



HUNTERVILLE SCHOOL

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Hunterville 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)

And so here we are – just a few days out from the end of term three. Roll on the fourth term and a bit of warmer weather!

Yesterday's Hunterville Saturday Morning Sports Club prizegiving went off very well. As an interested spectator in the audience I was impressed by the steady stream of teams onto the stage and the reports by coaches on how the season went.

Our students are indeed fortunate to have a strong club and dedicated parents providing quality sporting opportunities for them.

Congratulations To Y 7/8 Country 7's Rugby team

..... for their big win over Waverley in the final of the Wanganui country 7's competition at Cooks Gardens in Wanganui on Saturday.

Our team was:

Zane Brooks, Sam Simpson, Bailey Ansley, Freddie Lane, Letischa-Raye Johnson-Tipu, Phoebe Smailes, Zane Munn, George Simpson, Mackenzie Williams, Will Turner.

CONGRATULATIONS TO Y5/6 5 aside Hockey Team

.....who won their tournament at the cluster quads last Thursday. The rugby (unbeaten at the time), netball and soccer were all called off when the rain arrived, but the hockey was ahead of schedule and found a winner!

Our team (5 aside competition) was: Latisha Roore, Jade Guiniven, Ben Black, Connor Hurley & Harry McVerry.

Congratulations To Our Robotics Team

Who came 2nd in the interschool scrimmage held at St Peters College on Saturday.

Our team was: Harry Cherrie, Iris Collie and Morna Collie. Another top effort, team!

REMINDER: MENTAL MATHS FINALS TOMORROW

Six finalists as named in last week's pinkie contest their section in our annual 'Mental Maths Competition'. Parents and supporters are most welcome - from 1.15pm in the school hall.

WELCOMES/FAREWELLS

There have been no welcomes/farewells in the past week.

YUMMY APPLE STICKERS

Can we please have these in if you have been collecting these at home? They need to be by the 28th Sept so we can tally them up and send them away. In the past we have received sports equipment for the school from these.

WHOLE SCHOOL RATA MARAE TRIP

Wednesday 25th November 9.30-2.30pm

Yes, this biennial event is all go for the whole school in week 7 of next term.

PARENT MEETING TO HELP WITH ORGANISATION OF THIS MAJOR EVENT –

THIS THURSDAY (24 September) 3.15pm STAFFROOM.

ALL INTERESTED PERSONS URGED/ASKED! TO ATTEND.



Rippa Rugby World Cup – Y4-8 (WAS to have been tomorrow morning)

This has been postponed until week 1 next term because of the weather/ground conditions.

Hunterville Sport &

Recreation Trust

AGM

1st October 5.30pm

Town Hall

RANGATIRA GOLF CLUB

FAMILY DAY

Sunday 27 September 12 noon.

All welcome – afternoon tea plate please.

Enquiries – Lesley Leary 3228561

THANK YOU MILO LADIES!

After two terms of serving free hot milos every morning, the service stops for the summer terms. We thank the Marton Christian Welfare Centre for funding the Milos and our wonderful Milo Ladies for giving of their time over the past five months to provide the service for our kids each day: Chrystal Hillman, Polly Walker, Tania Ruebe, Gillian Bennett, Rosie McIntyre and Liz Houltham. Thanks Ladies!

HUNTERVILLE SCHOOL DISCO

This Friday 25TH September

6.30-8PM

\$3.00 each or \$5.00 per family



THEME: All Blacks/Rugby World Cup

All student Rm1-Rm8

Parents all welcome! No secondary school students please.

For sale: lollies, chocolate, chippies, fizzy & water

Glow sticks 50c, Glow bunny ears \$2.50, Glow glasses \$2.50, flashing rings \$2.00!

Science Trip to Otiwhiti

Mrs Taylor's extension science group will be visiting Otiwhiti Station on the 1st Friday of next term.

Mrs Taylor's group is Olivia Florence, Sophie Black, Letischa-Raye Johnson-Tipu, Rebecca Hurley, Charlotte Deans, Destiny Scott, Shardae McKenzie, Sam Simpson, Zane Brooks, Freddie Lane, Phoebe Smailes & George Lambert.

TOUGH KIDS THIS FRIDAY

Our 86 entries (Y3-8) for Friday's Tough Kids at Ohingaiti, join 1000(!) other competitors from around the region for this growing event.

If other years are anything to go by, participants will be running a cross country/obstacle course race and end up being drenched with water and covered in mud! 😊

Depart: From school hall 9.30am in cars, van & bus.

Return: We're thinking of bringing Y3-6(?) competitors back to school after the Y 5/6 races at midday We expect the day to finish at approx 2pm for those remaining.

Other Info:

- **Offers of transport much appreciated – please see form below.**
- Participants will need a towel and warm clothing to change into.
- Obviously plenty of drink, as well as morning tea and their lunch
- Our students will race in black shorts and a school uniform polo shirt. (Some will be issued school singlets).
- Don't forget the adults race at the end of the day!

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Sept 23: Mental Maths finals 1.15pm
23: Reading Together Final Workshop, 3.15, Library
24: Parent meeting – whole school marae trip 3.15 in staffroom.
25: Rangitikei Tough Kids competition, Ohingaiti
25: End of term three, 3pm
25: Rugby World Cup Disco School Hall 6.30-8pm.
- Oct 12: Day 1 Term 4
22: School Photos
23: School cross country all classes approx 1pm on the dmain
26: School closed – Labour Day
28: School speech finals: Yr 1-4 during the afternoon; Yr 6-8 at 7pm
29: BOT meeting 7.30pm
30: Interschool cross country, here (Y4-8)
31: Shemozzle!
- Nov 1: Lions Club Interschool speech finals Y 7/8 4pm at school.
3: Lamb/Calf Day

HOME & SCHOOL MEETING

Thursday 15 October

7.30pm

School Staffroom

Everyone welcome!

So, thanks for another great term parents. We certainly appreciate your support and involvement on so many fronts around here.

We wish you an enjoyable two week holiday from school with your children.

Regards



Stephen Lewis
PRINCIPAL

Mangatepopo Camp

All Y 7 & 8's will have come home today with a note outlining the upcoming Mangatepopo camp later in the year.

HOME & SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

Thank you to all those who responded to our request for slices for the Marton Quilting fundraiser at Nga Tawa on 3/4 October. However, due to the lack of manpower we have been unable to commit to this fundraiser and will no longer be participating.

Rachel Williams – Chair Home & School Assn

TRANSPORT OFFERS TO TOUGH KIDS ON FRIDAY

- Yes I can take ___ Hunterville School students in my vehicle. (Meeting in school hall at 9.30am).

Name _____