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# Waikite Valley School

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



At Waikite Valley School we aspire to:

- be **Confident**
- be **Optimistic**
- be **Unique**
- be **Respectful**
- be **Adventurous**
- have **Grit**
- be **Enthusiastic**

## The Heads-up for the week ahead.....

**WEDNESDAY** - School Photos - including hockey teams (please have uniforms & stick)  
- BOT Meeting 6.30pm

**FRIDAY** - **Calendar ART orders due**  
**ATHLETICS TRAINING DAILY**


### UPCOMING DATES:

**Monday 9 November** - WVS Athletics Day  
**Monday 16 November** - Mayor Steve Chadwick and Cr Fisher Wang - Powhiri & tour of school 12pm  
**Tues 17 Nov-Thurs 19 Nov** - GPA Beach Camp (Ohope)  
**Tues 17 Nov-Fri 20 Nov** - W.V.S. Scholastic Book Fair  
**Tues 17 Nov** - Road Safety Puppet Show  
**Friday 20 November** - Reporoa Cluster Athletics Day

SCHOLASTIC Book Fairs

YOU'RE INVITED TO OUR SCHOLASTIC **BOOK FAIR**

ELEPHANTS, TIGERS, AND BOOKS, OH MY!



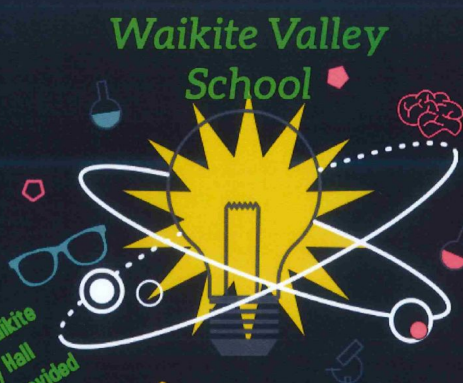
FIND THESE BOOKS AND HUNDREDS MORE AT THE FAIR!

Date 17-20 November, 2020 Time 8.30-9am & 2.45-3.30pm  
Place Waikite Valley School Library

EVERY PURCHASE YOU MAKE EARNS LEARNING AND LITERACY RESOURCES FOR OUR SCHOOL

SCHOLASTIC

Waikite Valley School



\*At the Waikite Valley Hall  
\*Supper Provided

# TRIVIA NIGHT

Friday 27 November 2020

\*Spot prizes  
\*Expos available

Waikite Valley Quiz Night  
Trophy up for grabs

DOORS OPEN AT 6:30 PM TRIVIA STARTS AT 7:00 PM  
\$60 per team/Tables of 6 players

Register by Wednesday 25th November at office@waikitevalley.school.nz or phone 021 2949633



## PHOTO DAY IS COMING!



### Pack 1

One copy  
of 8 x 10  
photo

**\$21.00**

### Pack 2

4 copies of the  
same photo  
6x4 size

**\$22.00**

### Pack 3

3 copies of the  
same photo  
5x7 size

**\$23.00**

### Pack 4

8x10" Portrait Photo  
5x7 Enlargement  
One Postcard print  
2 x Wallet size photos

**\$25.00**

### Pack 5

Grandparents  
pack.  
1 x 8x10"  
2 x 5x7"

**\$26.00**

**Class Photos \$15 each**



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**PHOTO DAY**  
**Waikite Valley School**  
**Wed 4th November**

## PHOTOS THIS WEDNESDAY

Masterpiece Photography will visit our school on Wednesday this week to take photos of our students. They will take a photo of every student, every family group, every class and the hockey teams.

They then provide us with the order envelopes which will come with the photo that they take of your children. This means that you can see exactly what you are ordering. If you have a preschool sibling who you would like to have in your family photo, please bring them in around 9.30am - you may have to be patient as it can take a little while to get everything done properly. The products have always turned out at a very high standard. Orders will need to be in quite quickly to ensure we receive the packs before the end of the school year.



## END OF YEAR SCHOOL INVOICES

Attached to this newsletter are the end of year invoices for each student. We rely on your payments to ensure our school can afford the resources necessary to provide the education our kids need. The school struggles with finances, largely due to our status as a Decile 10z school. The Ministry of Education uses deciles to target funding, for state and state-integrated schools, to help them overcome any barriers to learning that students from lower socio-economic communities might face. The higher the school's decile, the less funding it receives. Therefore, we receive the least amount of government funding given we are the highest decile possible. This means that the money we request in our invoices is absolutely needed for the basic running costs of the school.

Please pay any outstanding amounts before **4th December** so we can tidy up our accounts before the end of the year. If we have made an error on the invoice, please phone, message or email us so we can rectify it.

Payments can be made in installments via direct debit (Waikite Valley School - 12-3155-0006515-00), with a cheque, using the EFTPOS at the office or with cash.

Any monies outstanding at 4th December will handed to the School Board of Trustees to follow up.

## TOUGH GUY & GAL 2020





PLEASE SUPPORT LOCAL BUSINESSES THAT SUPPORT US:

