

The Education Act Update 2017 initial roll out came into law from last week. To many in the community the updates will hold little or no interest, but there are a couple of amendments that Hurunui College and the community will need to consider carefully. A key amendment is the provisioning of cohort entry. This would enable new entrants to start school as part of a cohort at the beginning of the term closest to their fifth birthday rather than on their fifth birthday as is the current practice. This would mean that the school would have four intakes during the year, rather than the current practice of rolling new entrant enrolments. The consequences of this are that some students would be able to start school while they are still four years of age and some would need to wait until the start of the following term and after their fifth birthday. Certainly, for the practicality of the school having four entry points during the year has a number of positives, including being able to better manage the orientation process for new students and the roll growth in the classroom during the year. The Board of Trustees will look at the implications of this at our next board meeting and will need to undertake a degree of community consultation before making any final decision.

It was wonderful to get the school cross country underway yesterday and see the varying range of participation within the event. This is not dissimilar to any organised event with those participating doing so at the level of competitiveness that suits them. To just finish the event is to do significantly better than those who opted to not compete at all. The idea of competition and it's place in junior sports is certainly a talking point at the moment and it is often debated about where the balance sits between participation and competition. If we shift the focus too high towards competition we do see a drop off in participation. If we shift the focus too far away from competition we do see apathy and possible disengagement. I think in many of the school-wide events we try and maintain a balance between the two, by allowing the more competitive to excel and carry on to higher honours while also

allowing others to participate with a stronger focus on fun and enjoyment. In our communities, we are seeing more and more organised events such as mud runs and triathlons that are becoming increasingly popular. The key to these events are people challenging themselves to do their best and being able to do this alongside a large group of like-minded people from all walks of life. Just like the cross country, it is about doing your best and if through this you become the best, all the best to you.

Congratulations to Henry Earl for again taking out the overall first place in the event this year, Miriam Clark as the first female, for both another sterling effort, and to Blair Wilkins for a close second overall. Thank you to all the parents who came along to support the event yesterday; it was a great turn out. Also thank you to Brendon Ferguson, Jenny Keeble and all the staff who organised and assisted on the day. Further results will be printed next week.

Lastly, good luck to our Year 7 and 8 debaters who are both versing Swannanoa today. Let's hope they can continue on their winning way.

Nāku noa, nā

Stephen Beck
 Tumuaki - Principal



Some of the Year 13s, ready to climb the Power's hill for the last time, before the start of Cross Country.



Week ending 26th May 2017, sponsored by:
Waikari Bowling Club
AGM Sunday 28th May

SCHOOL NOTICES

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

Year 0-7 *Brooke McLean*, for integrity at Cross Country training.

Year 8-13 *Sakoya Johnstone*, for a fine start to a major writing task.

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 4

26 May Primary Assembly

Week 5

31 May HPSSA Cross Country

Week 6

5 Jun Queen's Birthday, school closed

6 Jun Teacher Only Day, school closed

Week 7

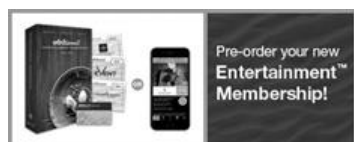
12 Jun Board of Trustees Meeting

15 Jun Senior Year 11-13 Progress Evening

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

German School Volunteers We will be welcoming two new volunteers to the school early in Term 3. What we are hoping to do again, is to initially billet these two volunteers within our community. It is hoped that this will allow them to better adjust to life in New Zealand and provide them with additional support and socialisation before they move into the school hostel. The period of billeting we are asking for is up to four weeks and this could be shared over a number of families. If you are interested and would like to help, please phone the school office or email me, jt@hurunuicollege.school.nz

Parents/Caregivers: Phone Tree Updates Please note updated school telephone trees have been given to students whose families are affected. Not everyone will receive one. Check your child's bag!



ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS

Order now for June by going to www.entbook.co.nz/914c079

All proceeds go to the Hurunui College PTA. Entertainment

books have arrived at school. If you have already ordered one, please arrange pick up from Mr Thompson. Orders can still be placed online.

Hurunui Primary Schools Cross Country

Wednesday 31st May (ppd Thursday 1st June) at Barton's property, 931 Waikari Valley Road. Teams of up to 4 will be selected following our own school cross country for Year 4-8 children. Only children from Year 5 up are eligible for Canterbury Primary Cross Country on 21st June at Halswell Quarry.

Basketball

Draw for this Friday 26th May is as follows:

Year 9-10 mixed team	vs KAIA Yr 9 Blue	KAIA	5pm
Senior Boys	vs CBHS White	CBHS	6pm
Senior Girls	vs RRGs Open Blue	RRGS	6pm

Results from last week as follows:

Year 9-10 mixed team	lost 16-26
Senior Boys	defaulted
Senior Girls	won 52-12

CCHS Indoor Tournament We will be sending a group of Year 9 and 10 students to Christchurch on Friday 2nd June for this annual tournament. Sports played are basketball, badminton, volleyball and possibly table tennis. We play at Badminton Hall, Pages Rd (next to Cowles Stadium), also at Cowles Stadium and Celebration Centre. If any parents are able to help out with transport it would be appreciated as we haven't got enough students travelling to take buses. We leave Hurunui College at 8.45am and return in time for the school buses at the end of day (3pm). Please contact the school office on 03 314 4430 if you can help with transport. Many thanks.

Fundraising Quiz Night

Friday 23rd June, 7.30pm onwards, at the Hawarden Rugby Rooms. Enter a team and support the students travelling to the NZ Area Schools' Sports Tournament in Whangarei, as part of the Top of the South team.

Entry fee of \$40 per team of 4.

Call the school office to enter, phone 314 4430.

PTA Disco Year 0-7
June 16th 6- 8 pm
Hurunui College Gym
\$2.00 entry
Spot prizes.



COMMUNITY NOTICES

CHURCH SERVICES SUNDAY 28TH MAY 2017

Anglican	10.00am St James, Hawarden
Catholic	10.00am Culverden
Presbyterian	10.00am St James, Hawarden
Living Waters	10.30am - 12 noon at 47 Princes Street, Waikari

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.

SOCIAL BADMINTON Wednesday evenings in Hurunui College Gym at 7:30pm. All gear supplied. For ages 11 to 111. Phone Steve 314 2002.

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.

FROM THE WARD COMMITTEE It is very disappointing to have reported that someone drove through the locked gate at the entrance of the Waikari Village Green. This was installed in February at a cost to our community as an enhancement to the attractive village green. This act of deliberate vandalism is disappointing.

Cr Marie Black

SENIOR TRIP TO HANMER Friday 9th June. Open to everyone in the community over the age of 60. Leaving 9.30am, car pooling from Hawarden Hall. Hot pools, walking, shopping at your own leisure. Shared café lunch at Mumbles. Return to Hawarden, approx. 2pm. No Senior Exercise in Hall this day. Optional exercise session at Hot Pools instead. Queries phone Sarah Sidey 314 2008.

UNITED RUGBY CLUB DAY AT HAWARDEN

Saturday 17th June. Come along and support our local players.

HURUNUI RUGBY DRAW Saturday 27th May

Div 2	14:45	Hurunui Blue	vs	Glen - Cheviot	Cul 1
	13:00	Kaiapoi	vs	Hurunui Black	Kai Oval
U18	13:00	Darfield	vs	Hurunui	Darfield 2
U14½		Amberley-Hurunui		BYE	
U13	11:45	Saracens-Wood	vs	Hurunui	Sbk 2
U11½	10:30	Ohoka Red	vs	Hurunui Blue	Mand 1
	10:30	Saracens Red	vs	Hurunui Black	Sbk 1
U10	12:10	Saracens Red	vs	Hurunui	Sbk Jnr 7
U9	10:00	Kaiapoi Gold	vs	Hurunui	Kai Jnr 3
U8	11:05	Amberley	vs	Hurunui Blue	Amb Jnr3
	11:05	Saracens Red	vs	Hurunui Black	Sbk Jnr 7
U7	10:50	Saracens Red	vs	Hurunui	Sbk 4B
U6	10:00	Ohoka Green	vs	Hurunui Blue	Mand Jnr 8
	10:00	Saracens Red	vs	Hurunui Black	Sbk 4B

HAWARDEN NETBALL CLUB DAY SATURDAY 27TH MAY

Information for Club Day!

Baked Items for Club Day: Senior A, Senior B and Primary PA Please bring baked items for the stall on Saturday 27th May

Grocery Items for Club Day: Senior C, Primary B and Future Ferns. Please bring items for the raffle to the school office by Friday 26th May.

Duties Roster:

Can everyone please turn up on time and share the days duties.

The money raised benefits everyone in the club. Thank you

8.30-9am	Primary A	Set-up
9-10am	Senior C	Stall/BBQ
10-11am	Future Ferns Blue	Stall/BBQ
11am-12noon	Future Ferns Red	Stall/BBQ
12-12.45pm	Senior A	Stall/BBQ
12.45-1.30pm	Primary B	Stall/BBQ
1.30-2.30pm	Senior B	Stall/BBQ
2.30-3.15pm	Senior A	Stall/BBQ

3.15pm Senior A & Primary B Pack-up

Hawarden Netball Draw

9.30am	Hawarden B	vs	Culverden C	Court 1
	Hawarden PA	vs	Cheviot PA	Court 3
10.30am	Hawarden A	vs	Hawarden C	Court 3
12.30pm	Hawarden B	vs	Hawarden C	Court 2
	Haw Blue FF	vs	Haw Red FF	Court 4
2.30pm	Hawarden PB	vs	Cheviot PB	Court 3

HAWARDEN A&P GREENFEED COMPETITION RESULTS

Thanks to everyone who entered, sponsored, judged and helped out. Here are the results:

Mixed Pasture

1st Iain Wright 2nd Zinos 3rd Churchwards

Kale

1st Craig Ginders 2nd Grant Wilkinson 3rd Brian Anderson

Autumn Saved

1st Rod McKay 2nd Iain Wright 3rd Zinos

Fodder Beet

1st Craig Ginders 2nd Iain Wright 3rd Brian Anderson

Supreme Award Brian Anderson

WORKPLACE FIRST AID REFRESHER COURSE

9.00am – 4.00pm, Thursday 15th June

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2 DAY WORKPLACE FIRST AID COURSE

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- Thurs 1st June - Cheviot area.
- Tues 6th June - Scargill/Greta Valley/Waikari/Hawarden area.
- Thurs 8th June - Hanmer Springs/Waiiau/Mt Lyford area.

If you cant make one of these dates please feel free to contact the service directly on the free call number: 0800 EQ LEGAL



NOMINATIONS NOW OPEN!

Youth Volunteer Awards

Do you know someone who does awesome volunteer work for Hurunui youth?
 Or a young person who does some amazing volunteer work in the community?

Make your nomination before 9 June
 You can find more information via
www.hurunuiyouth.co.nz, www.hurunui.govt.nz
 Or email Scott.Rose@hurunui.govt.nz

