HUIRANGI SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

2019 TERM 2: Week 10 – Monday 1st July

Dear Parents and Caregivers

You may have heard through the media already that last week teachers voted 'yes' to accept the package the government has now offered. On behalf of our teachers I want to thank parents for your ongoing support of what has been a drawn out and disruptive negotiation process.

Tomorrow and Wednesday we have the Three-Way Interviews [parent/teacher/student]. Everyone by now should have their appointment times, if you don't, please contact the office as soon as possible. Apologies to anyone whose allocated time is not what was preferred, but the most preferred times are quickly scooped up!

Although it hasn't yet gone through a Home & School meeting we have it on good authority that just over \$4100 was raised as a result of the recent Mathathon. WOW! Huge thanks to everyone who participated, you are amazing! Students are currently in the process, with teacher support, investigating and researching new games for classrooms that will contribute to the literacy and numeracy programmes. Money raised will also help replenish sand in our sandpit, install roller ziptrack blinds outside He Puāwai and Room 3 and purchase new sandpit equipment.

As this is the last week of term, I would like to wish everyone a great, safe two week holiday and we will see you all back on Monday 22nd July.

Kind Regards

Tony Williams

Principal



Term 2: Important Dates	
JUL Tues 2	Interviews
Wed 3	Interviews
Thur 4	Mobile Library Bus
Fri 5	Last Day of Term 2
JUL Mon 22	First day of Term 3
Thur 25	Home & School meeting 2pm
AUG Thur 1	Mobile Library Bus
Mon 5	BOT meeting 6.30pm
Thur 15	Mobile Library Bus
Thur 29	Mobile Library Bus
SEPT Tues 3	Cluster Speech Finals Urenui
Wed 4	Production matinee
Thur 5	Production night performance
Fri 27	Last Day of Term 3
OCT Mon 14	First Day Term 4
NOV Sat 2	PETS DAY

Notices:

Triple H's - Huirangi Helping Hands: We are pleased to announce the following students have completed their Peer Mediator training and are putting their skills into action throughout the school:- **Amelia Pearce, Devlin Hewson, Blake Nicholls, Nixin Farquhar, Miriama Pokere, Rachael Giddy, Ethan Flay, Kaisha Wilson and Meila Gwiazdzinski.**

Person of Character: The following students had their names drawn out from the POC cards issued during the week: **Devylen Kettle** for great listening and helping without being asked [10 pts], **Kian Mounsey** for being helpful and a supportive talk partner [10pts], **Rachael Giddy** for being kind, considerate and helping others [10pts], **Ethan Flay** for being on time and well organised in class [10pts], **Emma Lane** and **Lilah Elers** for being helpful and tidy in class. Well done all!

Home & School News: Keep those firewood raffle sheets coming in! In fact they *all* have to be in by **TOMORROW**.... So please keep up the selling and return the form and \$\$\$ to school by tomorrow.

Notices...

School App: A reminder to parents to make sure you send in your child's absence **before 9am** please as we need to know where they are from this time. Also please ensure you are subscribed to your child's class on the app, as occasionally teachers will send out a message that just pertains to their class.

A holiday idea!: As part of Fruit in Schools, the Nutrition Foundation has asked us to share with you, their 'Just Cook Challenge'. This challenge is open for the month of July and there are over \$3000 in prizes up for grabs. Go to the website for more details:-

http:/justcook.co.nz/

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Following a visit to school by artist Nicholas Paris, Room 4 visited the Len Lye Centre to see his art installations.

Huirangi Home & School Executive

President: Adam Pearce Ph 0274 745315

Secretary: Jo Alldridge Ph 021 402538

Treasurer: Nicola Jupp Ph 0274 314113

[Term 3] Thursday 25th July, 2pm

Come along to talk about Cross Country & the shape of Pets Day 2019

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]



♦ PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE **♦**

Our Public Health Nurse is Gillian Boyce.
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