



WAIOTAHE VALLEY SCHOOL

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Key Competency:

He aha te mea nui o te ao?

He tāngata! He tāngata! He tāngata!

What is the most important thing in the world? It is people! It is people! It is people!

Kia Kaha Trophy



Congratulations to Jax for winning the trophy last week! Jax always shows our school values of care, share, dare. Jax is a great role model for his class mates.

Tēnā Koutou,

We have had an excellent week at Waiotaha Valley School. I am really proud of student attendance to start the term and thank our school community for making it a priority. Well done to Te Maunga for winning the attendance trophy for week 1!

There has been a lot of learning in classes around the Paris Olympic Games. The Olympics are always a fascinating event and made even more exciting with the fact that Dame Lisa Carrington will again be representing New Zealand. Lisa is an inspiration to us all. Lisa demonstrates that if you have a great attitude and dedication, you can achieve incredible feats. We look forward to watching Lisa next week and who knows, there maybe another Waiotaha Valley School student sitting in our library watching, that will one day be an Olympian.

Upcoming Dates

8th August - Nano Girl,
Science show

9th August - School Olympics

12th - 15th August - Senior Tech

23rd August - District Netball

28th August - Board Meeting

Next Friday, we will be holding our own School Olympics. All students will be put into a country to compete in for the afternoon. Your child will bring home a notice on Monday with details of their team and schedule for the day.

Some of the school photos have arrived and have been given out to students. If you have not received your Photolife code to purchase school photos, please contact Janelle in the office. To purchase photos, go to photolife.co.nz

Ngā mihi
Tai Miskell

WE CARE || WE SHARE || WE DARE

WHAT'S BEEN HAPPENING AROUND WAIOTAHE THIS WEEK

Ti Rākau and Poi by **Te Ngahere** and **Te Uenuku**



Te Ngahere's science experiment involving dancing raisins was bubbly, smelly and exciting

Last week the Attendance Trophy went to **Te Maunga**

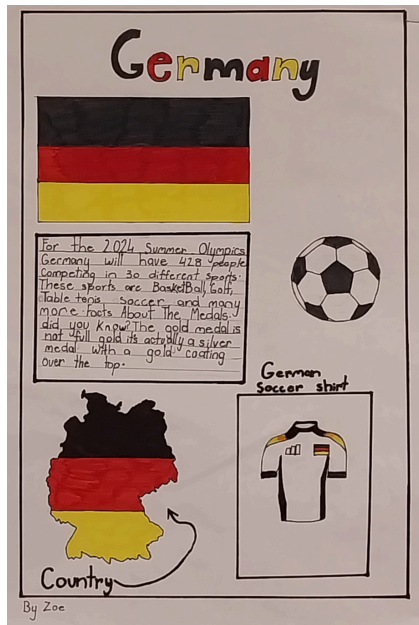


Te Awa has been studying different countries attending the Olympics



School Accounts

School accounts were sent home at the beginning of the week. If you would like your statements to be sent home via email, please text or email the office with your email address.



Yummy stickers

This is the last term to collect yummy apple stickers for our share of the \$200,000 free Sport sports gear prize pool. Yummy apples are available from New World, PAK'nSAVE and participating Four Square stores. The more we collect, the more sports gear we get. Attached is a yummy sticker sheet to add your stickers or labels to.



Agricultural Day

Please let the office know if your child intends on bringing calf, lamb or kid to our Agriculture day.

HOCKEY

Congratulations to our players of the day!

Year 7 & 8

Weka 1 - Everyone

Weka 2 - Angel A

Year 5 & 6

Weka 1 - Everyone

Weka 2 - Jackson

NETBALL

Congratulations to our players of the day!

Year 7 & 8 - Angel A

Year 5 & 6 - Ania &

Charlotte

Year 3 & 4 - Ngapoti

Year 1 & 2 - Everyone