

I had the pleasure of spending a few days with Kikorangi Class in Arthur's Pass as part of the Exploring Community camp last week (pictured below). I was horrified to realise that the last time I was in the area was before the viaduct was built and I had forgotten what a spectacular wee place it is. What a great setting for any school camp with such a range of environments and experiences so close at hand. The weather can certainly be very unforgiving and the harshness of the environment was no more evident than on arrival, with torrential horizontal rain greeting us. This certainly did not deter the students and before long we were out in the rain on a short walk on the West Coast of the Pass, testing out survival shelters, eating from the bubble gum tree (pepper tree) and seeing the students gullibly decorating ourselves in umpa lumpa paint. The three days in the Pass were very worthwhile and I'm sure the students will especially remember their close encounters with kea, in particular our resident friend, although the sports gear was a little worse for wear. Kowhai Class are on their camp this week and the reports back from Karaka Class last week were also very positive. The Arthur's Pass Outdoor Education Trust and their competent instructor, Logan, are doing a great job and it was great to have the opportunity to be part of the camp. This week I have sneaked off to Melbourne alongside the majority of the Canterbury secondary principals. The major focus of the trip is to visit a number of Melbourne schools and look at what they are doing to improve learning opportunities for students and raise educational achievement. We will also be visiting Melbourne University and in particular meeting with John Hattie who's research on the effect size of educational initiatives is widely documented and respected, and I have written about in previous articles. Although I am realistic about the degree of change this will have in our own school, it is great to have the opportunity and time to look at the broader picture and look outside of what is happening in our smaller Area School. If there is one inspirational gem I can bring back to Hurunui

College, I will be happy. I hope to update you all on my trip in next week's newsletter.

I hope some took the opportunity to attend the drug workshop organised in conjunction with the District Council, local employers and the Lions Club. We also had a smaller presentation for Year 9-13 students at the school with Terry Falloon of Rangiora CIB and Reon Noland. The focus of this was to highlight for the students the long term consequences of substance abuse. I hope the students were able to get something out of this.

I hope everybody has had the opportunity to see the Z Energy advert 'Good in the Hood' promotion that has chosen our Nina Valley Kiwi Watch project as a potential recipient of some of these funds. If you are fuelling up in Amberley please look to support our project.

I would like to lastly thank all families for supporting the teacher's Paid Union Meeting last week. It was very much appreciated.

Nāku noa, nā

Stephen Beck
 Tumuaki - Principal



Week ending 12th May 2017, sponsored by:

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SCHOOL NOTICES

RISE AWARDS Congratulations to the people who have received RISE awards last week for demonstrating our school values. The following people have had their names drawn to receive a principal's reward; see Mr Beck.

- **Year 0-7 Flynn Ginders and Blake Earl** for excellent reading work.

Winter Uniform A reminder to all families that Term Two marks the shift into winter uniform. Any questions, please contact the office. This is also a good time to reinforce other uniform expectations, especially around jewellery, facial hair and makeup.

School Photos School photos are scheduled for Monday 22nd May. More information will come out to families closer to the date.

Teacher Only Day Hurunui College has scheduled a Teacher Only Day on **Tuesday 6th June**. This is the day following Queen's Birthday weekend. The school will be closed on this day.

COMING EVENTS

Week 2

12 May Primary Assembly, Kowhai Class returns from camp

Week 3

16 May Student Council Meeting

18 May Whanau Hui, 6pm, Hurunui College, Staff Room. All welcome.

20 May NCEA Concert

Week 4

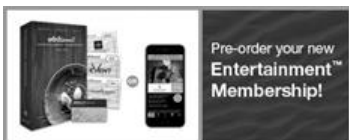
22 May School Photos

24 May Hurunui College Cross Country

26 May Primary Assembly

27 May Rockquest Canterbury, Heats

Check our website at www.hurunuicollege.school.nz and follow the link to our school calendar for further school events.



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SPORTS UPDATE

Senior Basketball Draw for this Friday 12th May is as follows:

- Senior Year 9-10 mixed team vs RAHS Gold at RAHS 3 at 5pm (Rangiora High School) - please note change in time from draw.
- Senior Boys vs CHCO Snr White at CHCO at 6pm (Christ's College)
- Senior Girls vs HLMT Yr 13 at HLMT at 6pm (Hillmorton High School)

Good luck for the competition and don't forget your mouth guards which are now compulsory.

Cross Country Our whole school cross country will be held Wednesday 24th May. If we could all be aware of children running up Allandale Road and Horsley Down Road, please take extra care on this day.

Area Schools Trials The trials for the Top of the South team were held on Sunday and Monday in Murchison. Congratulations to all the students who trialled. Well done to Krista, Blair W, Blair N, Fletcher, Flynn, Jackson, Henry, and Jake for all making a team to head to Nationals. Nationals will be held in Whangarei during the July holidays. Thank you to Mr Ferguson and Mr Beck for travelling with the team.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

CHURCH SERVICES SUNDAY 14TH MAY 2017

Anglican 10.00am Church of the Ascension, Waikari

Catholic 10.00am Hawarden

Living Waters 10.30am - 12 noon at 47 Princes Street, Waikari

DAVID JOHN MCLEAN We wish to express our sincere thanks and gratitude for all your expressions of love during our time of bereavement. May you all be blessed abundantly.

The McLaren family, Susanne, Christina and Chris.

HURUNUI LIVING WATERS invites you to come join us for a special service honouring Mothers on Sunday 14th May, 10.30am. All welcome, bring a Mother with you. Shared lunch to follow.

Phone Dennis 314 4399 or Isaiah 261 5114.

WHANAU MEETING A hui (meeting) for parents and students of Maori students will be held in the Hurunui College staffroom on Thursday 18th May at 6pm. If you would like to attend please bring a plate of kai (food) to share. We will be discussing anything that parents and students would like to see happening at Hurunui College during the year with goals to set for the future. A meeting last term saw a very low turnout and when this happens it is difficult to initiate ideas and organise events. We need your input and help. Hope to see as many of you there as possible.

Naku noa, na Sonia Talivai

(Teacher of Te Reo me ona Tikanga Maori at Hurunui College)

HAWARDEN BOWLING CLUB AGM The AGM of the Hawarden Bowling Club will be held in the Clubrooms on Thursday 25th May at 5.30pm. All current members and prospective members are asked to attend.

Doc Sidey, Club Secretary.

HAWARDEN HALL At the end of May the water is turned off at the carpark so ensure it is turned on when using the Hall. All enquires for the Rugby Room hire, kitchen hire please contact Mairi and Hamish phone 314 4317. For hall hire and domain use the same number.

Thanks, Mairi.

HAWARDEN WAIKARI COMMUNITY TRUST The current Trustees are inviting expressions of interest from members of our Community, to be nominated as a trustee. Please place your expression, in writing to our Returning Officer, Pat Manning, PO Box, Hawarden by May 22nd 2017.

HAWARDEN A&P GREENFEED COMPETITION

Tuesday 16th May

The time has come around again for the annual Green Feed competition to be held. Would be great to see lots of entries. If you would like to enter a crop please contact Hayden Churchward 027 310 9518 or James Marsh 027 351 7177. We will be leaving the Hawarden Tavern at 8am on Tuesday 16th May, all welcome to come and join/follow for the day. Prize-giving will be at the Hawarden Tavern that night at 6.30pm. The Tavern has specially opened for the night so come on down for the prize-giving to support it.

HAWARDEN GYM is now up and running, with membership options and a personal trainer on site 3 days a week, as well as group sessions. Check out the 'Hawarden Community Gym' page on facebook for more details or email nita@1neatpt.co.nz.

THE WAIKARI HALL has had a make over in the kitchen!! With two brand new ovens and a sterilizer, and cabinetry work superbly completed by Gav's Joinery. The Waikari Hall has a diverse range of rooms ideal for meetings, work shops, seminars and many other gatherings. For further inquiries and to book the hall please contact Mel Ruck 0274 339 013 or 314 4304.

ADVERTISING

HURUNUI RUGBY DRAW Saturday 13th May

Div 2	14:45	Ashley	vs. Hurunui Blue	Lob Lwr 1
Pickering Shield Challenge Match				
	14:45	Hurunui Black	vs. BYE	
U14½	13:00	Oxford-Saracens	vs. Amberley-Hurunui	Sbk 2
U13		Hurunui	BYE	
U11½	10:30	Ashley Green	vs. Hurunui Black	Lob Lwr 1
	10:30	Saracens Blue	vs. Hurunui Blue	Sbk 2
U10	11:05	Ashley Green	vs. Hurunui	Lob Jnr 6
U9	12:10	Ashley Green	vs. Hurunui	Lob Jnr 6
U8	10:00	Ashley Green	vs. Hurunui Black	Lob Jnr 6
	11:05	Ohoka Black	vs. Hurunui Blue	Mand Jnr 4
U7	10:50	Ashley Green	vs. Hurunui	Lob 4A
U6	10:00	Amberley	vs. Hurunui Blue	Amb 2A
	10:00	Ashley Green	vs. Hurunui Black	Lob 4A

HAWARDEN NETBALL DRAW, SATURDAY 13TH MAY

9.30am	Hawarden A	vs Hanmer B	Court 2
10.30am	Hawarden PB	vs Waiau PC	Court 2
11.00am	Hawarden Red FF5	vs Culv Black FF5	Court 3
11.45am	Hawarden Blue FF5	vs Culv Red FF5	Court 3
1.30pm	Hawarden B	vs Waiau B	Court 1
2.30pm	Hawarden PA	vs Waiau PB	Court 2

WAIKARI BOWLING CLUB AGM The AGM will be held in the clubrooms, Sunday 28th May, 1pm. All members and interested members are invited to attend. **Coaching Day** organised at Rangiora, 25th June and 30th July. Open to anyone who wants to attend. Contact Bruce Lilley, phone 314 4070. Bowls, the game for all ages. Have a good season.

SOCIAL BADMINTON Started Wednesday 10th May in Hurunui College Gym at 7:30pm. All gear supplied. For ages 11 to 111. Ph Steve 314 2002.

HAWARDEN YOUTH GROUP Term 2 dates:
12th May, 26th May, 9th June, 23rd June, 7th July
7 year olds and up, held at the school gym, 7:00 - 8:30pm
No cost. Phone Malcolm or Kerry 314 4552

HOT CHOC FOR TEENS Term 2 started - 8th May. For Year 9 and up. Held at the Hawarden Hall every Monday after school. Finishes 4:15pm. Come and enjoy a yummy afternoon tea and time to chat with your friends. No cost. Phone Kerry 314 4552 for more info.

HAWARDEN TAVERN - LICENSING TRUST - UPDATE

Further to the recently held public meeting on the future of the Hawarden Tavern the Trustees wish to bring members of the local community up to date with what is proposed. The Tavern and house at 4 Gladstone Street are being put up for sale by auction. This will be offered as a going concern and will include, fittings, fixtures and chattels in the tavern. The auction will be handled by Bayleys Real Estate who are experienced in the sale of buildings and businesses in the hospitality industry. Hawarden Licensing Trust auction will be held on Friday 9th June and will be in Christchurch at the Bayleys office, at 3 Deans Avenue. There is plenty of car-parking in front or behind the building. The auction commences at 1pm and anyone interested or requires any further information should contact Kate Mullins of Bayleys on 027 248 8456 or by email kate.mullins@bayleys.co.nz. The Trustees would like to thank all those who attended the public meeting and for all the comments and ideas that were brought up at that meeting.

The Trustees, Hawarden Licensing Trust

NEW HOURS HAWARDEN TAVERN Closed Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday. Open from 4pm Thursday, and 2pm Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Takeaway food is available when Tavern is open. Phone 03 314 2506.

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT THE HURUNUI VILLAGE IN MAY & JUNE? Mothers' Day Treat- Sunday 14th May

Groups of over 6, means Mum eats for FREE
Carvery Special, \$25 per person. Children under 12yrs \$12pp
Must pre-book by calling 03 314 4162
Lunch served between 12-2pm. Dinner served between 5-8pm
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Whiskey Night - Wednesday 14th June at 6:30pm

Please phone 03 314 4162 to book
Tickets are \$30pp which includes 5x tastings of Scottish Whiskey & Haggis tasting. Blacksmiths Menu available plus a Chef's Special to order from on the night. Courtesy Car available

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Please look on the website www.waikarihealth.co.nz for the month's roster of who is on duty. Generally Dr Sword is here every week day except Monday when Dr Racle is on duty.

After Hours There is always a doctor or rural nurse specialist on call - please phone the Health Centre on the number below during normal business hours and after hours and you will be directed to the appropriate assistance. The After Hours calls are managed by HML (Homecare Medical Ltd) who will assess your needs and advise your best course of action. The on call clinician is able to access patient records, if required, to improve patient safety.

NEWS FLASH - SAVE THE DATE - Friday 26th May. **'Blokcs, Burgers and Bevies'** at Waikari Hall, 6pm - a pre-winter Blokcs Night of social gathering and entertainment with Billy Connolly plus Richard Harris as guest speaker. Round up some of your mates or grab a neighbour and come along. Lots of prizes and giveaways. Sumptuous Burgers and drinks provided in the ticket price. \$5 Tickets are available at Arthur Burkes Waikari, Pams Café and Gifts, Waikari Auto, Waikari Vet Clinic, Waikari Health Centre, Hawarden Four Square and Hawarden Golf Club.

Equipment Amnesty We are missing some crutches. If you have these items please return as soon as possible.

Free for Under 13 years for ACC and Medical visits for enrolled patients.

Flu Vaccine This is now available and is free for; pregnant women, people with certain chronic conditions and for people 65 years and over. Also for children under 18 who are registered at a Hurunui Practice (earthquake recovery) Please make an appointment with the nurse.

Shingles Vaccine (Zostavax) is available for people over the age of 50. It costs \$200 and can be ordered in on request, please phone the nurse if you are interested in more information about this.

Physiotherapy Ben Cameron of Physio South is at the Health Centre on Tuesday and Friday mornings. A doctor's referral is not required. Ph 03 3374832 to make an appointment at Waikari.

Waikari Health Centre Ph 03 3144 506.

In an emergency dial 111.

Website www.waikarihealth.co.nz



HEY KIDS,
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KIDS GARAGE SALE

When: Sunday 21 May (ppd 4 June)

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