



WAIKAIA SCHOOL

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6 November 2025

I hope you've had a chance to enjoy the recent spell of beautiful weather. Week 5 is complete, and with six weeks to go, Term 4 is moving quickly. At last week's assembly, we took a moment to recognise some outstanding student achievements. Congratulations to our fortnightly values winners, Blake and Ben, for consistently showing what it means to live our school values. Well done to our handwriting champions, Monty, Aaron, Aribella, and Euan, for their excellent effort and presentation. Bridget was our 10 gold nugget recipient, and Wilbur received the monthly values award. Thanks again to Waikaia Hotel for sponsoring a prize for the monthly winners.

On Monday, we held our much-anticipated Pet Day, the first time in several years that students were able to bring along their animals. We were treated to perfect weather, which made for an even better event. The effort that went into the making, baking, and creating was incredible, and it was a real joy to see our students proudly showing off a wide range of pets. A big thank you to FMG for judging the event and for providing some fantastic prizes. Congratulations to Darcy and Biddy for placing third, Blake and Ben for second place, and Owen and Archie for taking out the top prize.

The cake sale was another highlight, and once again our families showed their strong support. We raised a great amount for our Home and School. Thank you to James McKee for running the auction with energy and humour, and to those who joined in as call-in bidders. It was a fun way to wrap up a very successful day.

Policy review: The scheduled review for term 3 is open. This term's review focuses on student wellbeing and safety policies within the Health, Safety, and Welfare Policy section.

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Warmest regards,
Waikaia School



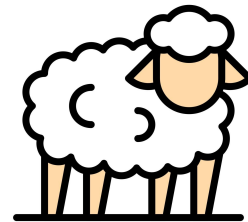






Home + School Event Dates

- Waikaia Home + School Ambrose Golf Tournament Sunday November 9th -Make sure to pop this one in the calendar was a wonderful day out last year!



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SECOND TEACHER AT WAIKAIA SCHOOL &
GRADE 3 BLUE DESCENT TRAIL WAIKAIA FOREST TRAILS

Saturday 15 November

Registrations open 11am Waikaia Hotel

Last card by 4.30pm at Waikaia Hotel

followed by winning hand presentation and prizegiving

♦ ♥ **AUCTIONS** ♠ ♣

\$50 per car
incl 1 Hand

\$20 ea
Subsequent
Hand

Scavenger
Hunt
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SPOT Prizes

Pre-registration - waikaiatrailtrust@gmail.com



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