

HUKERENUI SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



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Ngā mihi mahana ki a koutou katoa

We are all excited for cross-country day on Tuesday! Please come along to support your children and rally them along to the finish line!

We need marshals at specific checkpoints and to get enough helpers can be a challenge at times!

The order of running is a bit different this year. We will start with the seniors so that the marshals placed around the hall for the longer course, can come back in earlier to join us for the rest of the day.

A huge thank you to Mrs Jones for organising the day so well, and for the PTA who at short notice was willing to run the sausage sizzle for the Year 7+8's!

The new gates and fences are really doing their job - it is even making it difficult for some adults to get in 😊

If you ever see the gate to the turf/courts still open when the buses have all arrived, please close it. The fence has been put in as a safety measure so little ones can't run away and get in harm's way.

Our school buildings are so full that we have asked to hold our fortnightly school assemblies at the Hukerenui Hall, we are very grateful that we are able to use this facility.

Our library is currently being set up in the old Playcentre. We are very excited to have our library back again 😊

Thank You

Bastienne Kruger
Principal

Upcoming Dates:

August

17 th	Fun Friday – Rm3 fundraiser
21 st	Cross Country event
29 th	WPSSA Cross Country event
31 st	Daffodil Day. Donation box in office

September

18 th	Poetry Recital Competition
28 th	End of Term 3

Cross Country

We are still looking for volunteers to help with marshalling at our school cross country event, without your help this event becomes very difficult to run. Thank you.

Health notice:

We have a lot of sore throats with some being confirmed as strep throat over the last few weeks. Please see your doctor if you are concerned about your child's sore throat as they may require antibiotics.

Headlice has been present in some classrooms, please check your child over the weekend.

Missing uniforms:

Please regularly check the tags of your child's jersey and return any mistakenly taken home, we have some children missing their jersey and they are expensive to replace. The staff is not responsible for and are not obligated to search the school for missing items, however you are more than welcome to look yourselves. Thank you.

Absences and Changes:

Please remember to:

- let the office know if your child is absent from school along with the reason for absence.
- contact the office by **2pm** if there are any changes to bus or pickup routines. You can phone, text and email or send a note with your child.
- Sign out at the office if you are taking your child early.

Uniforms:

Please ensure your child is dressed in the correct uniform including jerseys, Sport club hoodies etc are not part of the school uniform.

Pants must be plain black or dark blue shorts or trousers.

We have some 2nd hand uniforms available for a donation. Thank you.

Thank you for supporting our letter 'F' mufti day fundraiser last week. Proceeds will go towards room 3 camp. Here we have our Firefighters ready for action!



SCHOOL PTA FUNDRAISER

The PTA who are raising funds to go towards the nature playground are selling wine. For every case sold we will get a percentage of the sale price. We encourage you to buy as many bottles as you wish and we will combine the orders to make up the number required for a case. The wine we have been told is really nice and many of them have won awards. See the attached flyer to get a description of each wine and how to place your order. Wine sales close on the 15th August, so be in quick. Thank you for your ongoing support of our children!



Hukerenui Netball:

Intermediates 12pm court 10 Steve's team
<http://whangareinetball.co.nz/competition>

Cross Country info:

Order of races, first race at 10.30am.

Age 12/13

Age 4

Age 5

Age 11

Age 6

Age 10

Age 7

Age 9

Age 8

(ages as at 1st January)

PTA will be running the Sausage sizzle – please support them.

