



Huia Range School

Term 2 Week 8 Friday 25th June, 2021

Website: www.huiarange.school.nz

He mihi mahana kia koutou – A warm greeting to you all

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Marae Trip

Congratulations to the room 11 and 12 students that undertook a trip to the Marae on Monday.

I have been informed that the children behaved exceptionally well and were very interested and involved with the learning activities undertaken.

A huge thank you to the staff from Rangitane who organised and undertook the activities with our tamariki.

Thank you also to the parents who attended to help support the day. I hope you all enjoyed it as much as the children did.

Raincoats

Due to import problems, the school has only received a small number of raincoats from KidsCan. Hopefully more will arrive in term 3.

These coats are amazing - warm and dry and I have handed them out to our youngest children first. We are very fortunate and grateful for them.

School Photos

Class and sports photos are planned for Monday and Tuesday the 28th and 29th of June.

Information and envelopes for ordering the class photos have been sent home.

If you would like a family/sibling or team photo you need to collect another envelope from Suzie.

If you do not order and pay before the 28th, the photo will not be taken.

If you have paid online please return the completed empty envelope so we can tell the photographer, otherwise the photo will not be taken.

STRIVE Day

As a school, we have made a number of changes to the STRIVE Day that we do each term.

We have shifted the required behaviour level from 80 to 90%. This includes in class and out of class behaviours and attitudes, school uniform and how well each child portrays the STRIVE values.

We are also going to take into account attendance and children will be required to have a 90% attendance for the term to be allowed to participate.

I will individually look at children that have had a serious illness or who have been in hospital or have a real reason for having been absent from school.

We are having a huge issue with lack of attendance from some children and families.

We have many children that have at least one day a week absent and apparently they are sick.

It is very unusual for a child to be sick that often without being under a paediatrician for their illness.

School Lunches

It is very disappointing to see a large number of senior students bringing big packets of chips (and similar snacks) to school as their lunch.

This is neither healthy nor appropriate food to sustain these children through the afternoon.

I am working strongly with the Ministry to improve the amount and type of food our children are getting in the free lunch programme.

Some of the food we receive, like the burgers, are really good, and we need this consistency every day.

Up Coming Events

June

28 - Monday
School class photos

29 - Tuesday
School team photos

July

3 - Saturday
Jump Jam - Palmerston North

7 - Wednesday
Term 2 STRIVE Day

8 - Thursday
Mid Year Reports home
Firewise

9 - Friday
Final day term 2

26 - Monday
First Day Term 3
New Entrant Cohort start

August

2 - Monday
Parent/Teacher Interviews

3 - Tuesday
Parent/Teacher Interviews

10 - Tuesday
BOT meeting - 6.30pm Staffroom

19 - Thursday
Interschool Maths Evening

Kia nui te ra.
Ka kite ano.

Robyn Forsyth
Principal

Board By-Election

Nomination forms have been sent out with nominations closing on Friday 2nd July, 2021.



These students have been awarded certificates this week:

- Room 2: Nicholas –making more effort to respond to feedback and feed forward in a positive way.
- Room 3: Riley – being more focused and working at a higher standard.
Elsie – working hard to consolidate strategies in maths.
- Room 4: Noah – for his enthusiasm when researching his innovation topic on staplers.
Loghan – for his reading response on Narnia.
- Room 5: Mahirah – always giving everything the best and making good progress as a result.
Aiden – putting extra effort into literacy learning and making good progress as a result.
- Room 6: Vincent – showing Rangatiratanga in phonics moving to stage 6. Ka pai!
Neian-Jian – showing Manaakitanga by being caring, helpful and welcoming to others.
- Room 7: Tui – using his knowledge of sounds and words to write stories on his own. Ka pai.
Konner – learning new maths strategies easily and solving problems by counting on.
- Room 9: Jade – using word patterns to work out unknown words in reading.
Nganoki – for a great effort to complete set activities independently.
- Room 10: Aaliyah – showing initiative and helping others to improve their skills while using I.T.
Kiani – applying new knowledge when using maths strategies to help her solve multistep problems.
- Room 11: Kadence – showing a readiness to learn and contribute to all class experiences.
Jacob – being more self aware during learning time and working hard to stay focused.
- Room 12: Summer – showing STRIVE in the classroom and being a great role model.
Rangi – always completing her work to a high standard and on time!
- Room 15: Rhythm – settling into class routines and having high expectations of her learning.
Danika – using blends to spell unknown words in writing.

RUGBY 26th June

Rippa Draw

- 10:00 – Huia 2 vs Ruahine/TKK – Field 2
10:30 – Huia 1 vs Puketoi – Field 2

Midgets Draw

- 10am – Huia vs St Joes – Field 1

Junior Draw

- 10am – Huia vs Mana, Coronation Park, Dvke

JUNIOR HOCKEY 25th June

Funsticks

- 3:50 Blue vs Yellow – turf 1
Red vs Green – turf 2

Ministicks

- 4:00: Huia Mini vs St Ruahine – turf 3

Kiwisticks

- 4:30 Huia Kiwi vs Ruahine Wildcats – turf 2

Kwiksticks

- 4:30 Huia Kwik vs Ruahine Jets DHS turf

NETBALL 26th June

9:00: 4 v 4 in the stadium.

- Kowhai Stingers vs Kakariki Ferns - Court 1
South Blue vs Huia Rebels - Court 2
Ruakura vs Ruahine - Court 3

- 10:00: Mawhero Magic vs Rising Phoenix - Court 1
Huia Magic vs South Red - Court 2

- 10:30 **5 v 5 Warm up and skills** – courts 3,4,5

- 10:50 **5 v 5 games (3 x 8 min thirds)**
Huia Range vs South Green – Court 3

**LUNCH
BY
LIBELLE**

Term 2, 2021

NIKAU WEEK

05/07-09/07

MONDAY

Mac & Cheese

Dietary Alternatives:
GF: GF pasta, cheese sauce
DF, VE: Pasta with savoury lentil
sauce & vegan cheese

Snack: Yoghurt

Snack Dietary Alternatives:
DF, VE: Seasonal fruit



TUESDAY

Beef & Cheese Salad Wrap

Sliced roast beef, salad,
cheese, corn.

Dietary Alternatives:
V, VE: Falafels
GF: GF wrap
DF: Vegan cheese
H, NB: Roast chicken

Snack: Hummus, Veggie Sticks, Pretzels *Fruit

Snack Dietary Alternatives:
GF: Corn chips

WEDNESDAY

Chicken Ranch Pasta Salad

Pasta spirals, ranch dressing,
chicken, cheese, corn, carrot
batons.

Dietary Alternatives:
V, VE: Mushroom magic mince
GF: GF pasta
DF, VE: Vegan cheese

Snack: Bliss Balls *Fruit

Snack Dietary Alternatives:
None

THURSDAY

Chicken Mayo Sandwich

Wholemeal bread or roll, roast
chicken, mayo, salad, *Kumara
rosti.

Dietary Alternatives:
V: Tofu slices or egg mayo
GF: GF bread or roll

Snack: Blueberry*Fruit

Snack Dietary Alternatives:
DF, EF, VE: Kea cookie

FRIDAY

Butter Chicken & Rice

Chicken, chickpeas, seasonal
veg, butter chicken sauce, rice.

Dietary Alternatives:
V, VE: Chickpeas
DF, VE: Dairy free butter chicken
sauce

Snack: Fruit

Snack Dietary Alternatives:
None



Key: (V) Vegetarian. (GF) Gluten Free. (DF) Dairy Free. (EF) Egg Free. (H) Halal. (NB) No Beef. (NP) No Pork. *Senior students additional item.

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**LUNCH
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LIBELLE**

Term 2, 2021

KAURI WEEK

28/06-02/07

MONDAY

Pasta & Meatballs

Pasta with Napoli tomato
sauce, beef meatballs, seasonal
vegetables and cheese.

Dietary Alternatives:
V, Ve, GF, DF, NB, H: Amazeballs
GF: GF pasta
DF, VE: VE Cheese

Snack: Fruity Yoghurt

Snack Dietary Alternatives:
None



TUESDAY

Chicken Wrap

Wholemeal wrap, chicken
tender, edam cheese, lettuce,
carrot.

Dietary Alternatives:
V: Smashed chickpeas
GF: GF wrap, roast chicken
DF: Roast chicken, VE cheese
H: Roast chicken
VE: Smashed chickpea, VE cheese

Snack: Hummus, Corn Chips, Veggie Sticks*Fruit

Snack Dietary Alternatives:
None

WEDNESDAY

Nachos

Corn chips, chilli beans,
chicken, carrot, corn, cheese
and sour cream.

Dietary Alternatives:
V, VE: Chilli beans
DF, VE: VE cheese
EF, VE: VE mayo

Snack: Cookie*Fruit

Snack Dietary Alternatives:
GF: GF cookie

THURSDAY

Cheese & Ham Salad Sandwich

Wholemeal bread or long
roll, sliced ham, cheese, leafy
greens, mayo, relish, carrot
batons. *Corn patty.

Dietary Alternatives:
V: Tofu Slices or Egg Mayo
VE: Tofu Slices
GF: GF bread or roll

Snack: Seasonal Fruit

Snack Dietary Alternatives:
None

FRIDAY

Sweet & Sour Pork on Rice

Pork, sweet and sour sauce,
mixed veggies, chicken broth.

Dietary Alternatives:
V, VE: Tofu, vegetable broth

Snack: Muffin

Snack Dietary Alternatives:
GF, DF, EF, VE: Bliss balls



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