

It was fabulous to once again Powhiri our new team of German volunteers, Jessica and Johannes to the school on Monday. They have both settled quickly into their roles at school and we are again very privileged to have a motivated and eager pairing. We know their year will go quickly and we hope they are able to make the most of their time with us. The Powhiri was also an opportunity to formally welcome recent staff, students and whanau to our school. It was wonderful to have a number of parents come along to support their students and be an active part of the Powhiri.

Over the second half of this week, I will be based in Christchurch at the National Area School Conference. The Area School conference is unique, as it brings together Boards of Trustees, Principals, Senior Leaders, Teachers and Administration staff. It also includes speakers and workshops that range from strategic planning to best classroom practice. It is a highly valuable coming together of people from Area Schools from across the country, with many of these schools far more isolated than us. It is great to once again have this event back in Christchurch after a long hiatus. With the focus of the conference around strengthening well being it is very pertinent to the Christchurch context. Jenni McQuillan and Janet Tilson will join me at the conference, along with Bernie Dobbs and Robyn McKinlay from the Board of Trustees.

As we head into the second half of the term there are a number of upcoming events and dates that parents need to stay aware of. As always our Facebook page, school app and school website are great sources of information and we encourage parents to stay connected with these.

Next Tuesday 28th August we will be hosting the Combined Hurunui Primary Schools 7-Aside tournament. This is always a great spectator friendly event and we welcome families to come along and support on the day.

A crucial event to remember is the annual Jumbo Teacher Only Day Friday 31st August. This year the Jumbo Day is bringing together teachers from all of the Canterbury Area Schools, plus our surrounding Primary Schools. It always proves to be a valuable day and we hope the disruption is manageable for parents.

This will be followed on the Saturday night by our annual combined senior formal with Akaroa and Cheviot Area Schools. Students need to ensure tickets are paid for and any drop-off and pick up arrangements have been finalised with the school. This is always a great night and a highlight of the school year.

Lastly during Week 9, between the 17th and 19th, we will be running our school external exam practice week. This is an essential time for students to get real-time feedback on how they are progressing towards the external exams at the end of the year. We encourage all students to prepare well for these exams.

This will be followed up by our final Y11-13 ATL evening on Tuesday 25th September. This is an important time for both parents and students to come in and get the feedback they need before the students head into the holidays. As formal reports are no longer completed this is a critical evening to attend.

Last Tuesday we hosted our course selection evening where all 2019 NCEA students were encouraged to come in and discuss course options and structures for next year. For those who were unable to attend or still have questions about options for 2019, we encourage you to make appointments with specific staff members or arrange a time to discuss your question with somebody in the senior management.

Nāku noa, nā
Stephen Beck
Tumuaki - Principal



Above The Senior Workshop class putting the finishing touches to their outdoor seats.

Week ending 24th August 2018

Hawarden Waikari Red Cross

SCHOOL NOTICES

RISE AWARDS Congratulations to the people who 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 on Monday.

Year 0-7 **Preston Johnson** for working independently in maths.

Year 8-13 **Stacey Jack** for participation in parent/teacher interviews.

COMING UP

Week 6

28 Aug Year 4-8 HPSSA 7 aside, at Hurunui College

31 Aug Jumbo Teacher Only Day - school closed

1 Sept Year 11-13 CASA Combined Formal

Week 7

6 Sept Hurunui Has Got Talent, 6pm, School Gym

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

SENIOR FRIDAY BASKETBALL: No more games for the seniors, competition finished.

28 AUGUST SEVEN-A-SIDE Held at Hurunui College, for all Year 4-8 students (ppd Thursday 30th August). 10am start - 2pm finish. Anyone wishing to help out with refereeing/umpiring please contact Jenny Keeble in the school office phone 314 4430.

YEAR 5-8 FRIDAY BASKETBALL Starts Friday 14th September.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

CHURCH SERVICES Sunday 26th August 2018

Anglican/Presbyterian 10.00am St James, Hawarden

Catholic 10.30am Hawarden

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

Waikari Gospel Hall 11:15am, Bible teaching, Sunday School, 5 Denham Terrace

PARENTS, GRANDPARENTS AND CAREGIVERS Please do not park vehicles at the turnabout area at the end of Tenterden Street. It is a no park area, so buses can turn around.
Thank you, from the Go Bus drivers.

WAIKARI CAMPGROUND RECYCLING FACILITIES

It is disappointing to have to report back to the local community that on-going problems are being experienced with the recycling drop off facilities in Waikari Campground. These facilities have been provided to encourage visitors to the district (i.e. those staying at the campground) to maximise their diversion of waste from landfill by providing clearly sign written recycling bins, as they do not have the option of using the council's kerbside collection service. It has been noted that some individuals who live in the local community are opting to use these bins as a method of disposing of their household waste. Unfortunately this is

contaminating recycling, which has already been carefully sorted according to the councils criteria and thus is resulting in the disposal of the entire contents of the recycling drop off bin.

If this continues it will be necessary for the recycling bins to be removed and relocated to another area of the district. Therefore the community is requested to utilise councils kerbside collection service (recycling and refuse bags can be purchased from Waikari Auto Services and Hawarden Four Square) and the drop off facilities provided at Amberley and Culverden transfer stations. If waste continues to be deposited at this recycling facility, it will be deemed illegally dumped under the Litter Act (1979) for which an infringement maybe issued to those responsible.

Your co-operation is appreciated,
Thank you – Hurunui District Council

WAIKARI TENNIS CLUB - SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING

Monday 24th September, 7pm. Meeting being held to discuss the future of the club. All apologies to Hugh Murchison 314 4585.

HAWARDEN TENNIS CLUB AGM

Wednesday 29th August, 7pm in the Hawarden Hall. Past, present and new members welcome. Inquiries to Scott Hassall 0272 600 668.

WAIKARI BOWLING CLUB Spring is here along with the start of the 2018/2019 season. Waikari Opening Day, Saturday 22nd September, 1.30pm. All welcome, a great chance to have a go and enjoy fresh air and comradely after the winter. Mark it on the calendar. Inquiries, phone Bruce 314 4070.

DAFFODIL DAY FRIDAY 31TH AUGUST

All of us know someone whose life has been touched by cancer. 1 in 3 New Zealanders are affected by this terrible disease, and the Cancer Society is there to support them, no matter what type of cancer they have or how old they are. Their work makes all the difference - but now they need our help. Please look out around our local area for donation boxes and goodies for sale as a way of supporting us. Many thanks in advance.

109TH SCARGILL SPRING SHOW

Saturday 22nd September at the Tipapa Woolshed. All entries are free. Items can be entered between 8.30am and 10.15am. Public admission from 1pm. Stalls, Raffle, Food and Live Music . Adults \$3, children free. For schedules phone Megan 022 624 0424 or visit our FB page.

FOOD BANK, FOOD BANK

Living Waters Hurunui Outreach Food Bank.

UPDATED HOURS

Monday and Friday 9am-2pm., Wednesday 9am-1pm
Contact after hours: ph 03 261 5114 or 027 448 6594. fb: Living Waters Hurunui Outreach. web: <https://livingwatershurunui.wixsite.com/website>

Hawarden Library

Library open

Mon-Thu 9am to 4pm Fri: 9am to 5pm

The library will close at 2.15pm
Tue 28 August

The Library will be OPEN 9am-5pm
Fri 31 August
(Teacher-Only-Day)

Every week we have a selection of 'fresh' fiction and non-fiction books arriving in our library. They are displayed on the end of the shelves and are ready for immediate issue.

From this year, you will get a copy of the **YELLOW PAGES** delivered. If you want the **WHITE PAGES**, you have to 'opt in' to get a copy. Call **0800 03 11 03** or visit **ypgbooks.co.nz** or come to the library for help.

Do you want to find all the photos on your computer, sort them and name them? Tuesday 4 September, 7-9pm, Hawarden Library. Text (027 630 4747) Call (314 4652) or email Paul, to book a space. pm@hurunuicollege.school.nz
\$5 per person



We now have some issues of **NEW YORKER** magazine, a weekly, giving you an insight into the Big Apple!

Hawarden Library 314-4652
hawarden@hurunuilibrary.govt.nz



STAR & GARTER HOTEL, WAIKARI

Tuesday- Thursday - \$15 meals

Steak, Chicken Schnitzel, Fish & Chips, Corn Stack, all with salad & fries. Sauces extra.

Thursday - Happy hour 5.00pm-7.00pm

Pizza available every Friday & Saturday from 5pm.

Fathers Day, Sunday 2nd September

Brunch available 11am -2pm

Eggs Benedict - Salmon or Ham

Hotcakes- blueberry or bacon

Stuffed Portobello mushrooms, spinach & parmesan

Full English

Raspberry cheesecake French toast

Waffles - bacon & maple

Muesli -yoghurt & fruit

Smoothies

To book call 03 314 4045



BY JUPITER

Hurunui Theatre Group's 2018 Show,
Waipara Memorial Hall.

August 30th, 31st 8pm. September 1st Saturday
Matinee 2pm, September 6th, 7th and 8th 8pm.

Tickets from Sally Mac's, Amberley
and G.A.S, Waikari or txt Bronnie 0272 450 128.

Keeping up Appearances

Family Violence awareness

for people in customer focused services

Family Violence - How to Help

Lunchtime workshop

Tuesday 11 September 2018

12 noon to 1.30 pm

Hanmer Springs Golf Club

133 Argelins Road, Hanmer Springs

Join us for a free lunch

Hear from local family violence prevention specialists:

- Signs of abuse
- What you can do to help
- Dynamics and dangers

Build your confidence to support others in the community

Please register for this free training by 7 September.

Limited places available.

email registrations to: together.hurunui@gmail.com

Enquiries to Ange Davidson ph 027 491 4770



Hosted in partnership by



Applications close

Limited funding is available to individuals or groups within the Hurunui for projects that:

- take place between 10 October 2018 & 30 October 2019; and
- have an art focus,
- will be completed within 12 months,
- benefit the local community.

Application forms are available via the Hurunui District Council website: www.hurunui.govt.nz

Please direct all enquiries to Maree Hare
email : maree.hare@hurunui.govt.nz

5pm

Monday

10
September
2018

ADVERTISING

PAINTER/ DECORATOR 25 EXPERIENCE

Interior/ exterior, water blasting and roofs
For a free quote please call Steve anytime
03 3144620 027 4771930

FOR SALE

FIREWOOD, OLD MAN PINE \$200 cord. Phone Ken 027 374 4404.

FIREWOOD, OLD MAN PINE \$200 3.6 m³ / cord. Phone Laurie Aitken 027 344 1240.

PROPOSED PLAN CHANGE 1 TO THE OPERATIVE HURUNUI DISTRICT PLAN



Proposed Plan Change 1 will involve tweaking and tidying the District Plan to:

- Reinsert missing rules
- Correct inconsistencies
- Improve and refine rules
- Make mapping corrections.

The purpose of the proposed amendments is to improve the overall workability, consistency and clarity of the District Plan.

Full detail, along with how to make a submission can be found online at hurunui.govt.nz/news-and-views/have-your-say/

Submissions close at **5pm Monday 1 October 2018**.

For further information, please contact Nicola Kirby on nicola.kirby@hurunui.govt.nz or 03 314 0058.

**GOOD SORTS,
BY YEAR 10 SOCIAL STUDIES**

Ms Brown

Ms Brown has been working in our school office for 13 years and as part of her job, she helps students and staff and those who are hurt or sick.

Ms Brown is always a happy, outgoing and very nice person who you can talk to about anything. She loves doing her job because Ms Brown gets to meet a lot of new people and gets to know them.

Her perspective on our school is that it is really good how it is and she wouldn't want to change anything about it. Miss Brown said the changes that have happened to Hurunui College are good ones that make the school more modern.

One of her fun hobbies is beekeeping, which most people wouldn't know about! Ms Brown loves doing up houses, reading and also gardening. Ms Brown not only helps the school but helps out the community by being a Civil Defence Coordinator for Hawarden and Waikari. She is also the Secretary for Hawarden Volunteer Fire Brigade, Secretary for the Hawarden Swimming Club and Secretary for the Hawarden A and P Show. Miss Brown is an amazing volunteer in our community and we appreciate everything she does for us.

Miss Brown is definitely a Hurunui Good Sort.



Photo above: Lily, Miss Brown and Shae

Sunflowers Preschool
A fun learning adventure

Servicing the Hurunui District
Early Child Education for,
10 months to 5 year olds.

Preschool Days: 2yrs - 5yrs
Mon to Wed: 8.30am-3.30pm

Nursery & Preschool Day: 10mths - 5yrs
Friday: 8.30am-3.30pm

45 Seymour St, HAWARDEN

**New Enrolments
Welcome**

For more information contact
Nicky Gardner Ph: 0210485415 or
Email: nicky@sunflowerspreschool.co.nz

NOTE:
20 Hours ECE for 3-4 year old child &
Winz Subsidies available.

Asra Ginders Music

Proudly Presents
Hurunui's Got Talent

Open to the public!!

Prizes:
1st Prize - \$50 Cash
2nd Prize - Tech Hamper worth \$30
3rd Prize - \$15 Warehouse Voucher

Hi Guys come along and support a range of all aged students from Hurunui College in our very own talent quest!

Venue: School Gym
Date: Thursday 6th September
Time: Kicks off at 6:30pm
Cost: A gold coin donation to go towards the Alzheimer's Charity