

Thursday, 5 December 2019

Dear Parents/Caregivers

There's always much to look forward to at this busy time of the year with celebration events, a reminder of the year that has been, and the thought of long summer holidays to follow. Meantime, please note that all parents, and extended family are invited to:



Junior Christmas Concert Friday 6 December 9.30am

in School Hall



Rooms 1-7, 20 and 20A will all be performing

Please stay for Christmas cake and tea at the end if you wish

Year 6 Graduation Final Assembly

Friday 13 December 9.30am in school hall

All middle and senior schools are to be present.

Morning tea will be served at the end for year 6 parents and extended family

ONEPOTO FESTIVAL

Once again our kapa haka represented the school with pride when they performed at Onepoto last week amidst plenty of competition. Matua Gary was particularly proud of them! Thank you, too, to Mr Ashley who helped with the coordination of this event.



ANNUAL INTER-SCHOOL ATHLETICS EVENT

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KEY DATES

Friday 6 December 9.30am
Junior Christmas Concert - all welcome

Tuesday 10 December and Thursday 12 at 9.30am
New entrant visits

Tuesday 10 December 12 noon
Instrumental concert in hall - all welcome

Friday 13 December 9.30am
Final Assembly - all welcome. Morning tea will be served at the end for our year 6 parents

Monday 16 December
Student reports sent home.

Tuesday 17 December
Year 6 end of Year 6 Celebration

Wednesday 18 December 12.30pm
School finishes for the year. Please ensure your child knows what to do at this time!

Tuesday 28 January
Office is open from 10am - 2pm for the remainder of this week

Tuesday 4 February 8.55am
First day of term 1 2020

Wednesday 5 February 7.30pm
Meet the Teacher evening

Friday 7 February
Leadership Day for Year 6's

Term 4 Value:
Integrity

The peninsula inter-school athletics event held at the Millenium Centre yesterday was a very rewarding event for Hauraki. Results are as follows:

8 YEAR OLD BOYS

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| Leo Wilson (2nd High Jump) | Levi Gillies (3rd Softball Throw) |
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9 YEAR OLD BOYS

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| Ollie Ryder (3rd 100m Sprint) | Leo Bannatyne (3rd High Jump) |
| Harrison Todd (2nd Softball Throw) | |

10 YEAR OLD BOYS

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| Charlie Balle (1st 70m Sprint, 2nd 100m Sprint, 1st High Jump) |
| Angus Waddams 2 nd 70m sprint |

11 YEAR OLD BOYS

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| Oliver Sara (3rd 200m Sprint, 2nd 100m Sprint) | Kane Te Whiu (1 st 70m Sprint, 3rd 100m Sprint, 2nd Long Jump) |
| Leo Hobson (1st High Jump) | |



8 YEAR GIRLS

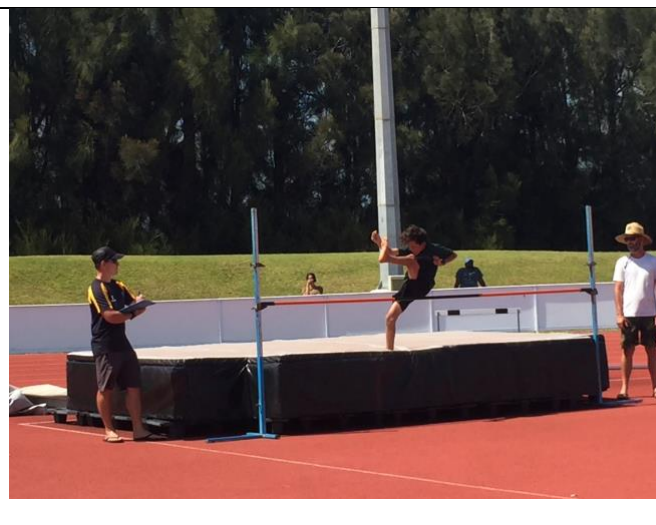
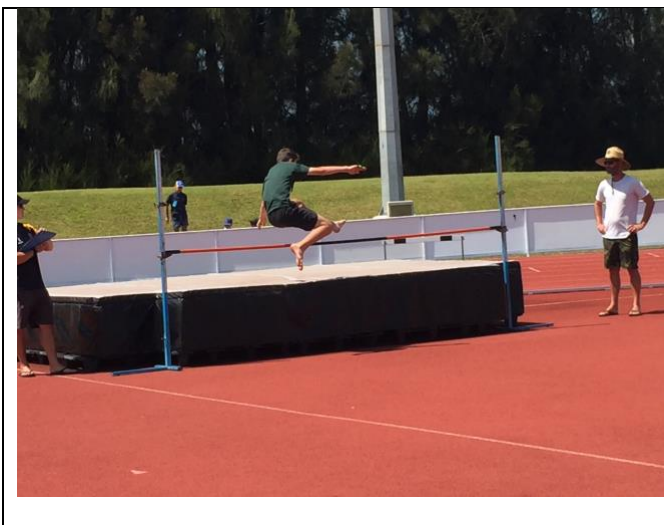
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| Paige Burrows (1st 70m Sprint, 1 st 100m Sprint) | Cara Te Whiu (2nd 70m Sprint, 2nd 100m Sprint) |
| Izabelle Burge (3rd 70m Sprint) | Scarlett Aitchison-Studd (2nd Long Jump) |
| Ede Barrett (3 rd Softball Throw) | 9 YEAR GIRLS |
| | Monica Zhai 2 nd High Jump |

10 YEAR GIRLS

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| Tara Barrett (1st 70m Sprint, 2nd 100m Sprint) | Anja Kozenof (2nd 70m Sprint) |
| Elizabeth Ellis (3rd 800m) | Dana Ramsay (1st High Jump) |
| Brooklyn Horne (2nd Long Jump) | Rhona Gillam (3rd Softball Throw) |

11 YEAR GIRLS

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| <p>Molly Talbot (3rd 100m Sprint, 1st Long Jump)</p> <p>Emilia Bright (2nd Softball Throw)</p> <p>Kyla Turner (3rd 200m Sprint, 2nd High Jump)</p> <p>Relay Teams</p> <p>Boys</p> <p>Kiedis Baskerville, Ollie Ryder, Charlie Balle, Oliver Sara (3rd)</p> <p>Girls</p> <p>Paige Burrows, Monica Zhai, Tara Barrett, Kyla Turner (3rd Place)</p> |  |  |
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CHESS

We are pleased to continue the Chess Coaching Programme at our school and look forward to bringing the excitement, competition and educational benefits of chess to your children.



What happens in a Chess Power Coaching Programme?

- Grow Kids Minds™ !!
- Improve concentration and focus
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 - Prepare for Chess Tournaments against other schools
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Each session starts with a formal lesson; all players will learn a new strategy, idea or skill each week. Then they put those skills into practice with activities and games. All games are monitored and supervised by the coach who provides individual feedback along the way.

Throughout the programme, we reward kids that do well and encourage and support kids that are struggling. At completion of the programme we recognise each child with a certificate based on their performance.

Q: Where can I learn more?

A: Visit our website, www.chesspower.co.nz and click **Parents Centre**

CLASS DETAILS

Sessions will be held on **Wednesdays** from **8:00 am to 9:00 am** in the Library starting **Wed 19 February 2020**.

TRYATHLON



Entries are open for the Hibiscus Coast Weet-Bix KidsTRYathlon on Sunday, 22-Mar-2020 at Manly Park, Whangaparaoa.

2. The TRYathlon is all about giving it a TRY and is a rewarding and fun day out for you and your child.

3. Participants need to be aged 7 – 15 years old and can complete the TRYathlon as an individual or in a team of two.

4. Our school has created a School Group which you can join when you enter from home. Search for HAURAKI SCHOOL when prompted or just follow this link to register:

<https://www.registernow.com.au/secure/Registrar.aspx?E=35585&G=101409>

5. By linking to our school group it will give us the chance to win some cool prizes. We need at least 15 students registered in HAURAKI SCHOOL group to qualify for the prizes

6. If someone you know requires financial assistance to enter the TRYathlon, through either subsidised entry fees or funding for necessary equipment, then you can apply to the Weet-Bix TRYathlon foundation for assistance. Visit www.try.weetbix.co.nz for details.

7. If you have any school related questions please contact Christopher Pipes, chris@hauraki.school.nz Otherwise, contact the Weet-Bix TRYathlon team via email tryathlon@sanitarium.co.nz or phone 0800 WEETBIX.



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Term 4 Value:
Integrity

The last session will be held on 8 April 2020. The fee is \$100 for the term.

REGISTRATION

If your child would like to be part of this for **TERM 1** please visit our website:

www.chesspower.co.nz/register

It is easy to register. Just choose your school and fill out the online form. Payments can be made by credit card.



FAMOUS PERSONS

Just to let you know Keanu Anesi & Daniel McLiver competed for the Takapuna Athletics club in the boys 7 year old relay events on 1st December at the Central North West Relay Championships. Their team achieved fantastic results; 1st in 4 x 200m relay, 1st in Field relay & 2nd in 4 x 100m relay.

Two of our talented students starred in NYTC Wizard of Oz at the Aotea Centre last week performing to over 7000 people - George Fowler was selected as a lead actor as a Munchkin City Father and Kyla Turner as a lead tap dancer as a Munchkin Maiden.



SPORTS

BASKETBALL

Our Year 5 basketball team finished 4th in the Championship League last night (1st time a Hauraki team have been in this top league) and we're super-proud of them!



Year 5 Thunder



NEXT YEAR

Stationery and donation letters are to be sent home with children this year on the same day as the reports go home, Monday 16 December. We would appreciate these being paid online by the time school starts.

Please note that all stationery is provided by the school once it is paid online. We do not permit stationery to be purchased outside the school as it is important to us that everyone has the same. We negotiate good prices to enable this to happen.

Also the school office will be open from Tuesday 28 January 10am -2pm for the remainder of that week should you require any uniform top ups or anything else.

Thank you for all your much appreciated support this year in so many ways, be it road patrol supervision, putting away reading books, being a waterwise instructor, managing or coaching sports teams, helping out with sausage sizzles, providing a plate for open day morning teas, assisting with the fair or other fund raisers and the list goes on. It is everyone contributing that makes Hauraki School a special place and certainly we would not be able to provide all the opportunities without your support.

Many thanks too for sending your children to school well prepared for each day. Soon it is time for some well-earned rest and recreation.

Very best wishes for a happy and relaxing summer break, and I look forward to seeing you all again in 2020!

Clarinda Franklin
Principal

COMMUNITY NOTICES

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