



DEVELOPING LEARNERS FOR LIFE

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Waikite Valley School

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

Kia ora e te whānau,

As we near the end of the school year, we have a number of exciting events taking place next week.

Monday - Student Fun Day

This will be a fun-filled day led by our student leaders. tamariki are encouraged to come dressed in their house colours.

Tuesday - Prizegiving and shared afternoon tea

Our class visits with their new teacher for 2026 will take place on Tuesday morning, followed by Prizegiving at 1pm. We warmly invite everyone to stay afterward outside the library for a shared afternoon tea and a cuppa. If you are able, a plate to share would be very welcome.

End of Year Reports emailed out on Tuesday.

Wednesday- School Ends for the Year at 3pm.

A huge thank you to everyone who helped with transport to the Collaborative Children's Conference. Congratulations to our outstanding student leaders – Sophia Warren, Laila Gielen, Ryder Trumper, and Jackson Elliston – for delivering excellent *Future Me*-inspired workshops. We are incredibly proud of you all.

A big shout-out to our wonderful parent helpers who supported the school in getting the pool ready for our Fun Day: Cole and Kelly Weston, Denise Temata and Rochelle Hoole. We truly appreciate your mahi.

Lunches - Available in the last week of school are cheese sausage rolls, chocolate & blue moon moosies and lemonade & tropical juices

Ngā mihi nui

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

Monday 2 February - Term 1 2026 begins

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now and
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rush!**

Class lists are
ready to view at
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Term 4, Week 9 Values Assembly



Grit



Unique



Stay Optimistic

Pod 1 - Elsie Waterworth & Tessa Morrissey

Rm 2 - Athena Healey & Hookah Hase

Rm 3 - Ollie Lischner & Zoe Sluiters



Adventures



COURAGE

Respect Others

Waikite Valley School Bus Monitors 2025

Rm 4 - Lahzaro Whare - Collier & Laila Gielen



Principals Award - Lochy Moyes

Tuakana P's.O.D



Waikite Valley Tuakana Touch Rugby team - Runners up 2025



Children's Collective Conference





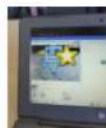


REPOROA COLLEGE

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Waikite Show Case

The Reporoa College Technology Department hosted Waikite Primary for 2025! Students engaged with Coding, Create a Website, Construction, Music, 3D printing and Food Technology.





PRESENTS

COUNTRY KIDS

FOOTBALL HUB

Thursday, January 8th - Thursday, February 12th.

4.30pm-6.00pm | Ngakuru School field

WHO:

Ages 5-13 - for kids from Ngakuru, Horohoro, Atiamuri, Waikite and beyond. Boys and girls of all abilities welcome.

PRICE:

Only \$20 for all five weeks!

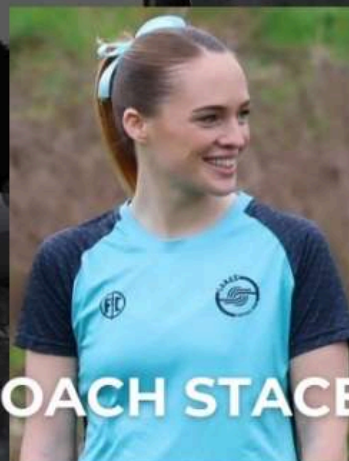
WHATS ON?

Fun skill sessions, games, confidence on the ball and small sided games.

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