



Waikite Valley School

Developing Learners for Life

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Weekly Panui - Monday 3rd February, 2020

Kia ora whanau

We have a busy week with the SwimMagic tutors in teaching swimming survival skills and the Life Education Caravan with Harold the Giraffe teaching a range of health topics to the classes.

Your classroom teacher will send a letter home to you today with information about the learning your child/ren will be involved in this term. Please take some time to have a look over and talk with your child about their goals for the term. Next Thursday (13 February) we will be holding our Parent/Teacher conferences with the purpose of these are to meet the teacher, share your child's interests, goals & challenges, what your aspirations for them are and any concerns you may have. The teachers will share their classroom expectations and home learning plans. That way we all start the year on the same page and can plan for an exciting year of achievement.



The first camp notice is also coming home today, with the greatest urgency on confirming attendance/permission and establishing parent-help indications for planning and police vet applications. Please return this as soon as possible :)

Teresa Topp (Principal)

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School Hats



Please remember you need a school hat to wear at Morning Tea and Lunch. If you need a school hat, please order at the office. All sizes \$20.

Please let us know via the FaceBook survey if you need a paper copy of the newsletter, or if the electronic emailed version is sufficient...

Posts

Waikite Valley School created a poll.
Published by Teresa-Andy Topp [?] · Yesterday at 7:56 AM ·

Do you require a paper copy of our weekly newsletter?

Yes

No

IMPORTANT DATES



Mon 3rd Feb - Wed 5th Feb

- ★ Life Education Caravan - Bernie & Harold (Health programs being taught to all classes)

Mon 3rd Feb - Fri 7th Feb

- ★ Swim Magic lessons - in our school pool with tutors

Thurs 6th Feb

- ★ **Waitangi Day (Public Holiday)**

Saturday 8th February

- ★ Agrikids Regional Competition - 2 teams from GPA competing in Hamilton

Mon 10th Feb

- ★ PTA Meeting 3.15pm in the staffroom



Wednesday 12th Feb

- ★ BOT meeting - 6.30pm

Thursday 13th Feb

- ★ Parent/Teacher Conferences 3.30-8pm

Tues 3rd March

- ★ RATS Duathlon

TUESDAY 17 MARCH - FRIDAY 20 MARCH

- ★ **SCHOOL CAMP AT MICAMP WHAKAMARU (POD 2, ROOM 4 & GPA)**

Stationery Lists and School Fees 2020



Stationery lists

These are available from the Office, on the school Facebook page and website.

School Fees

This includes items/activities/levies such as Photocopy Levy, Activities fee (Day trips), Life Education Caravan costs, Reading Diary, My Word Books etc.

<u>School Fees</u>	<u>per Year</u>	<u>per Term</u>
Pod 1	\$60.00 per Student	\$15.00
Pod 2	\$80.00 per Student	\$20.00
Room 4	\$80.00 per Student	\$20.00
GPA	\$260.00 per Student	\$65.00

GPA (Graduate Pathways Academy) fees also include Snow Camp, Lego League, Technology materials and overnight EOTC etc

School Camp Fee

Whakamaru Mi Camp Tuesday 17th – Friday 20th March, 2020

\$100 per Child attending (Pod 2, Room 4, GPA), this covers food, accommodation, activities and instruction (actual cost is over \$250.00 per child). This is subsidised by our WVS PTA and a grant of \$5200 from NZCT.

All Whanau who have paid their full years fees by the 1st April 2020 will go in the draw to win a **\$100 Countdown voucher**.

We welcome ongoing payment plans if it is easier for your whanau to pay off over time.

PAYMENT OPTIONS

Automatic Payment

Bank Account Details – Waikite Valley School 12-3155-0006515-00

Please use Childs Name and a description of what the payment is for.

EFTPOS

Available at the school office. Credit cards accepted.

CHEQUE

Made out to: Waikite Valley School





Pod 1 have been taking part in a new program called '6 Bricks'. Why six bricks? When they are engaged and challenged in playful ways, children practice skills for learning:

- * Language - describing, giving instructions, explaining your reasons, and telling stories
- * Problem solving - achieve a task or challenge set goals and make plans, come up with creative ideas, and reflect on what you do
- * Collaborate by working together in pairs or teams, share turns and the materials you work with, learn from each other, and learn about roles and responsibilities



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Room 4 students ready to start creating nets in miniature that resemble their chosen food package. Many thanks to everyone that brought empty packets - we have plenty now to support further learning.



MiCamp
MiCamp Trust presents

**WHAKAMARU
OPEN DAY**

- FREE EVENT -
GREAT FAMILY DAY OUT

MiCamp Whakamaru is based on an Island on lake Whakamaru with so much to offer. Come and see for yourself! Grab your whanau, bring a picnic and come enjoy your local camp, community and some great activities.

ALL AFTERNOON:

Swimming // Field Games // Sausage Sizzle // Music // And More!

ACTIVITIES:

11-12pm - Zipline, & Archery
12.30pm - Informative Site Walk
12-1pm - Air Rifles & Zipline
1-2pm - Sling Paint
1.30pm - prizes for sharp shooters

Activities/times may change due to weather.
All children must be supervised by parent/caregiver

JOIN US

FEBRUARY 8TH | 11AM - 2PM
MICAMP WHAKAMARU, 1105 ONGAROTO ROAD

For more details, visit www.micamp.co.nz/our_events

2020 Term Dates

Term 1	28th January - 9 April
Term 2	28th April - 3rd July
Term 3	20th July - 25 September
Term 4	12th October - 11th December



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 One Foundation. If your child/ren are going to be at ASC, please let the office know. Any children on school grounds after 3pm without a caregiver will need to attend ASC so that we know they are safe on school grounds until they are picked up.



PUMP TRACK ROSTER

POD 1—Monday

POD 2—Tuesday

ROOM 4 —Wednesday

GPA — Thursday

Waikite Valley School Lunch Price List

<i>Hawaiian & Meat lovers Pizza</i>	<i>\$2.50</i>
<i>Sausage Rolls</i>	<i>\$1.00</i>
<i>Good & Tasty Pies</i> mince or mince & cheese.	<i>\$2.50</i>
<i>Juicies & Moosies</i>	<i>\$1.00</i>



Community Kindy Waikite Valley

FREE Play & Stay every Friday 9.30am-11am

This is a great way to meet new and local families in area.
Everyone welcome!

- *Teachers from the local community
- *Catering for children aged 2 - 5 yrs old
- *Morning and afternoon teas provided

Fun & friendship for children

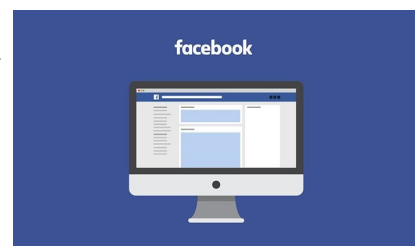
OPEN: 7.30am-5.30pm Mon-Fri

Get in touch

Phone: (07) 562 4623



Please refer to our School Facebook for daily notices, to send us a message regarding absentees, after school care or bus changes. We check this regularly and post information frequently :)



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