

Rāpare 26 Oketopa /Thursday 26 October 2023

Kia Ora Tatou

It was a pleasure to host a peninsula kapa haka festival at Hauraki this morning. Nine local schools that included over 400 ākonga attended and all brought their kapa haka to life with a variety of stunning performances. A highlight was a free sausage along the way thanks to Naylor Love Construction who so kindly supplied these.





Belmont Intermediate

Hauraki

CONGRATULATIONS

We are very proud of Janice Zhang who achieved a perfect score in the Maths Junior Olympiad that over 35 000 students from Australia and N.Z. participated in. Close behind were Charlie Bennett, Jessica He, George Dong, Keanu Anesi and Tommy Liu who performed admirably in the top 10%. Congratulations to these exceptional students.



OPEN DAY

We are holding an open morning for prospective parents and children tomorrow, **Friday 27 October**. If you know of anyone who is considering attending Hauraki School we would be grateful if you could help by spreading the word. Many thanks.

TROPHIES

It's that time of year again! Please can all trophy recipients from last year return these now as they need to be engraved for the next awards ceremony. If you could help with passing this message on to anyone you know please do so.

RUGBY SUPPORT TOMORROW

Just for fun tamariki are able to bring a shirt/jersey either black or green if they want depending on which rugby team you support and put these on after morning tea once our Open Session has finished.

KEY DATES

Thursday 2 November 9am Junior Athletics

Tuesday 7 November 9am Senior Athletics

Wednesday 8 November 11.30-2.30pm

Year 3 and 4 Gymnastics Competition

Thursday 9 November 9am Middle Athletics

Thursday 9 November 9-12.30

Year 5 and 6 Gymnastics Competition

Saturday 11 November 6pm - 12am

Hauraki House Party



Cricket Tournament last week at TGS 2024 Term Dates

Term 1

Thursday 1 February -Friday 12 April

Term 2

Monday 29 April— Friday 5 July Term 3

Monday 22 July – Friday 27 September

Term 4

Monday 14 October – Tuesday 17 December

A WORD FROM THE PTA....

We're so excited about seeing you all at the Hauraki house party on Saturday 11 November - it's going to be a fun night!

This night promises fantastic music with DJ Karn Hall, dancing, cocktails, fine wine, top-quality craft beers, a gourmet food truck, and plenty more!

The goal of this event is to raise the remaining funds required to make our long-awaited school pool a reality. We're just \$100,000 away from achieving our goal and we are aiming to break ground early next year, so this is our final push!

We have been donated many incredible prizes which are up for grabs via live auction, silent auctions and two raffles valued at \$1000 and \$400. Auction items include stays at two fabulous Holiday Homes; a customised portrait of your family dog hand drawn by an artist from the hit TV show Bluey; a signed basketball by the BNZ Breakers, and many vouchers from local businesses from all over the peninsula.

An auction catalogue will be emailed to you in the coming days, which will also be made available on the Hauraki School website. You can bid on the night or make an absentee bid via email to: anna.havrankova@hotmail.cz by Friday 10th November.



We will be selling raffle tickets ahead of the event at Athletics Day, so please bring cash.

This is a community fundraiser and everyone is welcome, so bring along some friends! Tickets can be purchased via eventbrite:

https://www.eventbrite.co.nz/e/hauraki-school-house-party-tickets-712605982677?aff=oddtdtcreator

ATHLETICS

Please note that our annual athletics sports days, that you are all invited to, are to be held as follows: Juniors (rooms 1-10) Thursday 2 November 9am, Seniors (rooms 17-23) Tuesday 7 November 9 –12.30 Middles (rooms 11-16) Thursday 9 November 9-12.30pm. All invited.

FAMOUS PEOPLE

Kash Baskerville is to be congratulated on achieving 5th overall in the New Zealand primary school surfing championship held September 23rd and 24th in Gisborne at Makorori Beach. There were great conditions on the first day but very stormy onshore conditions made it tough for the finals on Sunday. The best primary school surfers in the country up to year 6 attended so to get this result is worth sharing. We are proud of you, Kash!

Duncan Liu, year 4 student, was placed 2nd in a top level international piano competition final held in France during the recent holidays. This is an amazing achievement. A big congratulations from all of us at Hauraki!







UNIFORM SOCKS

These have now arrived for those of you who have been waiting and are available from the school office.

GIVE A LITTLE PAGE FOR EX-HAURAKI STUDENT, PORTIA SWAN

Another Give a little page has been put up for ex-student Portia Swan who is about to undergo major surgery. Portia is now 14 years old and a student at Takapuna Grammar.

See below plus the N.Z. Herald article that came out on the weekend.

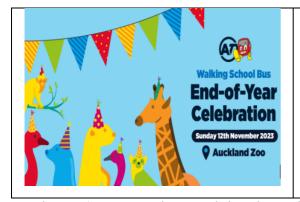
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REMINDERS

Just a few reminders:

- We still have a few children not wearing hats. Please remember this is compulsory wearing in term 4 for all students at morning tea and lunch times this term. Please ensure that your child's hat is named.
- As always, children are required to wear footwear to and from school. This is either black sandals and no socks, or black shoes and silver socks. Girls are able to wear black tights if they prefer but no other colour.
- Please, <u>no</u> children are to play on the school playgrounds after school. We request children go straight home after school unless they are at after school care. Thank you for your cooperation with this matter.

TRAVELWISE



We're so excited to be holding our Walking School Bus End-of-Year-Celebration again at Auckland Zoo. The face painters are back and staying longer this time, so hopefully no one misses out.

This year we'll need you to all register and provide your postal address so we can post your Zoo entry wristbands. You'll need these on the day to enter for free.

Please speak with your route leader on how to register for children and volunteers

(Zoo entry and WSB activities are FREE to WSB children and

volunteers). You're welcome to bring along other family members and friends who are not on a WSB, but they don't need to register. They'll be eligible for a 20% discount for Zoo entry on the day. Just mention they are with the AT WSB team at the ticket office. Under 4 years old are free.

Please note registrations close Friday 3 November

HAVE YOU THOUGHT ABOUT JOINING THE WALKING SCHOOL BUS

- Check https://www.hauraki.school.nz/wsb.html
- for more information about the WSB, which route is closest to you and how to join
- If you have any questions and/or want to find out more about the walking school bus, please SMS/call **Hayden** on **027 578 0522**
- We look forward to seeing you on a bus soon!







I hope you all managed some rest and relaxation over Labour Weekend.

Hei konā mai Clarinda Franklin Principal

Right: Hauraki and Belmont Primary performing at the Peninsula Orchestral sharing event that we hosted.







COMMUNITY NOTICES



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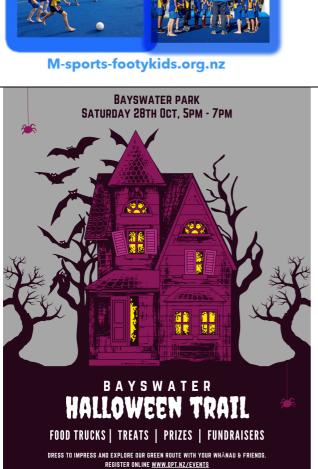
. 5 weekly sessions

Starts: Tuesday 7th Nov
Time: 3.10 - 3.55pm
Venue: School Field
Cost: \$69 per child

\$34.50 per extra sibling

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Music

Unleash your inner rockstar in our small-group guitar lessons!

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All our classes start from the very beginning, so no experience needed! our lessons are in the Hauraki School music room every Wednesday and Friday after school.

Call John 022 604 8766 John.casson@musiqhub.co.nz



