



Waikite Valley School

Developing Learners for Life

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Weekly Panui - Monday 1st April, 2019

Kia ora whanau,

I have been told by some parents that when they ask their child how their day was at school or what they did, they are given a shrug or "nothing much"... or similar. So I've put together some questions a kid will answer at the end of a long school day. Please try them and let me know if any worked! :)

1. What games did you play at morning tea/lunch?
2. What was the funniest thing that happened today?
3. Did anyone do anything super nice for you?
4. What was the nicest thing you did for someone else?
5. Who made you smile today?
6. Which one of your teachers would survive a zombie apocalypse? Why?
7. What challenged you today?
8. If one of your classmates could be the teacher who would you want it to be? Why?
9. If you had the chance to be the teacher, what would you teach the class?
10. Who do you want to make friends with but haven't yet? Why not?
11. What is your teacher's most important rule?
12. Tell me something you learned about a friend today.
13. What is one thing you did today that was helpful?
14. When did you feel most proud of yourself today?
15. What rule was the hardest to follow today?
16. What is one thing you hope to learn before the school year is over?

I will keep thinking a put a few each week to give you a broad range of ideas to get your kids talking about their day. I like to have this conversation around the dinner table, that way each child also hears about their siblings day, as well as the adults present joining in and talking about their day (with a slight adjustment to the question/s). Also, only ask 2-3 of these each day, with the most popular repeated if appropriate. :)

Teresa Topp (Principal)

ERO TIMETABLE (Term 2, Week 1) 2019

Monday 29th April

1.30pm - Leadership team interview

2.30pm - Parents & community - This will be held in our school library and we need you to attend (will be approximately 30 min). The external reviewers will ask about what makes our school unique, how well we are meeting the needs of the community and in particular the needs of each child in the school.

Tuesday 30th April

9.30am - BOT interview

11-11.45am - Staff interview

Afternoon - documentation review

Wednesday 1st May

9-11am - Classroom visits

Afternoon - documentation review

Thursday 2nd May

Morning - Write up

2.30pm - **BOT feedback session** from ERO reviewers



IMPORTANT DATES



★ **Tues 2nd - Fri 5th April**
- Pod 2, Room 4 &
GPA - Mi - Camp
Taupo

★ **Wed 10th April**
- GPA Sharing Assembly
2pm

- BOP Swimming Sports
at the Aquatic Centre (5
school representatives
competing)

★ **Friday 12th April**
Term 1 ends

★ **Monday 29th April**
Term 2 starts

**ERO WILL BE EVALUATING
OUR SCHOOL THIS WEEK :)**

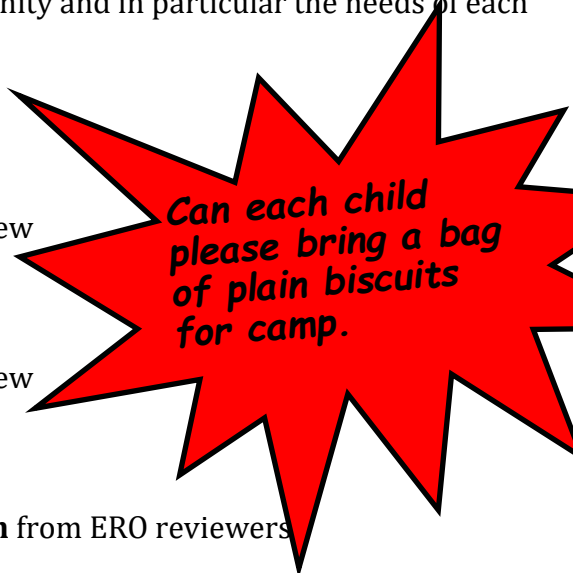
**2.30pm - Education
Review Office meeting
with parents in our
library**

★ **Friday 3rd May**
Mini Marathon -
Permission and payment
must be at
school by
5th April



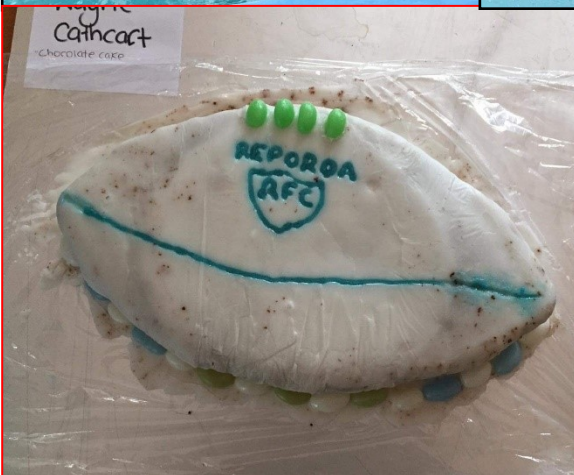
**A huge
thanks to
all the
Parents who are
helping with Camp
this**

year. CAMP



Swimming With Alastair from SwimRotorua

Hearty souls braving the lessons with Alastair today the main learning is around safety and what to do if you ended up falling in a cold river or sea. Overcoming the initial panic and staying calm. Great swimming lessons. The pool will be closed for the season starting Monday.



MAN CAKES

We had 10 cakes and raised **\$289.50** from them!

Blokes who baked were:

Tim Braithwaite
Edwin Schweizer
Mike and Dakota France
Daniel Hornby
Chase Oldfield
Johnny Versteynen
Wayne Cathcart
Stephen Woulfe
Campbell Wheeler
Baz & Josie Morris



ANZAC Day service – Waikite Valley School

Waikite Valley School will be laying a wreath at the ANZAC Day 2019 Civic Memorial Service. The service will be held at the Rotorua Energy Events Centre in the Government Gardens. The Civic Memorial Service will be preceded by parade participants assembling at 8.45am at the Lakefront Memorial (intersections of Fenton and Whakaue Streets), with the parade to the Energy Events Centre commencing at 9am. The Civic Memorial Service will commence at 9.30am at the Energy Events Centre.

Mrs Dinning will meet all students and their families around the front of Lime Café at 8.30am.

We are inviting all students and their whanau to represent our school and 4 of them will lay the wreath on behalf of all of our students and staff. We hope they will wear our school shirts, over a thermal long sleeve, or their school hoody or puffer jacket. If they are school leaders they can wear their school leader shirts with their school leader or house captain badges.

Desperately Seeking Rental



I am a single mum of 4 studying a Bachelor of Applied Management. I am a quiet, tidy tenant, pay rent in full and on time and have a Vet Nursing Certificate, Level 3 Ag Certificate. Level 3 & 4 Business Admin certificates and hands on relief milking and calving experience. Happy to take on milkings, calf rearing duties or other farm/office work around my class schedule.

Looking for a 3 bedroom, pet friendly home preferably in the Waikite or Ngakuru areas.

Please contact Melissa 0224669744

*References Available



SKILLS CLINIC



Saturday 30th March 10.30 – 12.00pm, 25m pool

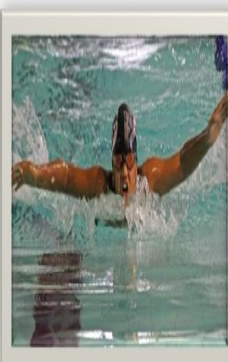
Wednesday 3rd April 5.30 – 6.30pm, 50m pool

The Skills Clinic is open to all young swimmers and is particularly suited to those competing at

Interschool Swimming Sports

Upskill your knowledge before Interschool swimming sports

Starts
Turns
Finishes
Speed
Technique



This is a free skills clinic General admission payable at the door

Sports Notice Board



CBOP Swimming Champs -

Wednesday 10th April at the Aquatic Centre.

Thank you for returning your forms.

Mini Marathon - Please get these forms back to the Office ASAP.

DATE: Friday 3rd May 2019

TIME: Marshals briefing 9.15am, first race starts 10am

VENUE: Energy Events Centre, Queens Drive, Rotorua

COST: \$5.00 per Child

Entries strictly close Friday 5th April



Sport Bay of Plenty
more people, more active, more often

Some photos of the Gala tug of war and Mini Putt



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