WELCOME BACK FOR TERM 4

Welcome back for Term 4, our final school term for 2025. A very warm welcome to new students and families who have joined our Wiri whānau.

Like all the school terms, there are lots of events planned, especially as we approach the end of the year. Some dates to note for Term 4 are:

- Thursday 16 October - Te Poutukeka e Ruia Te Hā book launch 5.00pm (see separate invitation)
- Friday 17 October - Find Your Field of Dreams free swimming programme at Papatoetoe pools for all Year 3 - Year 6 students. This will continue every Friday until 12 December (please return the separate permission slip before 17 October)
- Tuesday 21 - Thursday 23 October - Year 8 camp in Rotorua
- Monday 27 October- Labour Day public holiday (School closed)
- Wednesday 29 October - Mōkai Āwhina Whānau Hui 4.30 - 6.00pm
- Wednesday 5 - Friday 7 November - Year 7 & 8 Counties Manukau Games, Bruce Pullman Park
- Friday 14 November - Mid-term whānau reward
- Thursday 27 November - Y8 transition visit to Manurewa High School
- Thursday 27 November - Wiri Central School Cultural Showcase evening 5.00 - 7.30pm (saving day in case of bad weather - Thursday 4 December)
- Tuesday 2 December - Fofoa i Vaoese prizegiving
- Tuesday 9 December - School athletics day - 11.30am - 2.30pm
- Wednesday 10 December - School prize giving - BNZ theatre, Due Drop Events Centre at 10.00am
- Thursday 11 December - Year 8 Graduation evening 5.00 - 6.00pm at Manurewa High School
- Friday 12 December - 2025 Whānau winner reward trip to the pools
- Tuesday 16 December - Last day of school for 2025, school finishes at 12.30pm

There are also day trips planned for most rōpū. Individual notices will be sent home prior to these trips.

It's going to be another busy, but great learning term at Wiri Central. We look forward to sharing it with you.

TERM 3 ATTENDANCE CELEBRATIONS

In Term 3 we had 144 students who attended school regularly (91 - 100%). These students enjoyed an ice cream treat on the last day of term to acknowledge their regular attendance. Additionally, 44 students attended school **every** day last term. To acknowledge this outstanding achievement these students (listed below) will receive a special ice cream sundae treat in the staffroom and a certificate at our school assembly this Friday. Assembly will be held at the usual time of 2.15pm, parents, you are welcome to join us under the sunshade for assembly.

If wet, assembly will be via Zoom (you are welcome to join your child in their classroom).

Room 1:	Steven-John Ma'u-Webster, Tere Marsters, Chloe Manejable
Room 2:	Tanielu Atinae, Jericho Moti
Room 3:	Angel-Rose Tawhara
Room 5:	Joseph Ma'umalanga, Thomas Satini
Room 6:	Tai Boa
Room 7:	Anesmay Allan, Adrian Dacara, Sanaa Ali, Moana Tuivailala, Lapa Junior Tuala
Room 8:	Rakhael Reponte
Room 9:	Esilovina Lolesio, Shikha Prasad, Joanna Mino
Room 10:	Azaria-Marie Teiho-Ryan, Wai Wai Williams
Room 11:	Devin Wiremu, Arahi Wiremu, Teatawhai Faataape-Maihi, Raiden Depree-Fatialofa, Te Rangi Faataape-Maihi
Room 12:	Kage Harris, Harlyn Sa'u, Korra Pi Tipoki, Crysileah Wiremu, Mahaki Scott, Kole Pi Tipoki
Room 13:	Atinae Faale, Eliana Avei-Pa'u
Room 15:	Faaeteete Atinae, Milo Atinae, Etuavale Isaako, Ricky Piki
Room 16:	Liaga Isaako, Ianeta Moananu, TJ Tuitamai
Room 17:	Zoya Wagas, Shanaa Nand
Room 19:	Zara Wagas
Room 20:	Xiuyuan Xu

TERM 3 PRINCIPAL'S CERTIFICATES

Congratulations to the following students who received a special certificate at the end of Term 3. Award winners were selected by their teacher for outstanding achievement in learning and/or for demonstrating our school values.

Room 1: **Chloe Manejable**	Room 2: **Janine Magday**	Room 3: **Kahurangi Garae- Ranui**
Room 4: **Laken Kepa-Howard**	Room 5: **Matilda Vaiomata**	Room 6: **Kahleysha-Rose Mahara-Allan**
Room 7: **Knickson Oleiki**	Room 8: **Diarn Hoskin Henry**	Room 9: **Esther Vaipulu**
Room 10: **Ty-Laurel Sionetali-Angell**	Room 11: **Arahi Wiremu**	Room 12: **Ngatahi Scott**
Room 13: **Malikh Faumuinā**	Room 14: **Zephiroth Tini**	Room 15: **Faaeteete Atinae**
Room 16: **Montahna Manu Woods**	Room 17: **Antaze Ofanoa Nepe**	Room 18: **Porsche Marsh**
Room 19: **Cadence Taefu-Russell**	Room 20: **Tama Walden**	
English for Bilingual Learners - **Montahna Manu Woods** and **Adaiah Dupree Fatialofa**		
Road Patrol Award - **Devin Wiremu**		

WALKING SCHOOL BUS

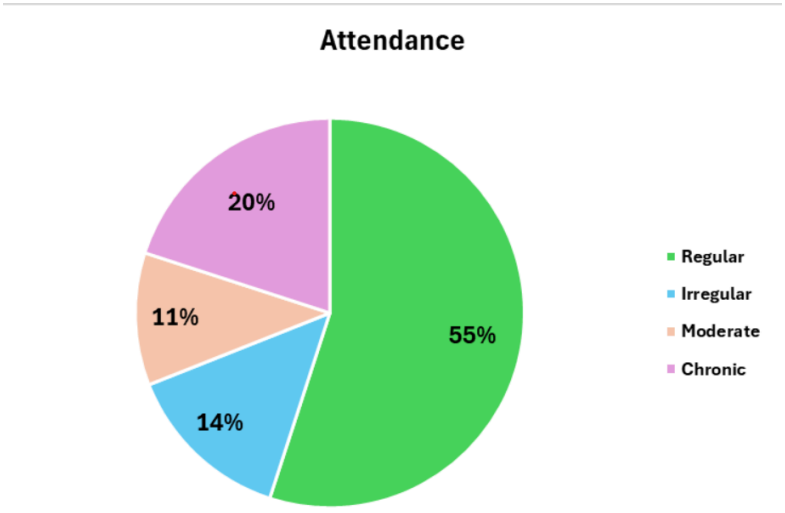
Our walking school bus from Rata Vine started last term. The Walking School Bus provides an opportunity for students to walk to school in a group, supervised by at least one adult volunteer. The Walking School Bus will leave from RaWiri Community House each day at 8.25am.

YEAR 8 CAMP - ROTORUA

Our Year 8 students and staff will be heading to Rotorua for their camp on 21 - 23 October. Students will leave Wiri Central on Tuesday 21 October at approximately 8.30am. Activities planned include visiting Te Puia, Waiotapu Thermal Wonderland, the Aquatic Centre and Skyline Rotorua. The group is expected to return around 3.00pm on Thursday 23 October.

IMPROVING ATTENDANCE

Here is our attendance graph for Weeks 9 and 10 of Term 3.



The winners for coming every day for the last fortnight of the term were:
Lapa-Junior R7
Beryith R8
Mahaki R12
Stella R15
Ezekiel R18.