

Huia Range School

Term 4 Week 4 Thursday 2nd November, 2023

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

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Junior Swimming

The final 3 swimming days for Rooms 5/6/15 and year 3s from Rooms 8 and 9 are happening tomorrow, Monday and next Friday.

Thank you to the parents that are ensuring their tamariki have their swimming gear to make the most of the opportunity for them to learn to swim and be safe in and near water.

Thank you also to Suzie who contacts parents to ask them to deliver the swimming gear when their tamariki forget theirs.

Gumboot Day

Tomorrow is gumboot Day!

Tamariki are expected in school uniform but may wear gumboots to support free kid's counselling in New Zealand.

A gold coin donation please

Junior Athletics

Our 5, 6 and 7 year olds will be competing in the junior school athletics, at school, next Tuesday the 7th of November.

They will be starting at 9.15am and will compete in running, jumping and throwing events.

Sun hats are required.

Our senior tamariki that are working on their leadership goals will be supporting the teachers and teacher aides to run the events.

Whanau are very welcome at school to support this event.

School Athletics

The school athletics day yesterday managed to avoid the rain but it did prove to be a very hot day.

Results are being checked before being announced and it is hoped to have certificates available for Monday afternoon's 2.00pm school assembly.

Photos will be posted on the Huia Range Facebook page later this week.

Thank you to the adult helpers and supporters who were at the Domain yesterday.

A special thank you also to the staff who organised and ran the day.

Interschool Athletics

Once the teachers have checked the final results, tamariki who meet the required times, heights and distances will be invited to attend the interschool events that they have qualified for.

Information will be sent home to parents next week.

Huia Range School runs this event with support from our local schools.

Adult help is needed for this event. If you can help please ring or text Suzie and leave your name to help make this day successful for the tamariki from all our local schools.

Teacher Only Day

Monday the 13th of November is a Teacher Only Day at Huia Range and most of the Dannevirke Schools.

All of the teachers will be working on the curriculum refresh, particularly the big ideas behind the learning by our tamariki. School will be closed.

Up Coming Events

November

2 - Thursday New Entrant visits

3 - Friday Gumboot Day Swimming - Rooms 5/6/15 and year 3s from Rooms 8 and 9

6 - Monday Swimming - Rooms 5/6/15 and year 3s from Rooms 8 and 9

7 - Tuesday Junior School Athletics

9 - Thursday New Entrant visits

10 - Friday Swimming - Rooms 5/6/15 and year 3s from Rooms 8 and 9

11 - Saturday Armistice Day

13 - Monday Teacher Only Day - school closed

14 - Tuesday
Board meeting - 6.30pm in the school staffroom

15 - Wednesday Interschool athletics 8 + year olds

17 - Friday Leadership Day with Manawatu Sport

Kia nui te ra. Ka kite ano.

Robyn Forsyth Principal Please return all school trophies

Winning House
Week 3

Kaitiaki



Congratulations to the students who received class certificates this week:

- Room 2: **Mathias** for his willingness to step up and consistently lead all things tikanga Maori. **Jayden** for demonstrating more independence in everything we have done in 2023.
- Room 3: **Kath** for putting in effort in all her work and delivering quality work. **Sydnee** for showing grit when completing set tasks and delivering quality work.
- Room 5: Rangimaria for being a focused learner and always giving your best in every task. Ka mau te wehi!

 Rania for being an attentive and focused learner in all curriculum areas.
- Room 6: **Hoani** for great determination and focus during the completion of his PATs. You did great! **Te Kura** for working exceptionally hard and doing amazing in his STAR assessment. Ka pai to mahi!
- Room 8: Ryan for moving ahead in maths. You are using strategies to push you up to the next 'NUMPA' stage. Rehe ake nei! (You are) fantastic!

 Rylan for your fantastic curiosity for learning. We love your facts about Sharks and Labour Day. Ka mau te wehi! You are extraordinary!
- Room 10: **Tialah** for working hard and persisting with all tasks. Keep up the positive attitude, Ka pai tō mahi! **Lucas** for showing creativity in writing and sharing ideas with others in the class, Ka mau te wehi!
- Room 11: **Haile** for setting learning goals and making consistent steady progress. **Fergus** for listening and responding positively to feedback in learning, then working hard to apply it.
- Room 12: Honar for writing a detailed character description including language features. Ka rawe!

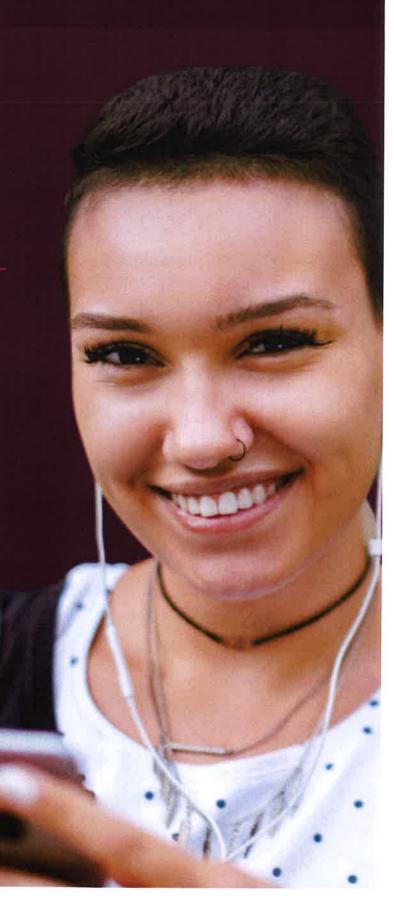
 Taranaki for creating an interesting and clever advertisement to sell a ginger bread house. Ka pai tō mahi!
- Room 15: **Richie** for using his basic facts knowledge to solve addition problems. **Bella** for putting 100% effort into learning in the classroom and homework tasks. Keep it up!



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