

# Newsletter

# Hauroko

VALLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL



## **Term 2, Week 10, 2021**

### **Kia ora e te whanau**

#### **Hangi**

Thanks to Cerebos Greggs, Dunedin for supporting our Hangi by providing us with several sacks for steaming.

#### **Waiau Rivercare Group**

Thanks to Christina Vaughan, Blain de Vries and Paul Marshall for visiting Totara class to work with students to further deepen their understanding as part of their Inquiry into the Waiau River. Totara is buzzing with amazing information about - tributaries, delta and statistical data! The class have worked on a collaborative piece of art depicting the taonga/treasure that is our Waiau River. This is being entered into the Miharo Polyfest Art Competition. Tūmeke mahi Totara.

#### **Camp Quiz Night**

Thank you whanau for your generous donations for our camp quiz. There were several amazing organisations that also supported our fundraising for Education Outside The Classroom opportunities - THANK YOU. Shout out to our Quiz Master Alice Harris and to Tui Base Camp for being superb hosts! We had a fabulous evening of entertaining questions, raffle prizes and catching up with many families and friends. See you next year!

#### **Science Year 5&6**

This week our Year 5&6 classes spent time immersed in Science with Dr Sue Galloway. This is provided through the Rural Education Activity/Activities Programme where the premise is to grow rural communities. We are grateful to Southland REAP for providing our children with this opportunity. The learning provided by Dr Sue is incredibly engaging. Our Year 7&8's will catch up with Dr Sue in Term 3 when she returns to HVP.

#### **Mid Year Reports**

Today your child has a copy of their Mid Year Report sharing progress and achievements in learning across the New Zealand Curriculum. Your child's teacher has evaluated their progress and achievement using what they know about their learning from working with them in everyday classroom tasks. They may also make use of more formal tests and assessments. The reports follow on from our 2020 modifications with an overall comment in regard to Literacy - Reading and Writing and Mathematics/Numeracy along with references to essential life skills. These foundation values are demonstrated through HVP School Values and New Zealand Curriculum Key Competencies.

#### **Parent-Teacher Interviews**

To follow up on reports parent teacher interviews have been scheduled for Term 3, Week 2 on Tuesday 3rd August and Wednesday 4th August. These meetings help everyone to understand and support each learner. If you would like to meet with classroom teachers, please make a booking via our Skool Loop App from today.

#### **Health Education Curriculum**

This week each family has been invited to contribute to a review of our Health Education Curriculum, including Physical Education. Please check out the overview and support us to evaluate and further develop programmes throughout our school. Apologies there were a few errors. Also Kotahitanga refers to unity similar to Everybody Belongs.

#### **Hauroko Valley Houses**

To end Term 2 here are the results from our Cross Country for our HVP Houses. Fabulous teamwork shown as each runner contributed points to the grand total. Congratulations to Takitimu House!

The next challenge for our houses is speeches and poetry with each child throughout the school participating in presentations in Term 3. Kowhai and Matai students recite a poem. Totara and Rata have been working diligently to complete the writing of speeches in preparation for their deliveries next term.

#### **Ski Trip**

Numbers are confirmed for the Ski Trip for Friday 30th July, Term 3, Week 1. Final details will follow then.

#### **Firewood**

Cheers to Tuatapere Medical Centre and Nic & Barney who have generously offered firewood so Matai and Totara can remain toasty next Term. Stay safe and keep warm in the July School Holidays.

We look forward to seeing you all back on Monday 26th July.

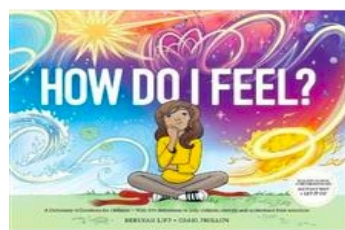
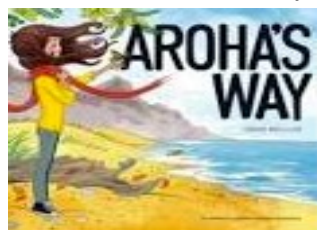
#### **Nga mihi nui,**

Julia Waikato,  
Principal/Tumuaki



## Reading Feature

This week's feature is a series of books around topics like anxiety, emotions and nature. The focus on well-being is told through Aroha and her friends. "Empowering our children with simple, yet effective tools to manage emotions and provide them with emotional literacy"



Weeks	Term 3 Events	Who Is Involved?	Dates
1	HVP Ski Trip	Optional Years 1-8	Friday 30th July
2	Parent-Teacher Interviews Parent-Teacher Interviews Assembly	Years 1-8 Years 1-8 Whole School	Tuesday 3rd August Wednesday 4th August Friday 6th August
3	HVP Poetry & Speech Finals Olympic Ambassador - Matt Randal	Whole School Years 1-8	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 Cluster Speech Finals Assembly	Parents/Staff Year 5&6 Team Year 7&8 Team Whole School Year 5-8 Whole School	Monday 16th August Tuesday 17th August Wednesday 18th August Thursday 19th August " " " " Friday 20th August
5	Miharo Polyfest	Whole School	Friday 27th August
6	Science with Dr Sue Galloway " " " " Assembly	Kowhai, Matai, Totara & Years 7&8 Whole School	Monday &/or Tuesday Wednesday &/or Thursday Friday 3rd September
7	Assembly HVP School Photos	Whole School Individual, Sibling, Classes	Tuesday 7th September Thursday 9th September
8	HVP Board of Trustees Technology	Parents/Staff Year 7&8	Monday 13th September Thursday 16th September
9	Technology Titi Marae Visit Years 4-8	Year 7&8	Thursday 23rd September Friday 24th September
10	Technology Assembly Disco	Year 7&8 Whole School Years 1-8	Thursday 30th September Friday 1st October " " " "

Terms	2021 Term Dates	Weeks
3	Monday 26 July - Friday 1 October	10
4	Monday 18 October - 15 December (TBC) Borland Lodge Camp, Year 5&6 - Wednesday 8th - Friday 10th December	10



# Peanut-Free Classroom



Please do not bring any  
peanuts or products  
containing peanuts into

**Hauroko Valley  
School.**

Thank you for helping  
to keep our children  
safe.

**Hauroko**  
VALLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL

Anyone available to carpool from  
Tuatapere – to Hauroko Valley and/or return  
from Term 3, 2021?

Please contact Alan 027-2427983

## School Accounts



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



## 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

Lolly Cake \$4



Great South presents

# ILT Kidzone ADVENTURE

**14 - 19 July 2021**

SOUTHLAND GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL, INVERCARGILL

**160+**  
activities!



Admission  
**\$18!**

[www.iltkidzone.co.nz](http://www.iltkidzone.co.nz)

 ILTKidzoneFestival



**28th August 2021 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**



Raffles 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**



# Building **Confidence** for a brighter future.

## Growing Stars<sup>®</sup>

### Parent workshop

Wednesday, 21 July 2021, 7:30pm.

### Children's workshop

Wednesday, 21 July 2021 and  
Thursday, 22 July 2021, 8:45am to 12:30pm.

### Register via email or online

[support@learningdifferences.org.nz](mailto:support@learningdifferences.org.nz)  
[dyslexiasupportsouthland.co.nz/growing-stars](https://dyslexiasupportsouthland.co.nz/growing-stars)

Growing Stars is a hands on workshop for children aged 6-12 years to help them understand and manage the emotional impact of living with a learning difference.

It includes a parent workshop as well as ongoing support for parents after the children's workshop.



"My daughter, for the first time ever, wanted to go to school at the start of the school year."



**Learning Differences Aotearoa Trust**  
[learningdifferences.org.nz](https://learningdifferences.org.nz)



**Dyslexia Support**  
SOUTHLAND  
*Where hope meets learning*





# HOLIDAY PROGRAMME:

Term 2 2021

## Junior Scientists

Fancy yourself as a young Einstein?  
Keen to mix up a chemical reaction?

Join the SDC Libraries team and explore the world of science!

Spend some slimey time in the SDC lab for some experimental fun these school holidays.

**MONDAY, 12 JULY**

Otautau  
10.30am  
  
Riverton  
1pm

**TUESDAY, 13 JULY**

Wyndham  
2pm

**WEDNESDAY, 14 JULY**

Lumsden  
10.30am  
  
Winton  
1.30pm

**THURSDAY, 15 JULY**

Te Anau  
1pm



It's time to get crafty with the SDC Libraries team!

Create creepy crawlies and pencil buddies.

**MONDAY, 19 JULY**

Otautau  
10.30am  
  
Riverton  
1pm

**TUESDAY, 20 JULY**

Wyndham  
2pm

**WEDNESDAY, 21 JULY**

Lumsden  
10.30am  
  
Winton  
1.30pm

**THURSDAY, 22 JULY**

Te Anau  
1pm

Join us these school holidays by registering online at

[www.southlanddc.govt.nz/holidayprogramme](http://www.southlanddc.govt.nz/holidayprogramme) or phone 0800 732 542.

**BE IN QUICK - LIMITED SPACES AVAILABLE!**