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5th July 2024

Principal Report

Woohoo we made it to the end of term!

We have had a wonderful term and achieved so much, and have had lots happening in our school: Lakes DHB Fluoride team, Life Education, Vision and Hearing Testing, LRS Cross Country and Cluster Cross Country, Hillary Outdoors Camp, Cultural disco, Whole School Sleepover and today, our Matariki breakfast and Farewell for Miss Harris.

Week 10



Our final night sleepover was a great success and has been a blast - the children have been buzzing!



Thank you to all of the parents, whanau and community for helping out during the term and supporting the school and children. Without you we can not hold the events and it is great for children to see their whanau as part of our community and school environment.



Together we grow!

I hope that everyone has a marvellous holiday with their children and you all come back refreshed and ready for an exciting Term 3.



Parent Teacher Interviews

Reminder to book in your parent interviews! Interviews will be held for Mahuri and Rakau on Tuesday 23rd July (the first week of Term 3). Interviews are 15 minutes each. Bookings are via the SKOOL Loop app, or get in touch with school. School will finish on the 23rd July at 12pm, please advise us if you are not able to collect your children at 12pm, so we can plan accordingly.

2024/25 Rerewhakaaitu Phonebook

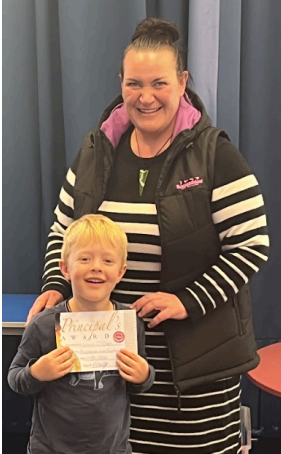
If you know of any additions/alterations for the 2024/25 Rerewhakaaitu Phonebook, and/or would like to advertise with us, please send them to: office@lakerere.school.nz or text me: 021 2530214, by the 31st July 2024. Thanks!



Please put your hands together 🙌🙌🙌
Last week's certificates went to:



Athena Hitava For showing perseverance.
Kenzie Livingstone for amazing Matariki writing.
Quinton Collier for showing persistence when learning gets hard.
Charlie Schutt for a fantastic attitude towards learning.
Jonty Armer for staying focused and helping others.



The Principal Certificate went to...
Louis O'Dea for perseverance and excellence.

House Points

Each week we give out a house cup to the house that's in the lead. Students can earn house points by following our school rules, values, being on task and even when they get caught being awesome.

Our house leaders are:

Tarawera Bryce & Chase
Kakaramea Callum & Morgan



Congratulations to our house winner for our last week..




Kakaramea!

Dates to Remember	
Mon 22 Jul	Term 3 Starts
Tue 23 Jul	Parent Interviews - school ends 12 noon
Wed 24 Jul	PTA Meeting 7pm
Wed 31 Jul	Board Meeting 7pm
Tue 13 Aug	Puberty Talks & HPV #2
Fri 30 Aug	Cluster Cultural Festival
Wed 4 Sep	PTA Meeting 7pm
Wed 11 Sep	Board Meeting 7pm
Thu 12 Sep	LRS Speech Competition
Thu 19 Sep	Cluster Speech Competition
Thu 26 Sep	Cluster Winter Sports
Fri 27 Sep	Term 3 Ends

TUPU

 **Fact of the week:** Giraffes love eating! Giraffes spend most of their time eating and can guzzle up to 45 kg of leaves and twigs a day! They also snack on fruit and grass. Thanks to their long necks and legs, giraffes can reach tasty treats like fresh green leaves in tall trees. 

♥ Goodbye from Miss Harris ♥

It is officially my last week at Lake Rerewhakaaitu School, I just wanted to say a big thank you to everyone who has made my time here enjoyable and memorable. I have worked here since 2019 as a beginning teacher, and now I have the dream opportunity to work with Harold the Giraffe. I will continue spreading positive messages and memories to a range of students across the Rotorua area. I will miss my students very much and wish everyone the best! I will see you next year with Harold 

MAHURI

Riddle: What is more useful when it is broken?

For the past two weeks we have been working on our Matariki art. We used pastels to create an evening sky; blending and smudging the colours together, then black paint to create peninsula and mountain silhouettes. We filled the sky with little twinkly white stars and added the Matariki constellation over top. The class have enjoyed making these; some children have used their free time to make extras.

It's the final day of term and my time with Mahuri, but as I have assured the class I will only be next door and will still see eachother everyday.

Have a great break and enjoy your time together.

Jasmine





Congratulations to Lucy, Monique, Rebecca & Esther for completing level 2 of Gymnastics skills at MIGS Gym! Ka pail! 🎉 🥳

RAKAU

What do you call a deer with no eyes?
No eye-deer!

Rakau has had a fantastic term of learning and making progress. We have had so much fun with the sleep over from playing spotlight to ice-cream for breakfast! Thank you to the staff and parent helpers for making it possible.

If your child is in Rakau and you have not booked a parent interview, please do so before the spaces fill up! You can do this via the Skool loop app or email me natalieg@lakerere.school.nz. Interviews are Tuesday 23rd July, first week of term 3.



Four Winds, Pub Charity, ticketmaster, ROTORUA, Rotorua 2024

The goal is simple:
Better than yesterday.

WAIST MANAGEMENT

COMMUNITY EXERCISE

Every Tuesday and Thursday
(until 28th November 2024)
6:30-7.15pm
\$5/ session

Bring a towel, water bottle, weights, clean training shoes and a mat

Designed to help you improve functional strength, fitness, mobility, core stability, vitality, health and well being.
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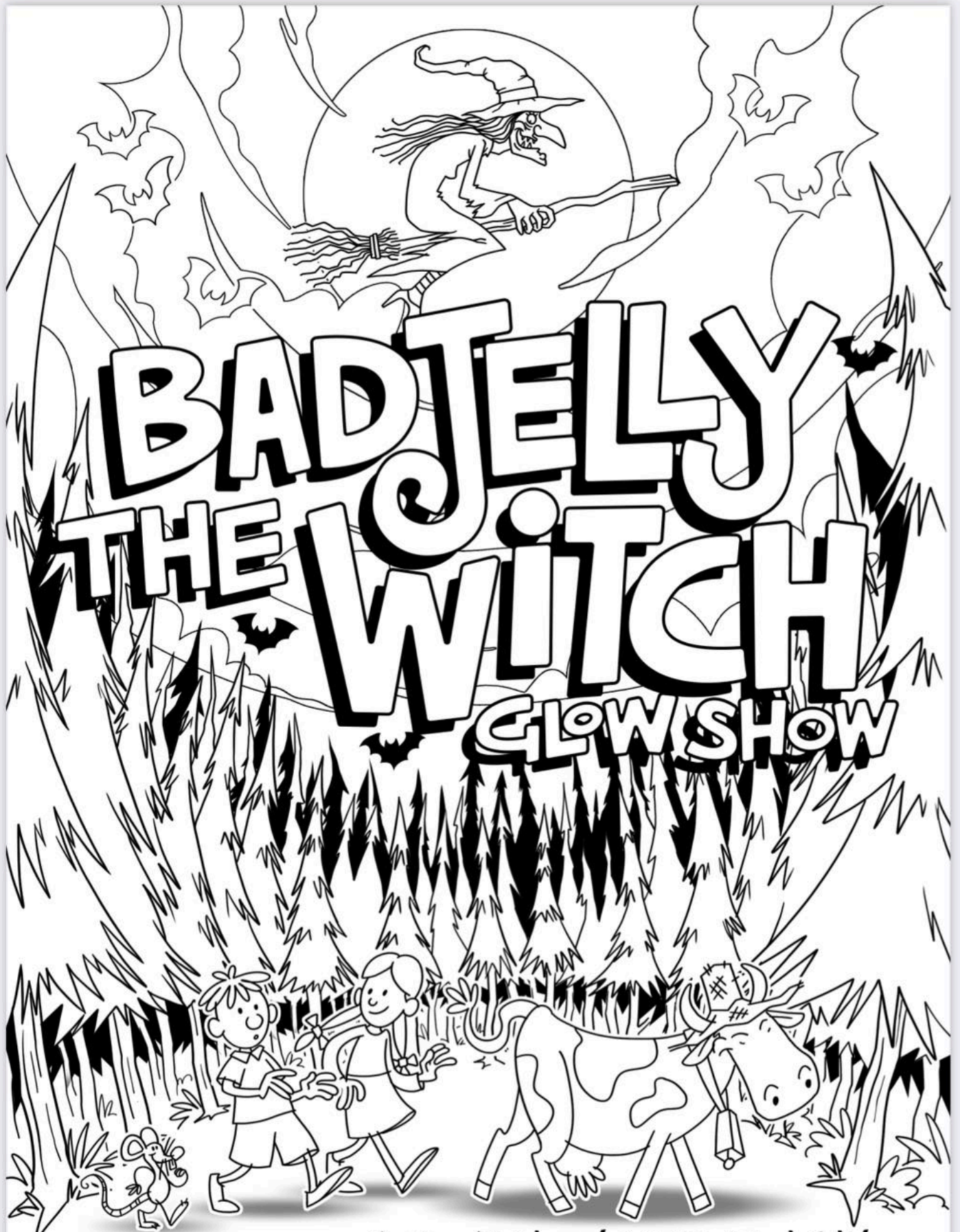
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