



Huia Range School

Term 2 Week 3 Thursday 19th May, 2022

Website: www.huiarange.school.nz

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

School Phone Numbers 027 781 2224 06 374 6444

Cross Country

The school cross country is planned for Tuesday the 31st May.

Our tamariki have begun practicing over at the A&P show grounds, when the weather allows.

To have a successful and safe event we really do need adult support. If you are able to spend a couple of hours (usually starting around 12.30) helping our tamariki please ring Suzie and give your name to her.

Please also let her know if the weather is nasty or the ground too wet and it is postponed, whether or not you can help on the postponement day,

Cycle Safety

There is considerable concern around the number of children who are riding to and from school without wearing a helmet.

The excuses include

1. I don't have a helmet
2. I don't know where my helmet is
3. My helmet doesn't fit
4. The police don't do anything about it if they see you
5. My Mum/Dad said I don't have to wear one.

I have previously worked with children that have had serious head injuries after not wearing a helmet and having an accident.

The long term effects are huge and often not able to be fully recovered from.

This is devastating for the child and totally heart-breaking for the family and friends.

Please check your child/ren before they leave home and ensure they are wearing a helmet, that it fits properly and it is done up well, under the chin.

Family Recipes

While reading the online news last night I came across an article about a lady who cooks 10 healthy meals (for 10 people each time) and freezes some of them.

She said she makes 100 meals for a total of \$262.00.

The article includes a shopping list and the 10 recipes.

Check it out or share with whanau and friends on:

<https://www.stuff.co.nz/life-style/food-drink/recipes/300559833/cost-of-living-fill-your-freezer-with-100-meals-for-about-260-a-pop>

Online Bullying

I was informed of some very nasty social media bullying on Tuesday night.

While this bullying occurred outside of school, the impact was strongly felt in the school.

I have spoken to adults and their children, that I am now aware of.

I wasn't surprised, but I was very impressed with the adults responses.

Sadly many of our children knew that the comments were extremely unacceptable, but they were not aware of the effects of this type of bullying.

If you are aware of social media bullying you can:

1. Report it to the police, especially if it is threatening,
2. Report it to NetSafe - netsafe.org.nz
3. Inform the school, so we can work with whanau/tamariki

Please supervise your tamariki and keep them safe. Netsafe have some excellent advice - check it out.

Up Coming Events

May

20 - Friday
New Entrant Visits

27 - Friday
New Entrant visits

30 Monday
Year 7/8 Mud Run

31 Tuesday
School Cross Country

June

1 - Wednesday
New Entrant visits

3 - Friday
Teachers Only Day - school closed

6 - Monday
Queen's B/Day - school closed

8 - Wednesday
Postponement School X Country

14 - Tuesday
Board meeting 6.30pm staffroom

15 - Wednesday
Interschool X country

20 - Monday
Class/Family/Individual photos

21 - Tuesday
Sport photos

22 - Wednesday
Interschool X country Postponement

24 - Friday
Matariki Day - School closed

30 - Thursday
Interschool Maths competition

Ka kite ano.
Kia nui te ra

Robyn Forsyth
Principal



Congratulations to these students who received class certificates for week 3

- Room 1: Sirhya - for working independently. Your reliability to just get in and get things done quietly is much appreciated!
Karlani - for using maturity for quietly completing her tasks with persistence & accuracy.
- Room 2: Billie-Unique for working independently. Your reliability to just get in and get things done is much appreciated.
Krain - for making more effort to work with more independence. A step towards growing in maturity.
- Room 3: Meadow → for working independently and assisting others when they struggle. You are showing amazing work ethics.
Ryan → for taking responsibility and getting your work done; you are becoming more independent!
- Room 5: Olliver - For making excellent progress with reading and for always giving your best effort - Tino pai to mahi Olliver.
- Room 7: Bryon - for constantly gaining independence and STRIVING hard to get tasks done.
- Room 9: Corban - putting in extra effort into his reading and writing.
Tyson- for his enthusiasm and positive attitude towards all learning.
- Room 10: Danika for showing 'Manaakitanga' by caring for her classmates and showing everyone respect.
Asher for demonstrating 'Whanaungatanga' by recognising when others need help or cheering up and 'stepping up' offering supportive comments.
- Room 11: Riley - Conscientiously working hard to manage her time and complete all her weekly tasks independently.
Korarangi - Working hard to be an independent and productive learner
- Room 12: Aria - For her positive attitude and hard work in reading.
Tazmyn - For her focus and determination with her map work.
- Room 15: Ryan - for STRIVING for excellence in all areas of learning and giving everything his best effort
Doven - for demonstrating greater focus in learning and listening carefully to instructions

**Nau mai, haere mai
Welcome to our new
students and whānau who
have joined or rejoined our
school this term:**

**Te Ra, Genevieve, Xavier,
Atlanta, Jacob, Legacy,
Jaxson and William**

**We hope that you enjoy your
time at Huia Range School.**

**Congratulations to these students who
have achieved the following badges.
Well done!**

Academic Gold:
Katie Jane Allison
Sariyah Pohatu

Academic Star:
Ashantae Heffernan
Eden Redward

Cultural Gold:
Oscar Bradley
Sariah Bloomfield
Ella Withey