



NEWS



Rāpare 15 Pepuere/Thursday 15 February 2024

Kia ora koutou katoa

Thank you to all those who attended Meet the Teacher last week. We value home-school partnership and hope the evening provided a good incite into routines, expectations and daily life at Hauraki School. If you have any concerns, appointments can be made with the class teacher. I operate an open door policy and am happy to see parents at virtually any time.

It has been a smooth start to the school year with classes settled and focused on learning. We are grateful for the part you play with having your child is well prepared for school each day. If you have any concerns please do not hesitate to make an appointment with the class teacher.

It is our job to ensure the school provides a happy, safe, orderly environment. A clear message regards bullying was relayed this week at our whole school assembly as part of hauora, our current value of focus. Any incidents will be taken seriously. We encourage tamariki to speak up but please contact us if you know something that we don't so it can be addressed. Usually any such incidents can be dealt with successfully and quickly.

UNIFORM

This is to reiterate expectations around school uniform. Thank you for your cooperation with these.

Footwear: Black sandals with a back strap **or** black shoes and regulation silver socks or in the case of girls black tights are acceptable. For some reason crocs and slides have appeared recently but these have never been part of our school uniform.

Hair: Long hair below the shoulders must be tied up each day.

Jewellery: No jewellery is permitted at school.

Undergarments: If these are to be worn they should not show. We suggest just wearing a shirt then putting the school jumper over the top if cold.

Phones: A reminder that phones and smart watches are not permitted at school either.

MUSIC EDUCATION CENTRE

If you would like your child to play a musical instrument after school at Hauraki please see the following [Music Education Centre](#)

The URL for the Google enrolment form is www.bit.ly/MECPRIMARY.

KEY DATES

Monday 19 February 9am

Senior School Swimming Sports at Birkenhead Memorial Park Pool

Monday 19 February 6pm

BOT meeting

Wednesday 21- 23 February

Year 6 School Camp

Tuesday 27 February

Junior Annual Swimming Sports

Wednesday 28 February

Middle Annual Swimming Sports

Thursday 7 March 3- 8.30pm

Parent Interviews

Tuesday 19 March 7.30pm

PTA meeting

Tuesday 9 April 2.15pm

Sharing assembly in the hall – all parents welcome

Friday 29 March, Tuesday 1 and 2 April

Easter school holidays, school closed

Saturday 6 April

Electric Picnic

Friday 12 April 3pm

Last day of term 1 – please note this is no longer a teacher only day as previously advertised



Tennis lessons for PE this week

82 Jutland Road, Hauraki, Auckland 0622

Phone: 09 489 4568 | Fax: 09 489 4579

Email: office@hauraki.school.nz

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ROAD SAFETY

A reminder to use the school crossing when wanting to get to the other side of the road. No one should be crossing at the bottom of Jutland Rd. Also please do not park on yellow lines even momentarily to drop off or pick up children as this is illegal.

PLAYGROUNDS

We ask that you leave the school grounds as soon as possible after 3pm. The road patrol wardens are waiting for you. Playing on the playgrounds at this time is strictly forbidden as there are no teachers available for supervision and we do not know who is with a parent and who isn't. Also with teachers often going into meetings quiet is appreciated. Thank you for your cooperation with this.

SCHOOL SHOW

If anyone is able to assist a couple of parents with costume preparation for our year 5 and 6 school show in late June we would love to hear from you. Please email principal@hauraki.school.nz or pop in.

FAMOUS PEOPLE

	<p style="text-align: center;">Freddie Fang</p> <p>On January 18th Freddie played golf at Omaha Golf Junior Open 2024, and he achieved 1st place of Overall Stableford. Congratulations, Freddie!</p>		<p style="text-align: center;">Luke Colhoun</p> <p>Luke played in the Junior World Series cricket tournament at North Shore Cricket Club. Luke was named the player of the tournament and was one of two players to score a half century in their games. We are so proud of him!</p>
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<p>Year 6 Museum Trip this week</p>		
		
<p>Room 23: Maths Lesson</p>	<p>Year 6 dance lesson</p>	<p>Room 23: Maths game</p>

Thank you for reading this newsletter.

Clarinda Franklin
Principal



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PTA NEWS

Thank you to the few who attended the PTA meeting on Tuesday evening this week. Election of Officers took place for 2024. The school is fortunate to have such a capable and enthusiastic group of people from whom we all benefit.

Congratulations to the following:

Chairperson: Sarah Furlong

Vice Chair: Adam Bennett

Treasurer: Victoria Gaylard

Secretary: Catherine Steel

Executive Committee: Steve Eagles, Charnz Samountry-Weir, Anna Havranek

The first main event is the Electric Picnic on Saturday 6 April at Hauraki School. It promises to be a great social occasion for parents and tamariki so do keep this date free!

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Registrations are now open for the NZ Chess Academy 2024.

We have ten chess academy squads scheduled for 2024, ranging from complete beginner to the best juniors in New Zealand. The first classes will start on Saturday on **3 February 2024**. All classes are online and can be access from anywhere in the world. Classes do have limited spaces and will be filled on a first-come first-served basis.

This is the best Chess training program in New Zealand.

We have a great range of coaches this year including a Junior Master, a National Master, a Women's International Master and an International Master!

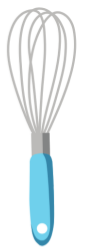
If you are interested, **you will need to register**. No attendees will be accepted without registration.

[Register today!](#)

If you would like to discuss anything, email paul@nzchessacademy.nz or text me on 021 0271 5577. You can also send me a message via WeChat ID CoachPaulMac.

TERM 1 2024

LITTLECOOKS KIDS COOKING



BELMONT INTERMEDIATE

DATES: February 15 - April 4

(8 weeks)

THURSDAYS: Food Tech Room,

Cost \$304

TO REGISTER: EMAIL TEAM@LITTLECOOKS.CO.NZ

www.littlecooks.co.nz



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