



# HUNTERVILLE SCHOOL

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**Huntermville Pride...“Together We Strive”**  
**\*Quality Work \* Quality Behaviour \* Quality Environment\***

**Dear Parent / Caregiver**

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

The Y 7/8 group left for camp this morning – Mrs Dalley 13 parents and 46 students.  
Poor Mr Smith has been crook the past few days and didn't leave with them. He will possibly join them from tomorrow morning and if not I'll be going up!

## **SCHOOL PICNIC FRIDAY 11 DECEMBER**

**Huntermville Domain 10.00am – 2.15pm**

**Preschoolers, friends, family WELCOME**

**Free sausage/drink for all provided by Home & School Assn**

**10.00: Tabloid sports**

**11.30: Juniors eat; seniors swim**

**12.15: Juniors swim; seniors eat**

**1.00: Misc: softball, cricket, swimming, etc**

**2.00: Arrival of FATHER CHRISTMAS**



**PRIZEGIVING ASSEMBLY: WED 16 DECEMBER**  
**TOWN HALL 7PM**

**All welcome! School choir performing from 6.45pm**

## Y 7/8 Softball Tournament



(All out Y7/8 plus some Y6)  
HUNTERVILLE DOMAIN  
FRIDAY 4 DECEMBER  
9.30-2pm



Willing to manage a team for the day?  
(As most available staff are organising the event or umpiring some of our teams will be 'on their own'. If you can assist please let us know. Thanks!)

## School Float for Christmas Parade Thursday 24 December

Theme: Golf! (This is the Home & School Associations main fundraiser For 2010. Target \$20, 000!)

How: We're thinking of 1-2 students on the float chipping ping pong balls to the crowd.

As many other students as possible walking behind the float.....

- Dressed in 'plus fours' ( track pants tucked into long socks, and a brigh top).
- Wheeling trundlers.
- Or carrying golf clubs.
- Or signage( E.g. Quiet Please, Leader Board, etc).



## CAROLS AT RATHMOY

SUNDAY 13 DECEMBER  
From 5.30pm



Any enquiries to  
Shona Jones  
0274 496 587



## Term Dates 2010

T1: 2 Feb – 1 Apr

T2: 19 Apr – 2 Jul

T3: 19 Jul – 24 Sept

T4: 11 Oct – 17 Dec

The above allows for  
2 Teacher Only days  
during the year.

## SCHOOL PRIZEGIVING

Wednesday 16 December  
Town Hall  
7pm



Students dress: Tidy school uniform.  
Definitely NO RUGBY SHORTS please.

## Next Board of Trustees Meeting

Wednesday 2 December, staffroom 7.30pm.

## Community Newsletter

Town deliveries were made yesterday. Rural deliveries should be with you tomorrow or Thursday. Please let us know if you don't receive one.

### Huntermville A Vs St Georges 1<sup>st</sup> X1

Huntermville batted first scoring 170. Jacob Ratima 38 not out, Josh Harding 48, Jack Bonnor 18.

St Georges were 148 for 9 at the end of their 30 overs.

Best bowlers Dakota Tipu 3 overs 1 wicket 7 runs, Jack Bonnor 4 overs 1 wicket 14 runs.

Everyone was outstanding in the field. This was a momentous win, no one can remember the last time we beat St Georges 1sts.

### Last Weeks Classroom Award Winners

- Room 1: Jessica Brooks – excellent writing and presentation skills.  
Georgia Harrison – developing a lovely reading voice.
- Room 1a: William Kiesanowski – great adjectives in his writing.  
Alisha Moengaroa-Ihaia – working hard in maths, by learning to count in 2's & 5's.
- Room 2: Charlotte deans – great effort and wonderful improvement in handwriting and presentation of all work.  
Letisha-Raye Johnson-Tipu – great effort and wonderful improvement in handwriting and presentation of all work.
- Room 3: Leigh Kelly – putting in a huge effort with his theme work this term. Pleasing to see you contributing more to these class discussions Leigh!  
Phoebe Smailes – always putting in 100% with her reading comprehension worksheets which consistently follow her wonderful expression with her reading.
- Room 4: Lydia Price – the BEST improvement in Huntermville Spelling Test in Room 4.  
Josh Brooks – the BEST improvement in basic facts knowledge since February!
- Room 5: Tane Guiniven – great effort and improvement with maths learning. You always impress.  
Brooke Picken – good time management. Being organised and up to date.
- Room 6: No certificates issued \_ Room 6 was away on a class trip.
- Room 7: Annalise Phillipson & Amber Deadman – effort & Improvement with basic facts knowledge.
- Room 8: Zoe Smith – a huge improvement in basic facts up 19% to 96% and spelling up 11% to 79%.  
Trevior Owens – a huge improvement in basic facts – up 30% to 99% and spelling; up 13% to 90%.  
Holly Ormond – a super improvement in Huntermville basic facts accuracy – up 24% to 91% - top effort.

## Prizegiving Cups

Please can the school cups be returned as soon as possible so we can prepare for this years prizegiving. Thank you.

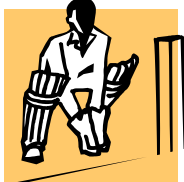
## Children's Tennis with Mrs Turner

There are quite a few outstanding subs. Please can they be paid to the school office as soon as possible. Cheques should be made out to Hunterville Saturday Morning Sports Club. Thank you.

## Hunterville B Cricket

Versus St Johns Hills School at Wanganui. We batted first and scored a total of 81 all out. Top scorers Ben Simpson 13 & Mitchell Smith 10. St Johns in reply 85 for 6. Victor Raimona-Hausman & Ben Simpson 2 wickets each & Thomas Walshe 2 good catches. Apologies to Thomas also last week for the misprint in his top score. It was 42 and not 4!

# HUNTERVILLE MENS' CRICKET!



**We Have Entered a Team in the Wanganui 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade . . .**

- 7 week competition 5, 12, 19 December and 9, 16, 23, 30 January
- 40 over games, in Wanganui
- Semi serious
- Need white trousers (not shorts) and white top
- All other gear supplied
- \$10 per person per game (Covers ground fees, entry fees)

**We reckon we need a squad of 30 to see us through! (15 to 50 year olds!) Interested?  
Contact one of the organising group:**

Stephen Lewis (Co-ordinator)	3228778
Richard Lambert (Treasurer)	3228096
James Kilmister	3228366
Mark Godfrey	3277457
Bryan Wilson	3228621
Kellick Harding	3228325

**A team for the first game is being sought now. Make contact fast!**

Weekly practices – Wednesday 5 to 6pm (Start WED 2 DECEMBER)

**Non-players also needed: managers, scorers, physios, psychologists**

Regards

**Stephen Lewis  
PRINCIPAL**