



POROTI SCHOOL

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Thursday 17th September 2026

Week 9, Term 3 2026

Kia ora koutou and welcome to Poroti School

Another celebration of our students' learning was seen this week as all students presented their poems and speeches. This forms an important part of our literacy learning, where our students write essays, learn how to voice their ideas and opinions, how to write a paragraph, and how to structure their writing. After doing all that they then learn about delivery of their speech - voice clarity, expression and using gestures to support their ideas and give their audience a performance. As staff we have seen shifts in our students who have been part of this over a few years, and we also all agree that the production work has enhanced the speeches this year.



Thank you to a wonderfully generous community member for the fruit trees and plant food she has donated to replace those lost as part of our drainage project and to supplement our Garden to Table programme. We are so lucky and very grateful for these donations.



STUDENTS AND AG DAY: On **Monday** we will send home AG Day information about events happening on the day, event entry forms, their object (door or mirror) for the miniature scene and a Volunteers list. Please read these and return as needed. This is a day when we rely on EVERYONE chipping in to help. Students need to know what their miniature scene theme is in order to choose a door that fits into that theme as we have a variety. Keep your  on the lookout for these notices.

AG DAY UPDATES..... Saturday 17th October

Preparation for our raffles is moving forward, thank you to those who have donated goods so far. To help with this we ask if all Whānau can contribute a few different items over the next few weeks. We will run a different theme for items each week....

THIS WEEK - "Something Savoury"

This week we are seeking "Something Savoury" items.. Some Crackers, chips, nuts, pretzels, pop corn, onion dip mix perhaps. A savoury item we can use in our grocery raffles. These can be dropped into the office - remember house points up for grabs - many thanks for your support !



Also a reminder..... *If you have any businesses or contacts for raffle prizes or sponsorship opportunities for our day please let us know so we can make contact with them.*

Many thanks
Mrs J

WANTED - Vege Seedlings : We are planting up our gardens next Tuesday 22nd and are looking for donations of any seedlings for our house vege gardens. If anyone has any or would like to donate some, please can these be dropped in to the office. Thank you



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY	
Wednesday 23rd September	Mobile Library is here
Friday 25th September	Last Day Term 3

OUR 2026 AG DAY SPONSORS

A HUGE thank you to our AG Day sponsors this year. Please support those who support us.....



