



# Huia Range School

Term 3 Week 4 Thursday 10th August, 2023

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

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## 7 Aside

Thank you to the whanau and staff who organised and attended this sports event in Pahiatua last Thursday.

Our eight teams enjoyed themselves, supported each other and showed positive sportsmanship throughout the day.

Congratulations to the following teams for their second placings in Year 7/8 football, Year 5/6 netball and Year 7/8 netball.

## Teachers Only Day

The next planned Teacher Only Day involving most of the Dannevirke schools is next term on Monday the 13th of November.

While this is still some time away we appreciate that many parents will need to organise support to look after their tamariki because the school is closed for the day.

The staff of our schools will be meeting and working together for the day.

This day is to support understanding of the significant changes in curriculum and assessment.

## Kapa Haka

Our school has accepted the offer at this event, to run a sausage sizzle, between about 10.00am and 1.30pm, as a fund raiser for next year's year 8 camp.

If you have a year 7 tamariki and can help with this fundraiser, even for part of the time please ring Suzie and give her your name.

## Fundraiser

At lunch on the kapa haka festival day (Thursday 14th September) our school will have the BBQ trailer outside the town hall.

The aim is to have sausages and burgers for sale from about 10.00am through to 1.30pm.

All money raised will go towards next year's year 8 camp at El Rancho.

We have a current year 7 parent organising the food and she would appreciate support to help cook, etc on the day from other year 7 parents.

If you are a year 7 parent and can help for all or part of the time, please let Suzie, in our school office, know on 06 374 6444 or 027 781 2224.

## DHS Enrolments

Dannevirke High School staff will be on site at Huia Range School in 2 weeks time, on Thursday 24th August, to enrol students who will be in year 9 next year.

Every Year 8 student will get information about these enrolments with this newsletter.

If your tamariki is attending DHS next year please ensure that you read the information and request an appointment time.

If you are unable to attend on the 24th, please ring the High School to make alternative arrangements to enrol your tamariki.

If your tamariki is not attending DHS next year, please let Suzie know so we can ensure their transition to their secondary school goes smoothly and the school gets the information they need to best support your tamariki as they move into a new phase of their education.

## Up Coming Events

### August

17 - Thursday  
Year 4- 8 Swim to Survive

21 - Monday  
Cohort entry

24 - Thursday  
DHS Enrolments Year 9 2024

25 - Friday  
Daffodil day

### September

5 - Tuesday  
Special Performance - school paid  
Board Meeting 6.30pm Staff Room

7 - Thursday  
Interschool Aerobics

11 - Monday  
Parent Showcase

12 - Tuesday  
Parent Showcase

14 - Thursday  
Kapa Haka Festival - Town hall

15 - Friday  
Wheel's Day

20 - Wednesday  
Literacy Quiz - Tararua Libraries

22 - Friday  
Final Day of term 3

Kia nui te ra. Ka kite ano.

Robyn Forsyth  
Principal

## Winning House

Week 3

Maia



## **Congratulations to the students who received class certificates this week:**

**Room 2: Zack-** for playing with determination and leading by example the senior rugby team at the 7 a- side tournament.

**Aizak-** for playing with determination and leading by example the senior football team at the 7 aside tournament.

**Room 3: Harlem-** for putting in effort and collaborating with a buddy when completing their statistical investigation and creating double bar graphs to show the data.

**Patrick-** for putting in effort and collaborating with a buddy when completing their statistical investigation and creating double bar graphs to show the data.

**Room 4: Nicole-** for stepping up when needed with no questions asked. Great leadership skills.

**Katie-** for being a focused and motivated learner! Fantastic work.

**Room 6: Ava-** for listening carefully to feedback and using it to improve her writing. Ka pai to mahi!

**Room 8: Braxton-** for demonstrating thoughtfulness by always having something nice to say to everyone in ruma 8. He ngaakau atawhai toou (You have a kind heart).

**Brady-** for demonstrating 'Rangatiratanga' by creating a great piece of procedural writing.

**Room 9: Jayla-** for focus and enthusiasm towards your maths. You are showing growth in your use of different strategies when problem solving. Tino pai to mahi.

**Benji-** for working on developing your leadership skills and becoming a role model in ruma 9. Ka pai Benji, keep reaching for the stars!

**Room 11: Aiden-** for using perseverance, listening to feedback and working hard to improve his writing.

**Aria-** for putting more effort into her work and beginning to complete tasks on time.

**Room 12: Raakau-** for creating an excellent presentation on an unusual creature living in our world. Ka pai to mahi!

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**Room 15: Cole -** for sharing his knowledge about dinosaurs and working hard in all areas of learning.

**Isla-** for her increasing confidence to ask questions when she is unsure and sharing her ideas.

**Congratulations to these students who have been awarded the following badges:**

Stella-Jane - Academic Gold Amelia and Maddison - Sports Gold



Jayden -  
Honours Badge & Service Gold

Ella & Chase  
Honours Badge



Well done to these students who won prizes in the Matariki colouring Competition  
Bella & Lachy 0-5 years group Vincent (absent) & Tialah 10-12years group



Check out our 7-Aside action.

