

HUIRANGI SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

2018 TERM 4: Week 8 – Monday 3 December



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Kia Ora Parents and Caregivers

Last Friday we said goodbye to Harvey Warren who has moved back to the UK with his family. Our roll remains at 120 as this morning we welcomed Elise de Waard into He Puāwai.



At the end of this term we farewell Mrs Penelope Chadwick, our Reading Recovery Teacher. Thank you Pene for your wonderful work with our reading recovery children over the past years and we wish you the very best for your future. At the start of 2019 we will welcome Mrs Rochelle King as our new Reading Recovery Teacher. Rochelle has a teaching background however in recent years has been working for the Ministry of Health in a Vision & Hearing role in schools. We also will welcome Ms Bernadette Perkins who will be our new Teacher in Room 4 filling the vacancy left by Mrs Corkin.


On the first day of Term 1 2019 we will have an official welcome/whakatau at 10am for the new staff and new families joining us.

On Wednesday evening next week we say our final goodbye's to our 16 Year 6 students who are moving on to their respective Intermediate Schools. This evening is the Senior Prize giving for Y5's & Y6's and Y6 Graduation. We invite all our school families to attend, as our Kapa Haka group will also be performing. The format for this evening is below - I hope to see everyone then!

Kind Regards

Tony Williams

Term 4 Important Dates		
DEC	Thur 6	Concert: Joe's Music Group at 11am - all welcome
	Thur 6	H&S meeting 7.00pm
	Fri 7	Huirangi student's Disco
	Wed 12	Y6 & Y5 Senior Prize giving / Graduation Evening 
	Thur 13	Final Assembly – Buddy Gift exchange & Annie Rowe Sweet treat 
	Thurs 13	Last Day of Term
2019 Thurs 31st Jan — First day Term 1		
31st Jan - 10am Welcome/Powhiri		

Board of Trustees Report: BUS FEE INCREASE - Our bus provider, Tranzit, have advised that our bus costs are to rise in 2019. We have no other option but to pass this increase onto bus users. So from the beginning of the school year in 2019 the bus costs per child will rise from \$16.50 per week to \$18.00 per week, per child. The 'cost cap' of 2 children per family still remains, but this will be reviewed during Term 1. During this review the Board will consult with families who use the bus. In the meantime, please alter your bus payments to include the increased costs. Please remember to use your child's surname and the word 'bus' in your reference. 

Senior Prize-giving & Y6 Graduation Evening: Everyone is invited to this, our last official event for the year:-

5.30 - 6.30pm:- BYO Picnic tea [on the grass area out in front of Rooms 1 & 2]

6.30pm:- Prize-giving begins and includes Kapa Haka performances, presentation of Trophies/Certificates to the senior students, Y6 Farewells, presentations to staff & school singing.

If it is wet this event will be in the Huirangi hall.

Fruit in Schools: Today was our last delivery of fruit for the year, so after about Wednesday until the end of the school year, you will need to pack a piece of fruit in your child's lunchbox.

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Disco: This Friday night at the Huirangi Hall 5.30pm to 7.30pm. Please walk your child into the Hall—you are very welcome to stay and have a coffee if you wish, otherwise come into the Hall to collect them at 7.30pm. There will be food and drinks for sale, [so children can have their tea there] and the photo booth. Children will not be allowed outside at this event. This Disco is for the children from our school only - no pre-schoolers or Intermediate/High School or other schools allowed.

Person of Character: The following children had their POC cards drawn out at the last week's assembly: **Armour Leslie** [10 points card] for being kind and caring towards others, **Max Weston & Isaac Downer** for moving up their 'class tree', **Lennox Mabey & Kadynce Anglesey** for completing homework. Well done everyone!



Pool Keys: Are available for hire from the school office, from today to 3pm on Wednesday 12th December. You need to fill out the 'contract/rules' form at the office and pay the 'hirage' fee of \$40. We don't have eftpos, or a cash float, so please bring the correct \$\$ cash. If you are still holding a key from last season, please return it so that it can be issued to someone else. A list of key holders will be posted on the pool room door, along with the name and contact number of the BOT representative for you to call if there are any serious issues.

Library Books & School Readers: Please ensure all books are returned to school by next Monday at the latest so that we can complete the annual stocktake.

Classes for 2019: These are currently being finalised and next week the eldest or only child in each family will receive a paper copy of the newsletter with details of which class/room they will be in and teacher/s names.



Waitara Christmas Parades

Brenda & Peter Honnor are putting in a Hay day Float to these parades and are inviting our children to be involved:- Waitara on 15 December. **If you'd like to be on the float, please give Brenda a call on 0274415935 or 7547810**



HUIRANGI SCHOOL

Start - 9am [children are not to be dropped off before 8.30am]

Morning tea - 10.40 to 11am

Lunch - 12.30pm to 1.15pm

End of Day - 2.45pm bus leaves



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Home & School Fundraising Programme

Friday 7th
December



School Disco - for children enrolled at Huirangi School ONLY. No pre schoolers, NO Intermediate or High Schoolers, NO children from other Primary schools.

Huirangi Home & School

Acting President: Adam Pearce Ph 0274 745315

Acting Secretary: Jo Alldridge Ph 021 402538

Treasurer: Nicola Jupp Ph 0274 314113

FINAL 2018 MEETING:

Thursday 6th December, 7.00pm in the Staffroom

NEXT FUNDRAISERS:

Children's Disco Friday 7th

2019 Feb 16th & 17th Hay Day at Honnor's Farm

Includes: Food Stalls / Saturday Night Dinner

+ PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE +

Our Public Health Nurse is Gillian Boyce.

Gill can be contacted on

7537790 extn 7076 or 0274064822