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WAIWHAKAREKE NATURAL HERITAGE PARK ARBOR DAY 2023 PLANTING

19 May 2023

Dear Parent/ Guardian,

_____ has been selected to represent our school in this year's Arbor Day 2023 tree planting on **Friday, 2 June 10am-12pm**. This event is organised by the Hamilton City Council, to take place at **Waiwhakareke Natural Heritage Park, Rotokauri Road, Hamilton**.

This is a free event with no charge to attend or for transport.

We see this event as a great opportunity for children from our school to gain practical experience in planting, a greater awareness of the environment and the importance of planting for the benefit of the city, while representing our school in a community project.

Each child will receive instruction on how to plant correctly and will receive a small native plant following the planting to bring back home or plant in our native bush area at school.

The students will need to bring:



Face
Covering



Planting
spade
or trowel.



Gumboots/covered
shoes



Raincoat



Drinking
bottle



Lunch

If you have any questions please email me at pgardener@kns.ac.nz, phone the school and our office staff can take a message and I will ring you back, or come see me in Room 2.

Could you please complete the attached permission form and return it to the school office prior to Friday 26th May, 2023.

Yours sincerely

Pauline Gardener Ward (Room 2) and Danielle Brydon (Room 4)

WAIWHAKAREKE NATURAL HERITAGE PARK
ARBOR DAY PLANTING

I give permission for _____ from Room _____ to attend
the Arbor Day Planting at
Waiwhakareke Natural Heritage Park, Rotokauri Road Road, Hamilton
on Friday, 2 June at 10am.

Parent Name = _____

Signed = _____ Parent/ Guardian

Cellphone = _____

Email = _____

Parent Helpers Needed

We would really value your assistance on the day!!

Would you be able to come along and help supervise a small group of children?

If so then please indicate if you would be willing to help and attend this event by ticking this
box.

Attending would mean ...

- being at school by 9.15am on Friday 2 June.
- coming on the bus with us to and from Waiwhakareke.
- supervising a small group of children to plant.
- bringing a spade, sturdy footwear and a rain jacket.

There is no cost for this event.

Pauline Gardener Ward :)

