

Waikite Valley School

Developing Learners for Life

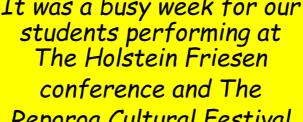
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It was a busy week for our students performing at The Holstein Friesen conference and The Reporoa Cultural Festival





WEDNESDAY 26TH JUNE

- **⋆Open Day/ Student led Learning Tours:** 8am-4pm
- **★ BOT Meeting 6.00pm**

MONDAY 1st JULY

- PTA meeting 3.15pm
- **EFTPOS facilities in** the school office all week

THURSDAY 4TH JULY

★GPA Sharing Assembly - 2.15pm in the Community Hall

FRIDAY 5th JULY

★Last School Day Term 2 (3pm finish)

SATURDAY 6th JULY

★COMMUNITY EVENT -Western Hoedown! Tickets available from the office and Shannon Cathcart 021731511

MONDAY 22nd JULY

★ First day of Term 3



We are holding our Student-Led Learning Tours on Wednesday 26th June. You are welcome to come into school and look through your child's classroom while the school is running as usual. Your child will be prepared to show you around & talk about their learning goals and successes this year. You are

welcome anytime from 8am-4pm.



A big thanks to all our Waikite Valley School parents and Caregivers who helped with transport and in general at the Reporoa Cultural Festival.

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Room 4 Sharing Assembly

What a delightful mix of formal learning tasks and creative exploration. We were enthralled with pick-a-path style story-writing, stop-motion movies using reverse play technology, a display of science tasks measuring weather phenomena (wind speed - anemometer, air pressure - barometer etc.), posters displaying different forms of measurement and a range of learning related to Matariki. The class demonstrated a mindful breathing activity with Te Reo. A selected reading group also performed a play about Maui and his brothers fishing up New Zealand. Our sharing assemblies are a small window into the day-to-day classroom experiences, and a celebration for our school whanau to enjoy their tamariki being given the opportunity to show what they can do. :)

HEADLICE NOTICE

There has been a report of head-lice in our school.

During term time we ask that you follow the simple CHECK, TREAT, COMPLETE routine below to ensure you are doing your bit to prevent the spread and reinfestation of students:

CHECK

- Your child's hair once a week.
- Use a proper detection comb with teeth no more than 0.3 mm apart to trap head lice
- If head lice are spotted, treat the whole family, including yourself and ask close family and friends to check as well.

TREAT

- You can make an appointment with the doctor who can prescribe remedies which will be hugely subsidized if purchased as a prescription
- Use a clinically proven treatments, which lice are very unlikely to build up a resistance
- Leave the treatment on for the recommended time for maximum effect COMPLETE
- Repeat the treatment for a second time seven days after the first to kill any lice that may hatch from eggs during that time
- Check that all head lice have gone within two to three days of the final application of head lice treatment to complete the process.

You will also need to check the rest of your family and wash bedding and hats etc. Please also ensure that you continue to check every few days, as no single treatment is 100% effective and follow up treatment and checking is essential to break the cycle. Head lice can spread easily and treatment can be costly and time consuming for all concerned so your prompt attention to this issue is appreciated. The school holidays are an excellent opportunity to eradicate this issue from the school.

Thank you for your co-operation.

The Staff - Waikite Valley School.





HOCKEY

If your child is unable to make their game - please contact your team manager so we can organise back-up

Please ensure children have their hockey sticks and mouth guards for training (MONDAY & THURSDAY) and their games.

The Valley Strikers - Yr 7-8 training on Monday afternoons 4pm - 5.30pm at Waikite Valley School AstroTurf.

All other teams train during lunch.

AFTER SCHOOL CARE

After school care is available daily from 3-5pm in the school

library. This is run free of charge thanks to a grant from First Sovereign Trust. If your child/ren are going to be at ASC, please let the office know. Any children on school grounds after 3pm without their parent/caregiver will need to attend ASC so that we know they are safe on school grounds until they are picked up. Thanks for supporting us!

Friends of Walkite Valley School





