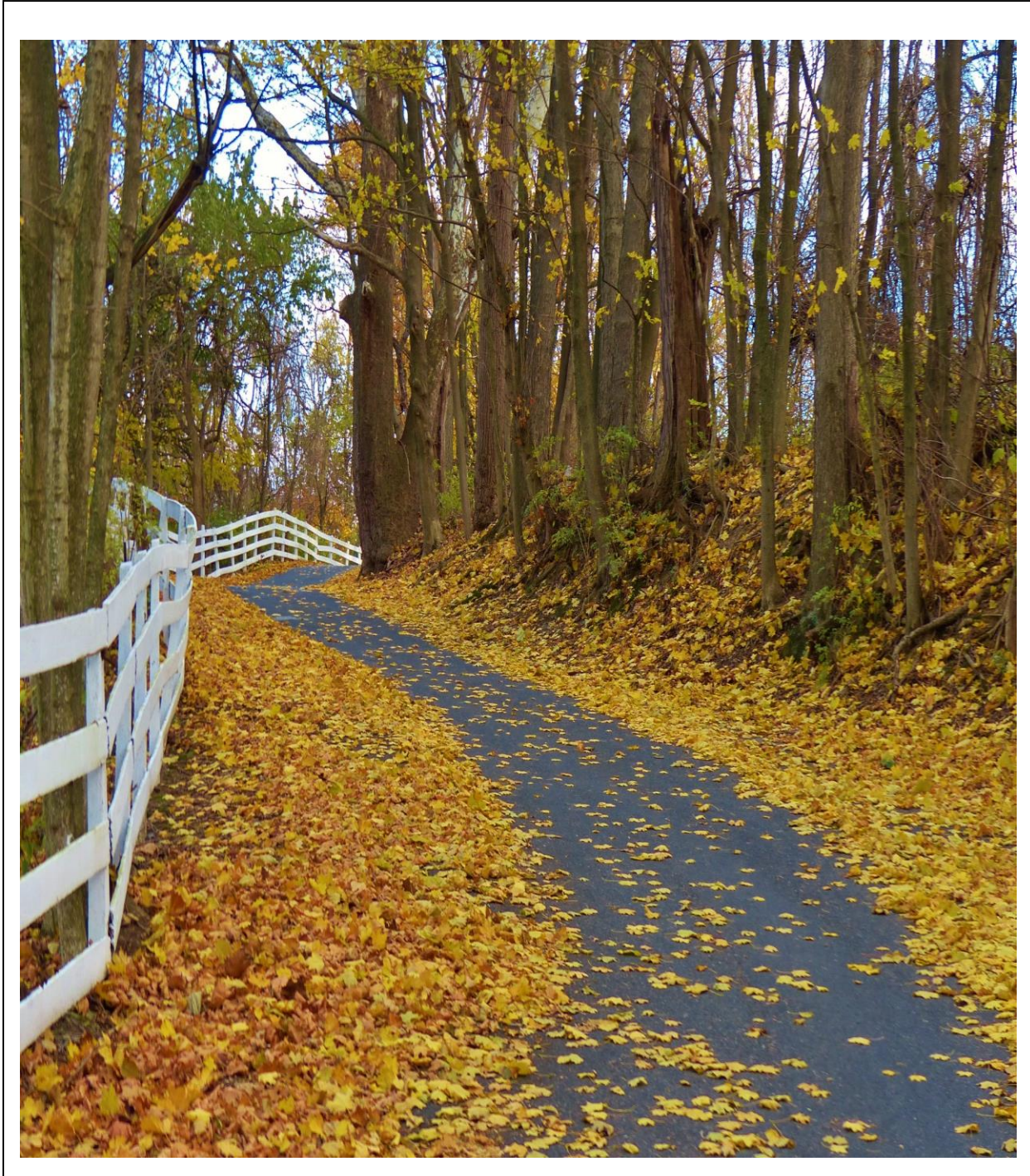


Rotokauri School Newsletter



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Dear Parents

Nga mihi o te wa kia koe me to whanau.

ROKOKAURI SCHOOL MISSION STATEMENT

Our positive environment will actively engage us all in learning.

ROKOKAURI SCHOOL VISION

Together We Grow

- Unity (Kotahitanga)
- Inclusive (Manaakitanga)
- Guardianship (Kaitiakitanga)

Together We Learn

- Innovative (Auahatanga)
- Happy (Uruhau)
- Responsible (Tuutika)

ROKOKAURI SCHOOL VALUES

Respect

Empathy

Active Learning

Courage

Honesty

PRINCIPAL'S PIECE

I hope that everyone had a relaxing long weekend, enjoying spending time with family and eating loads of chocolate. We were very fortunate with the weather and having the extra day on Tuesday. On Wednesday we were visited by ERO who met with the management team and did observations in the classes. Their positive comments were –

- Settled tone across the school.
- Students engaged and actively participating.
- Routines established and being followed.
- Positive behaviour systems demonstrated.
- Positive relationships between students and teachers, as well as between students and students.
- Students working collaboratively.
- Attractive environment and well-resourced classrooms.

Well done everyone.

As the first term comes to an end we can look back at a busy term – whole school picnic at Hamilton Zoo, Life Education, cricket workshops, school bi/triathlon, Get Set Go (Room 4), ePRO8 school competition, junior & senior swimming sports, PAT testing, Cluster Swimming, Paid Union meeting.

Have a great holiday everyone. School will finish for term one on Friday 12th April at 2.55 p.m. We will start term two on Monday 29th April.

Week 1	Monday 29 th April	Term 2 starts
Week 2	Monday 6 th May	Tech (Year 7 & 8)
	Tuesday 7 th May	Lit Quiz – 6.30 p.m.
Week 3	Tuesday 14 th May	BOT meeting
Week 4	Thursday 23 rd May	Class & Portrait Photos
Week 5	Tuesday 28 th May	PTA meeting
	Friday 31 st May	Teacher Only Day
Week 6	Monday 3 rd June	King's Birthday – no school
Week 8	Tuesday 18 th June	BOT meeting
	Thursday 20 th June	Tough Guy Tough Gal
Week 9	Tuesday 25 th June	PTA meeting
	Friday 28 th June	Matariki – no school
Week 10	Friday 5 th July	End of Term 2

Ngaa mihi
Desiree Smith

PTA NEWS

Lunch Orders

The PTA have decided to trial lunch orders on a different day in Term 2. This was from feedback received from the survey at the end of last year. Lunch orders will be on **WEDNESDAYS** for Term 2 – not Mondays.

Easter Raffle

Thank you to everyone that supported the PTA with buying & selling raffle tickets and donating goodies for the Easter raffle baskets. Congratulations to all the winners. The PTA are please to announce that the grand total of \$4,162 was raised. An outstanding effort.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Pool Key Return

Key holders please return your school pool keys to the school office. A \$10.00 key bond refund will be given out on the return of your keys. Please do not send your keys to school with your child unless you are happy for them to be given the \$10.00 bond.

Junior Tough Guy and Girl

Rotokauri School has booked **50 places** for this popular event to be held at Ngaruawahia Christian Camp on **THURSDAY, 20 JUNE 2024**.

Students in Years 3-8 can be entered **online** via the Event Promotions website as part of our school team. **Entries close FRIDAY 10 MAY and are on a first in, first served basis.**

Please click on the link below for more information and to register your child <https://2024juniortggc.events.mygameday.app/> then follow the prompts.

Make sure you select Thursday 20 June and the correct year level for your child and ensure that you select "Teacher will collect race number" option.

If you have any further questions, please email Ms Jaimee Carter at jcarter@rotokauri.school.nz

CELEBRATIONS

Term 1 Week 8

Class	Student's Name	Certificate Comment
Room 1	Saydee Winikerei	For being an Active Learner by doing a great job of writing your letters.
Room 1	Dil Judge	For being an Active Learner by following instructions so well.
Room 2	Mia Storer	For your effort in making the sounds to read your words. Amazing!
Room 2	Maddy Pitts	For sharing your big ideas in maths and helping Room 2 to make connections between adding and taking away.
Room 3	Harper-Rose Beets	Showing respect and our REACH values.
Room 3	Aroha Bhagat	Being a kind friend and always helping.
Room 4	Cohen O'Brien	For working hard in maths this week. Well done.
Room 4	Cooper Wiseman	For working hard in maths this week. Well done.
Room 7	Rydge Shortland	For being an active learner and using fantastic language in his writing this week.
Room 7	Mya Allen	For being an active learner and a responsible self-manager.

Values Vouchers

Week 8		
Saydee Winikerei	Room 1	For demonstrating the value of respect .
Lily Finnerty Mills	Room 2	For demonstrating the value of active learning .
Liam Lester	Room 3	For demonstrating the value of active learning .
Georgia Esselbrugge	Room 4	For demonstrating the value of active learning .
Evie Hodgson	Room 6	For demonstrating the value of active learning .
Ashleigh McLaren	Room 7	For demonstrating the value of respect .
Cooper Merrilees	Room 8	For demonstrating the value of active learning .
Jared Hippolite	Room 9	For demonstrating the value of active learning .

After School Programme TERM 2

Come have fun with our horses
on our farm and enjoy the outside

Gain confidence, learn
horsemanship and farm skills,
with lots of group challenges
and fun!

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leading, games, farm
adventures, vaulting, obstacle
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**April 15th - 18th
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Bring boots if you have them or
trainers and a water bottle!

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