

Waikite Valley School

Developing Learners for Life

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Weekly Panui **Monday 14th March, 2016** **School Leaders 2016**



As part of the process to become a Waikite Valley School Leader, the students who are nominated have to complete an Application Résumé. On the first part of the résumé they are asked to write a personal statement describing themselves and their goals. Here are the responses from a few of the leaders:

BEN JOHNSTON: I am a kind, caring person. I try to help others when they are in need. This year I am working towards improving my school work. I am looking forward to becoming a good role model in my new school.

LIAM ADAMS: I think I will be a good leader because I am sporty, caring, kind, friendly, a good listener. I pay attention in class and I will support everybody. I will try and be friends with everyone and try and be responsible and set a good example.

KATIE STEPHENS: I'm helpful, encouraging and lead by example. I am aiming to help the school more and the kids. I'm friendly and responsible and if there's a job that needs doing, you can rely on me!

KASEY HALL: I set high standards for myself. I try my best at everything. I'm aiming for good reports. I would like the opportunity to help others.

DANIEL MULLER: I am a responsible, caring person. I have learnt some valuable experiences from being a senior leader last year and would like the opportunity to build on this. The trip to Wellington really helped a lot and I learnt some important leadership skills I would like to share. I am to become the best possible leader as I can, and believe I have some really good skills to offer that will help me to achieve this. I was to set a good example to help role-model these skills for the younger kids in school. I still need to work on becoming more confident, speaking in front of a group, so becoming a leader will help me achieve this.

TOBY STUBBS: My aim is to become a good leader to benefit our school. I used to be shy, but I am getting more confident. I feel being a school leader will help with this. I would like to make a difference. My sense of humour will hopefully help in this role too.

BRAYDEN BROWN: I enjoy rugby, riding bikes, swimming and helping with my little brother and sister. I am a great team player who likes to try new things.

REG VANNER: I have a friendly personality and have a positive attitude to life. I enjoy most practical tasks, including mechanics, engineering and woodwork. I am willing to give everything a go.

JOSHUA NORMAN: I like hunting, fishing, motocross, animals and swimming. I am aiming at setting high standards, being a good role model and finding solutions to problems.

What an exciting group of young leaders we have. It was impressed upon them the importance of them having a commitment to the school in the long term, not just this year, but looking towards the next 2-3 years — this will enable some of them to complete projects we begin together. We will be meeting weekly as a student leader council to discuss ideas to improve our school, celebrate successes and evaluate how we're doing. Next week—our deputy leaders :)

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IMPORTANT DATES

Monday 14th March

- ★ Kahikatea & Kapa Haka practise with Matua Grant
- ★ Guitar lessons
- ★ Keyboard lessons

Tuesday 15th March

- ★ Golf lessons (Whole School)
- ★ French Class (GPA—Year 7/8)
- ★ Technology (GPA—Year 7/8) SHOES PLEASE
- ★ Cricket Tournament—Y4,5,6 team
- ★ Public Library bus visit

Wednesday 16th March

- ★ Cluster Schools swimming sports at Reporoa College (PP day Fri 18th March) Notices have gone home
- ★ Alastair from SwimRotorua coaching swimming at Waikite Valley School
- ★ BOT meeting—6.45pm

Thursday 17th March Sharing Assembly

- ★ Room 3 will be Thursday 2.15
- ★ Room 1 Thursday 3.15
- ★ Mrs Topp in Wellington attending the New Zealand Principal's Federation Moot

Friday 15th April

- ★ Enviroschools facilitator (Amanda Jones) visiting school to work with Rm 4 on projects

Monday 21st March

- ★ PTA meeting 7pm (followed by AGM)

Tuesday 22nd March

- ★ BOP swimming champs at the Aquatic Centre

Tues 5th—Fri 8th April

- ★ CAMP—Rms 3 & 4

Friday 15th April

Camp and end of term celebration Assembly

HOCKEYSTICKS FOR THE SEASON

If your child/ren are playing hockey this year, you are welcome to use a school stick for the season. We have a large bag in the office, please come and help yourself to one. :)

POINTS TO NOTE

- ☺ Mrs. Curtis' office hours are Monday, 9-4pm, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday and 9-3pm Friday.
- ☺ The Public Library Bus visit **Tuesday 15th March**

SPORTS NOTICES



UPCOMING EVENTS!

ROTORUA MOTORCYCLE CLUB INTERSCHOOL CHAMPIONSHIPS: Primary/Intermediate

Saturday 19 March 2016. See Mrs Pearson for entry forms.

CRICKET WORLD CUP

Tuesday 15th March PP Thursday 17th: notices have gone home

MOTORCROSS

On Saturday 19 March: Entries must be made online—children concerned have taken information home.

MINI MARATHON: once again we are going to take the school to the Mini Marathon. **Most of our kids have entered & paid already! :) Entries close 18th March**

When: Thursday 14th April 2016 (No Postponement)

Venue: Energy Events Centre, Rotorua

Who: All Primary & Intermediate aged children - Year 1-8

Cost: \$5 per child.

See Mrs Pearson for an entry form.

Toy Donations

Katie Stephens is collecting 'no-longer-needed toys' and books for children in Rotorua Hospital. If you could help out with this special request, it would be appreciated! Please leave at the school office. **WELL DONE KATIE!**

Help us!

We are trying to locate our school banner and tarpaulin!

They easily pack into a sports bag—not huge, like an overnight bag!

We are thinking that, possibly, they have been picked up from the cluster cross country event last year, and most likely stored carefully, in someone's garage!

ASK yourself could that have been me?



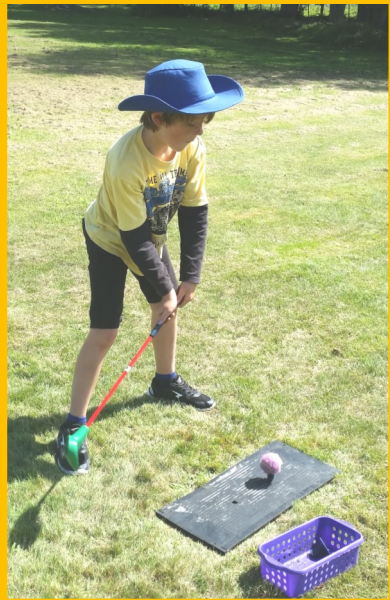
★Red Stag Timber

(especially Mike Rogers, Warren Hughes & Creed Brell) for donating and delivering a truck load of wood chips for our Native Garden project.

★Pat Schnuriger for his ongoing effort and enthusiasm with our cricket teams!



Room 3 & 4 taking to Golf like fish to water!



BOOK YOUR SEAT NOW!!

Bus leaving from Reporoa at 9am picking up in Taupo, returning after the show
 Tickets are \$220 each which includes entry to the show plus return bus travel
 Book through abi@centraltransport.co.nz 021 548845

Mrs Brown's Boys



Vector Arena, Auckland
 Sat 26th March 2016
 2.00pm Show

Good Mourning Mrs. Brown features the original cast, with Brendan O'Carroll as Mrs. Brown and will re-live many of audiences' favourite moments from the hit Channel 7 TV series with new scenes live on stage.
 "Australia was fuckin' amazing. We loved the experience of being Down Under and can't wait to get back," said Brendan O'Carroll from his home town of Dublin.
 In Good Mourning Mrs. Brown, we see Mrs. Brown and the whole family tackle the wake and funeral of Grandad Brown. There is just one problem, Grandad Brown is not dead! It's the usual unmissable side-splitting mayhem of Mrs. Brown's Boys live on stage!

Girl Guide Biscuits

Original \$3.50 or \$52.50 pkt of 15
 Chocolate \$3.50 or \$63.00 pkt of 18
 Mini Chocolate \$3.50 or \$56.00 pkt of 16



Contact: Shannon Cathcart 021 731 511 or 333 1638
 Or Carolyn Morris 021 292 2891 or 333 1560



MiCamp Kids Holiday camps are run every school holidays for children 8-12 at two beautiful sites.

Every holiday has a different theme and many exciting activities and games.

Camp fees are \$155 per camper and WINZ subsidies are available.



Register online at www.micamp.co.nz

AMAZING RACE

Kids Holiday Camps
 Taupo: 18th - 22nd April
 Whakamaru: 26th - 30th April
 Ages 8-12 \$155 per camper



Beauty menu from Svetlana

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- Manicure - \$45/pedicure - \$55
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- Waxing
- Tint/shape brows and lashes
- Wake-up with make-up - permanent make up for your brows, eyeliner and lip liner
- Make-up for special occasions
- Make-up lessons



Get the school newsletter e-mailed to you.

Simply email Kelly :
office@waikitevalley.school.nz **OR**
Get onto our school website and enter
your address onto the mailing list:
www.waikitevalley.school.nz

Waikite Valley School



Saturday 16 April

10am – 1pm

Where: On the School field

**Gala Activities * Sausage Sizzle *
Cakes * Refreshments & much more..**

⇒ \$10 per stall ⇐

Contact Shannon 021731511

or Pip 0210757803

to book your spot..



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Rental Property Wanted

My partner and I are looking to rent a property in Waikite or surrounding area. Looking for a 2 – 3 bedroom place that will allow for an outside dog and house trained cat, we are looking at anything between \$250 - \$350ish per week.

My number is 021 045 3701, or alternatively my email address is haidee.farrant@gmail.com.

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Christina Voorend
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Waikite Valley School PTA AGM

Where: Waikite Valley School Staffroom

When: Monday 21st March - meeting 7pm, followed by AGM (approx. 7.30pm)

We will have a cuppa and light supper. All welcome!

