



# WAIUKU PRIMARY SCHOOL

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### Board for Trustees Update September 2017

At September's meeting we discussed a broad range of items that regard the governance of our school.

Funding grants have been secured for the following areas of the school this term:

A sun smart initiative for sun-shade sails over the junior playground - these were due to be installed in term 3 holidays, but unfortunately due to delays at council - will likely be installed in term 4.

Also the newly constructed and installed truck sandpit at junior school, with special thanks to ITM Waiuku, Winstone Aggregates and F & M Misa Transport,

Other projects in the works are: the mini-golf course, and bi-lingual signage (for MOE compliance) to name a few.

Grants and funding are something we are collectively working on as a board, for the benefit our school, to help ease budgetary constraints, and further support the much appreciated efforts our school community including the PTA, teachers and staff, students, parents and Whanau.

We discussed the recent school newsletter item regarding the parking and congestion problems - especially in the afternoons.

We would like to remind parents and caregivers that parking opposite the junior school and the school bus stop at France St (both clearway zones), and the grass berms create serious safety issues for all of the children, and their caregivers. It is illegal, dangerous and also likely that offending vehicles would not be covered by insurances should there be an incident.

From time to time, our Board members attend NZSTA courses to assist us in best practice for Ministry of Education guidelines. We are pleased to report that we already closely follow the relevant procedures, as outlined by the NZSTA.

All of our policies and procedures are easily accessible on our WPS website for review.

Our next boarding meeting Wednesday 1st November 2017 at 7pm, in school staff room. All Waiuku Primary School parents, Whanau and community members are welcome to attend.

Likewise we do invite you to correspond with the board if should you have any compliments, queries and/or feedback.

Many thanks and happy, safe school holidays!