# Newsletter Term 2, Week 8





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**Kia Ora** Bonjour

Kumusta

Ni hao

<u>Kia orana</u>

## Mrs Waikato's WEEKLY UPDATES

## Week of: 20th June - 23rd

Happy School Days to our new 5-year-olds - Maddie, George and Frank. Kowhai is excited to welcome you to their classroom! We look forward to sharing in your learning journey.

I hope you managed to catch our Year 7&8 students from Rata on The Hui, NZ. The footage of our tamariki gathering their kai moana under the guidance of Terressa and her whanau was kei te pai!! This opportunity was a taste of manaakitanga and whanaungatanga through shared collaboration and kai. It really is amazing to have such special connections with people/tangata whenua and place/whenua.

A couple of years ago a group of enthusiastic students supported writing lyrics and singing a favourite song "Southern Dream". At that time we reworked it to focus on Blair Vining and his legacy which Missy, Della and Lilly have continued to pursue. The lyrics incorporated red, black, white, Southern Charity Hospital and I know Missy and the girls loved the words. Recently I received a call from Missy to invite Hauroko Valley Primary students to join a collaboration with the original musician from "Southern Stags" Jason Kerrison to participate in a music video with our version.

This will involve approximately 20 students heading to Invercargill on Thursday 30th June including the originals - Addi, Sophie G, Lily E and Maddi. Today we held 'auditions' where students in each class sang the original song. Selections were made with the original student leaders, classroom teachers and myself and based on knowledge of the song and enthusiasm for singing. If your child has been selected to represent HVP they will receive a notice today along with the lyrics and reworked backing track to learn. They will also require red, black and white clothes/accessories to wear for filming. As you know we are proud of who we are and where we come from and we aim to be "Always Our Best/tonu to tatou pai", so let's bring the noise in colour and effervescence!

Nga mihi, Julia

## Key Competencies

#### Managing self

Self-management is our ability to manage our behaviors, thoughts, and emotions effectively in different situations.

#### Looks like/Sounds like

- using initiative
- setting personal goals
- being responsible for my actions
- managing my time effectively
- organising my resources for learning
- being motivated taking pride in my work

## HVPS Values

### Perserverance/Te manawanui

I am brave with a positive "can-do" attitude. I solve problems & work hard. I am determined to never give up!



H.V.P'S Happening

#### Monday 2nd May - Friday 8th July

- 30th June Rata Arcade Games
- 30th June Music Video
- 1st July Technology at WAS note change of day
- 1st July Mid-Year Reports go home
- 1st July HVP Matariki Celebration
- 3rd July 7th July Whanau Interviews
- 5th July Elgregoe the Magician Year 1-6 at WAS
- 6th July Technology
- 7th-9th July National Agri Kids, Whangarei

KSOM - Kennedy School of Music Thursday's 9.30am-1.00pm Individual & Group Sessions Private Tuition Partnership with Hauroko Valley

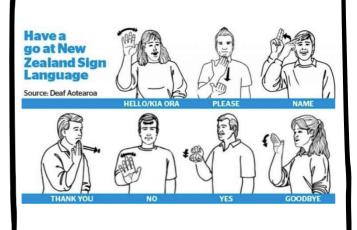
Discovery Time 4-year-olds & Years 1-3 Thursday's 1.30pm-3.00pm in Kowhai & Matai at HVP

## e Reo Maori

#### How To Find Matariki In The Night Sky

Matariki is found low on the horizon in the north east of the sky.
Try looking here between 5.30 a.m. and 6.30 a.m.
1. First find Tautoru (well known as the bottom three stars of 'the pot', or Orion's Belt).
2. To find Puanga (Rigel) look above the pot until you see the bright star - that is Puanga.
3. To find Matariki, look to the left of Tautoru (the pot), find the bright orange star, Taumata-kuku (Alderbaran). Follow an imaginary line from Tautoru, across to Taumata-kuku and keep going until you hit a cluster of stars. That cluster is Matariki.

## NZ Sign Language



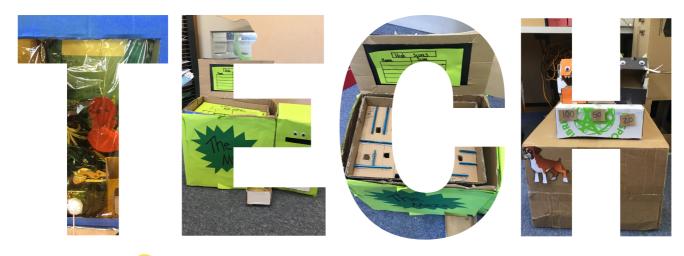


# Reading Feature

# Branching Out

If you enjoy reading David Walliams, then check out this poster for a variety of authors and texts to read. Our library has several books written by famous author David Walliams and quite a few of the Storey Treehouse series written by well known duo -Andy Griffiths and Terry Denton.





# HVP Arcqde Gqmes

This term in The Rata Team, we have been learning about the 'system' to make an arcade game as part of Technology.

We were inspired by a young boy in America who made a whole arcade at his dads workshop. We set to work and had to plan a game that was suitable for all school ages to play. We made our games and had a wee test afternoon. Our class peers gave us different feedback of what we could do differently to improve our games.

We have invited the rest of HVP school to come and play our arcade games on Thursday. To play our arcade games, we ask that each HVP student brings a nonperishable food item to school to exchange for game tokens. 1 food item = 3 tokens. We will collect the food items up and will donate them to the Tui Community worker to add to her food bank for the local community.



# Thursday 30th June Kowhai - 11 - 11:30 Matai - 12 - 12:30 Totara - 1:30 - 2

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Bring any non perishable food items to exchange for game tokens. 1 item = 3 tokens.

## HAUROKO VALLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL PRESENTS

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# MATARIKI | MAORI | NEW YEAR

FRIDAY 1ST JULY | FROM 5.30PM-7.00PM

COME JOIN US FOR A SHARING OF LEARNING AND SOME KAI TO FINISH - SOUP & CHEESE ROLLS PROVIDED

# Matariki



Follow the QR code to Find out all about Matariki

This year Aotearoa will celebrate Matariki or the Māori New Year as a national holiday.

Take the Matariki quiz to find how much you know about Matariki



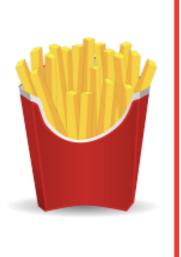
.Thanks for sharing Christina

# General

## **LUNCH ORDERS**



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



## **HVP SCHOOL ACCOUNTS**

### **School Account**

If paying accounts by internet banking, please do so to Hauroko Valley Primary School Westpac: 03 1748 0030028 000



## COMMUNITY Notices

### WENSLEY'S CYCLES Duathlon & Multisport

AR SERIES

Sunday19 June 2022Sunday17 July 2022Sunday21 August 2022Sunday18 September 2022

### TERETONGA PARK

Pre race registration from 9:30am Race start time 10:00am Race categories for all abilities

For more details visit www.southland triclub.co.nz



AT THE WAIMUMU FIELD DAY SHED 2pm-6:30pm

Come and enjoy the festivities.

Join us in celebrating

**FREE ENTRY** 



This event is brought to you by the Hokonui Rünanga, Lower Mataura Valley Kahui Ako and Gore Kids Hub.

This event is supported and made possible by the following generous











## 20th August 2022 12pm till 3pm

Taking People of all ages with Special Needs

Or Life long Medical Conditions

For a ride in a Big Rig, Classic Car or Hot Rod

Starting and Finishing at our NEW VENUE Southern Field Days Site, Waimumu





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Reffles available to purchase on the day

Anyone wanting to Volunteer their Time, Truck or Car to help out on the day please contact Dianne 027 7732700 or Ian on 0204 335500 Check out our Facebook Page : Southland Hug a Rig Day

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## KSGM Vet us on Tutor Concert SATURDAY 2ND JULY 3-4P

Let us entertain you!

#### FEATURING

MARCUS CROWE JOSH MACKAY CLEO MCNAUGHT DANIEL ALDERSLEY MEGAN HAY CORRINA JAMES DAVI AMORIM JENNY BURKE

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FREE ENTRY DONATIONS WELCOME

PLEASE RSVP BY JUNE 30TH - SEATING LIMITED WWW.KSOM.NZ - INFO@KSOM.NZ - 0211339799



#### MUSICAL SPIRIT SCHOLARSHIP

He manu hou ahau he pīkārere

The Kennedy School of Music is pleased to offer an annual scholarship to any student who has the drive and passion to learn music.

This scholarship covers the fee for one full term with the prestigious KENNEDY SCHOOL OF MUSIC.



THE MUSICAL SPIRIT SCHOLARSHIP IS ONLY AVAILABLE TO PRIMARY AND HIGH-SCHOOL STUDENTS.

## APPLY NOW

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COME ROCK WITH US IN THE JULY HOLIDAYS AND MAKE SOME MUSIC! (FOR AGES 5-13)

| THURSDAY 14TH & 21ST JULY | | 9:30AM - 12PM OR 1:30PM - 4PM | | 25 DON STREET INVERCARGILL |

REGISTER BEFORE THURS 7TH JULY 2022 INFO@KSOM.NZ