



Huia Range School

Term 1 Week 6 Thursday 10th March, 2022

Website: www.huiarange.school.nz

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

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Newsletter

I am finding that with Covid creating a lack of sports and cultural events at school and in the community that there is not as many exciting things to add to the newsletter.

So, for the remainder of this term the newsletter will be sent home once a fortnight and it will be on a Friday.

The change to Friday is because the main information from the Ministry is received on Tuesday and Thursday nights, usually around 5.00pm.

That means any important changes will be given to you immediately, rather than a week later.

Swimming Sports

The school swimming sports are planned for next Friday the 18th March.

To ensure everyone's safety only our competitive swimmers will be invited to attend. Invites will be sent out by early next week.

In keeping with school activities and requirements from WaiSplash sadly no whanau or community members may attend the event.

We are planning to take amazing photos to share with families and friends.

I am a little anxious about the photos - have you ever tried to get great pictures at a swimming competition?

Usually a lot of splashed water, random arms and legs and heaps of unidentifiable swimming caps!



Uniforms

The school uniform is being worn correctly by most of our tamariki and they look very good in it.

There are 6 options for parents to choose from for the bottom part of the uniform. They are shorts, skirt, skirt and 3 different long pants.

Track suit pants and tights (worn on their own) are not part of the uniform.

If you are unsure please contact Suzie for the uniform list.

Shoe requirements are plain black shoes. Jandals, scuffs and gumboots (unless it is raining) are not suitable for children playing, doing fitness or sport.

I will be ordering raincoats for new students and it is hoped they arrive by the beginning of term 2.

Covid - Community

I have had 2 messages from the community that I have been asked to put in our newsletter.

1. From our local pharmacy:

If anyone is feeling unwell please do not visit shops / healthcare services.

The amount of close exposures to myself (Hamish) that I have found out in hindsight is alarming and if it wasn't for proper PPE protocols we could be in for a rough ride with Covid-19 in the pharmacy.

Now is not the time for the pharmacy team to unnecessarily get sick!

2. All supervised RATs with the Tararua Health Group (Barraud Street Health Centre) need to be pre-booked- not just drive through.

A few people are just showing up.

Up Coming Events

March

11 - Friday
New Entrant Visit

14 - Monday
New Entrant Cohort Start Day

18 - Friday
School Swimming Sports Year 4 - 8

25 - Friday
New Entrant visit

29 - Tuesday
Board meeting 6.30pm staffroom

April

1 - Friday
New Entrant Visit

8 - Friday
New Entrant visit

13 - Wednesday
Last day of Term 1

Ka kite ano.
Kia nui te ra

Robyn Forsyth
Principal

Covid - School

As I put up on Facebook earlier this week, we had one of our tamariki test positive. This has now become a number of tamariki across the school.

All of these children had a household contact test positive before they did. The transmission is likely to have been at home.

The constant message to correctly wear a mask and to use good hygiene practices are really important at all times.

Please be kind to each other. Kia kaha.



Congratulations to the students who received class certificates this week:

- Room 1: Sirhya for having a positive attitude and also showing resilience towards your learning.
Jaylynn for consistently working hard and displaying STRIVE inside and outside of the classroom.
- Room 2: Jakeob for displaying STRIVE values & trying hard to keep up with all the new learning.
Ronan for sharing his great vocabulary knowledge with the class.
- Room 3: Ashantae - for being prepared to make changes to her writing, so that it concisely described her experience of an activity at Yr8 Camp.
Meadow - for using her initiative to complete work to a high standard.
- Room 4: Teremoana - for improving her presentation in her work books and staying focused to complete set tasks on time.
Izzy - for always completing tasks on time and to a high standard in all learning areas.
- Room 7: Deeantae - For always having a positive attitude towards learning, and being a very helpful member of Room 7. Nga Mihi Deeantae!
- Room 9: Layne - for his expression and creativity when becoming a character in his group play.
Sapphire - for supporting other students when creating characters for their plays.
- Room 10: Kabiir Zameel for giving every challenge a go!
- Room 11: Brock Ward - Showing amazing work ethic through focus and independence.
Jamison - For being settled and focused on his learning and producing great work.
- Room 12: Fletcher Senior - For showing kindness by helping others during cricket.
Erin Allison - For her determination and hard work during our estimation work.
- Room 15: Te Atahaia - for her determination and hard work to spell many words correctly.
Raukawa - for being a dependable and reliable member of Room 15 who leads by example.



Dannevirke Sports Club Junior Football

**Seeking volunteers to coach teams!
Please contact Kylie for more information
027 9648 617**

LUNCH
BY
LIBELLE

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TOTARA WEEK

14/03 - 18/03

MONDAY

Nacho Salad with Chicken & Cheese

Corn chips with cheese salad, kidney beans, chicken, salsa and sour cream/yoghurt topping.

Dietary Alternatives:
V, VE: Kidney beans. DF, VE: Vegan cheese, coconut yoghurt.

Snack: Cookie
+ Years 9 to 13: Seasonal Fruit

Snack Dietary Alternatives:
GF, SF: Popcorn

TUESDAY

Classic Baked Cheese Roll & Mixed Salad

Wholemeal tortilla, cheese & cottage cheese baked, served with mixed salad & chicken.

Dietary Alternatives:
VE, EF: Falafel. GF: GF wrap. DF, VE: Vegan cheese.

Snack: Hidden Vege Pumpkin Pie Muffin
+ Years 9 to 13: Seasonal Fruit

Snack Dietary Alternatives:
GF, DF, EF, VE: Trail mix or coconut blissballs

WEDNESDAY

Hawaiian Pizza & Pasta Salad

Wholemeal mini pizza base with pizza sauce, ham, cheese & pineapple with pasta salad.

Dietary Alternatives:
V, VE: Mushroom chickpea super sausage. GF: GF pizza base. DF, VE: Vegan cheese. H, NP, SF: Chicken.

Snack: Fruit Yoghurt
+ Years 9 to 13: Seasonal Fruit

Snack Dietary Alternatives:
DF, VE: Trail mix

THURSDAY

Corned Beef & Cheese Sandwich

Wholemeal bread with corned beef, lettuce & cheese with potato corn salad, carrot sticks.

Dietary Alternatives:
V, H, NP: Egg mayo. VE: Chickpea smash with vegan mayo. GF: GF bread. SF: SF bread. DF, VE: Vegan cheese. DF, EF, VE: Vegan potato salad. EF: Vegan mayo.

Snack: Corn Thin
+ Years 9 to 13: Seasonal Fruit

Snack Dietary Alternatives:
None

FRIDAY

Chicken & Slaw Burger

Burger bun with chicken patty, cheese and mixed salad.

Dietary Alternatives:
V, VE, GF, H, SF: Black bean burger patty. GF, SF: GF SF burger bun. DF, VE: Vegan cheese.

Snack: Seasonal 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. Meals will be prepared to cater for children with specific allergies or cultural requirements. If you need these options please make the school aware two weeks in advance. Meals are prepared in a non-allergen controlled environment. If you have low tolerance towards certain allergens please notify the school immediately. Items may vary subject to supply.

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PURIRI WEEK

21/03 - 25/03

MONDAY

Vegemite Scroll with Chicken & Rice Salad

Vegemite scroll served with shredded roast chicken and vege packed brown rice salad.

Dietary Alternatives:
V, VE GF, DF, EF, SF: Falafel. GF, DF, EF, VE, SF: Roast veggies.

Snack: Fruit Yoghurt
+ Years 9 to 13: Seasonal Fruit

Snack Dietary Alternatives:
DF, VE: Trail mix

TUESDAY

Pork Taco Wrap

Wholemeal wrap with pulled pork, cheese, chilli beans and mixed salad.

Dietary Alternatives:
V, VE: Mexican corn magic mince. GF: GF wrap. H, NP: Chicken. DF, VE: Vegan cheese. SF: Plain mixed beans.

Snack: Corn Chips
+ Years 9 to 13: Seasonal Fruit

Snack Dietary Alternatives:
None

WEDNESDAY

Pasta Salad with Ham

Wholemeal pasta salad with ham, cheese, mixed veggies & carrot batons.

Dietary Alternatives:
V, VE: Mixed beans. GF: GF chickpea pasta. DF, VE: Vegan cheese. H, NP, SF: Chicken.

Snack: Hidden Vege Raspberry Mud Muffin
+ Years 9 to 13: Seasonal Fruit

Snack Dietary Alternatives:
GF, DF, EF, VE: Coconut bliss balls

THURSDAY

Chicken Mayo Sandwich

Wholemeal bread with chicken mayo, potato salad & corn.

Dietary Alternatives:
V: Egg mayo. VE: Chickpea smash with vegan mayo. GF: GF bread. SF: SF bread. DF, EF, VE: Vegan potato salad.

Snack: Popcorn
+ Years 9 to 13: Seasonal Fruit

Snack Dietary Alternatives:
None



FRIDAY

Teriyaki Beef Rice Salad Bowl

Brown rice with beef, teriyaki sauce, slaw, peas, Japanese mayo, & sesame seeds.

Dietary Alternatives:
V, VE: Tofu. SF: Japanese mayo. NB, SF: Chicken.

Snack: Cookie
+ Years 9 to 13: Seasonal Fruit

Snack Dietary Alternatives:
GF, SF: Wholegrain rice cracker

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