

Rāpare 3 Āperira/Thursday 3 April 2025

Kia ora tatou

We are looking forward to the Electric Picnic this weekend that promises to be an afternoon filled with music, food, obstacle courses, sports, fun activities, bouncy castles and more. This is a unique music + picnic fundraising event for Hauraki School that everyone from the community and beyond can attend.

# Saturday 5 April 2-7pm at Hauraki

Thank you to everyone who has purchased tickets. Attendance figures are looking good and of course there will be door sales available on the day as well.

Tickets are \$10 for adults (18 +) and free entry for kids (17 and below) Door sales \$20 for adults (18 +) and free entry for kids (17 and below)

Tickets from <a href="https://www.eventbrite.co.nz/e/hauraki-electric-picnic-2025-tickets-1108825800819">https://www.eventbrite.co.nz/e/hauraki-electric-picnic-2025-tickets-1108825800819</a>

Feel free to bring along picnic blankets, umbrellas and gazebos. There will be a licensed bar to purchase beverages from on the day so you cannot BYO to this event.

Harcourts Cooper and Co will also be hosting a quick fire auction with some awesome things up for grabs.

100% of the proceeds raised go to Hauraki Primary School PTA projects. For more info on this event or if you would like to donate or volunteer, email <a href="mailto:info@highlife.co.nz">info@highlife.co.nz</a>

A big thanks to Harcourts Cooper and Co, Hauraki PTA, Highlife Entertainment, Hauraki Social Club, Devonport Electrical, Zeffer, LSDK, Takapuna, Shoe Science Takapuna, All Fit Gym Takapuna,

Toy World Glenfield, Devonport Electrical, O-Studio Takapuna, Life for Men, Takapuna and everyone else for their contributions towards this event.



### **KEY DATES**

Saturday 5 April 2-7pm

**Electric Picnic at Huraki School** 

**Sunday 6 April** 

**Shore to Shore Fun Run** 

Tuesday 8 April 2.15pm

Sharing assembly – all parents invited

Friday 11 April 3pm

Term 1 ends

Monday 12 May 6pm

**BOT** meeting

Monday 12 - Friday 16 May

**Book Week** 

Friday 30 May

Teacher Only day (King's Birthday Weekend)

Friday 24 October

**Teacher Only day (Labour Weekend)** 



### **ELECTIONS**

Board elections are scheduled for 10 September.

if you are considering joining the Board and would like to know more please feel free to get in touch with us at <a href="mailto:boardoftrustees@hauraki.school.nz">boardoftrustees@hauraki.school.nz</a> or speak to one of our board members. Another option is to attend one of our board meetings that will provide some insight for you.

The Board plays a critical role in the oversight and governance of the school and is a rewarding way to contribute to the school community. Expertise in areas of finance, property, commercial negotiation, policies and working as part of a team are always welcome.

### **TRAVELWISE**

Wondering about walking to school? Well, it isn't just good for kids—it's great for families, communities, and the planet too.



**Healthier bodies** – Regular walking helps kids stay active, maintain a healthy weight, and get them ready for cross country.



**Happier minds** – Walking can improve mood and reduce stress. It's a simple way to support children's mental wellbeing, helping them feel more positive and focused throughout the day.

**Sharper learning** – Physical activity is linked to better concentration and memory. A brisk walk to school can help students arrive alert and ready to learn.



**Cleaner communities** – School drop-offs contribute significantly to traffic congestion. Walking helps reduce cars on the road, which means less pollution and safer streets, especially with our lack of parking at school.

**Safer**, more confident kids – Walking regularly builds road safety awareness and independence—skills that last a lifetime.

So next week, come and join us by signing up here <a href="https://www.hauraki.school.nz/wsb.html">https://www.hauraki.school.nz/wsb.html</a> It's a small change that brings big benefits for your child and your community. Plus we have an Easter Egg Hunt on the way to school next week!

### **ROAD SAFETY**

It has been brought to our attention that some parents are not stopping at the stop sign at Charles St and Walter St. One of our parents has witnessed multiple near misses when driving up Walter St and drivers (Hauraki parents) not stopping or looking and pulling out. Kids are often crossing at the intersection in question. Thank you for your cooperation with this matter.

More generally, we have had several near misses this term involving Hauraki students, something that's always concerning. Please can you talk to your children particularly those who bike or scooter to school. Traffic flow is only increasing!

### **SCHOOL APP**

Our school app has been updated with some new, useful links. We highly suggest you download this app. It has links to our newsletters, school daily notices, kindo, teacher email addresses, ability to inform school of absences, school policies and term dates.

Please see the QR code below to download onto your device.









### **Download The Hauraki Primary School App**

To download the App Scan the QR code For access from a compatible Android or iOS mobile device



Click here to download the app

Once installed, you can access the app from this icon on your phone's homescreen...



### **CRICKET**

We enjoyed a cricket match against Belmont Primary yesterday hosted by Hauraki. There was good healthy competition in drizzly conditions. Congratulations to the opposition who secured a very good win. Thank you to the parents who helped out on the field and with the afternoon tea.

We have another week of school but this is the last newsletter for the term. Thank you all for your support over the past ten weeks that is always much appreciated. It has been a busy term but there have been lots of achievements. Now it's time for some rest and relaxation.

Enjoy the break, and we look forward to welcoming you back on Monday 28 April.

Hei konā mai Clarinda Franklin

**Principal** 







ESOL class with Mr Free

Music with specialist, Mr Ramsay

Art with specialist, Mrs Hawkins

# **PTA NEWS**

See you all at the Picnic on Saturday and/or Shore to Shore Run/Walk on Sunday!





## **COMMUNITY NOTICES**

# DON'T MISS OUT, SIGN UP NOW AND GIVERIPPA A GO.

WE ARE LOOKING FOR JUNIOR BOYS AND GIRLS BETWEEN 5 AND 6 YEARS OLD TO REGISTER FOR A SEASON OF RIPPA RUGBY AT OUR CLUB.

Open to Year 1(J8 Grade) and Year 2 (J7 Grade) school kids, Rippa Rugby is a great way to get kids active and introduce them to the sport in a safe and non-contact environment.

North Shore Rugby Football Club has a fantastic community feel and welcomes all families no matter what level of experience. Not to mention the kitchen and bar will be open.

ALL J7 AND J8 GAMES WILL BE ON FRIDAY EVENINGS.



#### SIGN UP

www.northshorerugby.co.nz/register-here by scanning this QR code or for more information email Dave Luxton david.j.luxton@gmail.com





# TUNIORS ARE BACK

AT ARENA ENTERTAINMEMNT ALBANY
FRIDAY EVENINGS STARTING 2nd of MAY

Registrations will start in March 2025 through our website.

Open to boys & girls Aged 8-18 with Grades of Primary, Intermediate, Junior College & Senior College













# RIPPA WORLD CUP SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAMME 14th AND 15th APRIL 2025

The North Shore Rugby Club is running a two-day "Rippa World Cup" fun non-contact rugby tournament for boys and girls from Year 3 to Year 9. Kide in their respective.

grades from different clubs and schools will be mixed up to form teams "representing" various countries (e.g. England,

This is a great chance for the kids to have some fun during the holidays, while learning new skills, getting active and making new friends.

Dates: Monday 14th and Tuesday 15th of April 2025

Fime: 8:30am to 4:00pm each day

**Venue:** North Shore Rugby Club (Cambridge Terrace, Devopport)

Entry Fee: \$140 (includes playing shirt)

Further information:

https://www.northshorerugbv.co.nz/RWC

Please direct all questions to: rippaworldcup@gmail.com

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# Tuition in Academic Writing (for fluent speakers of English)

**New Group Classes Opening** 

(Starting Week 1 of Term 2, 2025)

Enrolling Now

Limited Spaces Available (Tuesdays or Wednesdays)

Reserve a space

Online after-school tuition (one-hour lesson)
Small groups (maximum of 4 students)
Groups: Years 5 & 6, Years 7 & 8, Years 9 & 10

### Explicit tuition in the fundamentals of academic writing:

- Academic vocabulary
- Scholarly voice
- Complex sentence structures
- Punctuation
- Structuring writing
- Building the fundamental skills required for the NCEA Literacy Co-Requisite (Writing Assessment)
- Building confidence in writing

### Allie Rankine:

Qualified & Registered New Zealand Teacher with over 35 years of experience.



 ${\it Contact:} \quad English With {\it Allie.teacher@gmail.com}$ 









# GEALS BACK-TO-NETBALL

Holiday Programme Based locally in Devonport

GOALS is a netball skills and teamwork-based program tailored for kids of all experience levels.

Whether you're a netball expert or just starting out, join us to have fun and sharpen your skills.

We're a team of passionate Year 10 Netballers with lots of experience! Our small group sessions mean spaces are limited.

% Donated to Replay charity.

Time 8:30am - 1:30pm

Price \$45 per child per day

Place Stanley Bay School

15 Russell Street, Devonport (Programme is independent to the school)

### How to register:

Email goalsnetball@gmail.com to register. Registration closes Saturday 12 April.

## DATES

<u>Day 1</u> 14 April Years 2, 3, & 4

<u>Day 2</u> 15 April Years 4, 5 & 6

<u>Day 3</u> 16 April Year 4, 5 & 6











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