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Dear Whānau, Family and Friends

It has been a busy couple of weeks here at Westtown School and we continue to settle into the school year and teaching and learning programmes are developed.

Last week our PTA held their annual AGM. Thank you very much to everyone who has served on the PTA over the last year and helped out with their fundraising.

Congratulations to our incoming 2025 PTA Executive:

Chairperson—Megan Nielsen

Secretary—Amy Roche

Treasurer—Annette Hawkins

Last week we opened our new library space in Room 2. The students were very excited to check out the new space and to continue with their fun Break 2 activities with Mrs vB.



We have also held our first Board Meeting for the year. Thank you very much to the parents who serve on our School Board. Our 2025 Executive are:

Presiding Member—Craig Nielsen

Deputy Presiding Member—Annette Hawkins.

We are excited to be welcoming Clyde Pearce and Frank Hays from the Education Review Office (ERO) to our school next week. We know they will enjoy spending time in our school and classes. We are also looking forward to our annual Swimming Sports and Class Demonstrations on Friday 7 March.

Enjoy the rest of your week. Take care and be kind to one another!

Kim Theyers—Tumuaki





SWIMMING SPORTS & CLASS DEMONSTRATIONS



FRIDAY 7 MARCH

1.30PM - 2.40PM

COME ALONG TO WATCH OUR YEAR
4-6 SWIMMING FINALISTS COMPETE
FOR SCHOOL TROPHIES AND TO SEE
A SHORT DEMONSTRATION FROM
EACH CLASS OF WHAT THEY HAVE
BEEN LEARNING.

All welcome

TIMETABLE FOR SWIMMING SPORTS

Please be advised the times are only an estimate!

- 1.00pm Welcome & Karakia
- 1.10pm Competitive Events—Year 4-6 Finalists
- 1.20pm Rm 13 Class Demonstration
- 1.28pm Rm 12 Class Demonstration
- 1.36pm Rm 10 Class Demonstration
- 1.44pm Rm 14 Class Demonstration
- 1.52pm Rm 11 Class Demonstration
- 2.00pm Rm 5 & Rm 6 Class Demonstration
- 2.10pm Pool Party Free Swim—Whānau are welcome to join in
- 2.30pm Everyone out of the pool—pack up



Check out these amazing murals that have been installed around our Junior Sandpit. The murals were a project completed by some senior students in 2023 & 2024.



- 4-5 March—ERO onsite
- 7 March—1pm-2.30pm—School Swimming Sports—All Welcome
- 10 March—Taranaki Anniversary—School Closed**
- 12 March—9.30-11am—Westtown Wednesday Transition to School Programme in Rm 6
- 14 March—Green KAHIA Day—come to school dressed in green ready for a fun day!**
- 18 March—Rm 12 & 13 Trip to Puke Ariki and Govett Brewster Art Gallery
- 19 March—Rm 5 & 6 Trip to Puke Ariki and Govett Brewster Art Gallery
- 24 March—5.30pm—Centenary Planning Meeting
- 1 April—Rm 10 & 11 Trip to Puke Ariki and Govett Brewster Art Gallery
- 2 April—Rm 14 Trip to Puke Ariki and Govett Brewster Art Gallery
- 2 April—9.30-11am—Westtown Wednesday Transition to School Programme in Rm 6
- 11 April—Term 1 ends
- 28 April—Term 2 begins



Have you lost a baby croc? It's in the school office.