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Waikite Valley School

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We are: **Confident, Optimistic, Unique, Respectful, Adventurous, have Grit, Enthusiastic**



Kia ora and Welcome to Week 10

We are nearly at the end of yet another busy term. We've had cross country, mini-marathon, Life Education, Hilary Outdoors, technology for Yr 7 and 8, Te reo lessons and of course our fantastic community effort to put on a hangi to celebrate Matariki. Reports are due out and I can say your child/ren have been working very hard with lots of things to be truly proud of.

Staffing Updates for Term 3

We welcome Mrs Burns (Whaea Shandy) back from maternity leave to her teaching position in Room 2.

We say thank you to Ms Bowman for covering Thursdays and Fridays in Room 3 this term. Ms Kylie Goddard will be taking over and job sharing with Mrs Pearson.

Mrs Hunter will be joining Room 4 to lead our seniors.

BOT By - Election

The Waikite Valley School Board of Trustees has a Casual Vacancy available as Tracy Bain has resigned. The B.O.T. would like to thank Tracy for her contribution to the Governing Body.

Waikite Valley School is looking for nominations for our Board of Trustees!

You do not need to be a parent to stand for election. The full list of who is eligible to stand in the election as a candidate is on the nomination form. Nomination forms are available on our FaceBook page (pinned to top) . They are also available at the office.

The electoral roll is held at the school and can be viewed during normal school hours. As nominations are received, there will be a list of candidates' names kept at the school office up until election day , Wednesday 4th September 2024, which you can view.

Please have these returned to the school office ASAP (no later than Wednesday 31st July)

If you have any questions regarding the By - Election please see Kelly Curtis, Returning Officer, at the school office, 8:30am-4pm daily mob: 021 294 9633 E: office@waikitevalley.school.nz

If you have any questions or concerns about any of the above please do not hesitate to contact me.

Kind regards,
Sue Ratcliffe
Principal

Email: principal@waikitevalley.school.nz

Term Dates

July

5 **Term 2 Ends**

22 **Term 3 Begins**

22- 2 August Keeping Ourselves Safe Programme

23 PTA Meeting 6:30 pm

August

1 Student Leader Day

12 Pod 1 and Rm 2 Fire safety

27/28 Parent Meetings

29 Student leader Day

Tough guy and girl

30 Cultural Festival

September

4-6 Snow Camp Yr 7 and 8

9-13 AIMS GAMES Yr 7 and 8

16 WVS speech competition

17 Rip, Grip and Whip

24 Reporoa Cluster Speech Competition

26 Jack Te Nahu Speech Competition

- Getting ready for Pet Day (Term 4)



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JUNE 24

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Waikite Valley School PTA Bull Calf Donation Scheme 2024

*Are you willing to support our school by donating
a reared calf, or a virtual calf this year?*

DONATE A CALF / VIRTUAL CALF TO THE SCHOOL PTA

School families and friends of the school can either rear a calf to donate to the School PTA,
or donate a virtual calf instead.

- Farmers rear a calf through to weaning
- Calf dehorned and entire
- Calves will need to be dropped off on an arranged day.

Must be NAIT tagged/registered and have an ASD form
(otherwise they can't be picked up)

- A receipt will be issued by the PTA for the donation
(the PTA is a registered charity)
- Any amount will be accepted as a virtual calf

Collection site, date and time will be coordinated nearer the time

FOR MORE INFORMATION, OR IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO
CONFIRM YOUR CALF DONATION, PLEASE CONTACT
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We appreciate your generosity
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2024 B.O.P. Cross Country Championships, Waipuna Park, Tauranga



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