



Huia Range School

Term 1 Week 8 Thursday 25th March, 2022

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

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Staffing

We are very excited that Nadine Britz and her husband Petrus and daughter Leah, have finally arrived in Dannevirke.

It has been a very long procedure through the New Zealand Immigration system and has taken over 4 months since the process started.

They were in good spirits, but exhausted after a number of very long flights and many delays from South Africa.

Our staff picked them, and their luggage, up from the Palmerston North airport and they finally arrived around 7.15pm last night.

Other staff put together a small welcome to Dannevirke package which included a toy tiara and wand for 4 year old Leah, but the real hit was the stuffed toy kiwi that she really loves.

April is organising a powhiri for the family and has had the middle team classes practicing for this.

The welcome has to be held outside (love Covid!!) and we are hoping the rain eases up for this event.

The family are checking out rentals and purchasing a car over the next few days.

Nadine will be teaching a year 7/8 class next term and we are looking forward to seeing her at school next week.

If you are a FaceBook follower you may have noticed Nadine over the last few months.

I have also been in contact with Rozaan Coetzee last night and she, her husband and 2 boys are planning to arrive before the April holidays.

Dannevirke Water

According to the Tararua District Council website and Facebook pages the Dannevirke water supply has been badly affected by the recent very heavy rain and all drinking water should be boiled.

We have purchased a number of water bottles which were supplied to our tamariki today.

We are putting plans in place for next week to ensure your tamariki have a safe water supply at school next week.

We may need to ask that all tamariki bring a bottle of boiled water from home each day. Please check FaceBook on Sunday night for the latest Update.

The current advice includes: Until notified Dannevirke residents are advised to boil water before using it before:

1. drinking (including making sachet juice/drinks).
2. making ice
3. food preparation
4. brushing teeth
5. preparing infant/toddler formula.

Covid

Dannevirke has been rather badly hit by Covid over the last week.

We had nearly half of our tamariki and a small number of staff absent yesterday mostly due to household contacts.

Some of our tamariki and staff were at school during their infectious period.

The constant message is to correctly wear a mask while indoors and use good hygiene practices.

Vaccinations are also very important.

Up Coming Events

March

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
Whacky Hat Day

14 - Thursday
Last day of Term 1
(Teacher Only Day cancelled due to Covid)

May

2- Monday
First Day of Term 2
Cohort Start Day

6 - Friday
Teachers Only Day - school closed

10 - Tuesday
Board meeting 6.30pm staffroom

Ka kite ano. Kia nui te ra
Robyn Forsyth
Principal

Vaping

I received this link from another education professional and will check it out at the weekend.

Meanwhile find out some useful information at:

<https://dontgetsucked.in.co.nz/teachers-parents/>



Congratulations to the students who received class certificates for weeks 7 & 8:

- Room 1: Riley - For showing self-awareness in class and knowing that your actions and words affect others. Ka pai Riley.
Rorie - For having a great attitude and showing respect towards your peers and adults. Ka rawe!
Indi-Rose - for mature writing that uses specific language to maintain audience interest
- Room 2: Tahupotiki-Wiremu - For displaying **reliability** when given independent tasks to complete. Kai pai!
Jay LaDette-Pinfold - For THINKING about the most effective strategy to apply when subtracting decimals
Billie-Unique for displaying perseverance to solve difficult math problems.
Chase for using his initiative to carry out extra duties when his peers are unable to fulfil them.
- Room 3: Aizak - for his enthusiasm towards art activities, and his ability to follow instructions and present work of a high standard independently.
Alex - for his willingness to help others with iPad tips, and for being more disciplined when doing independent work.
Logan - for his enthusiasm for learning and willingness to share information from extensive research related to personal interests.
Tori - for being willing to learn math strategies from her peers, and for persevering to achieve independence in presenting her own thinking.
- Room 4: Jahzeiah - for showing perseverance in math to learn and apply more efficient strategies when completing tasks.
Zoe - for continually showing STRIVE in the classroom and being responsible when completing independent tasks.
Zayden - for independently completing reading tasks, following instructions and completing activities to extend comprehension knowledge.
Kadence - for using her initiative when completing challenging tasks using the new format on Google Classroom.
- Room 5: Leonidas - For settling well into the Ruma Rima whanau and always trying your best. Tino pai to mahi!
Moana - For settling well into the Ruma Rima whanau and always trying your best. Tino pai to mahi!
Oliver - For making excellent progress in learning letter sounds and segmenting and blending words. Ka pai e hoa!
- Room 7: Bryon - for making amazing gains in his knowledge of alphabet sounds.
- Room 9: Elizabeth for her enthusiastic portrait of her character during our plays.
Xavier for his creativity when making his animation with the iPads.
- Room 10: Lucas for growing confidence in attempting new work.
Maia for following instructions and completing her work.
Tuheitia for stepping up and helping the classroom programme run efficiently.
Raniera for completing all 7 stages in the Phonics Programme. Pai Rawe!
- Room 11: Tremain - For finishing his weekly tasks on time and a conscious effort to ensure they are done to a high standard.
Te Ihiko - For putting extra effort into writing. Editing sentence structure, spelling rules and punctuation carefully.
- Room 12: Nathan.Graham - For showing kindness by ensuring others feel included.
Zack - For showing compassion by helping others without hesitation.
Chloe - For her hard work with her kind teacher story!
Faith - For her hard work with her evil teacher story!
- Room 15: Quaid - for his hard work and care to write quality stories
Laylani - for her increased focus and progress in reading
Braxton - for his increased focus and concentration during reading
Matiu - for his strong work ethic and determination to try his best in all areas of learning

LUNCH
BY
LIBELLE

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KAURI WEEK

28/03 - 01/04

MONDAY

Bean & Pulled Pork Nachos

Corn chips with chilli bean, capsicum and corn salad with BBQ pulled pork, carrot and cheese and sour cream yoghurt dressing.

Dietary Alternatives:
V, VE: Chilli bean nachos. DF, VE: Vegan cheese & coconut yoghurt dressing. H, NP, SF: Bean & chicken nachos.

Snack: Cookie
+ Years 9 to 13: Seasonal Fruit

Snack Dietary Alternatives:
GF, SF: Cracker

TUESDAY

Chicken & Cheese Salad Wrap

Wholemeal wrap with chicken, cheese & mixed salad.

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

Snack: BBQ Chickpeas
+ Years 9 to 13: Seasonal Fruit

Snack Dietary Alternatives:
None

WEDNESDAY

Ham Pizza

Wholemeal mini pizza with ham & cheese, veg sticks, and corn chips with hummus.

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

Ham, Cheese & Salad Roll

Wholemeal long roll with shaved ham, cheese & spinach, with coleslaw & a corn cob.

Dietary Alternatives:
V, VE: Falafel. H, NP: Chicken. GF: GF roll. DF, VE: Vegan cheese, falafel.

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

Snack Dietary Alternatives:
EF, VE: Anzac cookie
GF: Rice cracker

FRIDAY

Cheeseburger

Wholemeal bun, beef burger patty, cheese, lettuce, tomato sauce, and mixed salad

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

Snack: Seasonal Fruit
+ Years 9 to 13: Cookie

Snack Dietary Alternatives:
GF, VE: Coconut blissballs

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

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 nut-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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NIKAU WEEK

04/04 - 08/04

MONDAY

BBQ Scroll & Roast Veg Salad

Wholemeal BBQ scroll with BBQ pulled pork or chicken, roast veg & brown rice salad.

Dietary Alternatives:
V, VE: Falafel. GF, SF: GF, SF bun. H, NP, SF: Chicken. DF, EF, VE, SF: Bread.

Snack: Cookie
+ Years 9 to 13: Seasonal Fruit

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

TUESDAY

Pizza Roll-Ups

Baked wholemeal tortilla with pizza sauce, ham, and cheese, served with coleslaw salad.

Dietary Alternatives:
V, VE: Mushroom magic mince. H, NP: Chicken. GF: GF wrap. DF, VE: Vegan cheese.

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

Snack Dietary Alternatives:
DF, VE: Trail mix

WEDNESDAY

Egg & Bacon Pasta Salad

Wholemeal pasta salad with boiled egg, bacon, cheese, veggies, and creamy ranch dressing

Dietary Alternatives:
V, VE, H, NP, EF, DF: Chickpeas. GF: GF chickpea pasta.

Snack: Wholegrain Pikelet & Apple Slices

Snack Dietary Alternatives:
DF, EF, VE: Vegan pikelet. GF, SF: Popcorn

THURSDAY

Ham & Cheese Sandwich

Wholemeal bread with ham, cheese and lettuce, potato salad & carrot sticks.

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

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

Snack Dietary Alternatives:
None

FRIDAY

Honey Soy Chicken Rice Salad Bowl

Brown rice salad with honey soy chicken, slaw, peas and sesame seeds.

Dietary Alternatives:
V, VE: Tofu. VE: Teriyaki sauce. SF: Japanese mayo.

Snack: Popcorn & Fruit

Snack Dietary Alternatives:
None

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