

Hutt Central School Newsletter No 9 - 8th April 2009

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

The end of week 10 is here already - amazing how fast the term has gone.

- **School finishes for the term at 3.00pm tomorrow - Assembly will start at 2.15pm.**

If your child is going to be absent tomorrow for part or all of the day, please let the teacher know as early as possible.

There will be no school lunches this week as Friday is a holiday.

Term 2 starts Monday 27th April at 8.55am

Term 2 is a 10 week term ending on 3rd July at 1.00pm

Just a reminder that I will be on sabbatical leave for term 2 and Judy Pemberton will be acting principal during my absence.

Board of Trustees Meetings for Term 2

- Tuesday 12th May 2009 - 7.30pm - Staffroom
- Tuesday 23rd June 2009 - 7.30pm - Staffroom

Walking School Bus

We have a new WSB started up and it will be operating every Tuesday and Wednesday (starting term 2). We are hoping to get a few more days up and running. The children will meet on the corner of Marsden and Pharazyn Sts at 8.30am and the WSB will leave approx 8.35am. Viv Winter will be co-coordinating the group, so any queries or anyone wishing to find out more please don't hesitate to call her on 934 9836. Remember that children who walk to school even for the last 10mins of their journey arrive at school more fresh and ready to learn.

Thank you

A huge thank you goes to Andrew Skelton from Skelton Landscapes for his donation of a truck load of bark/mulch for the seniors native garden. We are so lucky to have such wonderful parent support in our school.

Sports News

Touch Rugby - Congratulations to the Hutt Central Flyers who have, once again, won 1st place in the Boys Under 12 section. Hutt Central Flaming Ferns won the girls under 10 title.

Many thanks to Yvonne Hui Hui and Steve Crilly who coached the boys' & girls' teams respectively.

Multi-Sport Skills Holiday Programme. Basketball, touch, circuit, hockey, indoor cricket & soccer, volleyball. Walter Nash Stadium April 14 - 17 & April 20 - 23. 5-14 years. \$15 per day, 9am - 3pm. Booking enquiries 045600307.

Meridian Kids' Bike Jams

Wicked short off-road courses. All you need is attitude, a bike and a helmet...so give it a go! Heaps of spot prizes. 10th May Trentham Memorial Park.

For more details: www.kidsbikejams.co.nz * email: info@kidsbikejams.co.nz * fax 043894754

Fundraising

The fundraising committee is well and truly underway for the year with an ice cream day, family photos and of course the movie night all done and dusted. Profits from these successful events will be used to purchase digital cameras for each classroom.

Last years fundraising profits went towards new heat pumps in Rooms 11, 12, 7 and 8, along with new carpet for Room 11 and helped the BOT build not one but two new classrooms.

We really appreciate the support we receive from our school community and look forward to this continuing with our future fundraising events.

Fundraising Committee

We wish you all a relaxing holiday break and look forward to seeing everyone back refreshed for term 2.

Tony Horsfall
Principal