



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)

The electives programme for our eighty Y 5-8 students had a successful start on Friday afternoon, with twenty options provided by parents, staff and community members. We are MOST grateful to those people. Electives continues for the next three Friday afternoons.

Finding a New Teacher for Room 3 (Mrs Stewart)

We are still in the process of finding a new teacher for Room 3 to start in six weeks time at the start of term three.

The position will be filled by a long term reliever for terms three and four and then advertised nationally as a permanent position for the start of 2016.

A number of very capable , known teachers, have been approached to date but so far, to no avail. We will now be casting our net a little wider by advertising in local/regional newspapers.

And yes, just to confirm the news as announced in the Community Newsletter a fortnight ago

Mrs Fitz-Herbert, our longest serving teacher has signalled her intention to step down from teaching at the end of this year.

ANNUAL YEAR 6 WELLINGTON TRIP NEXT WEEK

Mr Smith, our 21 Year 6 students and a group of parents are in Wellington next Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday. Outings/activities planned include: Carter Observatory, Zealandia Wildlife Sanctuary, Capital E, Zoo, Cable Car, And even more! Reminder parent meeting tomorrow 5pm. Ring Shane if you can't make it. 0212640519.

Beautification Project at Rear of Room 6/Library

This area has long been our little problem child as far as our grounds go, which in general are most attractive and often positively remarked on by visitors.

Parent Dave Munn has been engaged to develop this area which includes the laying of a concrete pad for a large garden shed (and the building of the shed), and general landscaping which features a large retaining wall in that area of the school.

SLEEPOVER AT SCHOOL FRIDAY NIGHT 3 JULY

This Home & School fundraiser for Y4-8 students is gathering momentum with a good number of students already booked in. The sleepover features:

- Sleep marae style on the hall floor.
- Friday tea and Saturday breakfast provided.
- Movie night on the Friday.

Organised by parents Karina Jervis and Rachel Williams. Registrations close Monday 22 June.

CHECK OUT THE ATTACHED INFORMATION AND REGISTRATION SHEET.

SCHOOL SKIING SQUADS - COMPETITIVE AND DEVELOPMENT

(Indications of interest to Mr Lewis by the end of next week)

St Josephs's School in Taihape have again invited us to send students to Turoa Skifields EACH TUESDAY IN TERM THREE, as part of their skiing programme.

(Because of Taihape's proximity to the mountain, St Joseph's can access 'a deal' with Turoa, whereas, we cannot.)

The bones of this programme include:

- Students need a season pass and rental gear.
- Lessons on the mountain are from 9am to 3pm at a cost of \$39.00 per lesson.
- Our students will require parent supervision - although this and transport can be sorted between parents of our kids.
- School van can be used for transport if need be.

Once up and going PARENTS (and not 'Huntermville School') will need to be responsible for transport, supervision and communications between themselves and St Josephs School, just as was the case last year.

For further information at this stage please contact me **BY FRIDAY 19 JUNE**

Soccer Training:

This is continuing until the end of this term - Tuesdays 3:15 - 4:14. New players always welcome. Cost \$35 per player. Contact Rosie on 0272414439.

Year 5/6 Ripa Rugby Team

Selected by Mr Smith and to be coached by Mr Ratima. Practice dates to be advised.

Congratulations to: Jade Guiniven, Lara Watson, Monique Hillman, Latisha Roore, Eden Goodwin, Matthew Florence, Orlando Ratima, Josh Hillman, Jonty Duncan, Ben Black. The two reserves who will train with the team and cover if any injuries arise are Josh Lourie & Hine Marino-Maangi.

Mrs Taylors Science Extension Group – This Friday Focus - Microscopes

Anna Hughes, Haana Kilmister, Brooklyn O'Connor, Jessica Brooks, Javaark Kennedy-Goodwin, Alec Murray, Harry Cherrie, Regan Harris & Morna Collie.

NETBALL DRAW SATURDAY 13 JUNE

Hvllle A	Vs	Clifton A	Court 3	9am
Hvllle B	Vs	James Cook C	Court 1	11am
Hvllle C	Vs	Sth Makirikiri	Court 3	11am

(Please don't forget umpiring duties)

WEEKEND SPORTS RESULTS

HOCKEY				
Team	Versus	Result	Score	Player of the Day
11 aside	Oroua	Drew	0-0	Freddie Lane
Kiwi 3	Oroua	Won	4-0	Jonty Duncan
Kiwi 2	Marton	Won	2-1	Harry McVerry
Kiwi 1	Bye			
RUGBY				
Under 13	Ruapehu	Lost	48-7	Harmony Kinloch
Under 10	Huntley	Lost	65-20	Josh Lourie & Aimee Hopkins
Under 8	Taihape	Won	10-2	Jack Goodwin
Under 6	Kaierau	Won		Charlie Cook
NETBALL				
A Team	South Mak	Won	17-15	Olivia Florence
B Team	Bulls	Won	7-3	Monique Hillman
C Team	Clifton	Lost	4-3	Tegan Murray & Pitu K
FOOTBALL	Marton Magic	Lost	2-1	

Other Sports: Gymnastics – Anna Hughes 1st out of 37 competitors in her age group at a competition in Palmerston North over the weekend. WELL DONE, ANNA!

Ripper Rugby - The U6 Ripper team played Kaierau in Wanganui on Saturday. The team played really well following a couple of weeks off. Player of the day went to Charlie Cook. (Bryan Rendle)

Hockey

Friday saw both, Hunterville Hawks and Hunterville Cougars playing at the same time. Both teams played very well. Hawks were playing against Marton with the game going the Hawks way 2-0. Player of the Day was Harry McVerry.

Thank you to Mrs. Vicky Walker for stepping into sub and cheer on the Hawks.

Cougars played against a very tall and skilled Oroua team. Some amazing team work within the Cougar team saw Hunterville come away with the win 4-0.

Player of the Day was Jonty Duncan

Thank you both teams, for great team work and determination. (Demelza Kennedy-Goodwin)

WELCOMES/FAREWELLS

Welcome to Katara Ballard in Room 1

HOCKEY DRAW FRIDAY 12 JUNE

Kwik Sticks	Vs	Bulls	Feilding	7pm
Huntermville 1	Vs	Huntermville 2	Feilding	5.15pm
Huntermville 3	Vs	Marton	Feilding	5.15pm

Under 13 Hockey Rep Trials 2015 (Y6-8)

Girls – Sunday 28 June 10-12pm – Feilding High School

Boys - Sunday 28 June 3-5pm – Feilding High School.

All those interested MUST collect a registration form from the school office.

(Return them completed to the office before 13th June and Mrs Harding will email them through for you).

My name is Sandy Abbot and I'm a Huntermville based hobby photographer. I've won a few competitions and had photographs featured internationally. I know that there are number of people locally who are budding or keen photographers. I believe it would be a great idea if we had a photography group in Huntermville so I'm going to set one up. The Rangitikei Photography Group.

The idea is to meet regularly to compare notes, share ideas, take some photos of course. It's not going to be a 'technical' group but I'm hoping people who join will share their knowledge and expertise to help us all become better photographers.

We can meet in various places locally. Maybe take turns to host and do some short field trips to the amazing locations we have all around us.

You don't have to be into photography already; you may just be curious and wish to find out more about how it all works. All are welcome and you don't need expensive equipment.

There is already a Facebook page recently set up you can 'like' for more information or drop me a line at sandy.abbot@gmail.com or call on 02108388654 to let me know if you'd like to take part.

Alexander (Sandy) Abbot 3 Marshall Road Huntermville

COMING EVENTS:

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| June | 12: | Electives day 2, 1.30-3.00pm |
| | 16-18: | Year 6 Wellington trip |
| | 19: | Electives day 3, 1.30-3.00pm |
| | 22: | Life Education Trust mobile classroom this week. |
| | 24: | Year 5/6 Rippa Rugby tournament, Taihape. |
| | 26: | Electives final day 1-1.45; then electives assembly in the hall. |
| | 27: | Interschool robotics competitions – Feilding (Rangitikei College group) and Wanganui (Mr Jeffrey's cluster group). |
| July | 3: | Final day of term three. |
| | 3: | Home & School sleepover fundraiser. |
| | 6-17: | Electrical upgrade and heat pumps installed to all remaining areas of the school. |
| | 20: | Day one of term three. |

Regards



Stephen Lewis
PRINCIPAL

RUGBY DRAW 13 June 2015

U12	Vs	Kaierau U12	MARTON	12pm
(Yes this is right - Marton Old Timers Day and we have a few Marton players in our team!)				
U10	Vs	Kaierau Gold	Huntermville	10am
U8	Vs	Kaierau	Huntermville	10am
U6	Vs	Marton	Marton	10am