

## FAREWELL AND BEST WISHES

At the end of this school year we will farewell four staff members:

- Mr Kelly Albert has been a teacher and Leader of Learning at Wiri Central for a number of years.
- Ms Gillian Lolesi has been one of our Deputy Principals for the past 6 years
- Whaea Awaroa Rapana has been the kaiako in Room 12 this year
- Whaea Tracey Paul has been part of our support staff for almost two years

We wish these valued members of our Wiri Whānau all the best for the future. Thank you for all your commitment and hard work in our school.

## 2022 END OF YEAR PRIZE GIVING

Our end of year school prize giving will be held tomorrow, Wednesday 14 December, at 10am at the BNZ theatre, Due Drop Event Centre. Students will be walking to the Event Centre leaving school at about 9.30am. We hope you will be able to join us at the Events Centre for this special occasion in our school calendar. Parking is available at the Due Drop Event Centre and is free for this event.

## END OF YEAR REPORTS

End of Year Reports will be sent home with students this Friday. The report is a summary of progress and achievement since the middle of the year. If you have any queries about the report please do not hesitate to talk to your child's teacher.

## OUTSTANDING ATTENDANCE FOR 2022

Congratulations to the following students who have achieved 96% or better attendance for 2022. Coming to school almost every single day is a massive achievement and worthy of a celebration. This year, with Covid-19 lurking around, this is an even greater achievement and we acknowledge these students and their whānau for making school attendance a priority. These students will receive a free McDonalds lunch on Thursday.

Congratulations and very well done to these students:

- Room 8: Yusuf Enamullah  
Room 9: Pati Mailata  
Room 11: Queva Williams, Michael Hurunui  
Room 20: Yasmin Enamullah, Redeem Crichton,

## LAST DAY OF SCHOOL FOR 2022

A reminder that school finishes for 2022 on **Tuesday 20 December** at lunch time. Students will be dismissed from school at **12.30pm**.

## 2023 START DATE

The school office will be open for new enrolments on Thursday 2 February 2023 between 9am and 12pm.

School will commence for students on **Tuesday 7 February** 2023 at 9.00am. We will start the year with a whole school assembly under the sunshade including a powhiri for new students and families. We hope you can join us to start off the new school year.

## STATIONERY FOR 2023

Our school Board is committed to making education at Wiri Central School as cost free as possible. All students will be provided with required stationery items at the start of the year when they return to school. If you wish to provide any additional stationery, pens and pencils are always useful.

## YEAR 6 CAMP 2023

This is a “heads up” that Year 6 Camp for 2023 is booked for 22 - 24 February. If your child is in Year 5 now, he or she will be in Year 6 next year. All Year 6 students from mainstream, Fofoa i Vaoese and Mōkai Āwhina are able to attend the camp. At camp students will participate in activities at the Sir Peter Blake Marine Education Resource Centre (MERC) in Long Bay and stay at the Orewa Holiday Park. The cost to families will be \$100 per student.

## TERM 4 DATES:

- Wednesday 14 December - School prize giving - BNZ theatre, Due Drop Events Centre at 10am
- Thursday 15 December - Year 8 Graduation at Manurewa High School Hall - 6pm
- Friday 16 December - 2022 Whānau winner reward trip to pools, End of Year Reports go home
- Tuesday 20 December - Last day of school for 2022. School finishes at 12.30pm

**Ngā mihi nui ki a tātou katoa mō te kirihimete me te tau hou. Kia pai ngā hararei!**

**E momoli atu le agaga fa’afetai tele lava matua mo galuega lelei uma o lenei tausaga. Fa’amalo le onosa’i ma le lagolago malosi mai i galuega a faiaoga. Ia fa’amanuia le Atua ia te outou uma lava. Manuia le Kerisimasi ma le Tausaga Fou. Tatou toe feiloai i le tausaga fou i le alofa ma le agalelei o le Atua.**

**Wishing everyone a very Merry Christmas, a happy New Year and a safe and sunny holiday break. See you all back at school on 7 February 2023.**

