



Thursday, 15 October 2020

Dear Parents/Caregivers

Welcome to term 4 of what has been a most unusual school year. Thankfully though, we are at Alert level 1 and can look forward to relative normality over the next few weeks with reasonable confidence.

There are, however, a few key Alert 1 messages that we should continue to take on board.

If you are coming into the school for pick ups and drop offs please **use the NZ COVID Tracer app** located on the office and hall doors. If a case does appear in our community, the contact tracing processes will support the speedy identification of close contacts of the confirmed case.

Testing remains a crucial component in preventing an outbreak.

If a child or staff member is sick, they should stay home. If they have cold or flu symptoms they should call their doctor or Healthline on [0800 358 5453](tel:08003585453) for advice about getting tested. If recommended to get tested, they should do so.

Fundamental public health measures continue to apply including hand hygiene, cough and sneeze etiquette, and regularly cleaning and disinfecting high touch surfaces.

SCHOOL SHOW

We are excited that Level 1 also means we are able to hold our school musical show *Kidsummer Night's Dream* that will now be performed to the community on the following days:

Tuesday 27 October 1pm Matinee
Wednesday 28 October 7pm



Thursday 29 October 7pm
Friday 30 October 7pm

Please note that tickets must be presented at the door on entry. Those who have already purchased tickets should simply transfer them so if you have a Tuesday matinee show ticket then you should attend the Tuesday 27th show and so on. Parents taking their children to the matinee on Tuesday afternoon please be sure to let the class teacher know. Please do not decide to attend a different show as we only have printed the same number of tickets as seats! If you are still wanting to purchase a ticket there are a few left at the office or you can buy on

KEY DATES

Monday 19 October 7.30pm
BOT meeting

Tuesday 20 October
Year 3/4 and Year 5/6 Soccer tournament

Thursday 22 October 1pm
Dress rehearsal for show

Thursday 22 October
Bike testing for those who have recently turned 9 or will do so this term

Friday 23 October
Scooter testing for those who have recently turned 9 or will do so this term

Friday 23 October
Inter-School Swimming

Thursday 29 October 3pm
BYOD meeting - Year 5 parents



Magic Show in our hall this Sunday for all students!
Door sales available.

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WELCOME

Welcome to the 15 new students who have joined us this term bringing out total roll to 540. We wish them and their families a happy and successful time at our school.

We have opened another class for our brand new five year olds in room 0. These children are being taught by Mrs Logan Burson, and Mrs Jess Ryder who has returned to help out this term.

HOCKEY

A reminder that if you are keen for your child to play summer hockey for a few weeks this term a notice went out earlier this week to all year 3-6 parents with a link for registering. Check your emails.

ROAD PATROL

We require road patrol supervision help on Wednesday afternoons just for 20 minutes. If you could please assist on that day email Mr Pipes chris@hauraki.school.nz

BRING YOUR OWN DEVICE MEETING (BYOD)

A meeting is planned for **Thursday 29 October** in room 19 straight after school for parents of year 5 students who will be entering year 6 next year. As all students in year 6 are required to have a device this meeting opportunity will explain how this works and answer questions you may have.

YEAR 6 CAMP

As part of our curriculum all year 6 students attend camp that will take place in February next year. Notices have been sent home with all current year 5 students. This is a reminder that these must be returned **by no later than 6 November**. Many thanks for your cooperation with this.

PTA TREASURER WANTED

Enjoy fun with numbers? The PTA is looking for a new **treasurer** to help keeping the finances in order. No accountancy background needed, you just need to enjoy numbers and have a spare hour per week. Interested? Just get in touch, Sarah Furlong HaurakiPTA@outlook.com

THINKING OF GIFTS FOR CHRISTMAS?

This is our last Scholastic order for the year. If you received a voucher last time, because the book you ordered wasn't available, use it with this order. Enter the voucher number online or return the voucher sheet with your order form, if you are paying cash. Cash orders in the box in the office foyer, any cheques to be made out to Scholastic NZ. Make sure you have the correct name and room number clearly on the order form. If you wish to keep your order secret from your child, put Office as the room number. Orders will close on Friday 23rd Oct.

Sharon Slater | ezlunch Co-ordinator

(Available Tuesday to Friday)

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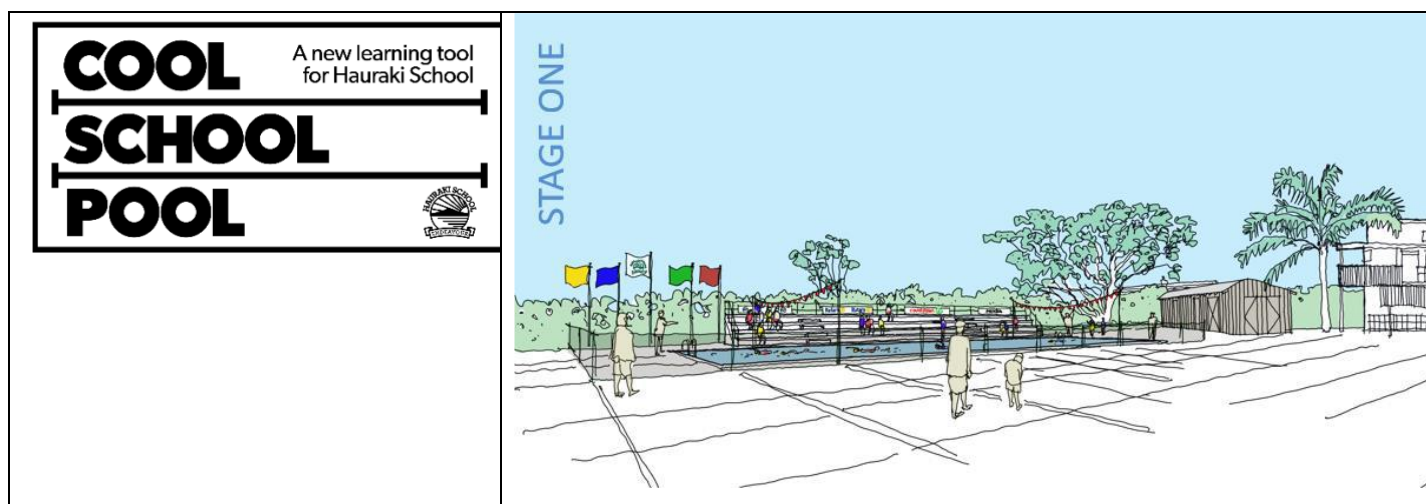
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POOL PROJECT



2020 has been somewhat of a strange one and it has sadly derailed plans we had for fundraising towards our new Cool School Pool. The Pool Committee, however, has been busy moving forward with the technical side of the project and refining our funding target.

Some of our key pieces of work we have been working on are as follows:

- Securing quotes for all of the major portions of the project – in particular, the demolition of the current pool, new fencing and excavation for the new pool, which is quite substantial (25m x 8.4m). This is a major cost component of the project.
- We have procured detailed engineering plans for the pool, along with site and service plans in preparation of lodging a Building Consent in the near future.
- Once we have Building Consent, we will use this to support funding and grant applications. We hope to get these underway by the end of this year.

Our target fundraising target is \$350,000.

This amount will cover demolition of the current pool, excavation for the new pool, plus basic landscaping and new fencing. Initially, the existing change sheds will remain in place.

The PTA has done some wonderful fundraising over the past few years and we currently have \$220,000 ring-fenced for this project. Our focus will now be on raising the remaining \$130,000 over the next 12 months. We will be using various strategies to fundraise, including events, a major raffle, corporate sponsorship, community sponsorship (i.e. buy a brick).

We are also hopeful that many in our community will put their hands up in due course to provide services and support towards the project as we get closer to the actual build. In this regard, we would love to hear from anyone who has experience/contacts in the following areas:

- Excavation, Trucking, Soil Disposal
- Pool Fencing
- Concrete Supply and Concreting
- Plumbing

Anyone is welcome to get involved in the project, so please get in touch if you are keen to contribute. Especially if you have any **experience or ideas around fundraising** 😊 Please contact: nikki.horne@xtra.co.nz in this regard.

SPORTS

Summer Season

We have three netball teams and 11 touch rugby teams that commence play this week. Best wishes to them for the summer season ahead.

Thank you for reading this newsletter.

Sincerely

Clarinda Franklin

Principal

PTA NEWS



Pie Day continues... Tuesday, 20 October.
Loads of yummy flavours
Delivered warm to the school

Order now on: www.kindo.co.nz
Orders close midnight on Sunday, 18 October.

Supporting your school's fundraising as
you feed your kids – Thanks!

Key Dates for the remainder of the year:

The **Trickster Magic Show** with magicians Andy and JP will be back for another show at Hauraki School on **Sunday, 18 October, 2.30pm** in the school hall.

The PTA is looking for **volunteers** to help with tickets sales on the day and sale of refreshments - please get in touch, David Goodman onionpeel@gmail.com

The **Hauraki Fair 2021** Info evening that had been planned for Thursday 22 October has been postponed to 2021 - details to follow.

The annual **School Disco** will be held on Friday, 13th November in the school hall.

Volunteers to help out on the night can now register via kindo.co.nz

Peninsula Kapa Haka Festival Friday 20 November.

COMMUNITY NOTICES



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LittleCooks at Belmont Intermediate School Term 4

A busy weekly FRIDAY class of alternating between sweet and savoury dishes, learning new skills, flavours and textures.

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