



DEVELOPING LEARNERS FOR LIFE

24TH OCTOBER 2025

Waikite Valley School

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

Kia ora whānau,

End of Week Round-Up

As we wrap up another busy week, we'd like to extend a huge thank you to all our parents and caregivers for your patience and support during the recent strike and school closure. Your understanding is greatly appreciated.

A big well done to everyone who took part in Group Day today - photos and results will be announced next week. A special thank you to our wonderful PTA for organising the pack-up of Group Day in Reporoa and getting everything ready for us to host in 2026.

A quick reminder that **school will be closed on Tuesday, 28 October**. All staff will be attending our second MOE Teacher Only Day which is focused on the Maths curriculum.

We hope everyone enjoys a restful weekend, and we look forward to another great week ahead!

JUST A REMINDER: If you have any questions or concerns about your child/ren please see the class teacher in the first instance.

Kind regards

Sue Ratcliffe (Principal) principal@waikitevalley.school.nz

 Raffle at Chandler Mechanical 

We're helping fundraise for Waikite Valley School's new playground ☀

Tickets are just \$2 each or 3 for \$5 — available at the counter.

The prize is a retro cooler filled with some yummy goodies and a BBQ seasoning pack.

The winner will be drawn once the book sells.

October

Mon 27 **LABOUR DAY- school closed**

Tue 28 **MOE Maths Day 2-Teacher only day-school closed**

November

Mon 10 School Photos

Tues 11 WVS Athletic Sports

Wed 12 Book Fair Opens

Thurs 13 Athletics Post Ponement day

Tues 18 Book Fair Closes

Wed 19 Cluster Athletics

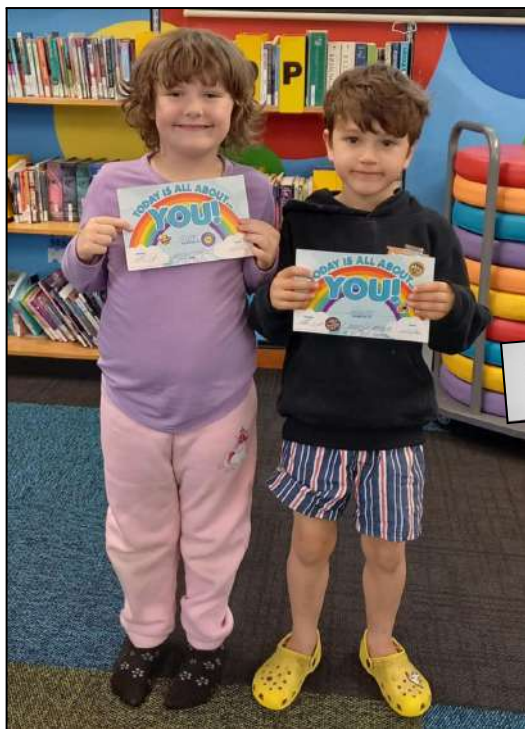
Wed 26 B.O.T Meeting

December

Tues 9 Prize Giving 1.30pm

Wed 10 FINAL DAY OF TERM

Term 4 , Week 3 Values Assembly



Respect
Others

Unique



Pod 1 - Harper Martin & Grayson Sowman

Rm 2 - Sophie Cowien, Charlotte Lischner & Henry Atkinson

Grit



Adventures



Rm 3 - Hugh Van - Twuiver, Hunter Martin & Bailey Holmes

Principal's Award - Sophie Cockery

WAIKITE VALLEY SCHOOL LUNCH PRICE LIST

Oxford Sausage Roll	\$3.00
Big Ben Cheese Sausage Roll	\$3.00
Oxford Mince & Cheese Pie	\$4.00
Oxford Mince Pie	\$ 3.50
Juicies	\$1.50
Moosies	\$2.00

Price increase from Term 4



PHOTO DAY COMING SOON



Pack 1

1 copy
8 x 10 inch

\$22

Pack 2

4 copies
6x4 inch

\$24

Pack 3

3 copies
5x7 inch

\$25

Pack 4

1 copy 8x10, 1 copy 5x7,
1 postcard print,
2 x Wallet size photos

\$26

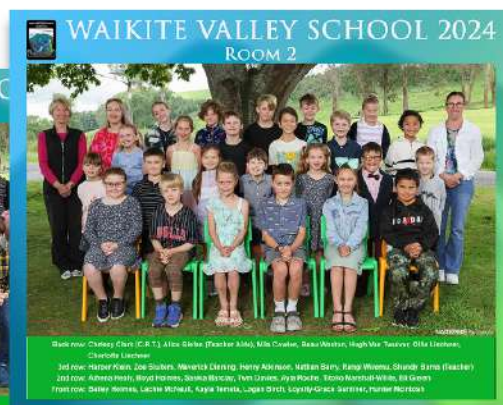
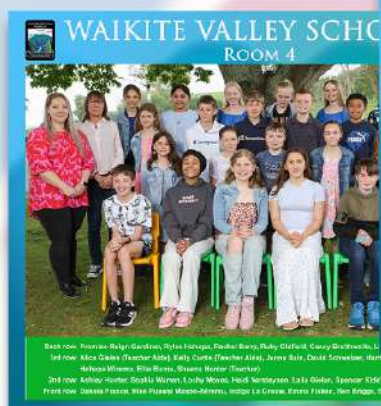
Pack 5

1 copy 8x10,
2 copies 5x7

\$27

Please note packs cannot be split across multiple images

Class Photos \$17 each



Information for ordering online will be sent out after photo day
 We will be taking individual & sibling photos of every child present

Photo Day

Waikite Valley School

Monday 10th

November

PLEASE SUPPORT THE BUSINESSES THAT SUPPORT US



100% MADE OF NEW ZEALAND



ONE STEP > AHEAD

