

Hauroko

VALLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL



WEEKLY UPDATES

Week: 16th-20th October

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

Congratulations to those who took part in the Out West Tui TRYathlon. Thanks to a large contingent of Hauroko Valley Primary students competing, we have won 3 hours for a free swim. This will be utilised during our swimming week later on in November. Thank you to the Tuatapere Community Pool team for organising this amazing event and superb prize!

This week we welcomed Alan to the team, he is spending the next 4 weeks in Rata with our Year 6-8 learners. It is our privilege to support Alan with his teaching practicum in order to gain his Practising Teacher Certification.

On Wednesday there were some unusual happenings with backward uniforms. Next week, on Wednesday we look forward to getting out of our uniforms and into some colour. So you can wear one colour, or your favourite colour/s or multiple colours!

Rata class were treated to expert coaching in run, jump and throw activities as part of our Athletics programme. We had tuition from Southland Athletics guru Chris, alongside Mark from Active Southland in support. Our students were involved in skill-based activities to further develop athletic techniques.

Thank you to those who were able to attend our Health Curriculum, Relationships and Sexuality Education School Community Consultation, it was a great opportunity to share the programme. Please refer to a notice students received yesterday, in regard to the content for teaching/learning programmes for next week. Prior to each week, we will update you with the content of the programme before teaching/learning. This will ensure you are fully informed. If at any time, you would like further information, please make contact with class teachers or our Health & Physical Education leadership team of Kirsty and Sally.

What a wonderful day celebrating a highlight on our calendar - Hauroko Valley's **Pet Day**. Thanks to the Home and School team for their organisation, for our Pet Day. We are also really excited to see our parents and grandparents join our day and spend time Judging our creations. It is also a treat to have Guest Judges for our animal categories. Often these are local or past families of Hauroko Valley and we love opportunities to reconnect! Thank you for joining us for this special agricultural event.

All the best to our two golf teams heading to Riverton Golf Club on Tuesday 24th October for the Western Southland **Golf Tournament**. Representing Year 5&6 - Connor, Maddi, Isaac, and Mason & our Year 6-8 team includes - Jonty, Tomas, Louie, and Katie.

Unfortunately, we have had a few confirmed cases of Covid this week. We ask that you keep your child/ren at home if they are feeling unwell. It is recommended by the Ministry of Health and Ministry of Education, that you remain at home for 5 days if you test positive.

Enjoy Labour Day with an extension to a long weekend.

Nga mihi,
Julia on behalf of HVP staff

WACKY WEDNESDAY

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WEDNESDAY 25TH OCTOBER

Colour day

Wear your favourite
colour **or** colours

HAUROKO HAPPENINGS

TERM 4 DATES

OCTOBER

- Monday 23rd October - Labour Day & BOT Meeting 7.30pm
- Tuesday 24th October - Western Southland Golf Tournament
- Monday 30th October - Touch Module Starts
- Tuesday 31st October - Kowhai at WAS for REAP Movement
- Tuesday 31st October - Tour of Southland

NOVEMBER

- Friday 10th November - Southland Science Roadshow Year 4&5
- Wednesday 15th November ERO Partner Visit to Hauroko Valley
- Thursday 16th November - BOT Planning Day
- Friday 17th November - Teachers Only Day - Assessment
- Monday 20th November - Teachers Only Day - NZ Curriculum Refresh
- Tuesday 21st November - Friday 24th November - Swimming with Johnston Waters
- Wednesday 22nd November - Cybersafety John Parsons
- Friday 24th November - Jonty Carran Tackle 10's Tournament at Otautau Year 7&8 rugby players
- Monday 27th November - Year 4-6 Mitre 10 Tough Kids

DECEMBER

- Friday 1st December - Reports Go Home
- Friday 1st December - Year 8 Graduate Dinner at Brunel Peaks
- Tuesday 5th December - Parent/Teacher Meetings
- Wednesday 6th December - Parent/Teacher Meetings
- Wednesday 6th - Friday 8th December - Year 5&6 Borland Lodge Camp
- Monday 11th December - BOT Meeting 7.30pm
- Tuesday 12 December - Carols in the Caves

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



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COMMUNITY NOTICES

Ride With The Stars

**BRING YOUR BIKE
Meet And Compete
With The
2023 Tour Riders**



Sunday 29th October

10:30am

Feldwick Gates

Queens Park

