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School Board Triennial Elections 2025

Nominations Open Now

The nomination process for our School Board elections has started and nominations are now open. We have **seven (7) spaces** for parent representatives on the Kaipara College School Board. We have appointed Schooled Election Pilot as the Returning Officer for the election – they will be handling the election process and you will see communications directly from them.

Everyone who is eligible to vote in the election will receive a nomination pack (either via email or post). The info pack will contain everything you need to nominate yourself or another member of the community. (If you are going to nominate someone else, just make sure they know about it and will accept the nomination!). It will also include information about who isn't able to be a School Board member.

If you would like to know more about becoming a board member and what it entails, Te Whakarōputanga Kaitiaki Kura o Aotearoa (the NZ School Boards Association) have prepared the following helpful resources:

- [Community Member Guide to the Role of the Board of Trustees](#) (link to booklet)
- [Kōrari for Aspiring Board Members](#) (link to recorded webinar)

If you need extra forms, or want a copy of the nomination form in Te Reo Māori or another language, just contact the Returning Officer from Election Pilot directly on 0800 VOTENZ (0800 868 369) or election@electionpilot.nz.

Don't leave things to the last minute, because elections close at **noon** on **Wednesday, 6 August 2025**. You can email in your nomination, complete it online at www.boardelections.nz or fill it in and drop it off to the school office. You can also send in a candidate statement and smiling photo with your nomination as well. A copy of the electoral roll is kept at the school office and is available to be checked during usual school hours. Voting will end at **4pm** on **Wednesday, 10 September 2025**.

Standing for the School Board role is a chance to be an advocate for students, a supporter of teachers, and a champion for progress. Whether you're looking to give back to the community, develop leadership skills, or help shape the future of local education, becoming a board member is a powerful and rewarding way to get involved. We wish all of our candidates the best and look forward to working with our new board!