



Huia Range School

Term 2 Week 1 Thursday 27th April, 2023

Website: www.huiarange.school.nz

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

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Term 2

Welcome back to school to our tamariki, whanau and staff for the start of term 2.

An interesting start yesterday with thunder, lightning and earthquakes!

Our tamariki handed all the challenges exceptionally well especially quickly and safely getting under desks and tables.

There are a number of illnesses around, including Covid. Please keep us inform

ANZAC DAY



Conner Harrison and Honar Sherrard-Chase laying the wreath on behalf of Huia Range School at the ANZAC Day Service on Tuesday morning at the Dannevirke Cenotaph.

Attendance

Yes! We achieved a massive improvement in individual, family and overall attendance during term1.

Well done to all our whanau, tamariki staff and Mitchell, our attendance officer, who all worked so hard on this.

17 of our tamariki achieved 100% attendance - that is all day, every day. See the list below.

A further 131 tamariki achieved 90 - 99% which is considered acceptable by the Ministry. That equates to 5 or less days absence across the term.

Sadly 2 of our tamariki only achieved between 50 and 59%, meaning they missed nearly half the term. A further 14 tamariki achieved between 60 and 69% which means they missed a total of between 3 and 4 weeks across the term. Further work and support will be undertaken with the whanau of these tamariki.

There is a slight difference in attendance between boys and girls, with boys being higher.

The best year groups were year 5 closely followed by year 8.

The highest classroom was Room 15 with an average of 95% attendance!

Congratulations to the 14 tamariki with perfect attendance:

Hazel Redward, Lachy Cottrell, Cole Norriss, Summer Ferguson, Bryon Smith, Ryan Kyle-Warner, Rylan Falconer, Max Baker, Max Wyeth-Garnett, Tialah Erskine, Eli Hewitt, Sapphire Duncan, Tasha Te Kuru-Hanara, Iris Emms, Atlanta Norriss, Maddison Ferrick and Ollie Leske.

Up Coming Events

May

15 Monday - 19 May
Road Safety Week

16 - Tuesday
Board Meeting - Staffroom 6.30pm

29 - Monday
New Entrant Cohort entry

31 - Wednesday
School Cross Country

June

5 - Monday
King's Birthday - School Closed

7 - Wednesday
School XCountry Postponement

9 - Friday
Evening disco

14 - Wednesday
Interschool Cross Country

19 - Monday
Photos - class, individual, siblings

20 - Tuesday
Photos - teams

21 - Wednesday
Interschool Cross Country Postpone

22 - Thursday
Interschool Speech Competition

28 - Wednesday
STRIVE Day

30 - Friday
Final day of term 2

Kia nui te ra
Ka kite ano.

Robyn Forsyth
Principal

