

# Hutt Central School

*Empowering our children to meet the future with confidence*

Hutt Central School Newsletter No 1 Term 4 16 October - 20 October 2017

## **Kia ora Tatau,**

Welcome back for Term 4, I hope that everyone had a fantastic break! I have really enjoyed talking with the students about their adventures over the holidays. From skiing, bike riding, movies, making huts at home and playing with cousins and neighbours our students have given many great reports from their time away from school!

This term is nine weeks long and this will go by in a flash!

Tomorrow is our final 'Bring and Buy' for this year. This is a great opportunity for our students to learn about choosing items and spending money. Thank you to the Senior Syndicate for organising this event. Please come and join us in the hall from 11.30am.

## Teacher Only Day

We are holding a Teacher only Day for the Board of Trustees and Staff to meet on Tuesday 24 October. We will be looking into our Shared Vision and Strategic goals to contribute to our Charter for 2018. This will be published for the community in December.

There are a number of local After School Care Programmes that may be open to care for your children on this day. Please google search to find their details.

## Sunhats

All students need to wear a hat at school for Term 4. Can you please ensure that your child has a bucket hat, full brimmed hat or legionnaires hat to wear outside everyday. Students who do not have a hat will be restricted to shady areas. School sunhats are available to purchase from the school office for \$15.00 each.

## Great Students

Cameron Flynn shared his writing with me this week. I was really impressed with the detail he included in his writing. I was most impressed with Jamie Roberts, Ava Nash and Emily Guar during Junior Kapa Haka today.

## New Students

Welcome to Madison Cobb, Hope Rigg, Franklin White, Maya Simmonds, Milly Simmonds, Elijah Eagle and Boh Lavelle-Clack who have started at Hutt Central School this week. It is great to have you here.

## Great Students

Kia ora, Naku noa

Michael Gendall

## **Term 4's Bring and Buy**

The last Bring and Buy for 2017 will be happening tomorrow, **Friday the 20th October** at 11:30am in our school hall. All money raised goes towards our next Senior School camp. We would really appreciate the whole school getting involved in some way by bringing in home baking, home made sweets, toys and games, books and magazines etc. Please ensure any toys or books you send along are clean and appropriate for primary school children. We will have food for sale on the day: toasted sandwiches and a sausage sizzle as well as ice creams, not to mention fantastic home baking. There will be lots of yummy things for your lunch that will be available.

**Please note that there will NOT be subway lunches available on this Friday.**

Parents PLEASE come along and join the fun.

**When:** Friday 11:30am, 20th October

**Where:** School Hall



**Found - A pair of toddler's leather shoes - grey with gold spots. Can be collected from the school office.**

## Wharewaka Trips

All the children have been given a notice to bring home this week with information on our upcoming trips into Wellington for some great workshops at Te Wharewaka.

The Fundraising Group have offered to support these trips by paying half of the cost.

The remaining cost of \$12.00 per child needs to be paid at the office, or online to the Hutt Central account.

Permission slips need to be returned to the office by Thursday next week.

We will require a substantial parent presence on the Wharewaka trip so please indicate on the return form if you are able to join us.

More return forms are available at the school office and on the school website.



## **'Watties Cans for Good'**

The Salvation Army are collecting cans of food to help fill their Food Banks. Hutt Central School would like to support them and so are asking for donations of cans of food.

There will be a collection point at the school office until Friday 3rd November.

Many thanks.

## **Athletics Day**

The children have started practising at school for the Senior and Middle School Athletics Day which will be on Thursday 2nd November in the school grounds. If wet there is a postponement day pencilled in for the following day. It would be great to have some parent helpers to assist staff on the different activities. Please let your child's teacher know if you can help.



## Contact Details

**Are your contact details changing due to Vodafone closing their email service?**

**You can update this with us by return email or to [admin@huttcentral.school.nz](mailto:admin@huttcentral.school.nz)**

**Please ensure you write your name, the old email address and the new.**

## **Hutt Central School Calendar**

**Visit our website for an updating Calendar <http://www.huttcentral.school.nz/>**

<b>Week 1 Term 4 (16 October - 20 October)</b>	Thursday 19th - Getting Started in Coaching workshop. See details below Friday 20th - Bring and Buy
<b>Week 2 Term 4 (23 October - 27 October)</b>	Monday 23rd - Labour Day - <b>SCHOOL CLOSED</b> Tuesday 24th - Teacher Only Day - <b>SCHOOL CLOSED</b>

	Thursday 26th - Year 6 students visiting Hutt Intermediate Friday 27th - Senior Syn Hooked on Cricket tournament
<b>Week 3 Term 4</b> <b>(30 October - 3 November)</b>	Monday 30th - Senior Syn Wharewaka trip Tuesday 31st - Middle Syn Wharewaka trip Wednesday 1st - Junior Syn Wharewaka trip Thursday 2nd - Senior and Middle Syn Athletics Day Thursday 2nd - Postponement dates for Wharewaka trips Friday 3rd - Postponement dates for Wharewaka trips
<b>Week 4 Term 4</b> <b>(6 November - 10 November)</b>	Tuesday 7th to Friday 10th - Life Education Trust at school Wednesday 8th - Room 8 class photo and school sports photos

## Fundraising News.

The Hutt Central School Fundraising Team are supporting  
Alicetown Playcentre's 75th Birthday Gala



**TIME: 10am - 2pm**  
**WHEN: Saturday 28 October 2017**  
**WHERE: Alicetown Playcentre, Victoria Park**

• Bouncy Castle • Kids' Dance Party Fun Fair Rides • Petting Zoo •  
Face Painting Market Stalls • Food Trucks and much more



## **Check out our Class Blogs**

Room 1	Mrs Campbell	<a href="https://blog.seesaw.me/teamtahi2017/">https://blog.seesaw.me/teamtahi2017/</a>
Room 2	Miss Mahoney	<a href="https://blog.seesaw.me/teamrua2017/">https://blog.seesaw.me/teamrua2017/</a>
Room 3	Mr Burgess	<a href="https://blog.seesaw.me/teamtoru2017/">https://blog.seesaw.me/teamtoru2017/</a>
Room 4	Miss Tiffen	<a href="http://kowhanga.blogspot.co.nz/">http://kowhanga.blogspot.co.nz/</a>
Room 5	Mrs Fleming	<a href="http://kowhanga.blogspot.co.nz/">http://kowhanga.blogspot.co.nz/</a>
Room 6	Mr Hodge	<a href="http://centralroom6.blogspot.co.nz/">http://centralroom6.blogspot.co.nz/</a>
Room 7	Mrs Burrell	<a href="http://hccroom7.blogspot.co.nz/">http://hccroom7.blogspot.co.nz/</a>
Room 8	Mrs Ronchetti	<a href="https://room8hcs.blogspot.co.nz/">https://room8hcs.blogspot.co.nz/</a>
Room 9	Mrs Scott	<a href="https://blog.seesaw.me/theamazingroom9">https://blog.seesaw.me/theamazingroom9</a>
Room 10	Mrs Braddock	<a href="https://blog.seesaw.me/room10hcs">https://blog.seesaw.me/room10hcs</a>
Room 11	Mrs Gould	<a href="https://blog.seesaw.me/hccroom112017/">https://blog.seesaw.me/hccroom112017/</a>
Room 12	Mrs Butler	<a href="http://room12hcs.blogspot.co.nz/">http://room12hcs.blogspot.co.nz/</a>
Room 13	Miss Smith	<a href="https://blog.seesaw.me/tekaumatorublog/">https://blog.seesaw.me/tekaumatorublog/</a>
Our School Library		<a href="http://huttcentralschoollibrary.blogspot.co.nz">huttcentralschoollibrary.blogspot.co.nz</a>



## Community Notices

**Getting Started in Coaching** is a generic, entry level course targeted at anyone with an interest in coaching—whatever your sport.

Designed to be interactive, combining both theory and practical coaching scenarios, the two hour course covers the basics of coaching and gives an insight into what is involved. Ideal for clubs, schools, parents—any entry level coaches.

**FREE** to attend but registration is essential! **TONIGHT Thursday 19 October**  
**Hutt Central School 6:30pm—8:30pm**

To register and for more information visit the Sport Wellington website:  
<http://www.sportwellington.org.nz/getting-started-in-coaching-gelcc/>

