



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)

Our annual spelling bee finals are on this Friday from 1.15pm in the school hall. Congratulations to the six finalists in each of the age groups below, as selected by teachers:

- Year 1/2 : Shelby Carman, Teagan Collins, Hawaiki Tattersall-Walker, Harry Rendle, Marcus Murray & Jessica Keenan.
- Year 3/4 : Te Rau Tattersall-Walker, Pirikahu Marino-Maangi, Oliver Bunn, Emma Livingston, Tegan Murray & Isaac Kingston.
- Year 5/6 : Asha Stevenson, Alec Murray, Harry McVerry, Hine Marino-Maangi, Iris Collie & Makayla Harris.
- Year 7/8 : Morna Collie, Dannielle Ansley, Emma Hurley, Jessicca Brooks, Latisha Roore & Daisy Lane.

Board of Trustees Elections

Nominations close 12 midday this Friday 20 May.

Remember, you can nominate yourself. 😊

If an election is needed forms will be posted out next week, with voting closing on Friday 3 June.

Move- On of Students

Mainly because of the unexpected enrolment of students into Rooms 2 & 3 over the past couple of months, three to four students from Rooms 2 to 7 have moved on to the next room.

In all cases this has happened following a phone call to parents, with the move-ons happening yesterday.

This is something we have regularly done over the years – usually at mid year. We've done it earlier this year, before class rehearsals for production get too far down the track.

Parent Production Meeting - Tonight Staffroom 7.30pm

Come along to school and hear Mrs Revell talk about her vision for the Wizard of Oz. Also a chance for people to offer their skills or services for the production. All welcome. Bring a friend! Wine & cheese provided!

Home & School Catering

The Home and School Assn have been asked to help out at an engagement function, this Saturday 21st of May.

We require, people (4) to help serve food and tea and coffee. Also we need 10 slices made for the supper.

If you could help in any way can you fill out the back of the newsletter or contact Rachel Williams on 06 3275184 or 021443957. If texting please reply with your name.

Thank you in advance for your help.

Rachel Williams

HOUSE TO RENT – wanted for one careful tenant. Prefer Hunterville township or close to Hunterville.
Please contact Melanie Walshe on 322 8535.

Rural Support Ruapehu-Wanganui Farming on After the Flood

Venue : Rangitira Golf Club
Date : 24 May 2016
Time : 2-4pm

Facilitated by Rob McNab
What worked,,,,, What Didn't
Hows the farm 12 months on?

The event will be followed by a light meal and opportunity to socialise.
For further details contact Harry Matthews 0210744565.

Free to a good home

A cute fluffy female tabby kitten about 8 weeks old.

Ph Emma Vennell
06 3286771.

KickStart Breakfast Going Well

There have been between 25 and 35 students and staff partaking of the Weetbix breakfasts each day last week, with many more taking the Milo option.

Parents and senior students are doing a great job of setting up and serving and there's a really neat feel about it all, with all the positive interactions. Please feel welcome to drop by and have a Weetbix and Milo if you'd like to.

OHINGAITI BUS
SOCIETY
Annual General
Meeting
Monday 23 May
McIntyre Reserve -7pm



*Head boy,
George
Simpson
attends to Liam
Green and Alex
Sansom at one
of the Kickstart
breakfasts last
week.*

Water Only at School???

Yes, From After Queens Birthday Weekend

The Board of Trustees took the decision to move in the above direction following consultation with parents and students – and in response to a challenge from the Ministry of Education and the Ministry of Health for all schools to be water-only by the end of this year.

In effect it will not mean a huge change for students at school, as most already have water bottles each day. So this is what we're looking:

- Students having water for their drinks at school – as well as the free Fonterra 'school milk' offered daily to all students.
- (Therefore this specifically excludes the likes of all sugary drinks such as flavoured milk, soft drinks, cordial, etc).
- The above 'sugary' drinks will be allowed for selected one off events such as discos, bbqs, etc.

Reminders re School Hair & Dress Code

We ask for your support parents, in helping to maintain our school hair and dress code, as published every year (and issued to all new families upon enrolment) via the school Information Booklet – also available on the school app and school website.

Some of the components include:

- All long hair to be tied back.
- Extravagant hairstyles are not permitted – no variations of cut or shaved hair; no rats tails, etc.
- Black thermal tops only, are permitted to be seen under any uniform top. (I.e. no coloured garments visible)
- Uniform shorts/trackpants are required – these are plain black, free of any monograms. (

As I say each year, "We don't want to be the uniform Gestapo" but if we do have a dress code we need to either adhere to it or change it. And at the moment it hasn't been changed 😊

I'm also a strong believer that having pride in our appearance is **part** of the whole package of developing positive work ethics and attitudes and maintaining a happy and orderly environment. I also think of the sports team analogy – *I believe* (rightly or wrongly!) that a sports team that dresses smartly and wears their uniform with pride, is more likely to transfer that discipline into their performances, than a team that looks scraggly and poorly presented.

We will be having quiet, respectful discussions with students about our dress code as above, in an effort to maintain our standards.

ROBOTICS TEAM 2ND ON THE WEEKEND

Congratulations to our team of Alex Legner, Harry Cherrie, Iris Collie and Marko Legner (and to team coach and manager) Mr Grant Collie – they came 2nd out of nine teams in their scrimmage at Feilding on Saturday.

Junior Classes Visit to Te Manawa

Room 1	:	Tuesday 31 May
Room 2	:	Wednesday 1 June
Room 3	:	Thursday 2 June

Key Dates This Term:

- May 17: Wizard of Oz parent meeting tonight, 7.30pm
20: Spelling bee finals 1.15pm
22/23: Six student leaders to Young Leaders Conference, Rotorua
24: Y 5/6 Ripa Rugby tournament, Marton.
31: Rm 1 Te Manawa visit
- June 1: Rm 2 Te Manawa visit
2: Rm 3 Te Manawa visit
6: School closed for Queen's Birthday observance
15: Learning Conferences (15 min appointments) 3.30-5pm
16: Students home midday – conferences 1-8pm
17: School closed. (The day in lieu from Saturday gala day, March)



LIVE MUSIC FROM

“SWITCH”

7.30PM

SATURDAY 11TH JUNE

AT THE OTAIRI HALL

BYO DRINKS

SUPPER PROVIDED

DRESS CODE: COUNTRY & WESTERN

TICKETS \$20

AVAILABLE FROM HUNTERVILLE TRADING
FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT

JO DUNCAN 063228132

ELIZABETH MATTHEWS 063228344

Regards

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Stephen Lewis'.

Stephen Lewis
PRINCIPAL

HOT OFF THE PRESS....

LEADS ANNOUNCED FOR PRODUCTION

Congratulations to these senior students , named as leads today by Mrs Revell, for The Wizard of Oz:

Dorothy:	ANNA HUGHES
Wicked Witch of the West:	DAISY LANE
Tin Man:	ALEX LEGNER
Lion:	JOSH LOURIE
Scarecrow:	ASHA STEVENSON
Professor / Oz:	CREDANCE DUNCAN
Glinda:	MORNA COLLIE
Uncle Henry:	BRODIE GRAY
Aunty Em:	EDEN GOODWIN
Toto:	PHOENIX WHITESIDE

Plus other leading characters yet to be cast

Hunterville Sports Club

Major Sponsor – *Hunterville Vet Club*

HOCKEY 2016 – Proudly sponsored by Richard Goodwin Contracting

Was it not a great start to the season - the rain cleared and the games were played!
Well done I saw some great hockey - Please be prompt to practices this week.

No Practice for the Saturday morning group this week *it will be next* Thursday lunchtime.

Draws this week

MINIS at Huntley - Saturday 21st May 11am vs Bulls

KIWIS

Hawks - 4.15pm vs Bulls
Cougars have a bye

KWIK

Hunterville Black - 6.55pm vs Oroua
Hunterville Maroon have a bye

FRIDAY BUS

Bus will be leaving at 3.20pm and returning around 8.30pm to school
Names into the school office by lunchtime Thursday.

- \$5 cash on day

- no cash no ride, this covers fuel and food!

Please have **JACKETS** and preferably track pants-it was freezing with the wind last week!

Please note hockey socks are maroon & white.

Just remember that all the facilities are SMOKEFREE especially at Huntley as this is school grounds, and no DOGS please!

Elisabeth Bunn
Hockey Co-ordinator
0272824895

Rippa Rugby - Hunterville Black

Played Kaierau in Wanganui at Springvale Park. The team played very well, winning 11-8. Tries were scored by Marcus Murray, Samuel Richmond & Nate Arnott. Player of the day went to Marcus. Great support play from Joey Keenan and Samuel.

Elysia McKay

Rippa Rugby – Hunterville Maroon

The Maroon team was again playing at Wanganui on Saturday, this time against Westmere. Despite a few sizeable players in the opposition, the Maroon team were not intimidated and played really well pulling off some spectacular rips and fantastic tries.

The score was equal at the end of the game with many of the Maroon team running in at least one try. Harry Rendle was awarded Player of the Day after another try scoring spree and some try saving rips.

Liz Russell & Bryan Rendle

Netball

Please note all Saturday morning teams start this Saturday, 21st May. Coaches will let you know the game time at practice on Wednesday. The Future Ferns (Y1,2 and 3) begin later on in June – I will send out a reminder later in the term.

As mentioned in last week's Pinkie, there are two training sessions next week, working through the Future Ferns programmes. Anyone interested may attend. **Please note the times as they are different from previously advertised!** These Sessions will be held on Wednesday the 25th of May in the Centennial Park Pavillion in Marton and will be facilitated by the new Central Zones Junior Development Coordinator Irene van Dyk.

Times are as follows:

Year 1 & 2 Programme will be held from 4:00pm - 5:30pm

Year 3 & 4 Programme will be held from 6:00pm - 7:30pm

- Tris Weston

Football Results for Tuesday 3rd May:

Destroyers 6

Hurricanes 2

Hammerheads 3

Tornados 1

Heros 6

All Whites 4

Football Results for Tuesday 10th May:

Hammerheads 6

Hurricanes 2

Heros vs Tornados – unclear result!

All Whites 5

Players of the Day for these weeks: Javaark Kennedy-Goodwin, Charlie Cook, Ollie Richmond-Deacon, Savannah McDougall, Neko McDougall, Jack Goodwin, Marcus Murray, Breanna Gray, Symon Johannson, Orlando Ratima, Duncan McIntyre, Katara Ballard, Iris Collie, Sam Livingston and Sam Richmond.

Hi Footballers:

We have now worked through our first couple of sessions with positive feedback from all involved.

A couple of reminders:

* 3.15pm start for First Kicks. We have now split this group into two with the younger and less confident in a smaller group. Also the length of these games is being reduced to 20min (although we will work to the needs of the children and families on the day). This means this group may finish slightly earlier between 4pm and 4.15pm.

* 3.45pm start for Fun/Mini Football (ending 5pm). Players staying at school – please check in with me first then move to the upper field for afternoon tea and a spot of homework or a play before the session starts! Please take bags and drink bottles to the upper field and get ready up there. Any concerns/issues or problems come to find me!

We are running teams with limited subs so all get to play a full game – please let me know if your child is not able to attend because this will give me time to ensure teams are not short on the day.

We have been invited to play the Wanganui Juniors on Tuesday 24th May in Wanganui – all players welcome – let me know if your player can come and I will confirm transport arrangements. We will be running a session in Hunterville for those who cannot play in Wanganui. On 7th June, we will host the Wanganui players in Hunterville. We also have two dates to play Wanganui Schools later in the season – an interschool tournament and Clubs tournament.

Also look out for another article in the paper – Feilding/Central Districts Times.

Happy footballing - Rosie

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