



Huia Range School

Term 4 Week 2 Thursday 24th October, 2019

Website: www.huiarange.school.nz

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

Athletics

Next Tuesday, 29th October is our full school athletics day, being held at the Dannevirke Domain.

All of our children are expected to meet us at the Domain after 8.30am, but before 9.00am.

The juniors (under 8 year olds) will be competing together and will return to school once they finish their events.

Our seniors (8+ year olds) will compete together in the main athletics area and will be dismissed from the Domain at 3.00pm.

No child should be leaving early, but if they do, it is the parent's responsibility to ensure the class teacher knows they have left.

All children need:

- a good lunch and snacks to get them through the whole day.
- a full water bottle (refilling available)
- a really good, wide sunhat
- school shorts (or plain rugby shorts)
- school teeshirt
- bare feet or suitable shoes
- best manners and a competitive spirit

There is no set lunchtime for seniors. They will eat between events.

Juniors will sit and eat lunch together before heading back to school.

Whanau are very welcome to join us for the day and any adults that can help run events or supervise are asked to ring Suzie and let her know.

Your help is absolutely vital to ensure the smooth running of the day.

Senior Kapa Haka

This afternoon's senior roopu tamariki practice is from 3.30pm until 5.00pm.

The remaining practice dates are:

Friday 25th October from 9.00am til 1.00pm and 5.00pm through until Saturday 8.00pm at the papakainga.

Thursday 31st October from 3.30pm until 5.00pm

Friday 1st November 9.00am - 1.00pm

The Nationals event is happening in the first week of November. Our roopu are leaving Dannevirke on Saturday 2nd November, performing on Monday 4th November and returning to Dannevirke on Tuesday 5th November.

They are having a dress rehearsal on Tuesday 29th October - is attached.

Year 7/8 Camp

This camp is planned for the 11th - 13th November.

All money and permission/medical forms must be returned to school by tomorrow morning.

This requirement has to be met so that final planning and pricing can be undertaken.

Sun Hats

Thank you to the really 'on-to-it' parents who have ensured their child/ren have sun hats.

Congratulations to Room 5 for being the first class to have every member with a sun hat - free ice block coming up!

Looking for the next 2 full classrooms for free ice blocks.

School Phone Numbers 027 781

Up Coming Events

October

25 - Friday
Swimming Rooms 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7
Overnight kapa haka practice

28 - Monday
Labour Day - School closed

29 - Tuesday
Full School Athletics Day
Kapa Haka Dress Rehearsal

30 - Wednesday
Swimming Rooms 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7
Cricket Rooms 5,8,9,10,11,12

31 - Thursday
Swimming Rooms 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7

November

1 - Friday
Swimming Rooms 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7

2 - Saturday
Kapa Haka leave for Nationals

4 - Monday
Kapa haka compete at Nationals

5 - Tuesday
Swimming Rooms 11, 15, 16

6 - Wednesday
Cricket Rooms 5,8,9,10,11,12

8 - Friday
Halloween Disco

11 - 13 Monday - Wednesday
Year 7/8 Wellington Camp

13 - Wednesday
Cricket Rooms 5,8,9,10,11,12

19 - Tuesday
BOT meeting 6.30pm Staffroom

20 - Wednesday
Interschool Athletics

Kia nui te ra. Ka kite ano.
Robyn Forsyth Principal



CONGRATULATIONS

These students received class certificates at this week's assembly:

- Room 2 – Alijah – settling in well to our classroom. Welcome to Huia Range School.
Irie – demonstrating STRIVE by trying her best at new learning experience.
- Room 4 – Alianah – quickly recalling knowledge taught in maths, reading and writing.
Johnny – excellent retelling of stories in reading.
- Room 5 – Lilly –using graphic organisers to plan her writing and her WALT.
Ellie –showing STRIVE in room 5 and helping others. Keep it up.
- Room 6 – Zayden –working well on all reading and spelling tasks.
Izzy –great reading and spelling work.
- Room 7 – Iris –making a fantastic start to Huia Range School and fitting in easily to her new class.
Ka pai.
Rangi – congratulations on finishing the feather spelling list. Ka pai.
- Room 8 – Aizak – showing more self-awareness and being responsible for his actions.
Conner – showing enthusiasm and hard work in reading.
- Room 9 – Ayden – recalling maths strategies when doing maths hot spots.
Regan –learning a new maths strategy (place value partitioning) when adding two digit numbers together.
- Room 11 – Tenessy – displaying willingness to work to the best of her ability. Wonderful role modeling as a senior member of our class.
Le’Kaia –an improved attitude to extending her knowledge and taking greater risks in her learning.
- Room 12 – Savannah –taking responsibility and leadership for her new jobs around the school.
Dylan –taking responsibility and leadership for his new jobs around the school.
- Room 15 – Bridie – showing great student leadership and organisational skills while planning the senior car wash.
Ana Ngai-Kiha – for showing an improved attitude when learning maths strategies.
- Room 16 – Olyvar – accelerated progress in maths, punctuation and grammar and reading.
Jack – accelerated progress in maths, punctuation and grammar and reading.

SPORTS AND COMMUNITY NOTICES

Touch Rugby draw – 25 October 2019

- 4pm Field 4: Huia Range Blasters vs Ruahine Rebels
4:25pm Field 3: Huia Range Rippas vs St Joes White
Field 4: Huia Range Avengers vs South Kahurangi
Field 5: Huia Range Shockwaves vs Puketoi Pirates
4:50pm Field 1: Huia Range 2xtreme vs South Squawkers
5:15pm Field 1: Huia Range Untouchables vs South Squawkers

Junior games will now play on a half field rather than a full field.

There will be no high students available to umpire this week. Parents from each team will be asked to help umpire the junior games and Intermediate games.



There will be a Halloween Disco, held on Friday 8th November

CANTEEN SPECIALS: THURSDAY, 31 OCTOBER 2019: Sausages, mash, spud and gravy - \$4.00
Available Wednesdays - Fridays: chicken salad, ham salad, vegetarian salad: \$5.00 per salad
Reduced price of juice packs - \$1.50