



HUNTERVILLE SCHOOL

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Huntermville Pride... "Together We Strive"

* Quality Learning * Quality Behaviour * Quality Environment *

Dear Parent / Caregiver

Nga mihi o te wa kia koe me to whanau (Greetings to you and your family)

What a Magnificent Effort for Funeral Catering! Thank You.

Thank you everyone for the tremendous response regarding the call for help with the catering for Mrs Jenny Matson's funeral on Monday.

We were inundated with offers of help on a number of fronts and I know your generosity at short notice has been very much appreciated by Harry and the Matson family.

Thank you also for your support in having your children home early on Monday. Very much appreciated!

Grandparents Day This Friday

For Students in Rooms 1, 2 & 3

- 10.30 : Grandparents meet in hall
- welcome
- items from junior students
- 11.00 : Into classrooms with grand children & photos taken.
- welcome to visit other classrooms & look around the school
- 11.45 : Luncheon in hall for grandparents
- 1.15 : Welcome to watch grand children at cross country on the Domain

Cross Country Races This Friday

For all Y1-8 students

Students will have an early lunch from 12.30 -1pm and then move over to the GRANDSTAND on the Domain.

- 1.15 : First race (Y 1 girls)
2.30 approx : Last race (Y8 boys)

PARENTS RACE: : parents are invited to run with the senior boys or girls. Don't be shy!

As per previous years all students are required to be in the grandstand before and after their race. Please feel free to join your child in the grandstand if you wish to.

TONIGHTS HOME & SCHOOL MEETING POSTPONED
Now on next Tuesday 25th October 7.30pm

NEXT WEEK

Monday	24 th	School Closed – Labour Day
Tuesday	25 th	Home & School meeting 7.30pm
Wednesday	26 th	SCHOOL PHOTOS 9am – 10.40pm
Wednesday		Y1-4 speech finals 1.30pm
Wednesday		Y5-8 speech finals 7.00pm
Friday	28 th	Interschool Cross Country – selected Y4-8, Hunterville Domain 12.30
Saturday	29 th	Shemozzle!
Sunday	30 th	Y 7/8 Lions Club interschool speech finals, 4pm, H'ville School Hall

Speech Competitions Next Week (as Above)

- We hope to get names of finalists needed for Wednesday, out to parents on Friday.
- The top two speakers from the Y 7/8 section combined, will represent the school at the interschool event at 4pm Sunday - and if successful there, travel to HAWERA the following Sunday 6 November for the regional finals.
- The winning Y8 speechmaker has in the past, presented their speech again at prizegiving in December. A decision has been made **not** to continue this. (Too long after the event, among other factors).

CRICKET REGISTRATIONS CLOSE TOMORROW

(We did say today, but as this pinkie is a day late we have extended the registration deadline for a day too).

- To date 53 registrations received, covering the four options below
- As a reminder : Hardball for Y 5-8; Friday night Kiwi Cricket Y3-6; Wed afternoon Coaching \$50 for Y3-6; Intro to cricket for all others 4 Fridays in November.
- Last day for registration is tomorrow.

For enquiries at this stage please contact me (S Lewis).

Music Tuition with Mr Richard Munt has Started

Seventeen students have signed up for this seven week tuition programme – which the school and Mr Munt have turned into eight weeks; the extra session being at no extra cost to parents.

Instruments covered are : guitar, keyboard, drums and bass guitar.

All sessions are in Room 4 on a Friday. Schedules will vary from week to week to accommodate the odd Friday activity/event.

School Grounds Closed on Shemozzle Afternoon

Grounds Closed from 5pm

A security firm has been engaged again to enforce the above from late afternoon on the day of the Shemozzle.

We have done this the previous 2 years.

This is to counter the disrespect shown the school grounds in some previous years, by some people, with the influx of out of towners for the Shemozzle.

LAST 2 DAYS OF SCHOOL FOR THE YEAR.....

Wednesday 14 December : Prizegiving 7pm in the Town Hall
Thursday 15 December : School finishes for the year 12 midday
(These are a day earlier than published earlier in the year)

Kauri Whanau - congratulations on winning the term three whanau competition. Your free lunch is being shouted tomorrow, Thursday, in room five. Each student has been issued with an individual notice for this. - Colleen Dalley TIC Kauri Whanau.

HP Future Education Competition - In conjunction with Rural Women

Teachers/students/parents all welcome to give this a go...

How to win? Answer the question "How will we learn in the future?" in 500 words or less or in a video to a maximum of three minutes. Other formats are totally acceptable – Powerpoint, posters, Sway etc.

Tell us how you think we will learn in the future, and HP could help your school on a journey to get there! Let your imagination soar on how you think learning will be **in 20 years.**

Get together and produce a great presentation for us to send.

Entries to Mrs Dalley by 25 October Can be on paper/stick/emailed and I will select and organise the entry

SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS NEXT WEDNESDAY 26TH OCTOBER

Order envelopes were issued to all students last week and these need to be back into the school office next Tuesday thanks. (The photographer takes them with him on Wednesday). Extra envelopes are available at the school office. Please also note you can order & pay for school classroom photos at a later date through contacting Photolife Studios who keep all photographs on records.

Advance Notice... LAMB and CALF DAY TIMETABLE: TUESDAY 1 NOVEMBER

Lambs/Calves:	8.30-9.15:	Register lamb or calf at the tent
	9.30-12.00:	Lamb / calf judging
	Approx. 12.15:	Grand parade of pets – whole school
Indoor Exhibits:	8.55:	All indoor exhibits in hall, named and on display
	9-12.30:	Hall closed for judging
	Approx. 12.30:	Hall open for viewing – exhibits stay in hall until Wednesday
Young Farmer	9.30-12.00:	All non lamb/calf students timed – heats
	12.30-2.00:	All lamb/calf students timed – heats
	2.15:	Finals: Top six in junior, intermediate, senior, adults

Coming Events:

October

- 21 : Grandparents day Rooms 1, 2 & 3
- 21 : School cross country events Y1-8
- 24 : School closed – Labour Day
- 25 : Home & School meeting 7.30pm
- 26 : School photos
- 26 : (Wednesday) Y1-4 speech finals 1.30pm
- 26 : (Wednesday) Y5-8 speech finals 7pm
- 28 : Interschool cross country (Y4-8) 12.30pm @ Hunterville
- 29 : Shemozzle!
- 30 : Lions Club interschool speech finals @ Hunterville School 4pm

November

- 1 : Lamb & Calf Day & Young Farmer Competition
- 2 : BOT meeting 7pm
- 9-11 : Y5 to Raukawa Falls Camp

Regards



Stephen Lewis
PRINCIPAL

TARGA RALLY THANKS

Thank you to those willing folk who helped marshall for the Targa Rally on Friday.

That has boosted our camp account by almost \$800.00.

Many thanks.

Missing National Library Book

Borrowed from the Reading Together workshop.

"There was an old lady who swallowed a Weta'

Urgently required - please can you have a look for this so we can return it?

Thanks
Anne Hatfull