



Huia Range School

Term 2 Week 3 Thursday 15th May 2025

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HRS 20th Birthday

On the 6th June we are acknowledging Huia Range School's 20th birthday on our current site.

There are a couple of activities planned including an Ice Cream truck visiting and a free 'birthday' themed mufti day. More information to come in following newsletters.

Homework Club

A reminder that our 'Homework Club' is up and running by Year 8's.

Homework Club operates on Wednesdays & Fridays from 8.35am – 8.55am in Room 8.

This is a chance for students to complete class or newsletter homework, reading, spelling practice, and any other homework related tasks.

Rippa Tournament

Can any outstanding Rippa permission slips for the Rippa tournament being held on Friday 23rd May 2025 please come in as soon as possible.

Rippa team students will be leaving school at 9am on Friday 23rd May and are expected back by 2.30pm

Cancellations will be on the Huia Range School Facebook page from 7.30am.

Manu Tukutuku Kite Day

On the 18th June students will be taking part in manu tukutuku/kite flying over at the show grounds.

Students can start getting creative at home and making one to bring (or purchase a cheap one and personalise). Please don't spend a lot on this if you do choose to buy one.

Teachers will also give students the opportunity to make manu tukutuku/kites at school.

Civil Defence Radio

We have been chosen to have a Tararua Council Civil Defence Radio installed at school.

This is a great communication tool should phone communication lines go down in an adverse weather event etc.

Thank you to Tararua District Council for coming in and installing the radio for us.

Every Wednesday, Huia Range senior students will partake in a radio 'check in' with other schools and students and the council.



Up Coming Events

May 2025

- 16 – Pink T Shirt Day
- 16 – School Disco
- 20 – BOT meeting
- 21 – School Cross Country PP
- 23 – Rippa Tournament
- 26 – 30 Life Education Trust
- 29 – Interschool Cross Country

June 2025

- 2 – King's Birthday (school closed)
- 3 - School Photos
- 4 – School Photos
- 5 - Interschool Cross Country PP
- 6 – HRS 20th Birthday
- 9 – 13 June Zero Waste
- 10 - BOT meeting
- 11 – School Speeches
- 17 – Interschool School Speeches
- 18 – Manu Tukutuku Kites
- 19 – MOE Curriculum staff only day (school closed)
- 20 – Matariki (school closed)
- 24 – Mud Run
- 26 – Circus Challenge
- 27 – STRIVE day

August 2025

- 11 – MOE Curriculum staff only day (school closed)

Ka kite ano. Kia nui te ra

Lindsey Randall
Tumuaki/Principal

Congratulations to this week's
winning house
Maia

Congratulations to the students who received class certificates this week

Room 2:

Phelix - for consistently displaying our STRIVE values.

Jacob - for demonstrating increased maturity and focus with his work.

Room 3:

Kadence - for consistently exemplifying our STRIVE values

Johnny - for demonstrating increased maturity and displaying perseverance.

Room 4:

Maia - for completing set tasks on time and responding positively to feedback to improve her learning.

Amelia - for consistently displaying our STRIVE values.

Room 5:

Ky-mani - For showing persistence and care in handwriting. Tino pai to mahi.

Isabelle - For displaying leadership and a determination to succeed at cross country practise. He whetū koe!

Room 6:

Hazel - For always displaying our STRIVE values. Ka Pai

Richie - For consistently trying hard at math and achieving a high standard of work. Ka Pai

Room 7:

Karly - For stepping up and offering to help in the classroom when she sees a need. He Rangatira koe – you are showing initiative!

Dallas - For demonstrating Kaitiakitanga by challenging himself to be the best he can be in writing, including thinking of

super ideas, using correct punctuation and presenting his work neatly.

Room 9:

Konner - For collaborative work during the House of Brick's vehicle challenge. Assessing and modifying a design to achieve the greatest distance. Tino pai to mahi Konner.

Te Ata Rangi - For persevering in the House of Brick's mosaic challenge and creating a wonderful symmetrical design. Ka pai Te Ata Rangi.

Room 11:

Rhythm - For your hard work on your introduction of your persuasive writing. Ka pai!

Travis - For showing resilience and creativity during the House of Bricks especially during the car design activity. Ka pai!

Room 12:

Korbyn - For working hard to engage in his learning and make great choices of who to work with. Tino pai!

Room 15:

Violet - For showing grit and perseverance to run the fitness track with a smile on your face. Ka pai, Violet!

Nikau - For working hard to form letters and writing his name with accuracy. Tino pai, Nikau!

Learning Hub:

Haylo - For using recently acquired knowledge of fractions to identify and represent more advanced fractions through shading and labelling techniques.

Tialah - For utilizing acquired knowledge of fractions to label and illustrate more intricate fractions.

Keep STRIVING for Excellence!

Friday 16th March Disco and Pink Shirt Day

A green rectangular graphic with a Hawaiian theme. It features two pineapples wearing red sunglasses, two acoustic guitars, and several large red hibiscus flowers. The text is centered and reads: "DISCO HAWAIIAN THEME", "ALL CHILDREN MUST BE PICKED UP BY AN ADULT", "Friday 16th May", "Year 0-3 5:30 - 6:30pm", "Year 4-8 6:30 - 7:30pm", "Gold coin entry", "Sausages, lollies, drinks and glow sticks available to purchase", "HUIA RANGE", and "CHILDREN ONLY".

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PINK OUT DAY

Friday 16th of May

Prizes for best dressed

Dress up in full pink

No face paint or hair dye

To support anti bullying

By Faith Sharni and Kahli

Every Year the Huia Range hold a Pink Ribbon morning tea for the staff to support The Breast Cancer Foundation. If you would like to donate towards this cause, please follow the link.

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breast cancer education,
patient support, research,
and advocacy**



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