY NOTICES

**MODEL X 2014:** The 'Great Westie's Hobby Show' is on Queens Birthday Weekend 31 May (9am-5pm) 1/2 June (9am-4pm) at the West Wave Recreation Centre, Hender-son. Website [www.model-x.org.nz](http://www.model-x.org.nz)

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## MANDARIN CLASSES

Hello! 你好!

I am Su Yang, from China, and I am the current Mandarin Teaching Assistant at Marina View School. I want to set up some free Mandarin groups for parents/ caregivers. If you are interested in the Mandarin or Chinese culture, please join us. Available times are Tuesday 9.00am-10.00am, and Wednesday 11.00am-12.00pm, at Marina View School. If you have any questions about group details, please do not hesitate to contact me on Phone: 021 037 7861, or email [suyang0330@gmail.com](mailto:suyang0330@gmail.com)

We still have Entertainment books for sale as the current one will expire in June. Please see the link on the MVS website or the MVS PTA Facebook page. We also have books available from the school office.

This year we are fundraising towards sports uniforms (netball, soccer and touch), Sports gear bags/balls, Branded MVS Gazebo/Flags, iPads, and seating around the school.

**If you have sold your box, and wish to get another box, please mark your name down on the form in the office.**

## DRAWING ART CLASSES



Learn to Draw! Enrolling for Term 2 after school (ages 5-12yrs), at Marina View School on Wednesdays & Thursdays, and at the Art Studio, Hobsonville Road on Saturdays.

For details go to [www.artacademy.co.nz](http://www.artacademy.co.nz)  
 Contact Elena 021 0236 0215

## SIGNING CHILDREN OUT OF SCHOOL



**If you are collecting your child during the school day, please come to the Office and sign them out. Please ensure that you put the child's full name into the book. Thank you.**

## KEEP FIT &amp; BOXING CLASSES

Are you struggling to lose weight? Tired of those jiggle arms, muffin top or thunder thighs? I specialise in weight loss for busy everyday women, providing 1-On-1 Training personalised to your goals, plus weekly Ladies only Boxing Classes. Don't hibernate in your baggy winter 'cozy clothes'!! Get a jump start on your summer body!! Get fit & healthy, be energized & feel fantastic in your body every day!! Why wait another day! Book TODAY your first 1-On-1 Session FREE - my gift to a new healthy confident YOU!! Contact Melissa on Mob: 021-798-435 or email [melissa@benefityou.co.nz](mailto:melissa@benefityou.co.nz)



Is your body feeling a little UNLOVED?

Try a new workout style that leaves you feeling refreshed

**Beauty Fitness Classes** are a fusion of latin dance, ballet barre, movement, yoga, pilates, core stability, specific beauty & anti-aging elements. The blended fusion of various beauty and fitness elements were used to create a complete beauty workout so you can carry yourself with strength and grace!

Monday & Thursday 9.00 - 10.15 am

\$15 per class (your first class is free)

Hobsonville Hall - 397 Hobsonville Rd

Rachel Mar - 021 117 47474 [www.rachelmar.com](http://www.rachelmar.com)

'Three Little Pigs' at Dance & Drama class



Art picture from Room 25 (Y8) and the beginnings of our totem poles the GATE Art group is making



Hi - my name is Tony & my two children, Tyler & Corey, are part of the MVS family. If you are in need of any advice, re: buying or selling a home, please feel free to call me for a confidential, no obligation chat.

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