



Waikite Valley School

Developing Learners for Life

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Weekly Panui – Wednesday 14 March, 2018

Kia ora Koutou Whanau,

READING EGGS



The teachers utilise this online reading programme to support the students other activities in reading. The school pays for every student in Te Ruma Puawai (Rooms 1 & 2) to have an active subscription. We encourage them to continue their learning with this programme at home if possible. It requires internet connection and they need their login details. If you would like this information so you can watch them using this at home, please ask your teacher. Reading Eggs makes **learning to read** easy and fun by combining books with online reading games and activities.

Proven Reading Results

- **91% of parents noticed an improvement** in their child's reading ability since using Reading Eggs
- Based on **solid scientific research**
- Used in **over 12,000 schools worldwide** (and counting!)
- Developed by expert educators with **over 30 years' experience**

Why Children Love Reading Eggs

- **120 lessons**, thousands of interactive activities, motivating rewards and songs
- Makes reading fun – kids **want to learn**
- **One-on-one** lessons to match your child's ability
- **Detailed assessment reports** to show and recognise progress
- Suitable for children aged **3 – 13 years**

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JUNIOR RUGBY FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

The rugby season is almost upon us, beginning in term two, and for your family to be able to make sporting choices you might need to know a few things about Reporoa Rugby.

- U6 - U13 teams will be playing on Saturday mornings in Rotorua
 - Training is Thursdays in Reporoa and if numbers allow in Waikite for U6 and U7's Rippa
 - Rural clubs can get dispensations for new players and smaller framed boys and all clubs allow girls to play a grade below
 - Reporoa subs are minimal and the player receives more gear than the cost of subs
 - muster details to come with a planned time of late March early April
- if you would like to know more, please feel free to contact Norm Armer on 0274 488 887 or join the Reporoa Rugby Football Club facebook page [Reporoa Rugby Football Club \(Reporoa RFC\)](#) to keep up to date with Club information.



IMPORTANT DATES

Wednesday 14 March

- **PTA AGM 7pm**

Thursday 15th March

- **Year 7-8 vision and hearing screening**

Wednesday 21st March

- **9-11am: Cricket lessons (schoolwide)**
- **GPA sharing assembly**

Mon 26-Thurs 29 March

- **Wai-o-tapu Camp (Year 3-8)**

Fri 30 Mar-Tues 3 April

- **EASTER BREAK ***

Wednesday 4th April

- **CBOP Swimming Champs**

Wed 4th Apr-Fri 6th Apr

- * **Life Education Caravan in school**

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PTA Meeting



Please join us!
Your voice is important.

Your Children
Will Be Proud
Of It.

Get Involved.
Be In The Know.

The Children
Will Benefit
From It.

Tonight!
7pm start

Hands
Light
ark.

You'll
Feel Good
About It.

WEDNESDAY 14TH MARCH 7.30PM in school staff room. Monthly meeting first at 7pm, followed by AGM. Please come along and support our school Parent-Teachers Association. If you have a student at the school you **are** part of this team, so turn up and be involved. :) If you have any questions ask at the school office, or any of the current office holders of our PTA =

Chairperson: Shannon Cathcart; Secretary: Pip Negus; Treasurer: Mary Briggs



To Pip and Cam Negus for being timekeepers at the Cluster Swimming sports on behalf of our school

To the parents who were able to transport our Cluster swimmers and support the team for the day :)

To our awesome PTA committee who have organised the meeting tonight and the work of the PTA for the past year

PUMP TRACK ROSTER

ROOM 1—Monday

ROOM 2—Tuesday

GPA—Wednesday

ROOM 4—Friday



2018 Soccer Season

Calling all children 5–10 years (boys and girls).

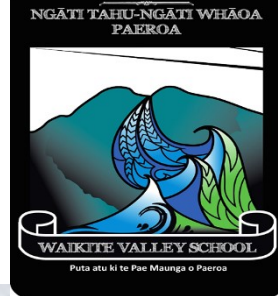
The 2018 Soccer Season is fast approaching, if you would like to play soccer for Valley Football Club in Term 2 please email your details to carbonelclan@gmail.com to register your interest.

Once I have all the names of interested players I can then make up teams and will email parents with links on how and where to register with our club online. If you have any queries please feel free to call Shereen on 021 0260 9722 to discuss.

Last Saturday, 10th March, we had a team entered in the AgriKids Young Farmer of the Year WaiBOP Regional competition. The Waikite Valley Cream of the Crop (Jackson Worsp, Tegan Negus and Gabriella Muller) competed against around 20 other teams and finished 2nd Overall. The competition consisted of 8 modules relating to agricultural tasks, then the top 7 teams battled it off in a race-off to complete a series of tasks as quickly as they could without compromising on quality. The day was MC'ed by Te Radar (see pic below). The team has qualified for the National Tournament in Invercargill in July where they will represent the Waikato/Bay of Plenty Region!
Awesome work team!



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Would like to welcome you to the official opening..

Pump Track Opening Day

Saturday 7th April 2018

Opens 10.00am

Pump Track Opening: 11.00am

*Bring your bikes. Have a go at this amazing track of
bumps and banked turns*



* Carboot Sale \$10 per stall
(Limited numbers so get in first)

* Food & Cake Stalls



Official opening of pump track by invited
guests

& much more....

To book your space contact
Shannon Cathcart 021731511 or 3331638