

Huia Range School

Term 1 Week 2 Thursday 10th February, 2022

Website: www.huiarange.school.nz

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

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2022 School Year

The year has started very well with tamariki excited to be back at school.

They are enjoying being with their friends and have settled very well into their learning.

We have started fully staffed but are still waiting for Rozaan Coetzee and Nadine Britz to arrive from South Africa.

Year 8 Camp

I was fortunate to spend the full day at El Rancho yesterday with our group.

If you are a school facebook member you will have seen some of the photos of the activities they have undertaken and read the very supportive comments from whanau and friends.

I really enjoyed helping with the slippery slide and the archery and the kids were having a ball.

Thank you to Lions and the school Board for the donations to support our tamariki to go to camp.

This extra financial support meant families could ensure their tamariki could attend.

Libelle Lunches

We have 2 positions available for a permanent (25hrs) and a casual/fixed term service assistant which we need to fill ASAP.

Applicants do need to be double vaccinated and have a full clean driver's license.

Jay Chard 021 709 734 Local Area Coordinator – Tararua www.Julieanna@libelle.co.nz

Asthma Advice

This advice was in relation to COVID through the regular email updates from the Ministry of Education:

Starship Hospital has advised that there is a greater risk of hospitalisation in children with poorly controlled asthma.

"Poorly controlled" is anyone with an admission in the last two years or anyone with two or more courses of steroids in the last two years. Therefore, it's important that children take their preventative medications and see their GP if their asthma is not well controlled.

Children experience many coughs and colds and respiratory viruses in the course of childhood, and these can result in asthma exacerbations for children with poorly controlled asthma.

Vaccination can provide strong protection for children with asthma to prevent hospitalisation.

It is not recommended that children with asthma are shielded by missing school. Instead, the advice is to get asthma under control. If whānau are still concerned about severe or poorly controlled asthma, they could consider bringing the second vaccine dose forwards on parental request. This would be preferable to the child missing school.

Swimming

Rooms 1, 2, 3, 4, 11, 12 and the year 4 tamariki in rooms 9 and 10 will be swimming in a few weeks time.

We are working with WaiSplash to plan how we can undertake the school swimming sports within the current safety requirements.

Up Coming Events

February

8 - 11 Tuesday - Friday Year 8 Camp El Rancho

9 - Wednesday Hearing and Vision Screening

15 - 17 Tuesday - Thursday Year 8 Road Warden Refresher

16 - Wednesday Self Defence Year 3/4 Girls

18 - Friday Teachers Only Day- school closed

22 - Tuesday Board meeting 6.30pm staffroom Swimming Rooms 1, 2, 3, 4, 11, 12

28 - Tuesday Swimming Rooms 1, 2, 3, 4, 11, 12

March

1 - Wednesday Swimming Rooms 1, 2, 3, 4, 11, 12

7 - Monday
Parent/Teacher Interviews
Swimming Rooms 1, 2, 3, 4, 11, 12

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14 - Monday New Entrant Cohort Start Day

18 - Friday School Swimming Sports Year 4 - 8

23 - Wednesday Inter School Swimming Sports

29 - Tuesday Board meeting 6.30pm staffroom

Ka kite ano. Kia nui te ra

Robyn Forsyth Principal



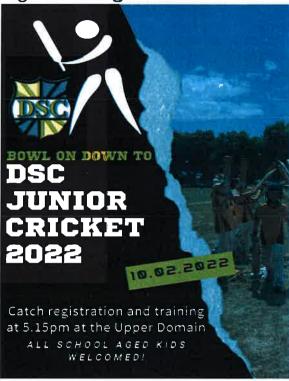
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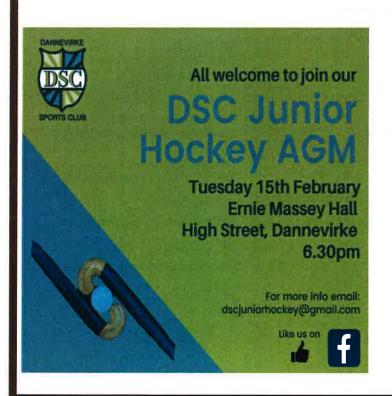
Welcome to the new students and whānau who have joined or rejoined our school this term:

Jesse, Sypris, Riley, Wirihana, Hendrix and Dayton.
We hope that you enjoy your time at Huia Range School.

A reminder that the DSC Junior Cricket

2022 registration & training is on tonight.





DANNEVIRKE NETBALL CENTRE PRESENTS...

Year 5/6 Fundamental Skills

- Develop your skills ready for 7 v 7 netball
- Footwork, attacking, defending, shooting, positions of play and more.



Year 7/8 Skill Development

- Get your body and mind prepared for 2022 season.
- Gain fitness, learn new skills and develop existing skills

TUESDAY AFTERNOONS TERM 1

3.30PM - 4.30PM starting 8 February OPEN TO ALL ABILITIES BOYS AND GIRLS

Please email <u>dvkenetball@gmail.com</u> to register your child today.