

Hutt Central School

Empowering our children to meet the future with confidence

Hutt Central School Newsletter No 4 8 November - 12 November Term 4 2021

Kia ora Tatou

We are holding our traditional Bring and Buy tomorrow. This will be different to our usual Bring and Buy organisation as we are at Level 2 - but it will be a special time for our students. Please refer to the notice below for specific information.

Covid-19 Vaccinations

At Hutt Central School we have carried out the necessary requirements of the Public Health Order which mandated for all of our staff and other adults working onsite at the same as our tamariki to have received their first COVID-19 vaccination by 15 November 2021, (we all need to be fully vaccinated by 1 January 2022).

We are in the process of completing our requirements and I am pleased to let you know that this will have minimal impact on our school and we will be able to operate as usual for the rest of this year.

We will be asking parents / caregivers who volunteer for your vaccination status as the Ministry of Education has asked us to gather this information for adults who are working on our site while students are present - this includes accompanying children on trips or coaching sports teams after school.

We will send a separate email to request this information.

Assembly

We will be holding our assembly online from 2:20pm tomorrow. Please use the link for access:

<https://youtu.be/bCAkRluPSEo>

Schooldocs policy review:

This term we seek your feedback on our policy: Māori Educational Success. Please visit our Schooldocs website: <http://huttcentral.schooldocs.co.nz> The username is huttcentral and the password is 1866. In the top right-hand corner of the policy, click on the red button to send any feedback to schooldocs. Click on the green button to send any feedback to me via email.

Maori Whānau meeting

Our Whānau group will be meeting on Monday, 22 November, 7pm in the staffroom. Children are welcome to come and spend time together on the playground and in the Library. (Note, this is a change from our usual meeting time for this term).

Pick up and Drop off

Please aim to park near Victoria Street or Te Mome Road and walk into school to pick up or drop off your child(ren). Our car park is not a place for drop off or pick up and I am really worried about safety at these times.

Ngā mihi,
Michael Gendall

Privacy and digital footprints

The Hutt Central School Board has recently reviewed its privacy policy and we pondered whether our practices around handling personal information has kept pace with society's changing expectations and a growing awareness about the risks of identity theft and the importance of minimising the digital footprints of children.

As you know we like to celebrate our students' successes, achievements and welcome new pupils to the school with announcements of their names in our weekly newsletters. You may not be aware that our

newsletters are published online and therefore any information we publish there is available for the whole world to see, and potentially there forever.

We decided to ask you, our school community, how you feel about publishing students' full names in the weekly newsletters. One option we are considering is publishing first names and just the initial of the last name, another option is to publish the first name and room number.

We would like to hear your feedback, so please let us know your views via email:

admin@huttcentral.school.nz with the subject line of 'Privacy and Digital Footprints'

HCS Bring and Buy @ Level 2

Tomorrow - Friday 12th November 11:30am

The long standing attraction of the Bring and Buy at Hutt Central School lives on. Weather permitting it will be an 'outdoor' event. If it rains, a modified version will take place in the hall and the senior classrooms if required. Classes of students will move around the different stalls and activities.

Students will need **togs** and a **towel** for entry to the 'Slip 'n' Slide.

Unfortunately we will not be able to have parents on site for this.

We will still be selling the popular books and toys so please drop them at your child's classroom before 9am. There will **ONLY BE PACKAGED FOOD** available. We will not be selling any home baking, toasted sandwiches, icecreams etc. There will be exciting raffles, a tombola, games and more exciting events that the students are planning inline with Level 2 restrictions.

Thanks for your continued support of this event and thank you for supporting our 2022 Year 5 and 6 camp that will take place in March next year.

Visit our website for links to the classes, contacts for teachers and an updating Calendar

<http://www.huttcentral.school.nz/>

Week 4 Term 4 2021 8 November - 12 November	Friday - Bring and Buy Online Assembly- https://youtu.be/bCAkRluPSEo
Week 5 Term 4 2021 15 November - 19 November	Tuesday - Little Dog Barking Company performance at school
Week 6 Term 4 2021 22 November - 25 November	Tuesday - Friday - Year 6 Pedal Ready courses Friday - Online Assembly

Family Zone Offer

At Hutt Central School, we use a system called Linewize to ensure we have a safe digital system. We are able to filter and view what students are doing on the devices and are alerted to anything that may seem out of alignment with the learning.

We are pleased to announce that we are now able to offer a school-community approach to cyber safety.

Family Zone Insights is a FREE pack available to all families at the school providing them with powerful insights to view internet usage on devices with Mobile Zone activated. This includes snapshots of usage and detailed reports, along with visibility into installed apps and (where activated by parents) device location. Please visit the Hutt Central School Cyber Safety Hub to find out more.

<https://www.familyzone.com/huttcentral-nz>



Kids Artworks - Personalised Stationery Re-opened for another week

Due to popular demand we have managed to reopen the ordering link to allow for late orders.

www.kidsartworks.com

Please use the personalised code that your child was given earlier in the term to order via the website. If you have lost the code please contact Penny or Jo at the school office.

Prices are as follows: Calendars \$15.00, Mouse pads \$15.00, Diaries 17.00, Cards - pack of 8 \$15.00, Sketch pad \$15.00.

Orders need to be made via the Kids Artworks website or at the school office and paid for by 9am on Monday 15th of November.

Our 2021 Seesaw Blogs

Please let your child's teacher know if you have any problems viewing their individual learning journal.

Room 1	https://blog.seesaw.me/hcroom12021
Tāwhai (Rm 2 & 3)	https://blog.seesaw.me/hctawhai2021
Room 4	https://blog.seesaw.me/hcroom42021
Room 5	https://blog.seesaw.me/hcroom520201
Rm 6	https://blog.seesaw.me/hcroom62021
Kowhanga (Rm 7)	https://blog.seesaw.me/kowhanga2021
Kowhanga waru (Rm 8)	https://blog.seesaw.me/kowhangawaru2021
Rm 9	https://blog.seesaw.me/hcroom92021
Rm 10	https://blog.seesaw.me/hcroom102021
Rm 11	https://blog.seesaw.me/hcroom112021
Rm 12	https://blog.seesaw.me/hcsroom122021
Rm 14	https://blog.seesaw.me/kowhangahou2021

Community Notices

Led by Troy Leamy & Tim Purchas

10-14 JAN

17-21 JAN

31 JAN - 4 FEB


9.00am - 3.00pm
Renouf Tennis Centre
Ages 5-14
Day: \$79 + GST
Week: \$349 + GST

Before & after camp care available

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We're taking holiday camp to the next level. Join us for heaps of fun and exciting multi-sport activities!

PLANITPRO & PURCHAS

	<h2 style="text-align: center;">UNIFORM ORDER</h2>	<p style="text-align: center;">Cost</p>		<p style="text-align: center;">Amount to pay</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Name</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Class</p>			
<p style="text-align: center;">Sunhat</p>	<p>3 sizes available. Come and choose the size that fits your child best and we will name it with a white fabric pen</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">\$15.00</p>		
<p style="text-align: center;">Hoodie</p>	<p>Name on the back as you want it written</p>			
	<p>Size 6</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">\$48.00</p>		
	<p>Size 8</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">\$48.00</p>		
	<p>Size 10</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">\$48.00</p>		
	<p>Size 12</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">\$48.00</p>		
	<p>Other</p>			