



# Huia Range School

Term 1 Week 5 Thursday 7th March, 2019

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

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## Parent/Teacher

Thank you to the parents, caregivers and grandparents who returned their interview sheet. Attached to this newsletter are the day and time of your interview with your child's class teacher.

The purpose of these interviews is for you to inform the teacher of any information you think the teacher should know and for the teacher to give you feedback on how the year has started for your child.

If you forgot to return the form, or your preschooler drew on it, or even ate it (yes it really does happen!), please ring or visit Suzie tomorrow to see if she can fit you in the teacher's schedule.

## Class Dojos

A number of parents have commented this week, that they are not able to join their child's class dojo even though they have the correct password.

I am not the expert with this App! Apparently you need to delete the current app and download it again. If this does not work, talk to the class teacher who should be able to help you. A good opportunity to sort this out at your parent interview.

## Swimming Sports

The school swimming sports are on Thursday 21st March for our year 4 to 8 students. Full information will be in next week's newsletter.

To ensure the day runs smoothly and is successful for everybody, we would like a few more parent/whanau volunteers to help on the day.

If you are available for all of half a day, please let Suzie know in our school office. Thank you to those who have already volunteered.

## Board of Trustees

The Board of Trustees election are in term 2 this year. A number of our Board members children are either finishing their year 8 with us this year or have moved to the Manawatu over the last holidays.

That means there are likely to be vacant positions available on the Board for the next 3 years.

If you are interested in being on the Board, there is an evening session being run in a few weeks time.

The event is called Kōrari and it is at Dannevirke South School on Wednesday 20th March at 6.00pm.

For more information you could talk to one of our Board members, Naioma, Belinda, Liz, Lindsey, Hayden, John or myself.

## Hiwi the Kiwi

This performance about water safety was a huge hit with our children a few years ago and we have the opportunity to see it again.

The school is paying part of the cost and if you would like your child to attend on Tuesday the 19th March, please send along \$2.50 to the school office or ask for it to be paid out of your account, if you have one.

## Sports

Information about winter sports is slowly starting to arrive at school.

Thank you to those who have returned their form saying what sports they would like to participate in.

If you have missed these forms please ask for another copy and return it to the office, so your child does not miss out on their sports.

It is great to see the number of children looking at playing a sport.

## Up Coming Events

### March

11- Monday  
Parent/Teacher Interviews

12- Tuesday  
Parent/teacher Interviews

14 - Thursday  
Swimming Year 4 - 8

19 - Tuesday  
Weetbix Triathlon  
Hiwi the Kiwi

20 - Wednesday  
Dannevirke South School 6.00pm

21 - Thursday  
School Swimming Sports

22 - Friday  
Back Paddocks year 7

28 - Thursday  
ePro 8 Challenge Year 7/8

29 - Friday  
ePro 8 Challenge Year Year 5/6

### April

1 - 3 Monday - Wednesday  
Basic First Aid

2 - Tuesday  
BOT meeting 6.30pm - staffroom

3 - Wednesday  
Interschool Swimming

9 - Tuesday  
STRIVE Day

12 - Friday  
Final day term 1

Ka kite ano.  
Kia nui te ra.

Robyn Forsyth  
Principal





## CONGRATULATIONS TO THESE STUDENTS

### Class Certificates were awarded in assembly this week to:

- Rm 2 – Neian** – for hearing and recording middle and end sounds in words.  
**Maia** – for using a wider range of vocabulary to explain her ideas.
- Rm 3 – Cruz** – for writing an amazing story independently.  
**Jade** – for showing STRIVE in her learning.
- Rm 4 – Summer** – for working quietly and completing work to a high standard.  
**Mikaera** – for trying really hard with his work until it is complete.
- Rm 5 – Rylee** – for writing good stories using a variety of thinking maps.  
**Ellie** – for writing good stories using a variety of thinking maps.
- Rm 6 – Abel** – for making good choices and persistence in work.  
**Lushyn** – for being our basic facts champion.
- Rm 7 – Fletcher** – for consistently displaying STRIVE behavior & being a friendly, helpful member of room 7.  
**Maiya** – for striving to do her best in writing and including adjectives in her work.
- Rm 8 – Isaiah** – for showing he can give compliments and support others' strengths in learning.  
**Aizak** – for showing determination when learning new skills.
- Rm 9 – Leyhton** – for supporting others to work to the best of their ability.  
**Tanenuiarangi** – for continuing to sound out words to help him to write interesting stories.
- Rm 10 – El-Roi** – for fantastic independent writing this week. Well done.  
**Lukar-Ree** – for always working hard, helping others and demonstrating STRIVE values.
- Rm 11 – Kaleb** – for being proactive and generous. You are always willing to help others and still work to the best of your ability.  
**Jasmine** – for working independently to a high standard. Your positive attitude is a fantastic way to demonstrate STRIVE values.
- Rm 12 – Jayden** – for displaying STRIVE to ensure his work was finished to a high standard.  
**Paige** – for showing STRIVE in every aspect of school to provide a role model for others in class and at school.
- Rm 15 – Summer** – for completing set reading tasks to a high standard.  
**Bontaejah** – for her positive attitude towards her learning.
- Rm 16 – Mahiro** – for his consistent work habits and willingness to help others.  
**Ben** – for a settled start to the year and working hard to make good academic and social choices.

**CANTEEN** There have price adjustments for canteen lunch orders. The new prices are:

Half Ham Wrap	\$2.50	Half Chicken Wrap	\$2.50
Ham Sandwich	\$3.00	Chicken & Mayo Sandwich	\$3.00
Filled Roll Chicken or Ham	\$4.00	BLT or Chick Cranberry Brie Bun	\$3.00
Chicken Schnitzel Panini	\$4.50	Mince Pie	\$2.50
Potato Top Pie	\$2.50	Mince & Cheese Pie	\$2.50
Sausage Roll	\$1.50	Chicken Burger	\$3.50
Lasagne Topper	\$2.50	Mini Pizza	\$2.00
Pork Riblet Burger	\$3.50	Cookie	\$1.00
Water	\$1.80	Juice	\$1.80
Flavoured Choc Milk	\$1.80	Fresh Fruit Salad	\$3.50
Slice - Caramel/Brownie/Lollie	\$2.00	Flavoured Straw Milk	\$1.80

Specials are offered at the canteen on Thursday each week, the canteen specials for the rest of this term are:

- Week 6 - Cheeseburger \$3.50
- Week 7 - Seasoned Wedges \$3.00
- Week 8 - Nachos \$2.50
- Week 9 - Chicken Nuggets and Chips or Fish Bites and Chips \$4 per pack
- Week 10 - Chicken Nugget Subs \$2.50 - School Holidays start 12.04.18

Chicken Salads, Ham Salads, Vegetarian Salads available daily - \$4.50 per salad

### SWIMMING TROPHIES

Please return to the office asap, so we can award them at the swimming sports.