



Waipipi School Newsletter

"Knowledge for Life"

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Our vision: Waipipi Students are successful learners, who communicate confidently and interact positively with others.

Today's Newsletter

Unfortunately, over the last few days many schools have lost their access to the newsletter app we were using to create newsletters.

Today's newsletter is being created the old-fashioned way while we wait for our new app newsletter solution to be customized for us. This should be ready by the time next week's newsletter comes around.

NZEI Teacher Strike

As stated in last Friday's notice, **Waipipi School will be closed this Thursday 16th March** as all NZEI teachers are on strike.

Waipipi School Talent Quest
Heats begin Monday
27th March.

Talent Quest final is Monday
2nd May 1:30pm

We are looking for students with talents that can be showcased on our SMILE Room stage.
(Singing, dancing, instrumental, potential circus acts etc)

School Lunches

There will be no bakery lunch on Friday 31st March as the bakery is closed this day.

Swimming Group Day

A big thank you to Miss Jennings and Jasmine Shoemark for being our school leaders at Swimming Group Day. I have heard many compliments about how wonderful our children were, which is very heart warming. Congratulations to all the students who took part and swam competitively.

Our School Pool closes this Friday.
We'd like to extend a huge thanks to Mark Burns for his meticulous care of the school's swimming pool.

The following students have been invited to the Franklin Zone Swimming Competition this Tuesday 14th March.

- Nina Shoushkoff
- Bryn Mair
- Lily Oliver



Nina Shoushkoff



2023 Dates

Term 1 Dates

Wednesday 8th March Rooms 3 and 9 visit the Auckland Zoo. **(Postponed until Thursday 23rd March)**

Tuesday 14th March **Swimming Zone Day Yrs 7-8**

Wednesday **15th March Rooms 1 and 7** visit the Auckland Zoo

Thursday 16th March NZEI teachers are on strike. School will be closed this day.

Thursday 16th March Swimming Zone Day Yrs 5-6 *(is now on Thursday 23rd March)*

Friday 17th March **Cricket skills for Yr 5-8 students**

Tuesday 21st March **Board Meeting**

Wednesday 22nd March **Senior Classes** visit the Auckland Zoo Rooms 5, 4 and 8

Thursday 23rd March **Rooms 3 and 9** visit the Auckland Zoo.

Wednesday 29th March **Senior classes** visit the Auckland Museum Rooms 5, 4 and 8

Friday 31st March **School assembly** run by Room 4 at 1:30pm

Last Day of Term 1 Thursday 6th April

Term 2 Dates:

Wednesday 26th April to Friday 30th June

(Matariki Day celebrated in the holidays)

King's Birthday Monday 5th June

Term 3 Dates:

Monday 17th July to Friday 22nd September

Term 4 Dates:

Monday 9th October to Friday 15th December

Calf Club Friday 13th October

Labour Day Monday 23rd October

End of school year Friday 15th December (Change of date)

Last week, these students were awarded a certificate for **Kotahitanga**:

Room 1 Tegan Vare
Room 3 Isla Henwood
Room 4 Isaac Henwood
Room 5 Indy Chevis
Room 7 Māhina Tansey
Room 8 Lily Oliver
Room 9 Te Huia Tansey

Last week, these students were awarded a certificate for **Relating to Others**:

Room 1 Xavier Hunter Partridge
Room 3 Harley Bozinovitch
Room 4 Jasmin Naysmith
Room 5 Kaylee King
Room 7 Kailee McCoy
Room 8 Bryn Mair
Room 9 Ngarangi Richardson

Last week, these students were awarded a certificate for **Sensitivity**:

Room 1 Indi Harper
Room 3 Harper Irwin Parsons
Room 4 Izy Irwin Parsons
Room 5 Jordyn Hatfield
Room 7 Rio Carter
Room 8 Brody Henwood
Room 9 Arshiya Prasad