**Welcome Back everyone.**

Hope everyone had a fantastic Christmas and New Year, and looking forward to a better 2021!

it’s great to be continue operating Waitara Public school's canteen.

Same as usual, Cheese and Toastie is experienced in producing healthy food that looks good, tastes great and represents real value for money. We are committed to providing our students and staff with healthy, affordable food that meets a range of dietary and cultural needs. Our canteen operates in line with a number of government policies about the type of foods that are to be served in schools and the requirements for hygiene and food safety.

You will also find a huge variety of mouth-watering options on our canteen menu. All our foods are prepared daily. We welcome new ideas and initiatives and work hard to accommodate requests. We cater for special dietary requirements upon request and we are a nut free canteen.

Are you not sure about how you can celebrate your child's upcoming birthday? We always provide a birthday bucket filled with frozen ice blocks for Students to share with their class on their special day.

The canteen is open each morning at 9am to 2 pm. We are using the online ordering service with ***Flexi Schools***

Get to know more about Cheese & Toastie and other services by visiting our Facebook Page: <https://www.facebook.com/cheeseandtoastie>. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me or Wilfred at Cheeseandtoastie@gmail.com or Come to meet us at the Canteen! (when parents are back onsite)

Joan and Wilfred

**Cheese & Toastie**

School Canteen Procedures:

**Ordering:** Lunch orders must be placed via the Flexischools website. [Flexischools](https://www.flexischools.com.au/) allows you to order from home or on your mobile. Ordering is convenient and can be accessed 24/7.These orders can be placed weeks before or up until 9am the day the order is required. [www.flexischools.com.au](http://www.flexischools.com.au)The 2021 new class list has been added. Parents will be able to update their new 2021 class for the order now.

To avoid the peak time on a Friday morning. We suggest that place your order on Thursday or before. If you missed the 9am cutoff time, you can still order online through the Emergency lunch section and the cut off time will be 10:30am**. Unfortunately, we do not take any orders after 10:30am**

**Recess**: The baskets are not delivered to the classroom; recess food must be picked up over the counter. There is a separate counter where the students’ orders can be picked up from and they **do not** need to queue up.

Students without orders may queue up and buy something across the counter. A variety of fresh food items made in the canteen will be available to purchase and may not always be on the Flexischools menu.

**Lunch time**: Lunches will be placed into classroom baskets, collected from the canteen by a class representative and then distributed in the class room 10 minutes before lunch time.

Some food items such as ice blocks and soup will be stamped with” **Canteen Pick Up**”, see the photo, the student will then need to collected **WITH THEIR LUNCH PAPER BAG** after the students finished their lunch. Bring the bag to the canteen for item collection by themselves.

