

Waikite Valley School

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Marae Visits 2025



<mark>When:</mark> Frida Frida

Friday 21st February Friday 7th March Friday 21st March Friday 4th April Room: POD 1 Room: Rm 2 Room: Rm 3 Room: Rm 4

Where: Rooms 1, 2 and 4 will be visiting Mataarae marae. Room 3 will be visiting Waimahana marae.

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

As part of the Te Puna ahu Reo programme, the Ngati Tahu/Ngati Whaoa runanga have offered us the opportunity to visit local marae, take part in a pohiri, learn about local history and take part in arts and crafts.

The children will be preparing for their visits in their weekly sessions with Matua Grant.

Each class will visit on a separate day, and whilst we will take the school van we will be looking for extra transport and helpers for the trips.

We will leave school at the end of morning tea (11.30am) to meet at the Marae by 12 pm, returning to school at 2.30pm for the end of day.

Thank you for your support and assistance.

Sheryl Pearson (Cultural Leader) Developing Learners for Life

Marae Visit - RETURN SLIP

I give permission for my child/ren	to attend the Marae visit trip.
I can provide transport.	YES/NO
If providing Transport please answer below:	
I agree to drive with zero alcohol/drug consumption	YES/NO
My car has a current WOF	YES/NO
I have a full driver's license	YES/NO
NAME Mob Ph:	
My car seats including my child/ren	
I am unable to help and my child/ren will require transport. $\qedsymbol{\square}$	
SIGNED:	DATE:
Mob. Ph:	