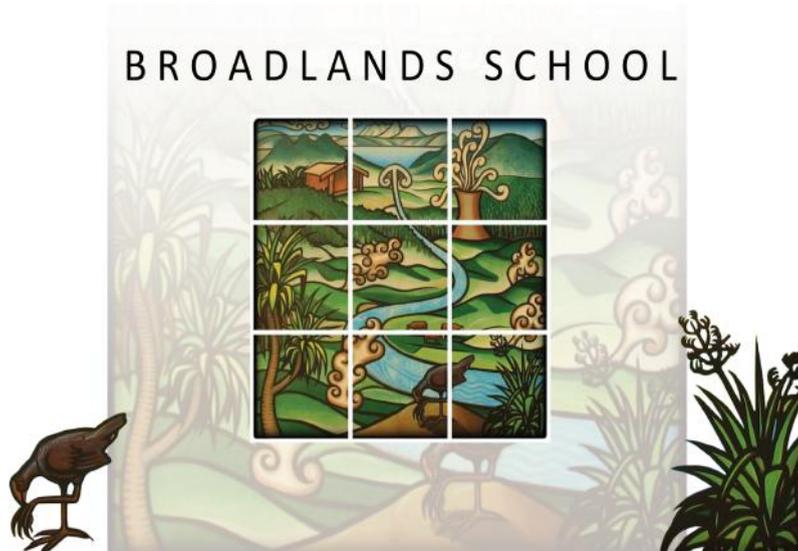


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## **'The Broadlands Bulletin'**

**Term 3**

**Week 4 - Friday 11 August**

**Awards from Week 7 August - 11 August 2023**



**Ruma Tahī**

**Brendon Busst**

For the improvement in reading. Awesome!

**Declyn McAsey**

For your fantastic sounding out in reading and your effort and excellence with your letter knowledge.

**Ruma Rua**

**Odin Mikkelson**

For using courage practising your speech in front of your peers.

**Edison Long**

For excellence with your reading and ability to answer comprehension questions.

**Eden Gallacher**

For your enthusiasm and focus during writing.

**Ruma Toru**

**Alise Martelli**

For using creativity and perseverance when completing the Geothermal Challenge.

**Ruby Busst**

For using your initiative and determination when completing the Geothermal Challenge.

**Alexander Montero**

For persevering with your handwriting to show excellence.

**Ruma Whā**

**Londyn Hirst**

For the kindness you are showing towards others in class.

**Finn Blick**

For the perseverance you show in writing letters with the right formation.

**Aven Bell**

Welcome to Broadlands School.

**Florence Halliday**

Welcome to Broadlands School.

**Ruma Rima**

**Solenn Bell**

For showing enthusiasm towards learning our Storytelling Showcase story.

**Ari Riddle**

For showing perseverance and enthusiasm towards learning your lines in our Storytelling Showcase story.



**Term 3**

**Friday 18 August - Cultural / Kapa Haka Festival - Reporoa College**

**Wednesday 23 August - Rippa Rugby sessions - Years 2 - 6 (at school)**

**Friday 25 August - Daffodil Day**

**Monday 28 August - Wednesday 30 August - Years 3 - 6 class speeches  
(Schedule details next week)**

**Monday 4 September - Speech Night (for the class finalists in Years' 4-6)**

**Tuesday 5 September - Wednesday 6 September - Years 1 & 2 Nursery  
Rhyme / Poem class presentations (Schedule details next week)**

**Monday 11 September - Ruma Rua / Room 2 'Biking for Wellbeing' BMX trip**

**Thursday 14 September - Cluster Winter Sports**

**Thursday 14 September - BOT meeting #6, 6.00pm**

**Friday 15 September - Cluster Speech Competition - Waikite Valley School (for  
the top two Year 5 & Year 6 speeches)**

**Wednesday 20 September** - MathsMatters Competition - Taupo Int. School (for our top three Maths teams from Years 5 & 6)

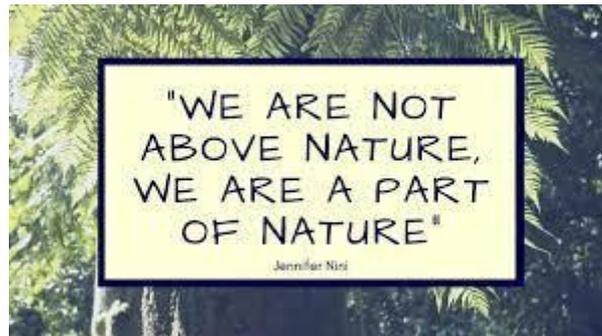
**Tuesday 19 & Wednesday 20 September** - Class-based '*Storytelling Showcase*' - Matinee performances (one day - different times) and evening performances (one evening - different times) for each class (performance days / times to follow)

**Thursday 21 September** - Last day of Term 3

**Friday 22 September** - Kahui Ako Teacher Only Day - **School Closed**



From the Desk of the Tumuaki - *Ngā mihi nui, ki a koutou*



KIDS Greening Taupo

Three more pics...this time **Kruden Wills**, **Owen Waller** (the teacher) with **Declyn McAsey** and **Emma Snowdon**.



Contact Energy - STEAM Ambassadors

On **Wednesday 9 August**, four **Contact Energy STEAM Ambassadors** (employees) spent the morning in Ruma Toru / Room 3 teaching the class about geothermal machinery, drilling methods, geothermal power generation through steam and sustainability practices

of Contact Energy. NOTE that Contact Energy is the major sponsor of **KIDS Greening Taupo** who were here with us on our planting day last week.

In five groups, a very competitive challenge was set to build a weight-bearing drilling rig to minimum specifications using the supplied resources such as popsicle sticks, pipe cleaners, cello tape and newspaper.

Bottom left, L. to R., we have **Martina** (maintenance supervisor), **Liam** (mechanical engineer), **Libby** (process engineer) and **Sophia** (process engineer) sharing their knowledge with the class along with the challenge in progress and outcomes achieved!

Bottom right, L. to R., we have the winning team of **Alise Martelli**, **Ruby Busst**, **Krystal Cocks**, **Millie Anglesey** and **Bria Manville**.



[Cultural Festival - Overview](#)

The **Reporoa Valley Cultural Festival** will be held on **Friday 18 August**.

Please find the Invitation, Cultural Festival programme and important letter of requirements below. We are unable to give exact times, so please arrive well in advance so as to not miss out!

We look forward to seeing you share in the joy of our tamariki performing to you on-stage with Matua Grant; our wonderful kapa haka tutor.

Invitation to attend to attend the

# Reporoa Valley Cultural Festival 2023

*\*Hapaitia te ara tika pumau ai te rangatiratanga  
mo nga uri whakatipu\**

Dear : Broadlands whanau

You are cordially invited to attend the Reporoa Valley District Cultural Festival. 2023

When: Friday 18 August 2023

Programme:

8:45am - Whakatau - Karakia  
9.20am - 10.45am - GROUPS PERFORMING  
10.45am - 11.10am - Paramanawa (morning tea)  
11.10am - 1.00pm - GROUPS PERFORMING  
1.00pm - Poroporoaki



Where: Reporoa College Hall

We look forward to seeing you there!



## Reporoa Valley Cluster Cultural Festival Programme

Friday 18 August

2023

Rangatira o ngā kawa - Hinehau Treanor

8.45am Whakatau - Karakia - Reporoa College Hall

9.20am – 10.45am

1. Reporoa Kindergarten
2. Reporoa Playcentre
3. Reporoa Primary School - Years 0 - 3
4. Mihi School - Years 1 - 6
5. Broadlands School - Years 1 - 3
6. Waikite Valley School - Years 1 - 3

10.45am – 11.10am - Paramanawa (morning tea)

11.10am – 1.00pm

7. Lake Rerewhakaaitu School - Years 1 - 8
8. Reporoa Primary School - Years 3 - 6
9. Broadlands School - Years 4 - 6
10. Waikite Valley School - Years 4 - 8
11. Ngā Taura Here o te Kura o Reporoa
12. Te Kapa o ngā tamariki Toronga o te Kura o Broadlands
13. Ngā Aka Hohoro

1.00pm - Poroporoaki



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7 August 2023

Ngā mihi nui kia koutou

### Reporoa Valley Cultural Festival

Our tamariki and teachers at Broadlands School are very excited to once again be involved in the annual Reporoa Valley Cluster Schools' Cultural Festival to be held at **Reporoa College Hall** on **Friday 18 August**.

With Matua Grant and staff, our tamariki have been working extremely hard in preparation for this festival so we look forward to your support throughout the morning with our three school performances, including our newly-formed Te Kapa o ngā tamariki Toronga o te Kura o Broadlands (performance group).

## Programme

Please refer to the programme provided for more specific performance details.

Early childhood, primary and intermediate groups have been allocated approximate performance times. To avoid any disappointment, we encourage you to come along earlier than the approximated times provided.

## Uniform:

- School uniform is to be worn to and from Broadlands School and Reporoa College.
- Tamariki will wear their kapa haka uniforms during their performances which are supplied by the school. These will be changed in to/out of at Reporoa College. Our room base will be Mahi Tahi.
- It is expected that the girls will wear their hair half-in / half-out (if long enough) during their performances so please provide the girls with a hair brush (NOT one to share).
- Boys will require brief black underwear to wear under their maro. NO boxers please.
- Only Maori (taonga/treasures) are to be worn. NO other jewellery please.

## Kai to Bring

A more substantial morning tea will be required as we will be having lunch back at school at approximately 1.15pm. Food and drink from the Reporoa College canteen will **not** be available. There will also be **no** hangi available this year, but Reporoa Kindergarten is running a BBQ.

## Transportation to/from Reporoa College

Transportation will be by bus, departing Broadlands at **9.00am**. If you intend taking your child home directly from Reporoa College, it is important that you let the teacher know before our two buses depart Reporoa College. Any kapa haka uniform **must** be left with your child's teacher.

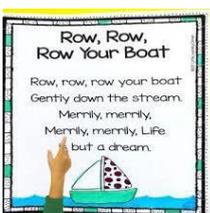
We will all be returning back to Broadlands School by bus at approximately **1.00pm**.

## Koha:

No koha will be asked for.

Naku noa

Broadlands School Staff



## Formal Speeches, Nursery Rhymes and Poems

Classroom teachers are now beginning class discussions and preparations for our tamariki to be involved in one of the following:

*Formal Speeches* (Years 3 – 6)

*Poems* (Year 2/Room 5)

*Nursery Rhymes* (NE/Year 1/Room 4)

Support will be provided, including poem/rhyme/topic selection, help with the writing/structure, criteria discussion and time-frames for presentations. Presentations will be held during the latter part of Term 3.

Further details, including exact dates and times for these will follow so that you can come along to share in this awesome occasion!

We truly understand that there can be a bit of anxiety when speaking to an audience in this type of situation. However, it is also during times like these that some of our virtues, including *resilience, courage, confidence, creativity, perseverance* and *excellence* can be called upon!

Your encouragement and support from home will be appreciated!



### PTA Raffle Ticket Fundraiser



The PTA has organised a raffle to coincide with this year's **Calf & Pet Day**.

One or two books will be sent out with ***EACH*** family next week.

You will have until **Tuesday 19 September** to sell your allocation of tickets as the raffle will be drawn during assembly **Thursday 21 September**.



### Creative Dance Classes

Our Creative Dance teacher, Lauren, is back this Term.

The next ten-week block will begin on **Tuesday 22 August**.

The cost will be **\$5.00/student/week** which is a reduced amount as the school is subsidising the cost by **\$1.00/student/week**. The amount of **\$50.00** will be invoiced directly to you through the school and payable promptly please.

If you would like your child to attend, and your child wants to (quite important!), a full commitment is required for the ten weeks. That is, no opting out!

Please fill in the REPLY SLIP and return ASAP.

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If you are interested for your child to be involved, please discuss at home, then if OK,, sign the attached slip below and return to the Office by **Friday 19 August**. Classes will start **Tuesday 22 August 2023**

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My child has permission to take part in the Creative Dance Class in the Broadlands Community Hall..

Student's Name:

Year Level: -----

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

*Ngā manaakitanga ki a koutou*

Graeme



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# BROADLANDS SCHOOL CALF AND PET DAY

Tuesday 17 October 2023



## Calves, lambs & kids

Junior, intermediate and senior, pre-schoolers welcome.  
Pets born between 30 July - 1 September



## Domestic pets

Dogs, cats, rabbits, birds, turtles, guinea pigs etc...



## Kiwiana Kreation

- Arts & crafts
- Edible creations
- Digital art

Judging starts at 10am.  
Encourage your child to bring a pet or enter the Kiwiana Kreation.

Prizes and ribbons, spot prizes, pet fancy dress, raffles, bake stall, BBQ, coffee and more.

## Contact school for more info



☎ 07 333 8576

Calf, lamb and kid competition booklet available in the office.  
More details about pet day in the school newsletter.



[www.broadlands.school.nz](http://www.broadlands.school.nz)

TUESDAY 17 OCTOBER 2023

# **Broadlands School Calf & Pet Day**

## WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

### Calves, Lambs and Kids

These pets need to be born after the 20th July. Children are expected to present their pets to the judges in a well cared for condition. They will lead and call their pet and talk to the judges about how they have cared for them. Parents need to transport these pets to school with a lead and drinking water. Pets are tethered to the fence along side the field and children are expected to stay with their pet. Adults are not allowed with children and pets while judging is taking place, however, there will be stewards who will help your child with their pet. When your child hands in their pet day form they will be given a booklet for calves and lambs only that covers this in much more detail.

### Dogs

Dogs need to have a nice nature to attend Pet Day. They are to be tethered all day under the trees by the senior playground on the field. Children are expected to lead and call their dog as well as talk to the judges about how they care for them.

### Domestic Pets

Your domestic pet needs to be contained in an enclosure, which will be kept in a classroom. Your child is expected to stay with their pet and talk to the judges about how they care for them. These pets need to be brought to school by parents.

### Kiwiana Kreation

This is a Kiwi themed creativity competition. Children can enter a creation made at home which fits into any of these three categories.

1. Edible creations e.g. cupcake creations, vegetable creations etc...
2. Arts and crafts e.g. recyclable/reusable creations, knitted craft, fabrics etc...
3. Digital art e.g. stop motion animation, photography, video/movies, programming etc...

### Pre-schoolers

We welcome pre-schoolers to bring along a pet. There will be a special ring for calves and lambs only on the field which they can walk around with their pet. They are allowed parental help.

### Pet Parade

Dress up your self and your pet any way you like. There is no theme for this. Everyone will walk in procession showing off their beautifully dressed pets. Prizes will be awarded for the best costumes.

### Whanau Entertainment

Pet Day is a great day out for families, come and watch the children in the competition rings, stroll through the Bee Creative competition entries, buy raffle tickets, enjoy baking, BBQ, coffee and cold drinks in the spring sunshine. More information about Pet Day can be found in our Pet Day handbook which is available from the Office.



# Friesian Bull Calves

Broadlands School PTA Fundraiser



## Friesian Bull Calves

Calves need to be born by Thursday 10 August and have five white points and a star on their forehead.

Minimum weight of 100kg by Tuesday 31 October, dehorned & vaccinated.

NAIT registered with their farm and transferred to Broadlands NAIT number at pick up.

## Contact Ross or Stephen

All proceeds raised will go towards the installation of a new permanent shade structure outside Rooms 1 to 3.

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Ross Shaw

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Stephen O'Reilly

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