



Westbrook School

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Newsletter

Week 9 Term 1 26 March 2025



GALA 2025 - Thursday 27th March 4 - 7 pm School Closes 2pm Tomorrow

Remember to pop on to KINDO to preorder your

[Gala Tickets](#)

[Gala Prize Draws](#)

[Gala Art](#)

Tickets will also be available to purchase by eftpos and cash
on the night or tomorrow morning

from 815am - 9.30 am outside the school office

Pre Ordered tickets will be sent home with your child at 2pm or
available to collect from the office on Thursday

All tickets purchased are non-refundable and will be considered a donation if unused

Not long now until the.....

Cake Stall



Tomorrow

Our Cake Stall is always really popular, so we're getting ready! This year we won't be sending home paper plates for your baking, as they often don't make it home in school bags in one piece!

Home baking or a gold coin donation would be very welcome.

You may collect a paper plate from the office if you wish, otherwise please bring your items for sale **on the day** on a disposable plate. We will have plates and glad wrap available at the kitchen on the morning of Gala.



Prize Draws

Entry is only \$5

You can enter for friends and family on KINDO
just remember to record their name and contact ph number

You can enter as many times as you like.

Prize Draw entries may be purchased on KINDO, Cash at the school office
before 9am 28th March or using Gala tickets on the night of the gala.



**Meteor 4
Burner BBQ**



**2 x Auckland Bridge Climb
Tickets**



**Tourex 60cm 6
Speed Bike**



\$500 Voucher



**Neochrome 50cm
BMX Bike**



**Jumbo Bin of
Kiln dried Firewood**



**Rotorua
Family Adventure
Pack**

2025 WESTBROOK GALA

STALLS AND PRICES

Thursday, 27th March
4pm-7pm

HOT CHIPS
3 TICKETS



FACE PAINTING
3 TICKETS



SAUSAGES
2 TICKETS

THE WHEEL
2 - 5 TICKETS

PRIZE DRAWS
5 TICKETS

ICE-CREAM SUNDAES
5 TICKETS

GAMES GALLERY
2 TICKETS

for 3 throws

Hit the Nail, Bat the Rat

Toad in the Hole, Ring

Toss

Corn Hole, Dunny Dunk

NAIL SALON
3 TICKETS

DAHL AND RICE
4 TICKETS

TATTOOS
2 TICKETS (large)
1 TICKET (small)

PIZZA - 2
TICKETS

MYSTERY BAGS
3 TICKETS
(LIMIT OF 2 BAGS at a time PER
PERSON)



DRINKS
2 TICKETS



AMERICAN HOT DOGS
4 TICKETS

DUTCH DONUTS -
1 TICKET EACH
OR 3 FOR 2 TICKETS

BURGERS
5 TICKETS



LOLLY JAR PRIZE DRAW
1 TICKET

CAKES & SWEETS
VARIOUS PRICES



CHILDREN'S ART
2 TICKETS



BOOKS AND PLANTS
VARIOUS PRICES

MYSTERY ENVELOPES
5 TICKETS

INFLATABLES
3 TICKETS (SMALL)
4 TICKETS (LARGE)

CANDY FLOSS
3 TICKETS

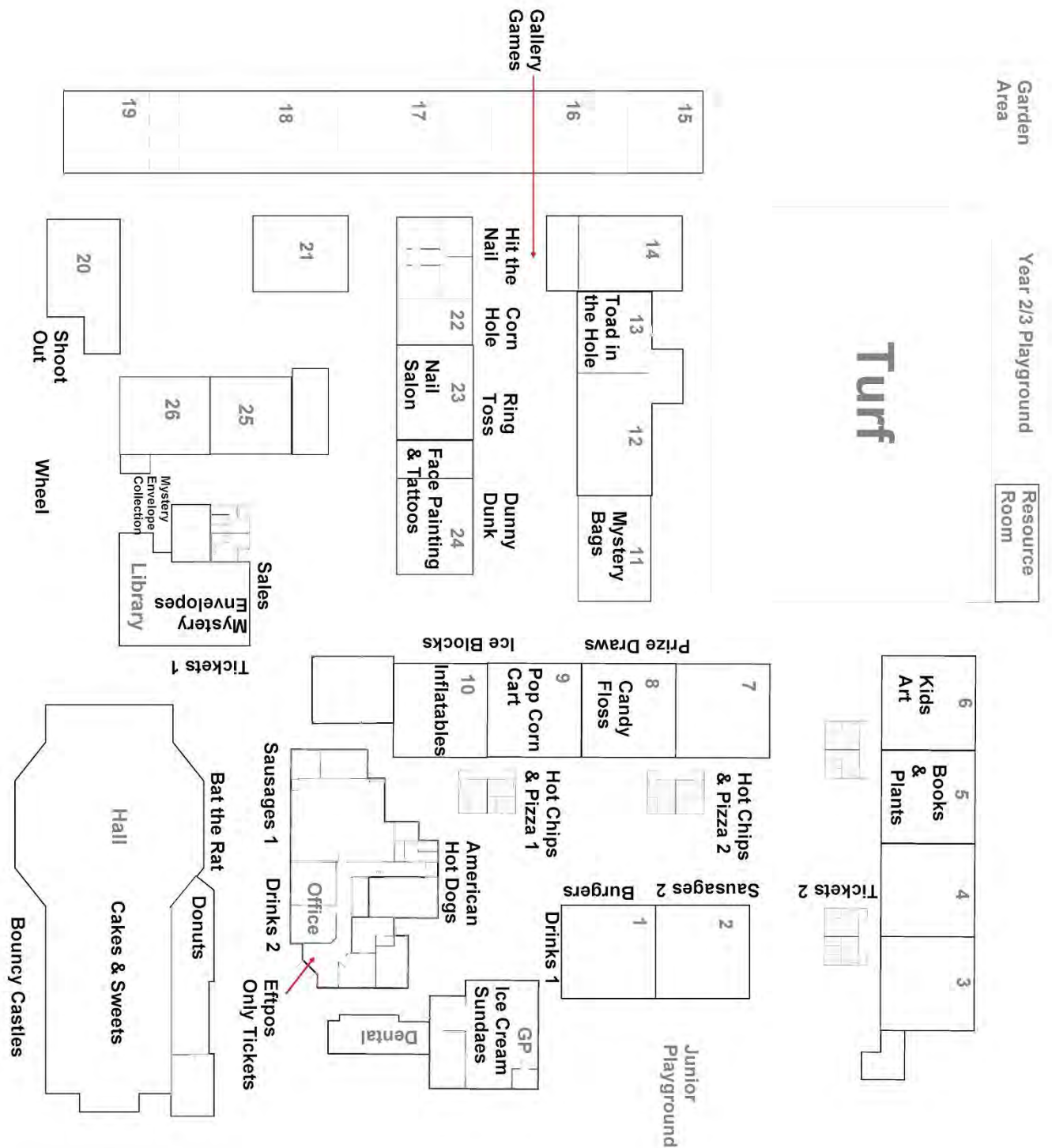


POPCORN CART
2 TICKETS

ICE BLOCKS
1 TICKET



Gala 2025 Map



Malfroy Road



A huge thanks to our 2025 Gala Sponsors ...



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Motion Entertainment

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Qizzle
Reading Cinema
Red Stag Timber
Redwoods Tree Walk
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Rotorua Aquatic Centre
Scope Cafe
Springfield Golf Course
St Pierre's Rotorua
Sushi Bar Haru
Te Puia
Turnbull Electrical
Velocity Valley
Waikite Valley Hotpools
Westend New World
Wet & Forget (Hamilton)
Wonderworld Amusement Park
Woolworths Fenton Street
Zorb

We are deeply grateful to our generous
sponsors for their invaluable support
in making the Westbrook School Gala a
success every year.

Your contributions enrich our
community and help create an
unforgettable community event.

2025 Calendar of Events

Term 1

Thurs 27th March
Fri 28th March
Fri 4th April
Thurs 10th April
Fri 11th April
Fri 11th April

Westbrook GALA-School closes at 2pm
Whole School Assembly 11.30am - all welcome
Y2 Grandparents Day
Principal's Treat Day
Whole School Assembly 11.30am - all welcome
Last day of Term 1

Term 2 starts on Mon 28th April



Wed 30th April
Fri 2nd May
Fri 2nd May
Tues 6th May
Wed 7th May
Wed 14th May

Fri 16th May
Fri 16th May
Mon 26th May
Wed 28th May
Thurs 29th May
Fri 30th May
Mon 2nd June
Fri 13th June
Fri 13th June
Fri 20th June
Fri 27th June

Y5 Camp
Whole School Assembly 11.30am - all welcome
Mini Marathon
Parent Interview 2.15pm-6pm (School to close early)
Parent Interviews 3pm-6pm (normal school day)
Junior Disco 5.30pm-6.30pm
Senior Disco 7pm-8pm
Whole School Assembly 11.30am - all welcome
Pink Shirt Day
Year 3 Swimming (all week)
Y4 Museum visit (9.30am-11am, 12.15pm-1.45pm)
Y4 Museum visit (9.30am-11pm)
Whole School Assembly 11.30am - all welcome
King's Birthday
Whole School Assembly 11.30am - all welcome
Wear Yellow for Harold Day
Matariki
Whole School Assembly 11.30am - all welcome
Last Day of Term 2

Gala Prize Draws



Enter on Kindo before 9am
Friday

We will announce winners
at our **School Assembly**

Friday 28th March in the school hall,
starting at **11:30 am**.

You are more than welcome to join us,
and see how we celebrate success.

We encourage the children to wear their house colours.



2025 SEASON REGISTRATIONS OPEN!



Do you have a soccer player who would like to play for Westbrook Junior Soccer club in 2025? Come and join our whānau friendly/inclusive club!

Register your expression of interest on our website
westbrookjunior.org



*5th & 6th Grade (4-6 year olds) are listed under First Kicks
7th & 8th Grade (7-8 year olds) are listed under Fun Football
9th - 13th Grades (9-12 year olds) are listed under Mini Football*

INTERESTED IN PLAYING HOCKEY?

FIND MORE INFORMATION AND
SIGN UP ON KINDO!

Registrations close Friday 4th April.

WE WILL NEED COACHES TO RUN THE TEAMS!

Games start 10th May and will be at the Rotorua Hockey Turf on Devon Street.

Any questions or if you can help coach please contact
Sandra Lynch: lynchs@westbrook.school.nz

MINIBALL TERM 2&3

WE HAVE 2 SPACES
AVAILABLE IN THE YEAR
5&6 TEAMS AND 1
SPACE AVAILABLE IN
THE YEAR 3&4 TEAM

\$65

14 GAMES

Contact: Michaela Muncaster,
muncasterm@westbrook.school.nz
or on seesaw

Touch Finals this week

**Please return all uniforms as soon as you have played
your last game.**

BIKING & SCOOTER RULES @ WESTBROOK

Year 5 and 6 students **ONLY** are permitted to ride bikes to school. This is due to the nature of the roads around the school. Please see the office for a Bike Licence, then hand this in to Mrs Barrett. Students **MUST WEAR A HELMET**, bike locks must be used, and students need to agree to the rules in the above licence, which is signed by parents.

We're excited to announce a scooter trial. Students from other year levels may now bring scooters to school. **For safety, helmets are required.** Scooters must be parked at the bike racks and are not to be used during the school day.

All bikes and scooters are brought to school at your own risk.

Sunhats

During Term 1 and 4 all children need a sunhat with a brim at school every day.

In keeping with our Sunsmart policy, they wear hats when outside and if they do not have one, will be directed to sit in the shade at break times.

We have sunhats in our house colours for sale at the school office for \$15 each.

Please also ensure your child has sunscreen on before they come to school and if you wish them to reapply it during the day, please make sure they have it with them in their school bag.

WHANAU MEETING

TUESDAY APRIL 1ST, 5:15PM IN THE STAFFROOM

WE WILL BE HOLDING A MEETING TO ORGANISE OUR HANGI AND MARAE VISITS FEEL FREE TO COME ALONG AND SHARE YOUR IDEAS.

MATARIKI HANGI

We are looking for whanau who know how to lay a hangi and/or can provide baskets, rocks, wood, sacks etc... Are you able to help or know someone who can?

MARAE/WHARENUI VISIT

DO YOU HAVE IDEAS / GUIDENCE / KNOWLEDGE YOU WOULD LIKE TO SHARE TO HELP US PREPARE FOR OUR VISITS. ARE YOU ABLE TO JOIN US ON THE DAY/S?

*Michaela Muncaster -
muncasterm@westbrook.school.nz or seesaw message*

SKOOL LOOP

We have heard you!

Here is 1 app that will link you to all our school apps. On here you can send absentees, book interviews, log into your Kindo, Seesaw and Lunchonline!

The newsletter is loaded weekly too.

Save yourself time and space on your device and access it all from 1 place.

Downloading the Skool Loop app - a step by step guide

Once you have downloaded the Skool Loop App, via either your Google Play or App store, please follow the below instructions to select your school -

- Open the Skool Loop App - you will land on a welcome page.
- Click the 'Select your schools' this will bring you to a menu you can either search your school or follow the country/region prompts.
- Once you reach your school, select it with the tick on the righthand side.
- Tap the 'select schools' button in the top right corner.
- Tap the big orange choose button. This will load your school and bring you to the settings page.
- Subscribe to the groups that are relevant to you, then click the 'go back' button on your phone, which will bring you to the main screen of your schools app.



Westbrook School's Sports Code of Conduct

We're excited to see our students enjoying and excelling in the many sports Westbrook School offers! To help us maintain a strong team spirit and represent our school with pride, please take a moment to read our Sporting Code of Conduct below. It's a guide to ensure everyone has a fun and rewarding experience.



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Sports Expectations at Westbrook: Players, Parents and Coaches

Guiding Principles: Fun, development, respect, sportsmanship. Winning is secondary.

Player Expectations:

- **Attendance/Punctuality:** Attend all practices/games on time. Communicate absences to the coach ASAP.
- **Effort/Attitude:** Give your best effort, listen to coaches, maintain a positive attitude.
- **Respect:** Treat everyone with respect. No bullying, trash talk, or disrespectful language.
- **Teamwork:** Work cooperatively, support teammates.
- **Rules/Equipment:** Follow rules, care for equipment.
- **School Conduct:** Students are expected to uphold the school's values both on and off the field. While minor behavioural issues are typically handled within the school's disciplinary system, repeated or serious infractions may necessitate a discussion with the coaching staff and school administration regarding the student's continued eligibility to participate in sports. We aim to address these situations on a case-by-case basis, considering the individual circumstances. We will endeavour to keep parents informed if there is the potential for a child to be excluded from a team or game.

Parent Expectations:

- **Support:** Encourage your child and team. Focus on effort, improvement, and sportsmanship.
- **Conduct:** Respect all involved (coaches, officials, players, parents). No negative comments, especially during games. Model good sportsmanship.
- **Communication:** Discuss concerns privately with the coach at appropriate times. No sideline coaching.
- **Attendance/Finances:** Attend when possible. Meet financial obligations promptly.
- **Roles:** Understand different roles. Respect the coach's decisions.

Consequences - Verbal/Written Warning, Suspension, Removal:

- **Disrespectful Behaviour:** Yelling, bullying, taunting, inappropriate language/gestures: Warning, suspension, removal.
- **Disruptions:** Repeatedly disrupting practices/games: Warning, suspension, removal.
- **Sideline Coaching:** Coaching from the sidelines after being asked to stop: Warning, removal from sidelines.
- **Financial Issues:** Failure to pay fees: Ineligibility.
- **Aggression:** Physical and/or verbal aggression (by player, parent/whānau or coach): Immediate removal.

Communication: Reviewed at season start. Open communication encouraged. Subject to review.

"TEXTURE, FORM, AND COLOUR"

TWO WEEKS OF ARTIST-TAUGHT HOLIDAY
ACTIVITIES FOR CREATIVE 8-12 YEAR OLDS



Week One: 15 - 17 April

Tuesday: Junk Journals
- Creative journal

Wednesday: Claying
around - Clay day

Thursday: Sketchy
business - Draw, draw,
draw!

Week Two: 22- 24 April

Tuesday: A dying art -
Tie Dye Day

Wednesday: Statue
bro! - Sculpture Day

Thursday: Printing Day
- Anzac themed



HOLIDAY ARTS ACADEMY

APRIL 2025

Runs Tuesday to Thursday

9am - 3pm each day

12:1 Supervision Ratio

Cost: \$30 per child, per day

Materials provided

Sign up online:

www.artsvillage.org.nz/HAA

or visit us at the village!



Westbrook School

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Clients who list and sell with Kylie, or
have been referred to her, will receive a
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From now until 31st March 2025

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Kylie Trenberth

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FB: kahukura junior rugby
club

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0221840781 Nadia



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Every Day at School Counts



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Tuia i te herenga tangata

Need help getting your
child to school? Contact
us on 027 808 2463

Westbrook Sports Uniforms

Caregivers of children who are in Westbrook School sports teams - please do not allow your child to wear their sports uniforms to training or school. They are expensive items and are for match days only, not for school or casual wear. Please encourage our sports people to treat them with respect and wear them with pride when representing Westbrook School on the sports field.
Thank you for your support.

VISTAB

Vistab is kindly sponsored by

If your child is late or you wish to sign them out during the day please come to the office to sign them in/out

Westbrook School would like to thank Brad Hill and Teresa McNab from
Hamills Rotorua for sponsoring the **Vistab** system for the
safety and security of our children



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