



# Hauroko VALLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL



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# Term 3, Week 3, 2020 Kia orana, Bula, Namaskaram, Aynubowan, Habari

It has been a wonderful week with Oral Language presentations from our Year 4-8 students presenting their Speeches. What a feast of originality, humour and selection of language for speech topics. There were also impressive standards of pace, clarity, volume, expression and eye contact. Well done to each of our speech writers and presenters for the preparation shown. We are proud of each of you!

Thanks to our parent volunteers coming in today for a working bee. We had a long list of possible tasks to complete including firewood, loose parts shed, garden shed, weeding etc... Thanks for giving your time and expertise to support our school!

#### Reminders

Please text, phone or email to indicate students that are not travelling on the bus particularly in the afternoon. This includes students that attend hockey, rugby, swimming, netball or any other practices after school. We appreciate your help in ensuring everyone is where they need to be.

Thanks for continuing to return **permission forms** for opportunities that are available for our children. Most of these have time frames for returns. Often this is to ensure we meet deadlines that have been provided for entries into tournaments or competitions which are often external to school. It is a requirement that we have permission for your child or children to attend cultural, sporting and trips further than local. To enable us to efficiently organise numerous requirements (including Coaches, Managers, Referees or Umpires and of course transport), we do ask for forms to be returned promptly and by the due date.

#### **School Documents**

Each term our board reviews our School Documents - Policies and Procedures. Throughout the course of a year we have reviews to complete across each NAG (National Administration Guidelines). This includes Curriculum, Documentation and Self-Review, Employer Responsibility, Finance and Property Management, Health, Safety and Welfare and Legislation and Administration. At any time, you can send general feedback on a topic to the principal by clicking the green feedback button at the top right of the School Docs page - https://www.schooldocs.co.nz/

As a board we are looking to provide opportunities for consultation via School Docs reviews of Policies and Procedures. We invite you to review our current Learning Support Policy as part of the Term 3, 2020 current review. You are more than welcome to review each of those that are relevant to your group - P for parent B for board members S for staff at the time indicated e.g. Term 3, 2020.

Two ways to access either via our www.haurokovalley.school.nz website and go to:

- Information Centre
- School Documents
- School Policies and Procedures
- Policy Review Learning Support

#### Instructions for reviewers

Follow the link to the policy **Learning Support**.

Read the policy.

Click the red Policy Review icon at the right-hand top corner of the page. A new screen will appear.

Select your role (board member, staff member, or parent/caregiver) from the drop-down list.

Enter your name (optional).

Submit your ratings and comments.

If you don't have internet access, there are printed copies of the current policy "Learning Support" and the review form in the school office. These can be completed to include your review comments and submitted via Karen in our school office.

#### Term 3, Week 4

Monday 10th August - **Home and School Annual General Meeting** in Hauroko Valley Primary School's Staffroom from 7.30pm.

#### Wednesday 12th August

Guest Speaker for Rata Class - Laura Douglas from Real Country. If you've ever wanted to learn to crack a whip, muster sheep or fix a fence, 'Southern Girl' Laura Douglas is your gal. This gum boot wearing, rescue animal adopting bundle of energy is the founder and CEO of Real Country, a farm that welcomes visitors to enjoy a taste of real, rural New Zealand. We are excited to host Laura as she has connections to Hauroko Valley Primary School through family (her sister attended HVP). Laura is visiting to share her journey - her vision, challenges and achievements as an outstanding leader in her field, having swapped city life for the country!

Friday 14th August 9.30am-10.30am Poetry Recitals Years 1-3

To be held in Kowhai/Matai

10.45am-12.00pm **Speech Finalists** Years 4-8 To be held in Rata

Year 4 - Libby Anderson, Lucy Blair-Edie, Mac Reilly, Sam Horrell, Briar-Rose Smith Year 5 & Year 6 - Lily Cade, Hugo Gray, Cormac Legg, Harry Blair-Edie, Oliver Deans, Lily Erskine, Georgia Mercep, Summer Templeton

Year 7 & 8 - Jack Horrell, Kate Mercep, Hunter Norman, Lucas Templeton, Kenzie Martin, Harrison Erskine

## Year 7&8 Camp

If your child is in Year 7&8 please join us immediately after the Speech Finals on Friday 14th August for a 'Hump Ridge' Camp Meeting in the Staffroom. We do require several parent helpers to support this camp and it would be great if you could be in attendance too. This will clarify the programme for the Hump Ridge Track Camp and outline the preparation plan for our students.

# Term 3, Week 5

#### **Southland Festival of Netball**

This year we are excited to be entering three teams into Southland's Festival of Netball Tournaments in Invercargill at Stadium Southland. It is only possible through the support of our parent helpers willingly giving their time to coach and manage teams or organise umpires and also those providing transportation. We are thankful for your support!

Tuesday 18th August

Year 5 Team Coach: Kylie Greer

Manager: Can you help?

Umpire: Kenzie Bennett c/- St John's Girls School

Wednesday 19th August

Year 6 Team

Coach: Julia Waikato Manager: Lou Clarke Umpire: Can you help? Thursday 20th August (please note this is Teachers Only Day)

Year 7&8 Team Coach: Becs Mercep Manager: Sheryl Horrell

Umpire: Kirsten Devery c/- Southland Girls High School

# **HVP Ski Trip**

# Friday 21st August

Thanks for sending through your Ski or Snowboard Key Information as this document forms our final numbers. This then generates our quote and costs for Adults and Children. Please look out for a notice sent home today and also via Skool Loop.

There are several documents that need to be completed and these are required within the time frames to ensure we are thorough in the Health and Safety Policies and Procedures required for this Education Outside The Classroom opportunity.

# **Ngā mihi nui** Julia Waikato, Principal/Tumuaki



#### Read Aloud

Check out this week's Read Aloud book. Follow the QR code for a story





https://bit.ly/3bdjZDO

# Once Upon a Wild Wood

Chris Riddell

Storytime (longer story)

Read by Chris Riddell

# Friday Lunch Orders

Sausage & Chips \$5
Fish Bites & Chips \$5
Chips \$3
Chicken Nuggets & Chips \$5
Ham & Salad Sandwich \$5
Bacon & Egg Sandwich \$5
Muffin \$4
Cheese Roll \$2
Dagwood (ham or roast beef) \$6
Sausage Roll \$4
Mince, Chicken, Venison Pie \$5
Lollycake \$4



## **School Accounts**

If paying accounts by internet banking, the school details are: Westpac 03 1748 0030028 000



Week	Term 3 Calendar Event	Dates
4	NZ Maths Week Guitar Groups #3 Home & School Meeting 7.30pm Leadership year 7&8 Discovery Time Years 1-3 Poetry Recitals/Rata Assembly	Monday 10th August Wednesday 12 Aug Thursday 13th August Friday 14th August
5	Conservation Week Guitar Groups #4 Cluster Speech Finals (Year 5&6 and Year 7&8) ICAS Science Years 5-8 Year 6 Netball Tournament Teachers Only Day HVP Ski Trip - The Remarkables	Monday 17th August TBC Tuesday 18th August Thursday 20th August Friday 21st August
6	Guitar Groups #5 ICAS Digital Technology Years 5-8 ICAS English (Reading) Years 5-8 Discovery Time Years 1-3 Kowhai Assembly	Monday 24th August Wednesday 26th Aug Thursday 27th August Friday 28th August
7	Guitar Groups #6 ICAS Maths Year 5-8 ICAS Spelling Bee Year 5-8 Area Speech Finals (Year 5&6 and Year 7&8) NSC, Lumsden, 7.00pm Discovery Time Years 1-3 Matai Assembly	Monday 31st August  Tuesday 1st Sept Wednesday 2nd Sept  Thursday 3rd September Friday 4th September
8	Guitar Groups #7 Young Einstein Competition (Year 5-8) Discovery Time Years 1-3 Totara Assembly	Monday 7th September Wednesday 9th Sept Thursday 10th Sept Friday 11 September
9	Guitar Groups #8 Southland Interschool Speech Finals (Year 5&6 and Year 7&8) CSC, Winton Discovery Time Years 1-3 Rata Assembly	Monday 14th September Wednesday 16th Sept Thursday 17th Sept Friday 18th September
10	Rippa Rugby Tournament Discovery Time Years 1-3 Have a Go Programme Years 7 & 8 Leaders/Guitarists Assembly End of Term 3, 2020	Monday 21st September Thursday 24th Sept Friday 25th September

The Electoral Commission is recruiting for roles in New Zealand's 2020 General Election.

For more information, and to apply, please go to

https://elections.nz/jobs/work-at-the-2020-general-election/

# **Adopt a Calf**

#### THE ADOPT A CALF SCHEME IS BACK FOR 2020.

#### What

- Student gets allocated a calf in the middle of September. First afternoon Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> September 2020.
- Student can name the calf
- Every Wednesday afternoon at 3:30pm until 5pm student can visit the farm feed, brush and lead the calf.
- Learn the care and attention of calves on a dairy farm, some stockmanship skills and have fun.
- We register with Calf Club NZ and will then run our own calf show on our farm, date to be confirmed. Judges will be arranged and children will be judged on care and attention; leading; calling and handling.
- Children who have access to their own calf and wish to also be a part of the day can rear their
  own calf at home and the judges will pay you a visit leading up to the show.

#### How

 Please email your interest to <u>Kaylene@beachvalley.co.nz</u> with name and contact details incl address and phone number, if you are interested in being a part of this opportunity. Entries close Friday 11<sup>th</sup> September.

#### Conditions

- Students and parent/caregivers will be required to sign a health & safety agreement
- Biosecurity of our farm is very important to us so disinfecting of footwear and gear will be required every visit.
- Failure to turn up to weekly visits may result in loss of opportunity
- There is no limit of student numbers or age.

We can be contacted on the below details if you have any gueries:

Jason & Kaylene Bennett Ph 032266904 Kaylene 0274327156 Jason 0272326482

Email: kaylene@beachvalley.co.nz

