

NEWSLETTER

# Hauroko

VALLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL



ALWAYS OUR BEST

## Term 1, Week 6, 2021

### Kia ora e te whanau,

What an action packed week! Thanks for supporting our **peanut free** school initiative. This is essential as part of providing a safe environment for our tamariki.

### Hauroko Valley Primary School Young Leaders 2021

Our Rata leaders/arikis have been presented with their leadership badges today. Congratulations to the following Year 8 Leaders. We are proud of your journey through H V P and look forward to seeing you continue to develop and inspire in your final year as Year 8's.

**Nick Cade** Kaitiakitanga Environment

**Baxter Erskine** Manaakitanga Hospitality

**Jack Horrell** Whanaungatanga Relationships

**Hunter Norman** Taharo Health & Physical Education/Sport

### Team Support

**Tyler Miller** Ako Learner Support/IT

These young men are enthusiastic in their roles initiating several ideas to enhance our schools learning, resources and facilities. Their first challenge has been developing Hauroko Valley Primary School Houses. These have been based on our individual and school mihi - places or whenua/land that are special or important to our people. They've brainstormed names for houses and organised students into house groups, which are family based.

Our first house activity was our interschool athletics where each participating student received 1 point, 1st place = 10 points, 2nd place = 5 points, 3rd place = 3 points and record breakers = 20 points. The boys had to complete the calculations for each house and tally the points to find our first house cup winners for 2021!

We are looking forward to introducing our students to a range of cultural and sporting activities throughout the year involving our HVP Houses. The boys have impressed with their ability to complement each other when working collaboratively for our place already! Tumeke mahi!

House Names			
Clifden	Orawia	Takitimu	Waiau
Houses based on our mihi, whenua/land special to Hauroko Valley Primary School students			
Our ana/Our caves	Our whakamaumahara	Our maunga	Our awa
House Captains			
Hunter Norman	Nick Cade	Jack Horrell	Baxter Erskine
House Colours			
Yellow	Red	Green	Blue

### This Week

#### Interschool Athletics

Congratulations to students who competed at our interschool athletics with Waiau Area School. It was awesome to see H V P students supporting each other, participating in events with grit and achieving some amazing results.

Thanks to Waiau Area School for hosting this event with their amazing facilities. Our students enjoyed their sausage sizzle for lunch. We also appreciate our parent helpers that assisted at events measuring, recording and supporting our children in various track and field athletics.

Results were shared today at assembly with certificates presented to several students that gained 1st, 2nd and/or 3rd place. There were also some record breakers - WOW!

Unfortunately there were some inaccuracies. We have spent considerable time trying to ensure results are accurate with certificates for presentation and particularly for entries to Western. However inevitably there will be some mistakes. Please accept my apologies for any mistakes and let me know if I can be of further assistance. The TBC students will know next week.

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**Western Qualifiers**
**Field**

Event Age	Long Jump	Soft Ball Throw or Shot Put	High Jump	Discus	Nerf
7 years			n/a	n/a	n/a
8 years	Cassie Maddi Boe Fergal Mac	Cassie Maddi Boe (Fergal or Jack H TBC)	n/a	n/a	n/a
9 years	Lily Sienna Libby Tomas James	Briar Elly Sierra Cooper Tomas Sam	Lily Elly Cooper	Briar Sienna Sierra James Cooper Tomas	n/a
10 years	Erin Katie George Cormac	Erin Sophie	Erin Sophie Cormac	Katie Sophie Erin Hugo	n/a
11 years	Sophie Lily Hunter Finn	Sophie TBC Harry Ewan	Maddi (Sophie or Addi TBC)	Finn Nick	Sophie Addi Lily Finn Hunter Ewan
12 years	Baxter	Jack Baxter	Baxter	Baxter Jack	

**Track**

Event Age	60m	100m	200m	800m
7 years	Ruby Ilyssa Flynn Carter Finley	Ruby Ilyssa Flynn Carter	n/a	
8 years	Maddi Cassie Fergal Boe (Mac or ? TBC)	Maddi Cassie Fergal Boe Mac	n/a	
9 years	n/a	Lily Libby Sienna Tomas Cooper	Lily Libby Sienna Cooper James	
10 years	n/a	Katie Erin Sophie George Hugo	Erin Katie Hugo Cormac Lily Sophie	
11 years	n/a	Lily Hunter Harry	Harry Finn (Hunter TBC)	Lily Addi Hunter
12 years	n/a	Baxter	Baxter	Baxter

## **Next Week**

### **Goal Setting Interviews**

Next week on either Tuesday 16th March or Wednesday 17th March there is an opportunity to meet with classroom teachers as part of our home and school partnership. Bookings can be made for 10 minute sessions from 3.10pm-5.00pm on both days.

Our goal setting interviews align with our Strategic and Annual Plans around development of our relationships with our learners and families. This time also provides an opportunity for your child/children to share their 'student voice' - their progress and learning goals. As students move through the school they are more likely to articulate their own next steps independently.

If you require more time than is available perhaps make a separate time when this can be focused on.

Also if you are unable to attend at this time, please arrange a time that works for you and your family with each classroom teacher. The best way to contact each class teacher is as per email addresses;

Kowhai Mrs Kirsty Erskine/Mrs Alice Harris [k.erskine@haurokovalley.school.nz](mailto:k.erskine@haurokovalley.school.nz)

Matai Miss Paula Ross [p.ross@haurokovalley.school.nz](mailto:p.ross@haurokovalley.school.nz)

Totara Mrs Jen Templeton [j.armstrong@haurokovalley.school.nz](mailto:j.armstrong@haurokovalley.school.nz)

Rata Mr Terrence Waikato [t.waikato@haurokovalley.school.nz](mailto:t.waikato@haurokovalley.school.nz)

How to make a booking;

1. Skool Loop app - select Interviews then follow the selections through.
2. Email or ring Karen Reid in the office to make a booking for you.

### **Technology**

Thursday 18th March our Year 7&8 students head down to Waiau Area School for Technology - Hard Materials - Woodwork with Mr Ian Russ. Students are able to come to school as per usual and then they will catch the bus down and back by 3.00pm. Students living closer to Tuatapere can meet our Year 7&8 students at Waiau Area School closer to 8.45am. Mr Waikato will be accompanying our students as support.

### **Western Athletics**

On Friday 19th March a contingent of 36 athletes head to Takitimu Primary School, Nightcaps for Western Athletics. We look forward to seeing the action and sharing the day's events with you all.

Students that have qualified have received a notice today with the events they have qualified for. There will be a few changes to this - apologies in advance. We haven't received the timetable of events yet - however on the back of the notice I've included 2020's. Once we receive this I'll send home with our Western athletes and share via Skool Loop.

### **Ngā mihi nui**

Julia Waikato,  
Principal/Tumuaki





## 2021 Blackmount Trail Ride

One more sleep..... lots of excitement amongst our students and their families as the weather looks to be just perfect! It really is an outstanding day out - come join us for Hauroko Valley Primary School's major fundraiser - The Blackmount Trail Ride.

This mammoth event has been a year in planning as our Home and School Committee work to secure sponsorship, organise resources and prepare the trails for a fun filled family day out. Thanks to our Home and School Committee and their families for the endless hours of week completed before tomorrow. Also to our incredibly generous community members offering support to mark tracks. We are very grateful to our amazing sponsors for their continued support to this awesome event!

All funds raised go directly to benefit our children. The success of such a major fundraiser is thanks to your support as many hands make light work.

If you can help in any of the following ways, please make contact!

### What can you do?

- Support to set up marquees, bales for windbreaks etc...
- Marshalls on the trail ride tracks.
- Registration support as we anticipate 300+ riders needing to register.
- Support with food as we provide riders with a BBQ lunch.
- Pack up of marquees, trestle tables etc...
- Baking for sponsors
- Pick ups/drop offs.

If you are available to help our committee please get in touch with one of the following as per their designated role.



A FUN DRAFTER FOR  
**HAUROKO VALLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL**  
Based at Belmont Station - Blackmount.

Every ability catered for on 60km+ of track!  
Registration opens 8am - first ride 9am  
3pm The David Gray Memorial Hill Climb  
Lunch included in registration.  
Food and refreshments available all day (cash).  
email [blackmounttrailride@gmail.com](mailto:blackmounttrailride@gmail.com)  
FB @blackmounttrailride www.myrides.co.nz

**REGISTRATION TAKEN ON THE DAY**  
ADULT \$60  
UNDER 15's \$40  
MINI - \$15  
FAMILY (1 ADULT + 2 UNDER 15'S) \$100  
SIDE X SIDE OR ATV PASSENGER \$30

**BIG GRINS GUARANTEED**

Massive thank you to our sponsors:

**HONDA Ewan Allan**  
**RAW FARM HOMEKILL**  
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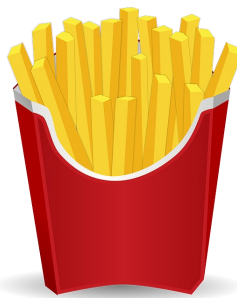
Please note there are some changes to dates and additional events have been added in.

Week/s	Term 1 Events	Date/s
7	HVP Board of Trustees Meeting 7.30pm Southland Golf Lessons Year 1-8 Goal Setting Interviews Librarians Trip Year 6 (4 Students) HVP Clubs Years 4-8 Goal Setting Interviews Technology Year 7&8 Discovery Time Western Athletics	Monday 15th March Tuesday 16th March " Wednesday 17th March " " Thursday 18th March " Friday 19th March
8	Southland Golf Years 1-8 Technology Year 7&8 HVP Clubs Years 4-8 Discovery Time Southland Athletics	Wednesday 24th March Thursday 25th March " " Saturday 27th March
9	Rippa Rugby Western Tournament TBC Technology Year 7&8 Discovery Time Good Friday, No School	Wednesday 31st March Thursday 1st April " Friday 2nd April
10	Easter Monday No School Easter Tuesday No School <b>Teachers Only Day</b> - Write That Essay Write That Essay Facilitators in Classes	Monday 5th April Tuesday 6th April Thursday 8th April Friday 9th April
11	Technology Year 7&8 Discovery Time Last Day of Term 1, 2021	Thursday 15th April " Friday 16th April

Term	Dates / 2021	Weeks
1	Wednesday 3rd February - Friday 16 April	11
2	Monday 3rd May - Friday 9 July <b>Deep Cove Camp Years 7&amp;8</b> - Monday 14th June - Friday 18th June	10
3	Monday 26 July - Friday 1 October	10
4	Monday 18 October - 15 December (TBC) <b>Borland Lodge Camp, Year 5&amp;6</b> - Wednesday 8th December - Friday 10th December	10

### 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.

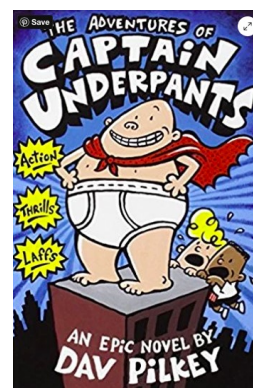
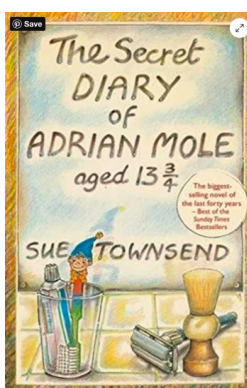
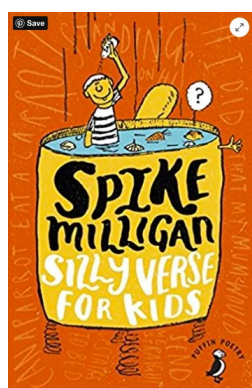
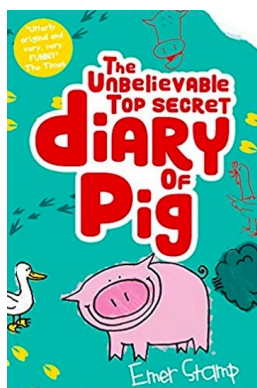
### School Accounts

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



### Reading Challenge

Check out these options for reading if you enjoy funny books.



## WAIAU STAR JUNIOR RUGBY

**Grades:** (ages as at Jan 1 2021) D Grade/Ripper – aged 5 to 7, C Grade – aged under 9,  
B Grade – aged under 11, A Grade – aged under 13

All players **must** register online at [www.sporty.co.nz](http://www.sporty.co.nz)  
before Friday March 13th. Follow the links, find Waiau Star club.

### Subs \$20

Club supplies mouthguard & playing jersey.  
Boot exchange available. Players supply shorts and socks.  
Practise C&D Grades Thursday 3.30-4.30 @ W.A.S. Start date TBC.  
Practise for A&B Grades & start date TBC.

**We need coaches and managers for these teams,  
and a canteen manager. Please contact Jeremy.**

Thanks, any queries to Waiau Junior Convenor Jeremy Gray  
027 225 5212 or 03 225 5212 or [jk.gray@xtra.co.nz](mailto:jk.gray@xtra.co.nz)  
Information will be posted on Facebook @ Waiau Star Junior Rugby



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17 MARCH - 09 APRIL 2021**

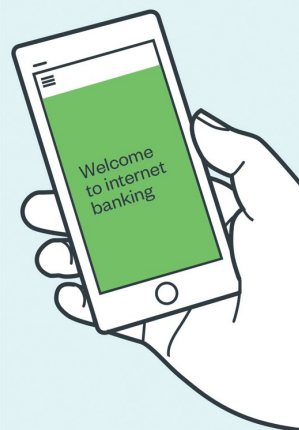


Mobile Digital Learning Centre



# FREE Digital Banking classes on **DORA**

Location	Date	Time
WINTON - Behind Anzac Oval, 249 Great North Rd	17 & 18 March 2021	10am - 12noon & 1pm - 3pm
OTAUTAU - Council Building, 176 Main St	22 March 2021	10am - 12noon & 1pm - 3pm
NIGHTCAPS - St Patrick's School carpark, 11 Digger St	23 March 2021	10am - 12noon
OHAI - Ohai Community Hall, 10 Richmond St	23 March 2021	1pm - 3pm
RIVERTON - Council Building, Main St	24 March 2021	10am - 12noon & 1pm - 3pm
TUATAPERI - RSA Hall, 61 Main Rd	25 March 2021	10am - 12noon & 1pm - 3pm
GORE - BUPA Windsor Park Care Home, 3 McKellar St	29 March 2021	10am - 12noon
GORE - James Cummings Wing, Gore Library, 10c Ardwick St	29 March 2021	1pm - 3pm
RIVERSDALE - Riversdale Community Centre, 73 Newcastle St	30 March 2021	10am - 12noon
BALFOUR - Balfour Rugby Club, 11 Kruger St	30 March 2021	1pm - 3pm
MATAURA - Mataura Rugby Club, Main St	31 March 2021	10am - 12noon & 1pm - 3pm
WYNDHAM - Wyndham Rugby Club, Memorial Dr	01 April 2021	10am - 12noon
EDENDALE - Edendale Rugby Club, 23b Salford St	01 April 2021	1pm - 3pm
LUMSDEN - Lumsden Railway Station carpark, 23 Diana St	07 April 2021	10am - 12noon & 1pm - 3pm
TE ANAU - Fiordland Community House, 21 Luxmore Dr	08 April 2021	1pm - 3pm
TE ANAU - Fiordland Community House, 21 Luxmore Dr	09 April 2021	10am - 12noon



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