



HUNTERVILLE SCHOOL

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Huntermville Pride... "Together We Strive"

* Quality Learning * Quality Behaviour * Quality Environment *

Dear Parent / Caregiver

Nga mihi o te wa kia koe me to whanau (Greetings to you and your family)

Congratulations to Mr Johansen, parents and especially Y 5 students for what was obviously a great camp last week. A number of parents on the camp have remarked to me about its success. How lucky are we to have had someone of the calibre of Mr Johansen to step in and take this camp for our Y5 students!

Confirming Classroom Teachers for 2017

Miss Gray returns from maternity leave at the start of next year so our teaching roster for 2017 at this stage, will likely be the same as we've started this year:

Room 1	:	Mrs Hatfull	Y 1/2
Room 2	:	Miss Viles	Y 2/3
Room 3	:	Mrs Spencer	Y 3/4
Room 6	:	Miss Gray	Y 4/5
Room 7	:	Mr Smith	Y 6/7
Room 8	:	Mrs Dalley	Y 7/8

Make Up of Classes for Next Year

As usual we won't be naming classes for next year until 9am assembly on the first day. This is because things always change with last minute enrolments etc and we don't want to upset parents (kids are usually fine!) by naming classes and then having to make changes. 😊

And with such a small Y 8 this year, we are looking AT THIS STAGE, at moving only nine from Rm7 to Rm 8 next year. The shuffle on effect of that is there will be smaller move ons than usual right down the classes.

For this reason (small number of move ons) this year, I'm not inviting parents to put forward their preference for which one of two classes their child might be in. This has been something that very few schools do anyway. We will just make the best decisions we can for the benefit of all!

We expect to finish this year with 161 students.

We expect to finish 2017 with 164 students.

SCHOOL BAND PERFORMANCES

1. At Marton Market Day, 26 November, the day after Y7/8 camp.
2. At Marton School, Thursday 1 December.

I hope to get a separate notice out to band members about this, tomorrow.

Phone Book Deliveries This Friday Afternoon

Calling for any offers of help with deliveries (PARENTS WITH A VEHICLE)

- Deliveries to Hunterville & District
- Wanganui phone books
- Worth approx \$1000 to our camp account
- 'Camp Account' heavily subsidizes;
 - Class camps (Y5-8 each year)
 - Life Education mobile classroom
 - Class day trips – e.g. Te Manawa this year
 - Visiting entertainers – two such visits programmed for all classes in the next fortnight.
 Details next week's pinkie.

A separate notice is going out to senior classes today for students help with deliveries but offer of vehicles from any parents would be gratefully received.

MENTAL MATHS COMPETITION THIS THURSDAY

Thursday 17 November 1.15pm in hall

- Followed by brief weekly assembly approx 2.40pm

Congratulations to the following students selected as the best 6 'mental mathematicians' in their year group:

Y 1/2	Y3/4	Y5/6	Y 7/8
Shelby Carman	Mackenzie Carman	Iris Collie	Harry Cherrie
Teagan Collins	Josh Keenan	Alex Glasgow	Morna Collie
Zavier Nydegger-Monks	Tegan Murray	Hine Marino-Maangi	Alex Legner
Marcus Murray	Zeta-Rose	Lucy McIntyre	Zoe Nydegger-Monks
Harry Rendle	Nydegger-Monks	Harry McVerry	George Simpson
Hawaiki Tattersall-Walker	Ben Sanson	Alec Murray	Emma Vennell
	Te Rau Walker		

Last Day of Bible in Schools This Friday

As per usual we finish the BIS year with a very informal service in St Johns church next to the school 9am-9.30 this Friday.

This is only for students who attend BIS classes.

Parents and friends of the school are most welcome to attend

Free to a good home – swingset.
Needs a little tlc. Donation to the school would be appreciated.
Interested – call Grant 0275396150.

**HOME & SCHOOL QUIZ
NIGHT
THIS FRIDAY 18
NOVEMBER
SCHOOL HALL 7.30PM**

**BYO Alcohol – juice/softdrinks for
sale**

**Adults \$20 team of 4-5
Older children \$10.00 team of 4 - 5**

DRESS UPS ENCOURAGED

**Prizes! Fun! Prizes!
Register at the school office**

Homework Survey

- Many thanks to those who have completed the survey to date.
- It is included again with today's pinkie. All feedback greatly appreciated.
- Please leave the completed survey in the lunch order box outside the office by **THIS FRIDAY 18 NOVEMBER**

Thank you.

LADIES GOLF - LUNCH & TASTE OF THE GAME

Rangatira Golf Club - Sunday 20th November

11.30am

Come join us for a great lunch, then buddy up with a member and play 6 holes of golf. No experience necessary. \$10.00 per person. Ph Lesley 0272324561

**Christmas Parade - School Float – Helpers
Needed for Working Bee!**

We are having a working bee on Saturday 19th November from 9am at school to paint the drops for the Christmas float. If you are available to help PLEASE call/text me.

The theme this year will be based on the school production of the Wizard of Oz. The more helpers on the day the quicker it will be done! Also, could parents please let me know if their child/children are able to go on the float for the parade. The Parade is on the afternoon of Christmas Eve.

Thank you and I look forward to hearing from you!

Tris Weston (Home & School) PH021531867

Coming Events

Nov

- 17: Mental Maths finals 1.15pm
- 18: Wanganui phone book delivery (Camp fundraiser \$1000) 12.30pm
- 21-25: Y 7/8 Resolution Bay Camp

- 26: Robotics Scrimmage regional finals, Palmerston North

Dec

- 2: Y7/8 softball tournament, Hville
- 7: Year 8 Dinner Station Hotel
- 9: School picnic
- 10: Robotics national scrimmage, Palmerston North
- 14: Prizegiving 7pm Town hall
- 15: School closes 12 Midday
- 24: School float in Christmas Parade

Feb

- 2: Day 1, term one 2017

Regards



**Stephen Lewis
PRINCIPAL**

PRIZEGIVING CUPS

Please may we have these back at school by this Friday as we prepare for this years.

Thank you.

CRICKET CORNER

8 Aside Hardball Results from Saturday

Y 5/6 Black vs Westmere: A win. We batted first and got 103 in our 24 overs. Harry McVerry 30 retired, Hayden Lourie 14 not out, Sam Livingston 5 not out. Westmere 78 after their 24 overs. Jack Goodwin 1 for 6 off 2 overs and Peter G 1 for 2 off 2 overs.

Y 5/6 Maroon Vs Wanganui East: A win. We bowled first and they got 86 for 7 after their 24 overs. Matthew Florence got 2 for 7 off 4 overs and was well supported by Liam Harding, Alex Glasgow & Jack Flower. We reached their total in the last over with Matthew the star of the day with 38 not out. Alex got 13 not out.

Y 7/8 Vs WIS: A loss. WIS 214 for 3 in 28 overs – Brodie Gray 2 for 30. Connor Hurley the best of the rest. Hunterville all out for 67 in 19 overs – top scorer Macca Williams. Seven out of the 8 wickets fell to catches. That's the first game for the season out of the way!

Draw for Sat 12 Nov (All games START at 9am):
NOT YET TO HAND

6 Aside Kiwi Cricket Friday Last Friday

Yr 3/4 Vs Wanganui East – narrow loss

Yr 5/6 Vs Brunswick. They fronted with 2 players; we bowled ten overs at them. They bowled 10 overes at us for practice. Player of day – whole team for showing good spirit despite turnout.

Teams for Kiwi Cricket This Week (Draw not Yet to Hand)

Y 3/4 (Mr Weston): Harry Weston, Oliver Richmond Deacon, Evan McIntyre, Zuriella Kennedy-Goodwin, Hayden Whinn, Te Rau Walker.

Y 5/6 (Mr Keenan): Sam Livingston, Ben Duncan, Alex Glasgow, Lucy McIntyre, Javaark Kennedy-Goodwin, Josh Keenan.

Not required this week: Emma Livingston and Boston Linklater

5 Week Skills Session – Wednesdays 12.15 to 1.00pm. YES WE START TOMORROW ☺

Registered: Oliver Richmond-Deacon, Ana McVerry, Harry Weston, Emma Livingston, Maddi Duncan, Charlie Cook, Oliver Bunn, Josh Keenan. LATE REGISTRATIONS WELCOME. \$50

Introduction to Cricket - For the 18 Registered Juniors – Fridays 12.40-1.10

A great session last Friday. Same again this Friday ☺

Basic Cricket Coaching Techniques FOR PARENTS

Although cricket is a team game it is based on specific individual skills – skills which really need to be practised in between practices/gamesnot just once per week.

If the techniques of batting & bowling are foreign to you (or you've run out of ideas) and you want some help, to help your child, then I'll run 30 minute sessions THIS WEEK on the Astroturf (school hall if wet). You're welcome to have your child attend too. (For any registered cricketer's parent 5yr to 13yr).

TODAY	Tues 15 th	6.00pm	}	Batting technique & drills.
and/or TOMORROW	Wed 16 th	9.00am		Bowling technique & drills
and/or TOMORROW	Wed 16 th	4.45pm		

The Hunterville Bowling Club is considering running a junior league consisting of 3 to 4 sessions for Y6-8. Depending on interest this could possibly be turned into 1 adult and 1 junior team playing games similar to twilight bowls. Open to consultation on days to fit with other sporting commitments. Interested - phone Richard Gower 3276436/0275433474.