## HUIRANGI SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

## 2020 TERM 3: Week 6 - Monday 24 August

Kia ora Parents and Caregivers

The running of our Cluster Cross Country event planned for this Thursday is subject to the government announcement today regarding COVID Levels. Any changes will take effect from Wednesday 26th August. Currently we are in Level 2, and if we remain in Level 2 after that announcement, then there will not be a Cluster Cross Country as that would involve more than 100 people. However, in Level 2, a cross country competition will be held at some stage during the week, weather dependent, just for our Huirangi students, but with no spectators, sorry. Please ensure your child comes to school each day with a change of clothes to run in [shorts/tights, T-shirt and shoes for running in if they don't want to go bare feet]. Our Home & School will give each child a sausage at lunchtime thanks to Tegel NZ.

If we drop back down to Level 1, the **Cluster** event with all four schools will go ahead as planned on Thursday 27th or if the weather is not good - our reserve day is Friday 28th.

I will keep you up to date via the school app of any changes.

Next Monday [31st August] the school will be closed to allow for an off-site teacher only day. Thank you for your understanding.

Kind regards

Tony Williams

Principal



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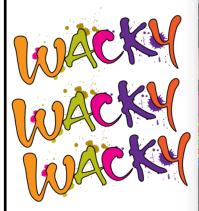
Term 3: Important Dates		
AUG	Thur 27	Cluster Cross Country— pp Friday 28th Event may be subject to change
	Fri 28	Quiz postponed
	Mon 31	TEACHER ONLY DAY school closed
SEPT	Mon 7	BOT meeting 6pm
	Tues 8	Chicken pick-up
	Tues 8	Y5&6 Interschool sports pp date Wed 9th
	Fri 11	H&S Bought Lunch day
	Wed 23	Taranaki Cross Country
	Wed 23	H&S meeting 2.00pm
	Fri 25	Last Day of Term 3
ОСТ	Mon 12	First day Term 4
	Mon 26	Labour Day holiday
	Sat 31	Pets Day

#### Notices:

**Wacky Hair/Costume Day** - Huge thanks to children for supporting this day and bringing a gold coin for annual Daffodil Day fundraiser. Donations reached just over \$240 which have been given to the NZ Cancer Society.

Look at the fabulous
He Puāwai class - all in
costume and with wacky hair
- looking amazing!

[Mrs Tapp was particularly wacky with a purple wig, a tutu and her shirt on back to front!]





Anderson Pies Fundraiser: The Home & School wishes to thank all families who supported this fundraiser. Many sold large amounts of pies, however there were **two** outstanding sellers:-Mel Lane and Tara Honnor who both sold over \$500 worth of pies! Amazing effort ladies! Enjoy your prizes!



Cluster Cross Country Food: Providing this event goes ahead, the Home & School food stall will be selling the following:- BBQ sausages in bread \$2 / juicies \$2 / hot drinks \$3 / home baking \$2 [in pieces]

# FOR SALE



Our sick bay bed is up for grabs!! It is a 'shortened' single bed of red tubular pipe with a mattress and is ideal for a young child or if space is at a premium!

The bed is available for a cash donation towards the schools library book collection.

All enquiries to the office please.

#### LOCKDOWN PROCEDURE

In the event of a **real** lockdown parents will be alerted via the app and it will say:

#### 'Huirangi School is in lockdown'

When you see this, please refrain from contacting school, or any teacher/teacher aide as this could lead to distraction of their primary focus, which is caring for our students. Please do not drive up to school, or attempt to enter the school.

We will alert you again as soon as the lockdown is cleared.

## 2020 HUIRANGI SCHOOL hours

Start - 9am [earliest drop off time is 8.15am]

Morning tea - 11am - 11.20am

Lunch - 1.00pm - 1.40pm

End of Day - 3.00pm \*\*Rm 4 and siblings pick-up is at the school drive entrance area

[The latest time for pick up is 3.15pm]



### Huirangi Home & School News

President: Jo Alldridge Ph 021 402538Secretary: Tara Honnor Ph 0279 118880Treasurer: Nicola Jupp Ph 0274 314113

Next Meeting: 23 September at 2.00pm in the

staffroom. All parents welcome.

#### Fundraisers & Events:

**Cross Country Food Stall** - Provided this event still goes ahead, we do still need <u>more people</u> to help on the stall. Give Jo Alldridge a phone call if you can help. Event subject to change due to COVID - watch school app alerts.

**Wet Bags** - Perfect for transporting wet/dirty clothing in school bags - order forms to come home soon

**Bought Lunches** - Friday 11th September, order forms will come home shortly.

Kids Art Work - art work for diaries, calendars, notebooks, greeting cards, mouse pads or sketch pads will be done at school later this term with online ordering early next term. Full details later. These make great Christmas presents!

There are samples in the office to view.

## 2020 Duffy Books in Homes Sponsor



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