



★ Tamariki:

★ To the students, I want to say thank you for your enthusiasm, curiosity, and boundless energy. You are the heart of our school, and I am confident that each of you has the potential to achieve great things in the future. Keep reaching for the stars, and never underestimate the power of your dreams.

★ Whanau:

★ To the parents and guardians, thank you for entrusting your children to us and for your continuous support. Your involvement and partnership have been instrumental in the success of our school, and I am grateful for the strong sense of community that defines Riverview School.

★ Board of Trustees:

★ I would like to say a special thank you to our Board of Trustees, who are professional, fun and always have the best interests of the school and children at the fore. Your support this year has been appreciated.

★ PTA:

★ Finally, thank you to the PTA, who have held many events to raise funds and have fun. We appreciate the countless hours you invest into the school, raising money so that the children and school are well resourced.

★ **2025:**

★ **Strategic Goals:**

★ In 2025, we are amending our current 2024 goals of:

- ★ Goal 1: To raise student achievement.
- ★ Goal 2: Maintain a positive and inclusive school culture.
- ★ Goal 3: To place Te Tiriti o Waitangi and hauora at the centre.

★ These three goals are still priorities as we focus on these daily, however, have evolved these to be encompassed within: **Connections, Culture and Curriculum.**

★ **Goal 1: Connections (for success in learning)**

★ Mahi Tahi - Working Together - Riverview School will have effective communication and community engagement. Positive home/school relationships will enable all parents and whānau to actively support learning.

★ **Goal 2: Culture (for success in learning)**

★ We aim to develop clear expectations and programmes to support all children based on our School Culture of HEARTWISE Values.

★ The school culture revolves around Tikanga, Te Ao Maori and Hauora, will continue to be reinforced and linked with the HEARTWISE Values.

★ At Riverview School Tikanga, Te Reo & Te Āo Māori will be valued and interwoven in the bi-cultural / multi-cultural, inclusive life of the school.

★ **Goal 3: Curriculum (for success in learning)**

★ Akoranga - Learning - The Riverview Learner will progress, accelerate, and achieve to their highest possible educational potential through use of reliable achievement data, targeted planning and quality teaching and learning.





★ **YEAR 6: Award Winners:**

- ★ **Year 6 HEARTWISE Trophy:** Lauren Phillips
- ★ **Year 6 Service to the School Trophy:** Blake Kruihof
- ★ **Year 6 Environmental Excellence Trophy:** Aaliah Evans
- ★ **Year 6 Academic Trophy:** Hannah Shepherd
- ★ **Year 6 Trophy for Leadership:** Amiya-Lee Arama
- ★ **Year 6 Cultural Excellence Trophy:** Isla Ah Dar
- ★ **Year 6 Sporting Excellence Trophy:** Sophie Redward
- ★ **Year 6 Citizenship Trophy:** Nina Burges
- ★ **Year 6 All Round Boy:** Rico Stotter
- ★ **Year 6 All Round Girl:** Isla Ah Dar

★ **New Award 2024: Te Mauri o awa kite – The life force of Riverview**

★ This was awarded to Jai Wira-Samuels, handed down from Matua Harry.

★ **About: Te Mauri o awa kite – The life force of Riverview**

★ A principals choice award, awarded to a Year 5 boy who has shown great courage and determination to develop their HEARTWISE Values as well as themselves as a person. This will be carried by that boy (the Kaitiaki of the Patu) as a year 6 and handed on to a Year 5 at the end of next year.

★ The Patu held in high esteem and passed down from generation to generation. This ageless practice embellishes the patu with mana(power/prestige), a spiritual power derived from the former achievements all those before who wielded the patu. All future warriors (our tamariki) would have a confident expectation of success if they wielded a patu with such mana.

★ Matua Harry and Mr Kelly blessed the Patu prior to the naming of it. What makes this a little more special, is that it was made from recycled native timber from Riverview School, by 20 boys, with the support of Mr Mikkelson, Mr Cookson, and Mr Thomas.

★ **HEARTWISE AWARDS:**

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| ★ Room 19: Pippa Shaw | Room 1: Ezra Sutton |
| ★ Room 2: Charles Hope | Room 3: Sam Deal |
| ★ Overall Year 1 HEARTWISE AWARD: | Coco Wallace |
| ★ Room 4: Akela Mark-Duff | Room 5: Lilei Stent |
| ★ Room 6: Tia Kitson-Smith | |
| ★ Overall Year 2 HEARTWISE AWARD: | Freya Stougie |
| ★ Room 8: Eliana Evans | Room 9: Malia Gent |
| ★ Room 10: Georgia Gibson Flatley | |
| ★ Overall Year 3 HEARTWISE AWARD: | Kirana Mark-Duff |
| ★ Room 7: Mary Anderson | Room 11: Zac Gartland |
| ★ Room 12: Willow Forsyth | |
| ★ Overall Year 4 HEARTWISE AWARD: | Te Wano Rehu |
| ★ Room 13: Skylar Frances | Room 14: Te Ahumainuku Stephenson |
| ★ Room 15: Olivia McDonald | Room 16: Kael Hamilton |
| ★ Room 17: Skye Lazet | Room 18: Christo Joe |
| ★ Overall Year 5 HEARTWISE AWARD: | Mali Trass |
| ★ Room 13: Emilia Rehu | Room 14: Isla Ah Dar |
| ★ Room 15: Isabella Lambers | Room 16: Emma Robertson |
| ★ Room 17: Ivy Irvine | Room 18: Aaliah Evans |



Win a once in a lifetime experience at Hampton Downs with the Riverview School PTA Black Raffle.

- ❖ Five hotlaps at Hampton Downs Motorsport track in a 2023 McLaren Artura GT4 factory built race car.
- ❖ This car will be competing in the 2024/25 Championship, 577 HP, 3 litre engine.
- ❖ The hotlaps will be in March 2025 at a date to be confirmed, the lucky winner will need to be at Hampton Downs at 10am on the date.
- ❖ The driver will be 4 times NZ V8 Champion, 4 times NZ Endurance Champion and World Jaguar I-pace Champion, Simon Evans.

If you are interested in buying a ticket **(tickets are \$25 each)** please call into the school office.





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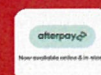


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2025 Art Classes

Mondays

Kerikeri Kids Afterschool 3.30 Ages 5-14

Kerikeri Adults Art Basics 5.30 Ages 13-117

Tuesdays

Ōkaihau Kids Afterschool 3.30 Ages 5-14

Wednesdays

Opua Kids Afterschool 3.30 Ages 5-14

Pop Ups:

Ōkaihau Kids Clay Workshop 13th Jan

Ages 4-13



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CHURCH

CHRISTMAS 2024
@ THE TURNER CENTRE,
KERIKERI

SANTA *Grotto*

SATURDAY DEC 14 @ 04.00PM - 04.30 PM
(DISABLED AND GOLD CARD HOLDERS ONLY)

SATURDAY DEC 14 @ 04.30PM - 07.30 PM

SUNDAY DEC 15 @ 11:30 AM - 01.30 PM
(GENERAL PUBLIC)

Bring the whole family for a walk through "Once Upon a Time" Christmas experience!