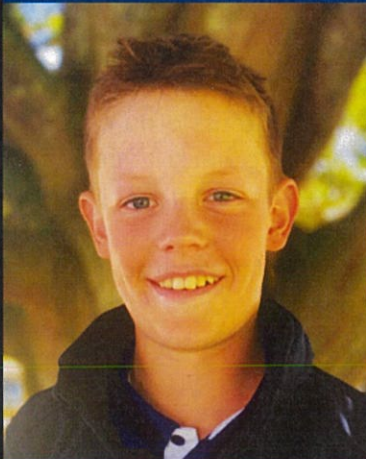


# Hauroko

VALLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL



**TERM 1, WEEK 4, 2024**

Week: Mon 19th-Fri 23rd Feb

## HVP HAPPENINGS

Nau mai hoki mai e te whānau, kumusta,

Our front cover of Term 1, Week 4's Newsletter features our 2024 School Leaders including Jake, Tomas, Libby, and Sienna. We look forward to introducing more of our school leaders and teams next week. Rātā students are brimming with ideas for their roles of responsibility as part of leadership pathways at HVP. We can't wait to see their ideas come to life.

Today the following students represented Hauroko Valley at the Southland Secondary School Triathlon in Winton. This year we had the most individuals entered, well done to Boe, Louie, Fergal, and Jake. Our teams included the 1. Sienna, Libby, and Tomas. 2. Oliver, Sam, and Briar, and 3. Jack and Jonty. Awesome achievements team HVP! Thank you Kate P. for managing the crew and to all transport providers!

Key learning from The Life Education mobile classroom for all classes included, **conflict** is an unavoidable part of life. One of the most important life skills we can learn is an understanding of how to deal with conflict when it arises in a positive manner, which doesn't make the conflict worse. How to make **friends** that share, respect, support each other, and have fun together. At HVP we are learning to use our W.I.T.S. Refer to the poster included that we are using, throughout our school for when we need a strategy to help ourselves or others.

**Thank you Brendon Diack for donating concrete to ensure our Sun Shade is safely anchored in position. We appreciate your support. Cheers from Hauroko Valley Primary School. We can't wait until our new sunshade is ready for installation.**

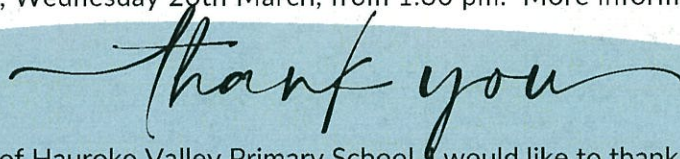
Next week Kōwhai class head down to REAP Movement at Waiiau Area School. They love these opportunities to build their movement skills. Our Year 7&8 class are taking part in a first, a BioBlitz at Waiiau Area School and within Tuatapere. We thank Catriona from Environment Southland for organizing and resourcing this initiative, and for inviting us to join. There is a great deal of Environmental Education/Science/Technology/Social Science learning involved in this Education Outside The Classroom opportunity.

This time next week we are in Tuatapere for our Interschool Athletics. No buses run, as parents drop children to Waiiau Area School by 8.50 am. All of our students are involved from our 5-year-olds to our 13-year-olds. We will share the timetable of events, once this has been received.

Please refer to our updated Concerns and Complaints framework to support the process we follow at HVP.

Save the date for our Turf Opening, Wednesday 20th March, from 1.30 pm. More information to come.

Mā te wā,  
Julia, on behalf  
of Hauroko  
Valley Primary  
School  
Staff



As Caretaker of Hauroko Valley Primary School, I would like to thank businesses and individual people for their support over the past 3 months which makes my job much easier. They are Kings Mechanical, Kings Rural, L&D Sawmill, Crack Corp, Phillips Contracting, Hump Ridge Diaries, Beach Valley Diaries, Harry's Machines, Tuatapere Service Station, Owen Beggs, Jordon Phillips and Lyndon Templeton. Once again a big Thank You.  
Cheers Fletch.

# Mighty Matai



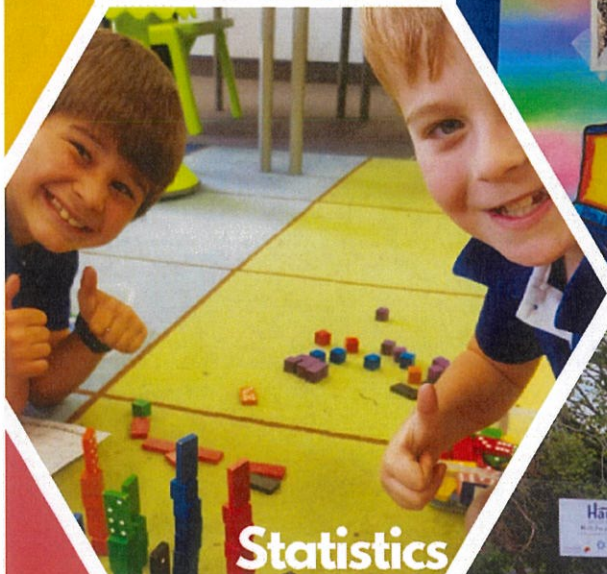
All about Me!



## What's been happening?

We have been learning about Statistical investigations and have been plotting lots of graphs about topics that are interesting to our tamariki. We have been completing "All about Me" artwork. We have also created a class treaty using our rules and strategies we have learned from Harold.

## Statistics



## Physical Education

We have been making the most of the good weather to train for Athletics and practise our movement skills in fun P.E. games.



# Mighty Matai



## Harold is back!

On board the life Education Bus we learned about how to resolve conflict using our W.I.T.S.

We talked about the right time to walk away, ignore, to talk it out, or to seek help when we are faced with conflict. The students shared their ideas on what to do and how to handle them.

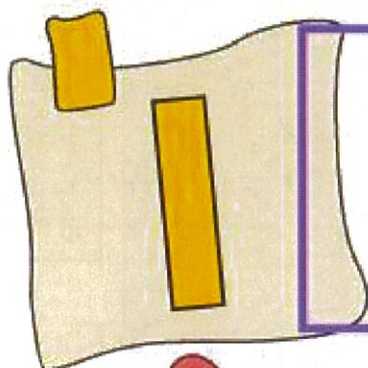
**WE CAN MANAGE OUR W.I.T.S**

**HERE IS OUR STRATEGY FOR HELPING,  
OURSELVES AND EACH OTHER.**



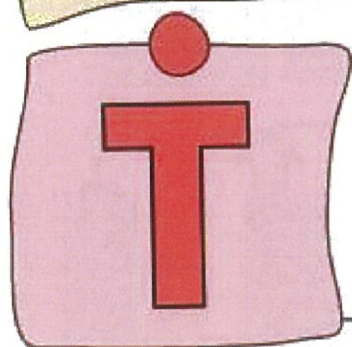
**WALK AWAY**

Pause, take a deep breath, and walk away from the problem or conflict.



**IGNORE**

If you feel it wasn't a BIG problem or it was an accident, you can ignore or take very little notice of the problem.



**TALK IT OUT**

Calm your body and mind and speak clearly about the problem with "I feel..."



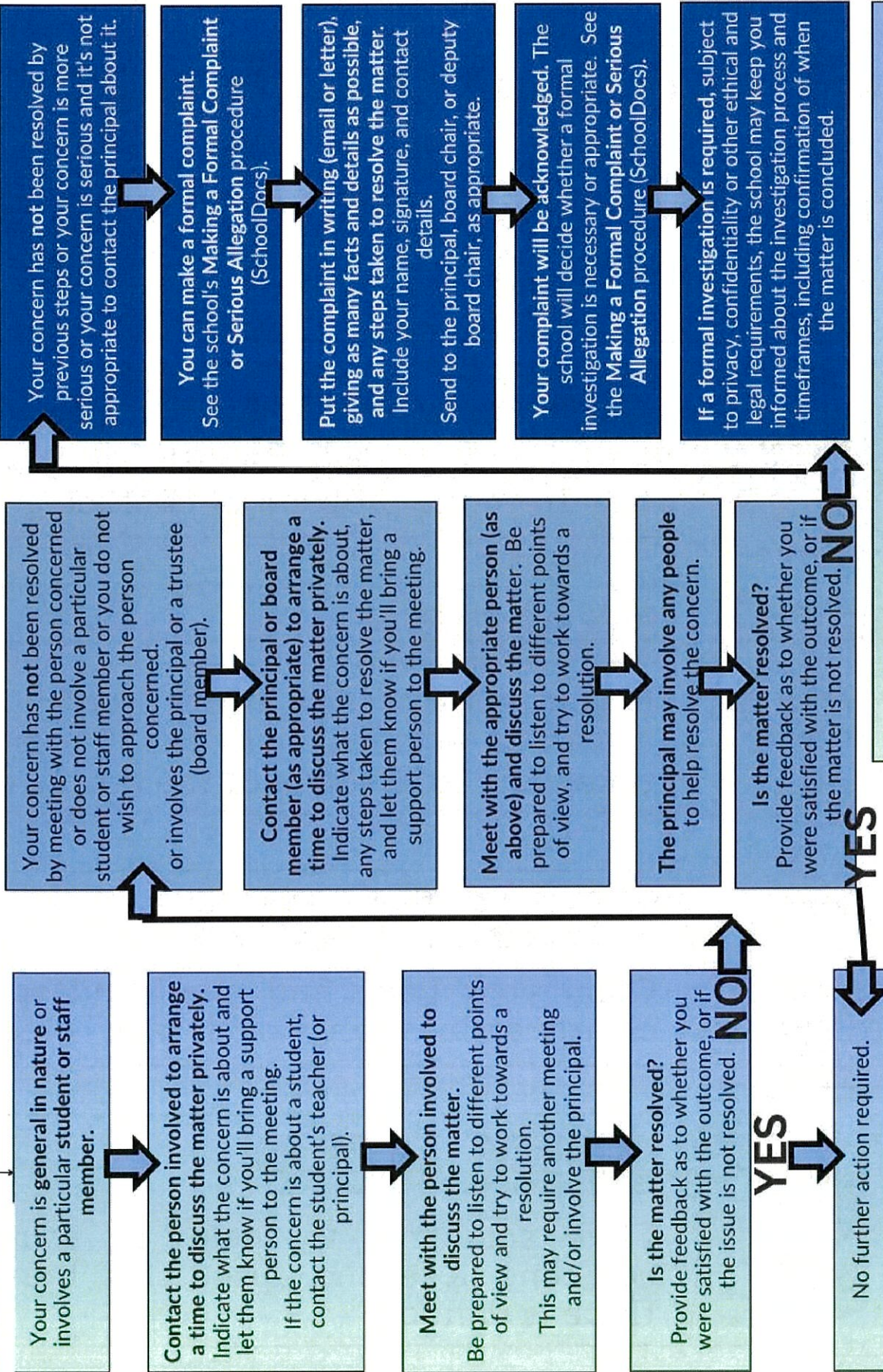
**SEEK HELP**

Find someone to help if you or someone is feeling upset, sick, hurt, or there is danger.

# CONCERNS & COMPLAINTS



Most concerns can be resolved informally by discussions with the people concerned.



**NB:** Unless there are exceptional circumstances, a **complaint will not be considered unless the correct process has been followed.** You may be directed back to the staff member or principal to follow the process.

## DATES & EVENTS

### 2024 Term Dates

**Term 1** - Thursday 1st Feb - Friday 12th April

**Term 2** - Monday 29 April - Friday 5 July

**Term 3** - Monday 22 July - Friday 27 September

**Term 4** - Monday 14th October - Monday 16th December

## FEBRUARY

- Tuesday 27th February - REAP Kowhai at Waiau Area School
- Wednesday 28th February - BioBlitz Year 7&8 at Waiau Area School

## MARCH

- Friday 1st March - Interschool Athletics at Waiau Area School
- Friday 8th March - Western Athletics at Takitimu Primary School
- Monday 11th March - HVP School Photos c/- Megan Graham
- Saturday 16th March - Blackmount Trail Ride
- Monday 18th March - BOT Meeting 7.30 pm
- Sunday 24th March - Southland Primary School Athletics Champs

### Education Outside The Classroom

#### Term 4, 2024

Hump Ridge Camp Year 7&8, Tuatapere, Southland

6th, 7th and 8th of November

Bannockburn Camp Year 5&6, Cromwell, Central Otago

4th, 5th and 6th December

# SCHOOL NOTICES

## Tui Base Camp

### Friday Lunch Orders

Sausage & Chips \$6

Fish Bites & Chips \$5

Pies \$6

Chicken Nuggets & Chips \$5

Chips \$3

Bacon & Egg Sandwich \$6

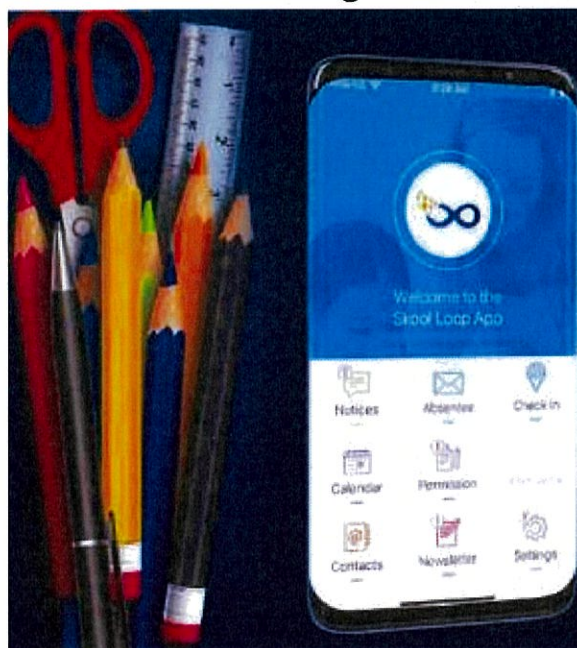
Dagwood (Salmon or Roast Beef) \$6

Muffin \$5

Cheese Roll \$3

Scone \$5

Sausage Roll \$5



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## School Account

If paying accounts by internet banking, please do so to

Hauroko Valley Primary School

Westpac:

03 1748 0030028 000

To see your child's account, download the Hero App. Register with the email address that we have for you in our records.





# COMMUNITY NOTICES

HAUROKO VALLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL FUNDRAISER

**MARCH 16 2024**

## BLACKMOUNT Trailride

1 ADULT & 2 UNDER 15'S	ADULT	UNDER 15	MINI	SIDEXSIDE ONLY PASSENGER
FAMILY	\$60	\$40	\$15	\$30

2 Main Loops with Enduro Diversions    Pee wee & Youth Tracks    Country-Style Hot Cooked Free Lunch    4 wheelers and Sidexsides allowed on main loops

**CASH ONLY!**

1750 Clifden Blackmount Rd - Registration from 8am Trails open 9am - Pay on the Day

## SOUTHLAND A&P SHOW

Saturday 2nd March  
Donovan Park

**SCARECROW Creations**

Are you needing something creative to add to your term one planner? Sections include: Preschool, Year 0-4 & Year 5-13. Check out our schedule of classes online to see further details!

**HOME Industries**

Be sure to check out the attached schedule of classes, there is literally something for everyone to be involved in!

**COLOURING Competition**

Our colouring competitions are on our website for children to complete if they wish. The children must bring them along to the show so please encourage them to do this!

For more information check out our website [www.southlandapshow.co.nz](http://www.southlandapshow.co.nz)

Find us on Facebook

## FOOTBALL FESTIVAL

Free for all

WINTON

- When: 28th February 2024 (Thursday)
- Where: Central Southland College
- Time: 4 pm to 5 pm
- For: All age group

ENQUIRIES TO [kym@southlandfootball.org.nz](mailto:kym@southlandfootball.org.nz) FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO REGISTER VISIT [www.southlandfootball.org.nz](http://www.southlandfootball.org.nz)

## FREE BEGINNERS' LESSONS

### For Contract Bridge

Looking for a new hobby, without too much physical but plenty of mental exertion. Whether you have been a card player in the past or not Contract Bridge may be the game for you to give you challenging experiences while meeting new people.

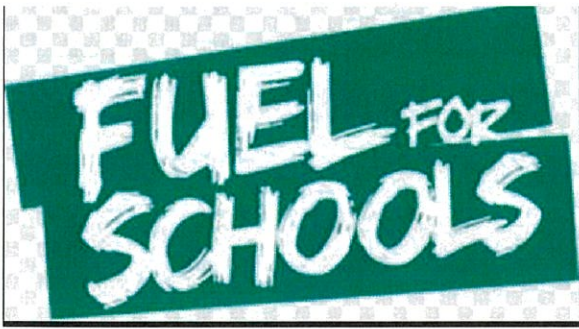
The ten week course of lessons start:

**Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> March 2024**

**At our Clubrooms 145 Park Street, Winton.**

Brain Gym – suitable for all ages!  
You are very welcome – by yourself or bring friends!

For more information or to register your interest please contact:  
Wendy 027 427 0447 or 03 2217 417  
Or email [winton.bridge@xtra.co.nz](mailto:winton.bridge@xtra.co.nz)



Thank you to the following for your support of our school through the Fern Energy initiative. We are able to pick items from packs including Technology, Library Books Literacy, Music and Vegepods.

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If you would like your chimney cleaned, please ring for bookings.  
Cheryl 0273599250

**RIVERTON HERITAGE HARVEST FESTIVAL**

Demonstrations and workshops

Good Food Apple Pressing

AND MORE!

**23RD & 24TH MARCH 2024**

Book workshops and find out more:  
[www.sces.org.nz](http://www.sces.org.nz)

The poster features a large glass jar of orange juice with a label that says 'Demonstrations and workshops' and a small apple icon. Next to it is a smaller red jar with a label that says 'Good Food Apple Pressing'. A green apple with a tag that says 'AND MORE!' is also shown. The background is a light purple with small white stars.

**KIDS COMPETITIONS**

Bring entries along to the Aparima College hall on Saturday after 10am

Fill a jar with flowers

Find a fruit or vegetable with a personality, or make your own creature!

The poster shows a circular image of a jar filled with colorful flowers. An arrow points from this image to the text 'Fill a jar with flowers'. Below this, another arrow points from the text 'Find a fruit or vegetable with a personality, or make your own creature!' to an illustration of several red tomatoes, some of which have been decorated with faces and other features.

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