



# NEWS



Thursday 3 September 2020

Dear Parents/Caregivers

It is great to have most students back at school this week. Teachers are focused on teaching and learning and the need for some students to catch up.

Thank you for your support with leaving your children at the school gate each morning and picking them up outside the grounds at the end of the day. From our perspective this is working well and in line with Alert Level 2 requirements. The staggered dismissal times are to continue next week i.e. 2.50pm for junior children and their siblings, then 3pm for the remainder of the school.

We are trying to enable as many extra curricular sessions as possible to continue with respect to the Alert Level 2 rules. Coaches and teams are able to practise, but please coaches make sure you sign in at the office or using the QR code at the office entry. **We ask that parents rather than come on site, please arrange to collect your child at the front or back gate at the end of sports practices or music and dance classes.**

If it is absolutely necessary for you to come on to the grounds for some other reason please ensure you sign the contact register at the gate or using the QR code at the school office or hall entry.

At Alert Level 2, the disease is considered to be contained. The Prime Minister has advised that it is safe for children and staff to attend school but in so saying we must adhere to key health measures including:

- Good hand hygiene and cough and sneeze etiquette. Our school has safe and sensible practices for hand washing and sanitising to maintain the health and safety of everyone on the school site.
- Stay away if sick or showing symptoms of being sick. Your cooperation with this is extremely important. Children will be sent home straight away if they present unwell.
- Anyone who is self-isolating, or who has been advised by health authorities to remain at home while they wait for their COVID-19 test results, must stay home.
- Being extra vigilant about cleaning and disinfecting our high touch surfaces daily.

Your child does not need to wear a face covering while at school. We will of course support them should they choose to do so.

Assemblies will continue to be put on hold, and no parent helpers will be required in the meantime.

## TEAM PHOTOS

These are scheduled to take place on **Monday 14 September** from 8am. These photos will include all sports teams, and cultural groups.

## KEY DATES

**Monday 14 September from 8am**

**Team photos in the hall**

**Monday 21 September 7.30pm**  
**Board of Trustees meeting**

**Friday 25 September**  
**Term 3 ends**



**Procedural Writing: Year 5 students following instructions to make a lizard**



**Liam sharing his great story with the class**



**Year 6 students in discussion**

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Sports teams will need to be in uniform so children should wear these on this day but bring their school uniform to change into afterwards. If coaches and managers could be present that would be great. We will photograph those teams that are ready and complete first, starting at 8am.

### MIDDLE SCHOOL SPEECH FINALS

Congratulations to the following students who were placed in this annual competition today. The year 3's spoke about something they were proud of and the year 4's talked about what they'd like to be when they grow up.

#### Year 3

1st Luca James

2nd Thomas Cullen

3rd Lucas Han

#### Year 4

1st Anika Savou

2nd Sienna Bakalich

3rd Leonardo Burson



### STAFF EMAILS

We ask that you please do not email teachers during the day with messages for children about after school arrangements. Teachers in many cases do not check emails during the day as they are busy teaching. It is preferable that you organise with your children before school about such arrangements. There should be a back up plan in place in case things change. Thank you for your cooperation with this.

### PARKING

Please be aware that no one is to park across driveways or even a little over a driveway. Yesterday one of our local residents was unable to get out of her own driveway. Very frustrating for her!

Also a reminder that no one is to park on yellow lines to drop off or pick up children, not even momentarily, and that there are no exceptions to this road rule.

### SCHOOL SHOW

At this stage the show will be performed 22 -25 September subject to the Government's announcement about more relaxed rules around gatherings. The dress rehearsal is planned for **Sunday 20 September at 1pm**. Please ensure year 5 and 6 students keep this day free, as well as for each of the performances following that week because it is essential that all students attend each time.

Further details will be provided once we are sure that it is able to go ahead.

Purchased tickets will transfer directly so that if you have Tuesday matinee tickets you will now use them on Tuesday 22 September, Wednesday evening tickets will now be 23 September and so forth.

We have a back up plan so that if this is not possible we would move the show to Week 2, beginning 19 October, Term 4.

Please hold on to your tickets in the meantime. There are still a few seats left that can be purchased via [kindo.co.nz](http://kindo.co.nz) or via the school office.

Tickets are \$15 for adults, \$10 for children, under 5s are free.



Costumes created by our stunning wardrobe mistresses

## SPORTS

All sports matches and field days are on hold until the Government allows for larger gatherings. We are hoping that there will be some good news on Sunday 6 September.



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Thank you for reading this newsletter.

Clarinda Franklin

Principal

## PTA NEWS

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Do you want to help deliver pies to the children on the day?  
Any pie questions? Then email PTA Pie Pro David: [onionpeel@gmail.com](mailto:onionpeel@gmail.com)

Pie Day is back - Tuesday, 8 September.  
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Orders close midnight on Sunday, 6  
September.

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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

**Hauraki Fair 2021** Info evening **Thursday 22 October** - the planning of the biannual renown Hauraki school Fair will start soon - we would love to hear your ideas and thoughts on how we can make another amazing school fair happen!

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

**Peninsula Kapa Haka Festival** Friday 20 November

Any questions about the PTA?  
Just get in touch, Sarah Furlong, [HaurakiPTA@outlook.com](mailto:HaurakiPTA@outlook.com)

We look forward to seeing you at the events - your Hauraki PTA!



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# COMMUNITY NOTICES

**AFTER-SCHOOL  
SCIENCE & TECH CLASSES  
AGE 5 - 13**

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## Wave Warriors Holiday Surf Programme

The NZ Surf Academy are running their popular holiday surf programme over the spring holidays for 6-16yr olds at Orewa Beach

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## Takararo Spring Festival

**SEPT 19 2020  
3:30PM TO 6PM**  
Rain date Nov 15  
(only if at Alert level 1)

**Takararo/Mt Cambria Reserve  
& Devonport Community Garden**

A relaxed family event to welcome Spring with stories, music, games, flax weaving, bubbles, bike safety, seed planting, **FREE SAUSAGE SIZZLE**, food for sale and hot chocolate and coffee for 'koha'.

*Bring a picnic, a mug and gumboots!*

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Children are responsible for children under the age of 14 years attending this event.

