

Waikite Valley School

We are: **CONFIDENT, UNIQUE, RESPECTFUL** and we have **GRIT**



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**THANK YOU BAYDEN MOYES
(EX STUDENT) FOR COACHING
OUR INTERMEDIATE HOCKEY TEAM
THIS YEAR**

STUDENT QUESTION OF THE WEEK:

What's one thing you'd
like the school to have?

Calves because they are
cute and cuddly we
could feed them.

Elsie Waterworth

DID YOU KNOW?

Candy Floss was
invented by a dentist
back
in 1897.



DEPUTY PRINCIPALS CORNER



Today we farewell Sheena Searle. Thank you for your time at Waikite Valley School, Sheena, and we wish you well in your new endeavours.

What a busy week it has been in school. The Seniors have left for Snow Camp today and on Friday we have Constable Mathew visiting the tamariki as part of the Keeping ourselves Safe Programme. Thank you for your support with the homework component of this.

We'd love to celebrate our students' achievements beyond the classroom! If your child plays any sport or does activities outside of school, please send through photos to office@waikitevalley.school.nz so we can feature them in our weekly newsletter.



Waikite Valley School Lunch Price List



Please note: Prices have recently increased

Sausage Rolls	\$3.00
Mince & Cheese Pie - Johns Pies	\$4.00
Mince Pie - Oxford Pies	\$4.50
Juicies	\$1.50
Moosies	\$2.00

upcoming EVENTS

JULY 20th START OF TERM 3

August

25th - Junior Tough Guy & Girl

27th (Thurs) Senior Kapa Haka Council Performance

Sep

7-11th (Mon-Fri) A.I.M.s Games yrs 7&8

22nd (Tues) Rip, Grip & Whip Yrs 4 - 8



WEEK 3: VALUES ASSEMBLY

POD 1

Haruka Hase & Lexi Fear



ROOM 2

Jackson Warren & Jorja Roche
(absent)



ROOM 3

Manaia Walker & Ollie Lischner



ROOM 4

Rachel Barry, Louie Atkinson &
Warwick Johnson



STUDENTS PICKED BY HEAD GIRL
AND HEAD BOY SHOWING THE
WAIKITE WAY



PLAYERS OF THE DAY



SNOW CAMP 2026











CLICK CARD REWARD PROGRAMME



At Waikite Valley School, our Click Card Rewards Programme celebrates students who consistently demonstrate The Waikite Way values of Respect, Uniqueness, Grit, and Confidence.

Staff work hard to ensure the programme is fair and consistent for all students. Children who successfully complete their click cards can participate in the end of term Rewards Day. Rewards Days are a celebration of students' positive choices, participation in learning, and contribution to our school community throughout the term.

Clicks are given for.....

- Students who quietly and consistently demonstrate our values.
 - Students who have made significant personal progress.
 - Students who show perseverance when learning is challenging.
- Things we have learned about the Click Card programme in Term 1:
- Attendance is a key part of this system as students must be present and engaged to earn clicks.
 - Clicks cannot be earned for out of school activities (e.g. extra work after school or at weekends)
 - Clicks are now to be gained evenly across the 4 school values (note the change in this term's click card – 10 clicks required for each of the 4 values to complete the card)

A note about attendance

Students who take extended discretionary holidays* during school term time may not be eligible to attend the Rewards Day for that term, as they have not been present for the full programme of learning. Because school attendance can involve legitimate reasons beyond a family's control (such as illness, bereavement, or medical treatment), we distinguish between extended discretionary holidays during term time and approved absences. In such cases, please notify the classroom teacher or office.

The Waikite Way in Action

Respect

- Showing kindness and consideration.
- Looking after people, property, and the environment.
- Listening and working cooperatively.

Uniqueness

- Celebrating individual strengths and ideas.
- Including everyone and valuing diversity.
- Being proud of who you are while respecting others.

Grit

- Persisting when learning is difficult.
- Trying again after mistakes.
- Showing resilience and determination.

Confidence

- Having a go.
- Sharing ideas and asking questions.
- Taking positive risks in learning and leadership.



We appreciate the support of our whānau in helping us maintain a fair and inclusive rewards system for everyone.



PET DAY 2026

Wednesday 21st October 2026

ANIMALS MUST BE BORN BETWEEN

20 JULY -25 SEPTEMBER

You will have the choice to rear and train a kid, lamb or calf.

The day before pet day (Tuesday 20th October) will be our school craft day where all students make either a flower craft, play-dough model, painting or other construction to demonstrate their skills. More details to follow. These will be judged after school and displayed on pet day (Wednesday 21st October).

The calves/lambs/kids that are awarded a place (1st & 2nd) in their ring have the opportunity to represent our school at the Group Day (Friday 23rd October) hosted by Waikite Valley School.

Free Lambs



GREAT FOR
PET DAYS!



OR TO HELP
KEEP GRASS
UNDER
CONTROL!

Phone/Message Ryan on:
0278 187 917 to arrange



futures coaching



Rotorua/Springfield/Lake View

Term 3 - Golf Coaching

REGISTER WITH
JOSH

0210720379

REGISTER WITH
BAILEY

07 3484051

Tuesday's 3:45-4:45 Springfield Golf Club with Josh
\$80 per term

Thursday's 3:45-4:45pm Lake View Golf Club with Josh
\$80 per term

Fridays Rotorua Golf Club with Bailey
3:30-5pm \$10 per session

Geyserland
futures
GOLF NZ


BAY OF PLENTY GOLF
GOLF NZ


Arikapapa
ROTORUA GOLF

Text or Call to book a coaching spot for your child 5 - 18 year olds

futures fluro day



Rotorua Golf Club

Monday 24th August

\$20

Teams of 4, Fluro dress up, great spot prizes
Join us for a fun morning, open to Year 3-8 students, to
learn a new skill and give golf a go! Rotate Golf
Register 9am - Finish 11:30am
Each team must be accompanied by an adult
Register by Tuesday 18th August
Enter as many teams as you like!!

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GEYSERLAND




Arikapapa
The home of
ROTORUA GOLF

Register at penny.smith@golfnz.org 0274 599 633



IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

TUESDAY 23RD JUNE

Year 8 Leadership Day
9:00am - 2:45pm

TUESDAY 4TH AUGUST

Open Evening & Faculty Tours
5.30-7.30pm

WEDNESDAY 19TH AUGUST

Open Day
9:15am - 2:15pm

FRIDAY 4TH SEPTEMBER

All Scholarship and Sport Academy
Applications Close - 3:00pm

WEDNESDAY 14TH OCTOBER

2027 Year 9 Rumaki Class Academic Testing
1.30 - 3.00pm

19TH & 20TH OCTOBER

2027 Year 9 Rumaki Class Interviews

27TH - 30TH OCTOBER

Year 9 & New 10 2027 Scholarship
Applicant Interviews

FRIDAY 30TH OCTOBER

2027 Enrolment Cards DUE

WEDNESDAY 4TH NOVEMBER

2027 Scholarship Letters sent out

FRIDAY 6TH NOVEMBER

Orientation Day - 8:45am - 2:45pm
(enrolled students only)

*All 2027 Class Placements will come
out late January 2027*



ROTORUA

BOYS' HIGH SCHOOL

RAUKURA

2026 ENROLMENT EVENTS

WE LOOK FORWARD TO WELCOMING OUR FUTURE RAUKURA



OPEN EVENING

Wednesday 12th August
(Term 3)



OPEN DAY – RIS ONLY

Thursday 27th August
(Term 3)



OPEN DAY – CONTRIBUTING SCHOOLS

Friday 28th August
(Term 3)



ORIENTATION DAY

Thursday 5th November
(Term 4)

AD ASTRA PER ASPERA

WHAIA TE ITI KAHURANGI
TO THE STARS THROUGH HARDWORK



SUPPORT THOSE WHO ARE SUPPORTING US



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Absent child

Staff

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