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25TH JULY 2024

Waikite Valley School

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



Kia ora and Welcome to Term 3.

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!

The time has come for us to call for nominations for a Board of Trustees parent representative.

Being a school trustee is an interesting and important role that needs people with different skills and experiences with a common goal of helping all students achieve.

There is plenty of support and courses to help new trustees learn about the role and so you do not need to have done it before. Parents, caregivers and people from the wider community can be nominated for election.

Skills to have:

Work well in a team

Able to ask challenging questions

Good communication skills

Nomination forms will be sent home to all parents/caregivers today.

Please ask Sophia Burton, Mary Briggs, Mike France, Kelly Weston or Sue Ratcliffe if you would like to know more.

For more information please go to www.trustee-election.co.nz

Please have the nomination form returned to the school office ASAP (no later than 12pm 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

- 22 Term 3 Begins
- 22- 2 August Keeping Ourselves Safe Programme
- 23 PTA Meeting 6:30 pm
- 24 BOT Meeting 4 pm

August

- 1 Student Leader's Day
- 8 CBOP Squash Yr 5-8
- 12 Pod 1 and Rm 2 Fire safety
- 13 PTA Meeting 6:30pm
- 15 NIWA Science Fair
- 23 Dan the Fireman Pod 1 and Room 2
- 27/28 Parent Meetings
- 29 Student leader's Day
Tough Guy and Girl
- 30 Cultural Festival


September

- 4-6 Snow Camp Yr 7 and 8
- 10 PTA Meeting 6:30pm
- 9-13 AIMS GAMES Yr 7 and 8
- 13 Disco
- 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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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

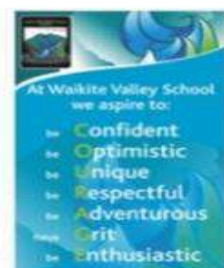
School families and friends of the school can either rear a calf to donate to the School PTA,
or donate a virtual calf instead.

- 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
DENISE 0210 271 2476

We appreciate your generosity
Thankyou



Please Return all Pet Day and Speech Competition cups to the Office A.S.A.P



URGENT!!

We are on the lookout for a red fencing spade (belongs to one of our whānau) that may have accidentally been picked up at our hangi last term.

Please hand it into the office so we can return it to the owner.
Thank you

WAIKITE VALLEY SCHOOL LUNCH PRICE LIST

Mince & Mince & Cheese Pies	\$3.00
Sausage Rolls	\$3.00
Juicies	\$1.00
Moosies	\$1.50



After school art lessons with Janet Keen enrolling now. Drawing, painting, mosaics, over 30 lessons to choose from. Thursdays 3.30pm to 4.30pm and 4.35pm to 5.35pm. Enrolling for the remainder of term 3. And 4. Small classes, friendly, safe, organic environment. From age 7 and upwards.

All Enquiries welcome. Phone 027 351 3887 or email janet@jkeen.net.
374 Clayton Road, Rotorua



VALUES AWARDS - TERM 2, WEEK 10

Stay
Optimistic



Pod 1 - Penelope McNaull & Boyd Holmes



Rm 2 - Nathan Barry & Ayla Roche



Rm 3 - Monet Kidd, Hunter Martin & George Coker



Rm 4 - Lochy Moyes & Laila Gielen



Principal's Award
Louie Atkinson


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