HUIRANGI SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

2019 TERM 2: Week 1 - Monday 29th April

Dear Parents and Caregivers

Welcome back everyone! We hope you had an enjoyable holiday break and got to spend some of it with your family. A big welcome back to Mrs Julie Walker who has returned to work today. Also welcome too, to Kora Paul who has started school today, in He Puāwai.

Our roll is now 109, after we had three children leave the school at the end of last term.

The weather is getting a little cooler and I'm sure you don't need a reminder to ensure your child does have a warm sweatshirt in their bag. A change of clothes [or at least undies and trousers] is also a good idea in these wet winter terms, especially for the younger children. Please ensure all clothing is named, especially jerseys and jackets.

This term is relatively quiet as far as events goes, however we do have some sports coaching happening for some classes throughout the term.

Teachers have collected school hats in and will wash and store them until Term 4.

We look forward to a positive term 2. As always if you have any questions or concerns please contact us as soon as possible.

Kind Regards

Tony Williams

Principal

NOTICES:

Bus Price Increase - Bus families will have received the letter regarding this increase, last term. The increase is to \$21.50 per child, per week and takes effect from 1st May 2019. The cost per child is \$4.30 per day [that's \$2.15 per trip] Monthly charges will be as follows:- [2 children in brackets]

May \$98.90 [197.80]	June \$81.70 [163.40]	July \$55.90 [111.80]	
August \$94.60 [189.20]	September \$90.30 [180.60]	October \$55.90 [111.80]	
November \$90.30 [180.60]	December \$38.70 [77.40]		C

If you are already regularly paying \$18.00 a week <u>and</u> letting those payments continue through the holiday periods you may not have to alter your payments at all to accommodate the increased price. You can also internet pay/bank direct pay an entire month at a time, should you wish to do so.

We do now have a few spaces available on the bus, so we are asking for expressions of interest from parents for their child. Give the office or Principal a call to discuss this.

Please be aware that we will be strictly keeping to our policy of standing children down off the bus if the account is \$100 in arrears until the full amount owing is paid in full.



Term 2: Important Dates		
APR Mon 29	First Day Term 2	
MAY Wed 1	Bus cost increase	
Thur 9	Mobile Library Bus	
Thur 9	Duffy Theatre Show	
Thur 23	Mobile Library Bus	
Thur 23	Support Staff Annual Celebration Day	
Fri 31	School Photos	
JUN Mon 3	Queens Birthday holiday	
Wed 5	Rippa Tournament [6th pp]	
Thur 6	Mobile Library Bus	
Thur 6	Home & School meeting 2pm	
Thur 13	Rm 3 –Matariki Light Show	
Fri 14	Y4,5,6 Cluster Quiz at Urenui	
Fri 14	Life Education Bus	
Mon/Tue 17&18	Life Education Bus	
JUL Thur 4	Mobile Library Bus	
Fri 5	Last Day of Term 2	

Notices cont...

Person of Character - At the final assembly last term the following children were able to choose a Duffy Book as a reward for their names being drawn out after receiving a POC card:- Ziana Webb-Podevin for fabulous tidying up; Billy Marx for completing the 'Racing Thru' programme; Jet Leslie for great maths thinking; Jess Chapman for being an excellent senior role model on the bus [10 points card]. Well done everyone!

Netball - This begins at the start this week. Subs need to be paid before the second game and are:-

Huirangi Hoops and Huirangi Hotshots [Yr 1&2 teams] \$21 each player Huirangi Heat & Huirangi High Tops [Yr 3&4 teams] \$25 each player Huirangi Hammers & Huirangi Haze [Yr 5 & 6 teams] \$35 each player

School Swimming Pool - The pool closed at the end of last term. Key holders, please return your key to the office this week.

Huirangi School Board of Trustees' Election

Nominations are invited for the election of **THREE** parent representatives to the Board of Trustees.

A nomination form and a notice calling for nominations will be posted to all eligible voters.

You can nominate another person to stand as a candidate, or you can nominate yourself. Both parts of the form must be signed. Additional nomination forms can be obtained from the school office.

Nominations close at noon on Friday 24th May 2019 and may be accompanied by a signed candidate statement and photograph.

The voting roll is open for inspection at the school and can be viewed during normal school hours. There will also be a list of candidates' names, as they come to hand, for inspection at the school.

Should the number of valid nominations received exceed the THREE vacancies, a vote will be held. Voting papers will be posted out by Wednesday 29th May, voting closes at noon on Friday 7th June.

Lynne Williams

Returning Officer

HUIRANGI SCHOOL

Start - 9am [children are <u>not</u> 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

[children to be picked up by 3pm]



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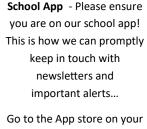


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Children's absences can be notified easily through the app via the email option and should be done before 9am that day.

IMPORTANT

A leave request for a holiday during term time needs to be in writing, in advance, to the Principal via a letter or email please.



Huirangi Home & School Executive

President: Adam Pearce Ph 0274 745315

Secretary: Jo Alldridge Ph 021 402538

Treasurer: Nicola Jupp Ph 0274 314113

NEXT MEETING: Thur 6 June, 2pm

see you then! 19

♦ PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE **♦**



Our Public Health Nurse is Gillian Boyce. Gill can be contacted on 7537790 extn 7076 or 0274064822

