

Newsletter

Hauroko

VALLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL



ALWAYS OUR BEST

Term 4, Week 2, 2021

Kia ora, bula, ni hao

I hope you all enjoyed Labour Weekend. There was certainly some warm weather with prime opportunities for fishing and boating to make the most of the long weekend.

As you will be aware the Government has announced that vaccinations will be mandatory for all staff working in schools from January 2022. As a school we have been following public health advice throughout this pandemic and will continue to do so, with the focus on providing a safe environment for our students, families and staff.

As part of the vaccination mandate and Ministry of Education (MOE) guidelines;

- From 1 January 2022, schools will need to ensure only vaccinated staff have contact with students.
- Schools will need to maintain a COVID-19 vaccination register.

For school drop offs and pick ups by parents, these should occur with physical distancing measures and face coverings. To reduce the number of people on site while we are in Alert Level 2, we continue to ask you to pick up and drop off outside of the school gates. If you need to enter, please use contact tracing, physical distancing and face masks. This will be reviewed as further information and changes to level status come to hand. Thank you for your continuing support.

Welcome to Michael who started in Kowhai today and joins his sister Rachael at HVP.

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Golf Tournament

Good Luck to our two Year 7&8 golf teams participating in the Western Southland Golf Tournament today. This is an opportunity to develop golf skills while having fun working as a team, which will be no problem for Ewan, Nick, Baxter, Lily, Sophie, Jack, Tyler and Hunter. Thanks to Jono and Phil for your guidance.

School Uniform As a school we are proud of the HVP uniform both when attending school and when representing HVP at events throughout Southland. Please ensure that your child is wearing the correct school uniform daily.

Sunhats are essential from now until the end of Term 1, 2022. The design of our sun hats as a bucket hat is to support the coverage of faces, as well as the backs of necks. Please purchase HVP School sun hats via - www.uniformnz.co.nz

Wheelie days are popular especially for our talented group of roller skaters. You are welcome to bring your wheels including scooters, skateboards and roller skates. It is important all students have their own safety gear - helmets and elbow or knee pads as required. Bring wheels - Wednesday and/or Thursday unless otherwise advised.

NZ Shake Out Day

HVP is taking part in the National Shake Out Day, as a way to teach our tamariki about emergency preparedness. Please refer to the included posters that support learning around what to do in an Earthquake when driving, in bed and what we do when at school.

Term 4, Week 3

Guitar will resume on Monday 1st November with Mrs Waikato. Be sure to practice before then to revise chords, strumming patterns and music/songs. Bring both guitars and clearfiles to the library.

Touch

Games start on Monday 1st November. We are initiating practices for Touch for our Year 3-8 students. They are keen to upskill and build their team work. Mr Waikato will be taking these lunchtime practices weekly, so please remember to bring a change of clothes including t-shirt and shorts.

General

Please remember if your child is unwell they need to remain at home.

Teachers Only Day

Friday 5th November.

We have our final Teachers Only Day as part of our 2019 Settlement for Primary Teachers. All Hauroko Valley Primary Staff will be involved in Professional Learning as part of our development to support our learners. School will only be open to Staff on this day.

Nga mihi nui,
Julia Waikato
Principal/Tumuaki



Te Reo Feature

Classroom teachers often praise in both English and Te Reo Maori.

Here are a few examples of words or phrases we use throughout the day orally and sometimes written.

Miharo!
Awesome!



Kei reira katoa!
Fabulous!



Tumeke
Too much!

Nāu anō i mahi!
You did it!

Koia kei a koe!
Good on you!



Tō kerewa hoki
You are clever

Kia pai mai hoki
Wow, that is really good



Reading Feature

This week we feature The Shakespeare Stories Boxed Set. These illustrated books introduce Shakespeare's best plays, suitable for Age 7 years +. Available in bookstores as well as through Scholastic Book Club.



Waiau Swimming Club

Looking forward to seeing you all back in the pool on Thursday 28th October. Coaches have had a course last week and are rearing to go. The first night we will be working on getting into appropriate groups. Please turn up at the following times to help us in grouping:

3:30pm - new swimmers, little pool and widths

4pm - 1/2 lengths

4:30pm - lengths

5pm - Last years 5:15 and 6pm group.

Nikki will contact her 4 swimmers directly.


Thanks heaps

Kaylene

Term 4, 2021

**N.B: Please note this is Alert Level 1 Events.
Modifications will be required if we remain at Alert Level 2.**


Weeks	Events	Who Is Involved?	Dates
2	Labour Day - Public Holiday Golf Tournament, Riverton Board of Trustees Meeting NZ Shake Out Day Discovery Time HVP Assembly c/- Kowhai	Whole School Year 7-8 Teams Staff/BOT Years 1-8 Years 1-3 Whole School	Monday 25th October Tuesday 26th October " " " " Thursday 28th October " " " " Friday 29th October
3	Science Science HVP School Photos Science Science Discovery Time Teachers Only Day	Years 7&8 Kowhai Whole School Matai Totara Years 1-3 Whole School	Monday 1st November Tuesday 2nd November " " " " Wednesday 3rd November Thursday 4th November " " " " Friday 5th November
4	Earthquake Simulator Visit Write That Essay Write That Essay Discovery Time HVP Assembly c/- Matai	Whole School All classes All classes Years 1-3 Whole School	Monday 8th November Wednesday 10th November Thursday 11th November " " " " Friday 12th November
5	Board of Trustees Planning Meeting Science Roadshow Discovery Time	Board Year 4&5 Years 1-3	Monday 15th November Tuesday 16th November Thursday 18th November
6	Swimming c/- Johnston Waters Technology #1 Swimming c/- Johnston Waters Swimming c/- Johnston Waters Swimming c/- Johnston Waters Discovery Time Hauroko Valley Swimming Sports	Years 1-8 Year 7&8 Years 1-8 Years 1-8 Years 1-8 Years 1-3 Whole School	Monday 21st November Tuesday 23rd November " " " " Wednesday 24th November Thursday 25th November " " " " Friday 26th November
7	Technology #2 Discovery Time HVP School Disco	Year 7&8 Years 1-3 Years 1-8	Tuesday 30th November Thursday 2nd December Friday 3rd December
8	Technology #3 Borland Lodge Camp Mitre 10 Tough Kids Borland Lodge Camp Discovery Time Borland Lodge Camp Reports Go Home HVP Assembly c/- Rata	Year 7&8 Year 5&6 Year 4 Year 5&6 Years 1-3 Year 5&6 Whole School " " " "	Tuesday 7th December Wednesday 8th December " " " " Thursday 9th December " " " " Friday 10th December " " " " " " " "
9	Board of Trustees Meeting Technology #4 Carols In The Caves End of Term 4, 2021	Board Year 7&8 Whole School All Classes	Monday 13th December Tuesday 14th December Wednesday 15th December Thursday 16th December



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GRAEME LAING SWIMMING LESSONS

A great opportunity for children (5-10yrs) to improve their swimming with an intensive week of lessons.

3-7 January at Blackmount Pool.

Please contact Kate jk.gray@xtra.co.nz if you're interested.

Spaces limited (locals/keyholders/isolated kids first preference)

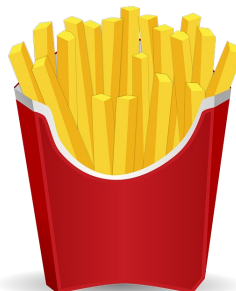
School Accounts :

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



School Timetable

9am Admin/Session 1
 10.10am Morning tea
 10.30am Session 2
 11.30am Fruit/Vege Break
 11.40am Session 3
 12.40pm Lunch
 1.30pm Session 4
 3.00pm End of the day.

DRIVE SMOKEFREE

— FOR TAMARIKI —



Smoking or vaping in a vehicle with anyone under 18 years will be illegal from 28 November 2021. To learn more →



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