



# Waikato Literacy Association

## 2018 Calendar of Events

Term 1	
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> March 4.30pm	<u>Waikato Literacy Association</u> <u>Annual General Meeting</u> <i>The Cottage at Hillcrest Normal School</i> <i>Followed by March Committee meeting</i>
Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup> March 9.15am-12.30pm	<u>Student Event</u> (Member School only event) <b>Libraries Alive</b> – ‘Ramp it up with Read Alouds’ <i>a half day FREE PD for student librarians, Teacher with Library responsibility and Librarians</i> <i>Venue: TBC</i>
Saturday 24 <sup>th</sup> March 9.00am-1.00pm <i>Venue:</i> Hamilton Sensory/ Hamilton North School	<u>Teacher Event</u> <b>It's happening to us – now!</b> <i>‘Bringing Picture Books to life with the process of drama’</i> <i>with Dr Viv Aitken (Mantle of the Expert)</i> <i>Morning Tea provided - Limited numbers</i> <i>Cost: Members \$ 30 Non Members \$ 50</i>
Term 2	
Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May 1.00pm	<i>National Simultaneous Storytime 2018</i> <i>In conjunction with LIANZA register at <a href="http://www.alia.org.au/nss">www.alia.org.au/nss</a></i> <i>‘HICKORY DICKORY DASH’ by Tony Wilson</i>
Dates and Venues TBC	<u>Teacher Event</u> <b>‘Building Oral Language in the Classroom’</b> <i>Oral Language development 5-11yrs</i> <i>Emma Nahna – Speech Language Therapist (Talk Tree)</i>
Saturday 8 <sup>th</sup> September	<b>‘World Literacy Day’</b> - Community Event <i>Celebrating babies born in September</i> <i>Books for Babies at Te Awamutu Birthing</i>
Term 3	
3 <sup>rd</sup> - 5 <sup>th</sup> October Palmerston North	<u>Teacher Event</u> New Zealand Literacy Association Conference <b>‘Literacy Landscapes’</b> Details on <a href="http://www.nzla.org.nz">www.nzla.org.nz</a>
Term 4	
Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> October Venue: TBC	<u>Teacher Event</u> <i>Jane van der Zeyden – Author of ‘The Essential Oral Language Toolkit’</i> <b>‘Using ELLP to Help’</b>

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