



# Te Kura o Waikare

Turei 30 o Oketopa 2018

## End of Year Trips

### COSTINGS:

Transport	Bus 45 seater - \$2638 (Depart Kawakawa – Te Kao – Kawakawa) 2 Kura Vans
Kai	\$200 Fish and Chips in Coopers Beach on return School can provide milk, bread, weetbix, baked beans for marae
Waka	\$300 Gas to transport waka there and return
	Marae koha, kai , transport while at Te Kao have been paid for by Ngā Kura ā Iwi
	<b>\$25 per adult</b>

### Adventure Forest, Whangarei

### COSTINGS:

Transport	Bus 50 seater - \$608 1 Kura Van
Kai	\$300 KFC Lunch Tamariki bring morning tea
Activity	\$24 per student (approx 51) = 1224
	<b>\$29 per adult</b>

Total Cost	\$5272 Kura Contribution = \$2000 = \$3272 Fundraising = \$2000 = \$1272 49 students = 25 each
	<b>OVERALL COSTS ARE: \$25 per student \$29 per adult for Te Kao \$24 per adult for Adventure Forest.</b>

Transport is limited for whānau awhi. Whānau are welcome to come on own vehicle at your own expense. We would love whanau awhi that can help with a small group or in the kitchen. At the moment, the adults attending are: Staff, Whaea Rebecca, Whaea Hope, Whaea Chanelle, Whaea Tania, Matua Graeme, Whaea Pearl, Whaea Toni

Tēnā koutou e te whānau

This term we have been teaching 2 mindset phrases:

1/ Ko tō kanohi whakaatu i te rā nei, tō kanohi whakaatu a ngā rā e heke mai ana.

2/ Utua te kino ki te pai

### Ngā Whakaritenga o te wāhanga 4:

Wiki 3 29 Oct – 2 Nov	Tues 30 – Kiorahi T5-6 Tues 30 – Weds 31, Kaikohekohe Games T1-4 Fri 2nd – Dress Rehearsal @ kura
Wiki 4 5 Nov – 9 Nov	Tues 6 – Kiorahi T6-8 Thurs 8 – Whangaruru Festival
Wiki 5 12 Nov – 16 Nov	Mon 12 – Weds 13 – Life Education Tues 13 – BOT Hui 6pm
Wiki 6 19 Nov – 23 Nov	Thurs 22 – Manual Fri 23 – Kāl AGM (Rotorua)
Wiki 7 26 Nov – 30 Nov	Fri 30 – Paihia Athletics
Wiki 8 3 Dec – 7 Dec	Mon 3 – Tues 4 Raranga Matihiko (Waitangi) T5 – 8 Fri 7 – Reports to whānau
Wiki 9 11 Dec – 14 Dec	Mon 10 – Praisegiving @ Te Rawhiti Tues 11 – Thurs 13 – Haerenga to Te Kao Fri 14 – Adventure Forest, Whangarei Last day of kura

## Mark Woolley

Two weeks ago we had Mark Woolley from Bayleys Real Estate visit the kura as he has an initiative at his place of work called Kool4School. When a house is sold thru Mark he donates part of his commission to a local school the seller chooses.

Nicole Pihema sold her house in Harrys Place, Kawakawa and indicated for Te Kura o Waikare to receive the donation. Tuatahi e mihi ana ki a koe Nicole me tō whakaaro nui ki tō mātou kura, ka rua, e mihi hoki ana ki a Mark mō tana haere mai ki te whakamōhio atu ki te kura mō tēnei mahi, koha.

## Bay Beach Kayak Hire

We received a phone call last week asking if the kura could put in our kura pānui about 7 kayak paddles that were lost in the Gorge last week. I have found 2 of the paddles and if anyone knows where the other 5 are please drop them off to the kura so we can return them back to Dan as soon as possible. This is Dans livelihood and how he provides for his whānau.

## 2018 Mindset Phrases

### **Term 1**

Participation in all activities

Ū ki te kaupapa

### **Term 2**

Mahia te mahi (Do the mahi, get the treats)

Tiaki tō whenua, kura, marae, hapori

### **Term 3**

He kanohi koe mō te kura, e pupuri ana koe i te mana o te kura

### **Term 4**

Ko tō kanohi whakaatu i te rā nei, tō kanohi whakaatu a ngā rā e heke mai ana.

Utua te kino ki te pai

## Participation

We, the pakeke of the kura expect all tamariki to participate in all the activities we have planned. All year we have been teaching and talking about consistency of participation in ALL school activities. Some of the tamariki choose to OPT out of some kura activities like kapahaka, waka, certain sports when it pleases them. Which can at times be frustrating especially while we are teaching new waiata, skills etc... as when the child returns back to the activity we have to hold back the rōpū and re teach what they missed out.

We as a collective also often make a decision to hold that child from participating in activities out of kura as we don't think it is fair to send a child that can't participate in kura activities to events or activities OUT of kura. It can be difficult at times to inform whānau of this in that instance as the decision is often at the end of the day.

It is also difficult to send tamariki on an excursion when they haven't attended kura the day before as they have missed out on important information and are unprepared.

Tamariki that have behavior issues at kura are also encouraged to improve their behavior before given the opportunity to go out, and then the kaiako of that haerenga can make the decision to take that child or not.

The tamariki understand and are **very** aware of these expectations, they agree with the decisions made as we do go through a consultation process with all tamariki.

These are fair decisions made as a collective, if anyone would like to query any of these decisions please ring, email the kura or come in to kōrero kanohi ki te kanohi.