



Waikite Valley School

Developing Learners for Life

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Weekly Panui Monday 4th July , 2016

Kia ora Koutou,

MIDDLE YEARS PARENTING WORKSHOP—concludes tomorrow night (Tuesday 5th), 6-8pm in the school staffroom.

SCHOOL JACKETS—We have 2 Macpac puffer jackets available to purchase. We have a size 4 and a size 12. They are embroidered with the school logo. They are a very reasonable \$100 each which will be invoiced at the end of the term. Please phone the office to purchase or come in .



CONGRATULATIONS - to our Year 5/6 team who competed at the Rotorua News Team Competition & came home CHAMPIONS!

Ka mau te wehi, Eilish Best, Katie Stephens & Gabriella Muller!

School holidays are upon us again. Please enjoy the break with your kids and encourage them to continue their learning over the holiday. Reading, writing, exploring, experimenting, playing & being creative are all exciting, valuable ways to spend time.

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AFTER SCHOOL CARE

FREE OF CHARGE

We are delighted to be able to again offer free after school care for the rest of the year, thanks to a generous grant from the First Sovereign Trust Ltd. This couldn't come at a better time for our farming whanau. Our after school club runs from 3-5pm daily in the school library. Tayla Curtis runs a relaxed program to give the kids downtime after school, and a teacher is always on site. If you need to use this service, please phone the office to let us know.



KAPA HAKA PERFORMANCE

If you would like a copy of the 2016 kapa haka performance, please drop a DVD/R to the office or \$5 to pay for one. If you get your order in this week you will get 1st week after the holidays.

This is a valuable fundraiser for school! Please support us



We have 8 x 20kg tubs of Klear Klenz to sell in order to raise funds. We would love to sell them at \$100 each. Phone the office to let us know how many you need! Ph. 333 1888



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IMPORTANT DATES

Wednesday 6th July

- ★ BOT meeting 6.30pm

Thursday 7th July

- ★ PTA meeting—Library 1.30pm
- ★ Maths Club—Shared Lunch with Maths club kids and whanau! 1.30pm
- ★ Rm 4 Sharing Assembly/CREST fair (2pm)
- ★ Mid-year parent/teacher conferences—interim reports on your child/rens National Standard Progress (3.10pm-7pm)

Friday 8th July

- ★ End of Term 2

Monday 25th July

- ★ Start of Term 3

SPORTS NOTICES



UPCOMING EVENTS!

JuniorTough Guy Challenge:

August 19th (next term) Entry fee \$20. Forms available from Mrs Pearson (Year 3-8)

NO HOCKEY GAMES IN THE HOLIDAYS. Next game is 30th July :)



* To you all for helping out this term when and where you were able. Our community really is at the heart of the school and our kids thrive when we all get together to make things happen. :)



Monday 6:30 — 7:30 Waikite Valley Hall

Wednesday 6:30 — 7:30 Ngakuru Hall

New students are always welcome to join us in our Zumba classes, please feel free to work at your own pace. Bring plenty of water, a towel, loose comfortable clothing and good supportive shoes. See you there! Cost is \$5.00, Students and Seniors \$3.00. 10th class is free! A Punch card representing 10 classes is available for purchase.

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PTA Fundraiser

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PUBLIC LIBRARY BUS

☺ **The Public Library Bus's next visit**
Tuesday 5th July

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Phone Melissa 0220968439

Get the school newsletter e-mailed to you.

Email Kelly: office@waikitevalley.school.nz

OR

Get onto our school website and enter your address onto the mailing list:
www.waikitevalley.school.nz

SCHOOL LEADERS NEWS

Hello everybody, this week the school leaders have been looking into new sports gear and we came up with the **yummy sticker donation that can win us free sports gear**. All you need to do is collect yummy stickers off your nectarines and apples and put them on the sheet attached to your newsletter, all yummy sticker sheets need to be in by 23rd September.



We have also been looking into giving our old unneeded school resources to schools in Papua New Guinea and the Solomon Islands.



Some of the school leaders have conducted a sports equipment stocktake. We have put the unicycles in room 2 so we can learn to ride them. We also found a number of good balls that we will inflate and put in the sports box for play-times. We have decided to rotate the equipment that is in the sports box so we have different stuff to play with.

School review.

We have seen kids caring for each other. This is something we will keep encouraging and looking out for. But not all of us are letting people play with each other. Please be kind if this is you. THANK YOU.



Parent/Teacher Interviews this Thursday:

Thank you to those who have made the time to visit with the teachers to talk about how your child/ren are going in school with their learning, as well as ways you can help at home to keep them progressing. There is so much research on how important the home-school links are, visiting with the teachers in school to talk about each and every child is essential to this link. It is also a great opportunity for you to share the passions, strengths and interests of your child/ren outside of school with the teachers. If you still need to make a time, please phone the office. The teachers will hand out national standard reports on the night.



Community Kindy Waikite Valley

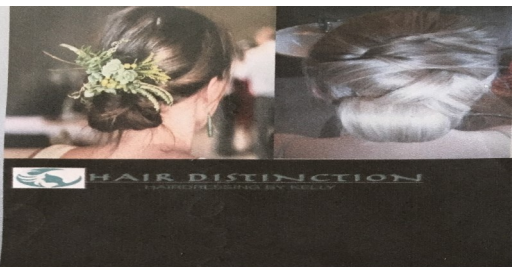
Community Kindy Waikite Valley has had an exciting month of June, further exploring our vibrant new learning environment, and creating meaningful relationships with our tamariki, parents/whanau, and local community. To celebrate Matariki we told stories of Mother Matariki and her six daughters, engaged in weaving crafts, collaboratively made a beautiful korowai with our children, and sang lots of waiata. We invited children and teachers from Topkids Pukuatua in Rotorua to join us for a shared lunch. We also visited Room 1 at Waikite Valley School where the older children shared with our younger children, what they had learnt, and the special things they made for Matariki. We are enjoying visits to Waikite Valley School every Friday afternoon for buddy reading, which promotes tuakana teina relationships. This is a great way for both our older and younger children to experience the school environment and develop their sense of belonging. Thank you Waikite School! A strong interest of our children is role-playing the story "We're going on a bear hunt." This has turned into a project where we have created brainstorming alongside our children and begun to make resources and props, to extend this interest. We are planning to create a Community Kindy Bear Hunt movie, utilising our local rural environment. We invite you to join us for Play and Stay every Friday, 9.30am-11.00am, for morning tea and coffee. This is a great way to meet new and local families in area. Everyone welcome!



- Catering for children aged 2 to 5 years old
- Morning and afternoon teas provided daily
- Fun and friendship for children
- Teachers from the local community

Get in touch

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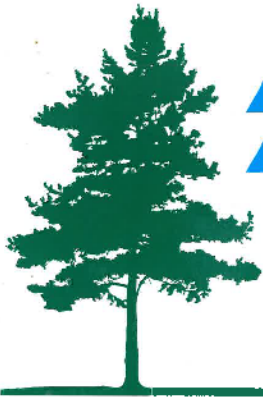
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