Newsletter Term 1, Week 9-10







Newsletter Issue 9 WEEKLY UPDATES Week of: 27th-31st March

Nau mai hoki mai e te whaanau, kamusta, ni hao. 你好。

Haere mai to Lachlan who has joined Kowhai class and siblings Jackson and Ilyssa at HVP. We also warmly welcome Hannah who joins sister Lauren and Kowhai's class. We are excited to have you both at Hauroko Valley Primary School!

Well done to Lily who achieved second place in both the 800m and 1500m at the Southland Primary School Athletic Sports Championships. Both are significant achievements at Southland's!

Our AgriKids had a field day at the Otago/Southland competition. Each team made us proud with their skills and knowledge demonstrated across 9 modules. Thanks to the parents involved in upskilling our children with the agricultural knowledge required to compete. Congratulations to the following teams;

Three Western Girls - Sierra, Elly, and Sophie = 1st Overall

Southern Boys - Oliver, Tomas, and Sam = 2nd Overall

Both teams have qualified to represent Otago/Southland at the NZ Young Farmers Grand Final in Timaru on 6th-8th July 2023. What an amazing achievement to have two teams heading to the 2023 Nationals!

Thanks to MG Photography for taking our school photos this year. Please follow the link, https://megangrahamphotography120110.queensberryworkspace.com/galleryslide/1201106421f4c90ebb9/list to access individual, sibling, family, and class photos. This gallery is password protected and all families need to log in to view it = password is hvp23. Orders are due Thursday 6th April.

Good Luck to HVP's Swimming crew competing today at the Western Swimming Sports in Riverton. They are competing in either 25m or 50m events including freestyle, backstroke, breaststroke, or butterfly.

8 years - Layla-Mae, Hadlee, Oscar

9 years - Tori

10 years - Fergal, Carter, Jonty, Dusty

12 years - Sienna, George, Jake

13 years - Cormac





Next week is our final week for Term 1. We are holding our school Anzac Service on Wednesday 5th April from 9.00am. It will be low-key compared to last year, however, you are welcome to join us. Straight after we are announcing our 2023 student leaders at a special assembly. Please also come to join us at Tui Base Camp for our Year 7&8 Camp Quiz Fundraiser on Wednesday 5th April 7.00pm

Thursday 6th April is a Teachers Only Day (no school for students), as we develop our Health Education for all staff and students through the Southern Cross Programme "Pause, Breath, Smile".

Have a fabulous Easter Holiday break. We look forward to reconnecting on Wednesday 26th of April. Remember Monday 24th April is also a Teachers Only Day as staff develops Professional Learning in Structured Literacy.

If your child/ren is available to represent Hauroko Valley Primary School at the Orawia Dawn Service or the Tutapere Anzac Service. We ask all students to wear their school uniform and we will meet there (just before).

Nga mihi, Julia on behalf of the HVP Staff





SELF-PORTRAITS CUBISM

Over the last two weeks Totara students have been creating their self portraits!

They have been recreating half of themselves in the art style created by Pablo Picasso - Cubism! This abstract art style involves lots of different geometric shapes in interlocking patterns!

WRITING

We have writing bursts once a week where we aim to start and publish a piece of writing!

The focus of the burst is applying the new concepts we learn each week, this week's focus is expansion!

JUMP-JAM!

We are leading School Dance Break in Totara on Tuesdays and Thursdays, here is a new group with some trying it out for the first time, and nailing it! What super stars!



WRITING BURST!







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Totara

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Hauroko Valley Primary School had several qualifiers representing Western Southland at the 2023 Southland Primary School Athletics Sports. The track and field events were held on Saturday 25th March at Surrey Park, Invercargill.

Throughout the day our students represented in a range of running – 60m, 100m, 200m, 800m, and 1500m events with some qualifying for finals. Lily was second in both the 800m and 1500m finals – which is a superb achievement. Several of our fastest 100m runners were placed in Western Southland relay teams. Relays are always a highlight to end the day.

Meanwhile, in the field events, we had representation in the long jump, shot put, nerf and discus. There were some fantastic personal bests from our students throwing or jumping further than they have before. At this level students are required to meet Southland standards for their jump or throw to be measured. Well done to our athletes as they impressed with their skill development.



Agrikids

AgriKids is about having fun with friends, loving the land, and getting hands dirty, all while learning about the food and fibre industry. Activities are agriculture based and the modules are completed in teams of three. The race-off consisted of a number of activities that required practical skills, knowledge, and teamwork in a speed competition. Our teams worked well together sharing their strengths and challenging themselves in a competitive manner. The way our students demonstrated NZ Key

Competencies and HVP School Values throughout the day was noted by several operators.

"They were a joy, such a delight to have amazing manners and conduct by Hauroko Valley students!"











The AgriKids runs alongside Teen Ag and Young Farmers.
It is really important for learners, to take the theory and apply it to the environment around them, to extend their knowledge further. So, the journey to the 2023 National Young Farmers, Grand Final continues for our Southern Boys and Three Western Girls. Here we come Timaru 6th-8th July.

WESTERN SOUTHLAND SWIMMING SPORTS



Eleven swimmers from Hauroko Valley Primary School in Years 4-8 headed to Riverton Pool for Western Swimming Sports. This year Johnston Waters c/- Brittany organised our swim meet. Swimmers were able to enter 25m or 50m events including freestyle, backstroke, breaststroke, and/or butterfly.

In the 8-year-olds Hadlee and Oscar represented HVP. Tori represented 9-year-olds, while in the 10-year-olds we had Jonty, Carter, Fergal, and Dusty. Jake raced in 11-year-olds with George, and Sienna competing in the 12-year-olds. Cormac competed as a 13-year-old. We were impressed with our swimmers and their abilities across strokes.

To conclude Western Swimming Sports for 2023 teams competed in relays. All participants in Years 5&6 and Years 7&8 placed 1st, 2nd, or 3rd and received points for their school. Points collated contribute to the Year 5&6 or Year 7&8 Western Southland Shields.

Hauroko Valley Primary Swimmers







HYPHAPPENINGS

TERM DATES 2023

Term 1

Wednesday 1st February - Wednesday 5th April = 10 weeks

- Year 7&8 Camp Quiz 5th April
- Last Day of Term 1 5th April

N.B: Teachers Only Day - Thursday 6th April Public Holiday - Easter: Good Friday 7th April

Term 2

Teachers Only Day - Monday 24th April
Public Holiday - ANZAC Day: Tuesday 25th April
First Day of Term 2 - Wednesday 26th April
King's Birthday - Monday 5th June

NB: Apologies, I made an error with Cross Country dates (these have now been corrected).

- Strike Percussion Performance at WAS (whole school) 26th April
- SBHS Meeting for Prospective Parents & Children of Year 7&8's in preparation for Year 9 2nd May 7.00pm at Hauroko Valley Primary
- SGHS Meeting for Prospective Parents & Children of Year 7&8 in preparation for Year 9 (at HVP) - 4th May time TBC
- · Kowhai REAP at Waiau Area School 9th May
- HVP BOT Meeting 15th May
- Deep Cove Year 7&8 Camp 18th May 21st May
- NYLD Year 8's 29th & 30th May
- Adventures Southland Leadership Year 7's 30th May
- Interschool Cross Country at Waiau Area School (Devery's) 2nd June
- Western Cross Country at Otautau 9th June
- Southland Cross Country, Waimumu 16th June
- HVP BOT Meeting 19th June





2023 CAMP QUIZ

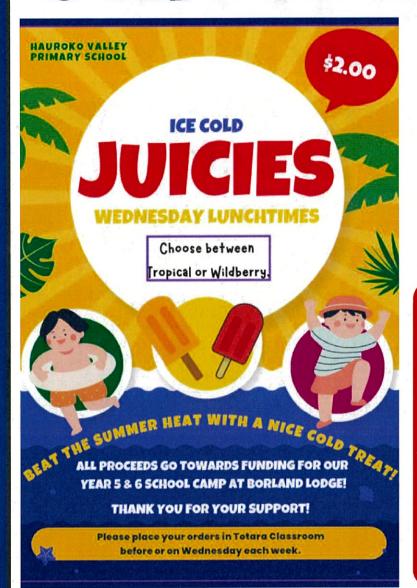
Wednesday 5th April
Tui Base Camp
7.00PM

Fundraiser Hauroko Valley Primary Year 7&8 Deep Cove Camp



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SCHOOL NOTICES





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

School Account

If paying accounts by

internet banking,

please do so to

Hauroko Valley Primary School

Westpac:

03 1748 0030028 000



COMMUNITY NOTICES



Enrolment at Hauroko Valley
Primary School is governed by
an enrolment scheme, details
of which are available from the
school office.

The board has determined that there will be 1 place available for an out-of-zone Year 0 student for term 3 2023. If you live out of zone and would like to enrol your new entrant child in Term 3 2023, please contact the school office for an application form.

Applications close 1st June 2023

Western A Grade Rugby

Practise Thursday 6th April, 4pm, Holt Park Otautau

