



NEWSLETTER: TERM 1 - WEEK 1
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Tena koutou nga matua nga whaea me nga whanau katoa,

A very warm welcome to our new students - Harata, Rawiri, and Manga. We are sure that you will all enjoy your time at Waima Kura!

We are very happy to confirm that Rochelle Kauwhata will take on the role of Teacher Aide in our senior room. Congratulations Rochelle. We look forward to you joining our team.

Please ensure that your child continues to bring along a filled water bottle each day. We are still awaiting another test and confirmation that it is safe to drink.

UP & COMING EVENTS	
Monday, 6th February	Waitangi Day
Thursday, 6th April	Last Day of Term One 2023

NOTICE TO PARENTS/CAREGIVERS: Please find our school bank account details below for your reference -

Account Name: WAIMA SCHOOL BOARD OF TRUSTEES – NO 1 ACCOUNT

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Ruma Tupu Teina

Mōkōri anō ngā mihi ka rere ki a koutou e te whānau! I hope you have had a wonderful break and that our tamariki are refreshed and ready for more learning!

Welcome to Harata and Rawiri, our two new tamariki to Tupu Teina! We wish Rangimarie, Zion, Rawiri, Atua and Tama the best with their shift to Tupu Tuakana.

I am taking a few weeks to settle in before finalising the Te Ataarangi classes. With the large number of interest in the course I will be looking at ways to reach a wider group in a more effective way which may include online processing combined with face to face. Please bear with me while I work through the logistics of this.

Lastly, I wish to thank those of our community who have been watching over us during the storms, checking in on everyone, and making sure we are safe. You are marvellous! Āku mihi mutunga kore!

Ruma Tupu Tuakana

I hope you all had a wonderful summer break despite the lack of sun. It is proving to be a slow start to the year with many still to return for various reasons.

Tupu Tuakana would like to welcome Rangimarie, Zion, Rawiri, Atua and Tama into our classroom this year. I am looking forward to watching the classroom dynamic change and evolve with the introduction of some new characters and personalities.

Our classroom theme this year is 'Back to the Future'. With the introduction of the Aotearoa New Zealand Histories curriculum this year I thought it would be a good opportunity to start to delve into our past, examine our present and look into the future. Our first topic of learning is going to be centred around the Treaty of Waitangi.

Puawai

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This fortnight we are focusing on **Aroha**.

Skill/Rule

We show aroha in every part of our day when we respectfully relate to others; awahi & tautoko.

Learning Focus

- To show aroha in all areas of our day

Actions

When showing aroha, I:

- Build positive relationships
- Effectively lead others with confidence
- Own my behaviour and take responsibility for the consequences of my choices
- Take ownership for learning
- Show understanding and tolerance toward others
- Support and care for self and others

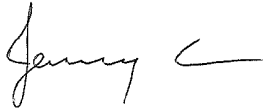
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Remember to use our website to keep updated about school information - www.waima.school.nz

We also have a Waima School Facebook group. You can find this group by following this link <https://www.facebook.com/groups/400262154975410>, alternatively you can search for Waima School and you will find the page under the groups section.

2023 BOT MEETING DATES			
TERM 1	TERM 2	TERM 3	TERM 4
13th February & 20th March	TBC	TBC	TBC



Jenny Colebrook
Principal



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