

NEWSLETTER

# Hauroko

VALLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL



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## **Term 3, Week 2, 2021**

### **Kia orana, namaste, bula, kia ora**

What a fabulous first week back with students and staff re-engaging with learning and each other. Hauroko Valley Primary featured in the Miharo Polyfest Art Exhibition with a focus on the Waiau River. Several of our families had a blast on Coronet Peak as part of our annual ski trip. Those that remained at school enjoyed opportunities to see New Zealand in the Olympics watching a gold medal win in rowing!

We wish our Year 3&4, Year 5&6 and Year 7&8 hockey teams all the best as they continue in their games in the Southland Hockey Competition. All teams are in the top 5 and are working their way through semi-finals and finals.

### **Miharo Polyfest & Waiau Rivercare Group**

Congratulations to all HVP students for your contributions to the Waiau Rivercare Group with illustrations and writing to share why the Waiau River is important to us. Your work was shared as part of a combined entry, along with Waiau Area School into the Miharo Polyfest and won the Whanaungatanga award for bringing the community together to support our awa/river. We are extremely thankful to have had Christina Vaughan providing us with this amazing opportunity. The thoughtfully curated content and display was outstanding!

Totara Class have been working with members from the Waiau Rivercare Group who are heading to Wellington as part of a Parliamentary Select Committee Hearing and two students from Hauroko Valley Primary have been selected to attend. These two students have impressed with their genuine enthusiasm, knowledge, questioning and an ability to communicate articulately in learning throughout the Inquiry Learning journey. Congratulations to Libby and Tomas who along with Jen Templeton will be part of the presentation in Wellington.

### **Netball Trials Years 5-8**

If you are able to support our netball teams as either manager, coach or umpire for either the Year 5&6 or Year 7&8 netball teams, please let Julia know. The Year 5&6 students have an opportunity to play in Otautau at the Western Southland Netball Tournament on Tuesday 10th August. Thanks to Kylie Greer for supporting our Year 5&6's. Our Year 7&8 students are working towards the Southland Competition at Stadium Southland on Wednesday 18th August. Please support your child/children to bring a change of clothing and suitable footwear for daily practices (weather permitting).

### **Parent-Teacher Interviews**

If you would like to follow up with mid year reports with classroom teachers, please book in for parent-teacher interviews. These have been scheduled for this week on Tuesday 3rd August and Wednesday 4th August from 3.20pm. Please see the attached notice of how to book via our Skool Loop app. If you require support to make a booking, please contact Karen in the office.

### **Red-Black-White Day**

Officially Red, Black and White day was last Friday. We are providing an opportunity to fund-raise for the Southland Charity Hospital on Friday 6th August. We invite students to wear a touch of red, black and/or white along with our school uniform. Perhaps - a hat, something in the hair/a wig/coloured hair, socks, tie/bowtie anything to show our support for Blair Vining's Legacy.

### **Assembly**

This week Matai class is hosting our Friday assembly with kick off at 2.30pm. We look forward to sharing students learning and celebrating progress and achievements.

## General

Our students are busy preparing for the 2021 Miharo Polyfest. As part of our learning we are spending time engaging in Waiata and a Samoan Sasa. The countdown is well and truly on as our performance is on Friday 27th August at Stadium Southland. All students at HVP participate in our on stage performance. Our daily rehearsals are to learn words and actions, within a short timeframe. As part of HVP's leadership our Year 6-8 students have additional opportunities with the girls developing their poi skills while the boys are working on our school haka. We value the opportunities our students have to actively experience The Arts/Learning Languages as part of this hugely successful Cultural Event.

**Nga mihi nui,**  
Julia Waikato  
Principal/Tumuaki



## Te Reo Feature

The theme for the 2021 Maori Language Week is "Kia Kaha te Reo Māori - Let's make the Māori language strong". This is an opportunity to acknowledge and learn Māori language and culture by using and speaking the language. Join us on our journey!

**Pronunciation**

**Vowels** Ngā oropuare  
Māori vowels are much the same as many other languages (except English!). Here are the short vowels:

**a** as in cup

**i** as in eat

**u** as in to

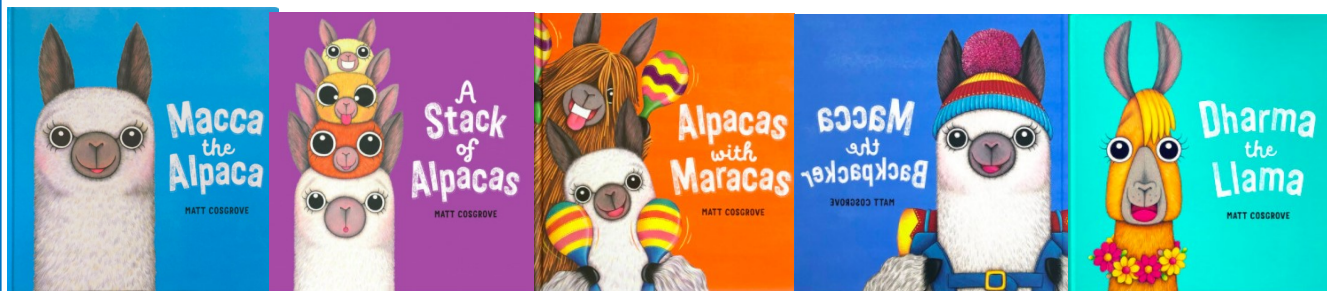
**e** as in egg

**o** as in for



## Reading Feature

This week we have "Macca the Alpaca" by author and illustrator Matt Cosgrove. Matt loves writing and drawing and most of all making children laugh.



## Term 3, Calendar of Events

Weeks	Events	Who Is Involved?	Dates
2	Parent-Teacher Interviews Parent-Teacher Interviews Discovery Time Year 4 Dictionary Presentation Assembly & Red, Black, White Day	Years 1-8 Years 1-8 Years 1-3 Years 4-8 Whole School	Tuesday 3rd August Wednesday 4th August Thursday 5th August " " " " Friday 6th August
3	<del>NZ</del> Maths Week Western Netball HVP Poetry & Speech Finals Discovery Time Olympic Ambassador - Matt Randal No Assembly	Whole School Year 5&6 Whole School Years 1-3 Years 1-8 " " " "	Monday 9th August - Tuesday 10th August Thursday 12th August " " " " Friday 13th August " " " "
4	HVP Board of Trustees Southland Primary School Year 5&6 Netball Southland Primary School Year 7&8 Netball Storylines Presentation Discovery Time Cluster Speech Finals 6.00pm Assembly	Parents/Staff Year 5&6 Team Year 7&8 Team Whole School Years 1-3 Year 5-8 Whole School	Monday 16th August Tuesday 17th August Wednesday 18th August Thursday 19th August " " " " " " " " Friday 20th August
5	Discovery Time <del>Miharo Polyfest</del> No Assembly	Years 1-3 Whole School " " " "	Thursday 26th August Friday 27th August " " " "
6	Science with Dr Sue Galloway " " " " Discovery Time Assembly	Kowhai, Matai, <del>Totara</del> & Years 7&8 Years 1-3 Whole School	Monday &/or Tuesday Wednesday &/or Thursday Thursday 2nd September Friday 3rd September
7	Technology HVP School Photos Discovery Time No Assembly	Year 7&8 Individual, Sibling, Classes Years 1-3 Whole School	Tuesday 7th September Thursday 9th September " " " " Friday 10th September
8	Maori Language Week HVP Board of Trustees Technology Discovery Time Assembly	Whole School Parents/Staff Year 7&8 Years 1-3 Whole School	Monday 13th September - " " " " Tuesday 14th September Thursday 16th September Friday 17th September
9	Technology Technology Challenge Team Discovery Time <del>Tautaki o Te Titi Marae</del> Visit Years 4-8 No Assembly	Year 7&8 Year 5-8 TBC Years 1-3 Years 4-8 Whole School	Tuesday 21st September Wednesday 22nd September Thursday 23rd September Friday 24th September " " " "
10	Technology Discovery Time Assembly HVP School Disco	Year 7&8 Years 1-3 Whole School Years 1-8	Tuesday 28th September Thursday 30th September Friday 1st October " " " "

Term	Dates / 2021	Weeks
3	Monday 26 July - Friday 1 October	10
4	Monday 18 October - 15 December (TBC)	9

If anyone is travelling back towards Tuatapere after school and could offer transport to 2 pupils, please text or phone Kenice on 02108230264. Thank you

#### School Accounts :

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

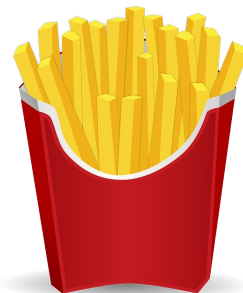


#### **School Timetable**

9am Admin/Session 1  
10.10am Morning tea  
10.30am Session 2  
11.30am Fruit/Vege Break  
11.40am Session 3  
12.40pm Lunch  
1.30pm Session 4  
3.00pm End of the day.

#### **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 \$2.50  
Dagwood (ham or roast beef) \$6  
Sausage Roll \$5  
Mince, Chicken, Venison Pie \$6

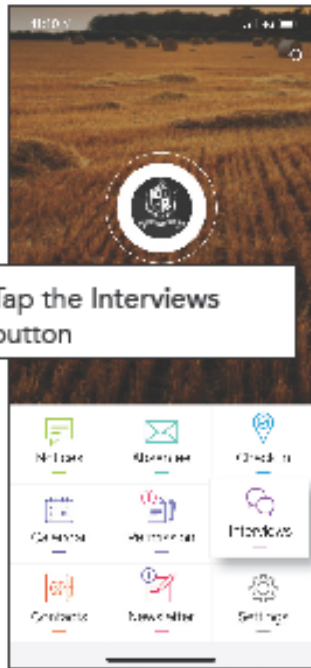




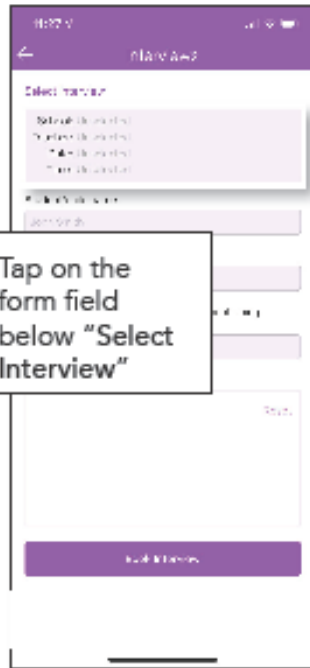
# Booking Interviews with

## THE SKOOL LOOP APP

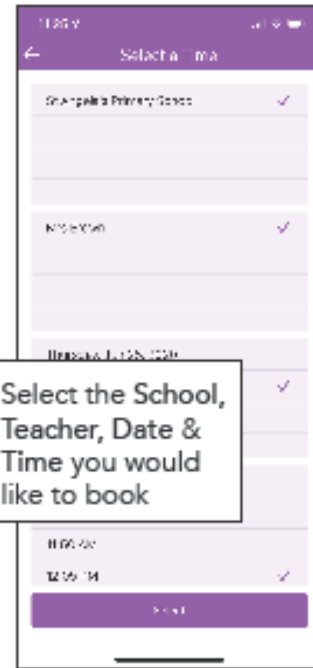
Download **The Skool Loop App**. A simple 100% free download:  
In Google Play & App Store search '**Skool Loop**' & choose our school once installed.



1. Tap the Interviews button



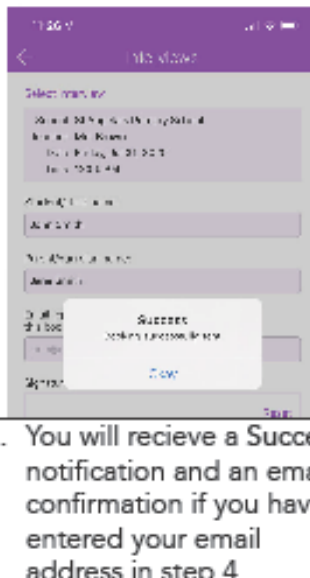
2. Tap on the form field below "Select Interview"



3. Select the School, Teacher, Date & Time you would like to book



4. Complete the form by entering the Student Name, Parent Name & Email Address. Sign the form then tap Book Interview



5. You will receive a Success notification and an email confirmation if you have entered your email address in step 4

If you need to change your interview time please contact your school office to do this.

Any other technical issues please contact The Skool Loop App on 0800 238 379 or use the live chat helpdesk at [www.skoolloop.com](http://www.skoolloop.com)

# RED, BLACK & WHITE DAY

~~JULY 30<sup>th</sup>~~  
AUG 6<sup>th</sup> 2021



Show your support for Blair Vining's legacy, the Southland Charity Hospital on ~~Friday 30<sup>th</sup> of July 2021~~

~~6~~ August

Hold a Fancy Dress day – donning red, white and black – and raise funds at work or school for the Southland Charity Hospital.



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# OUT WEST TUI TRYathlon



**Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> October 2021**



10:30am start

***5-16 year old age groups, open and pre-school, individual or team entries.***

Prize to the school with the most entries.

At the Tuatapere Community Pool, Orawia Rd,  
TUATAPERE



For more information check out our facebook page OUT WEST TUI TRYathlon, email [OutWestTuiTryathlon@gmail.com](mailto:OutWestTuiTryathlon@gmail.com) or call in to the Tuatapere 4 Square to pick up an entry form and information.



A fundraiser for the Tuatapere Community Pool