

HUKERENUI SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



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Ngā mihi mahana ki a koutou katoa

The end of Term 3 is upon us! I am hoping for some nice sunny weather when we return to school next term! Thank you to everyone for your support so far and all the help you have given to help us deliver a varied and high quality curriculum to the children.

Thank you to Derek Barnes and Clint Smeath for digging until they found a massive water leak that caused us to run out of water on that nasty cold Tuesday! Clint had to come back again as another problem occurred at the Alpaca's water trough which drained the water again! We are learning fast!

Colour run!

Our PTA's fundraiser for the year is going to be so much fun! It is a colour run and will be held right after market day is finished on Friday 7 December! There will be brochures and sponsor lists sent home so please look out for these and help the children register themselves online as this is the only way they would be able to order their prizes. These are linked to a fundraising target kids can set for themselves to acquire something fun from the catalogue. This is a very broad overview – but the paperwork will tell you more!

AG day

Ag day will be held at the end of week 2. It is on Friday 26th and Saturday 27th October. This is a school event and even if they do not have an animal, it is important that students attend this learning event.

All the indoor crafts will be created on the Friday morning, and the judging will start by lunchtime. The results will be displayed on the crafts on Saturday morning for all to see. Always very exciting!

Teachers will be sending home the lists of materials and jars that your child will need to make their displays on the Friday. We want every child to participate and it is only fun for them if they have their own flowers, jars, etc. Please start collecting or eyeing out places where you could collect some leaves/flowers, etc. from.

Marae assembly

It was lovely to see so many parents at the Marae. Thank you for supporting us – the children did so well and it was great that you could enjoy seeing that!

Thank you to Whaea Merilene Horsford for all the teaching and working with the students to build up confidence to participate in the welcoming and speeches. We appreciate the support of Akerama Marae and Wattie and Maggie for always being there to help us. You are all fantastic! Thank you, thank you, thank you!

Please when you drop off late children escort them to the office as most of the children are unable to reach the gate release.

School ends tomorrow for a 2 week break. We hope you have a lovely holiday with family and friends. If you are travelling somewhere – please keep safe ☺

Term 4 starts on Monday 15 October again.

Thank You

Bastienne Kruger
Principal

Upcoming Dates:

September 28 th	End of Term 3
October 15 th	Start of Term 4
22 nd	Labour Day
27 th	AG Day

Coming up next term:

Kids safe with dogs program – Junior students
Athletics training and event
AG Day & Barge Park Central Day
Bus Monitors pool day
Market Day
Colour Run
End of year prize-giving – daytime event
Last day of school – Friday 14th December

AG Day

Please register your virtual calf, lamb or goat entry at the office **before end of term.**

We currently have 3 virtual calves, 27 lambs and 2 goats.

If there are any pre-schoolers aged 4 who are training a lamb or goat – please let us know as we have no registrations yet. The children need to have an affiliation with the school please.

Masters Class has three keen mums and lambs – we would like a few more!

Please remember that all animals can only be entered into one section.

2017 Prizegiving Trophies

Please clean and return these to the office.

Piano Lessons

There are sessions available on Mondays during school time, if you would like to book for next term please contact Helen in the office.

School Library

Our school library will be up and running at the beginning of term 4. Children will be allocated a bar code number and password at this time. Everybody will be able to access the library program online. When the children get their barcode number and password, they will be able to renew books and write reviews on books. Any questions or queries please see Miss Baldwin.

Absence due to illness

We understand that recent illnesses have meant that some children have been absent for longer than usual and we appreciate them being kept home. It is school policy that a medical certificate is required if your child is absent for more than three consecutive days. Thank you for your understanding.

Weetbix Tryathlon 2019 – entries are open and we have a school team. Please go to <https://tryathlon.co.nz/> to enter.

Pass it forward

Thank you to Andrea Coates for delivering us some new sports balls as part of the Pass It Forward programme! For every Pass it Forward ball sold at Rebel Sport, they will donate the same ball to a deserving kiwi club or school. More information at www.passitforward.co.nz.



YOU BUY
a ball

WE GIVE
a ball
to a deserving club or school

PASS IT FORWARD

Every kid deserves the chance to play sport

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Rhythm & Movement Classes: Term 4

Classes that explore rhythm and focus on creative movement through stretching, dance activities, group work and props - all done to music! These classes are a fun dance experience and give children a love for dance while developing skills.

Please contact Adrienne Kehoe for more class information: 021 0285 3541 (held at Hukerenui hall)



Pink LOOP

**Sunday 21st
October 2018 - 9am**

To raise awareness for Breast Cancer Support Northland. The charity who supports Northland women with Breast Cancer.

JOIN US & REGISTER
to be into win your school a \$1,000 fundraiser starter pack*.

\$10	per person
\$5	for school children
\$30	family passes (up to 6)

BREAST CANCER SUPPORT NORTHLAND TRUST

PAK'nSAVE | imaging | KIA | ISUZU | EVES | JOP

*\$500 for your school to use at Jeff Oliver Print for ANY printing needs and \$500 worth of groceries at PAK'nSAVE Whangarei.

For more information and to register, online at www.breastcancernorthland.co.nz



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WE ARE SEARCHING FOR NEW ZEALAND'S HOTTEST JUNIOR CHEF!

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Have you got a favourite dish you like to cook?
Are you in a Northland School and are in Year 1 - 8?
If the answer is yes, we want you!

To be held at:
The 176th Bay of Islands P & I Show
Saturday 10th November
at Waimate North

Heaps of Fun
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For more details and the entry form go to:
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