

Hutt Central School

Empowering our children to meet the future with confidence

Hutt Central School Newsletter No 2 Term 2 9th May - 13th May 2016

Kia ora tatou,

For this term we have been looking closely at our value of Respect. I have been really pleased with the way that our students acknowledge adults in the school and offer assistance to each other when they are playing. I would like to mention the following students who I have noticed showing respect over the last week: Stefan Savic, Quintin Johnson-Bell, Nadene Malaki and Keira Perry.

Te Reo Learning

This week we have been learning the words in Te reo Maori for "Give me" "Homai....."

- *Homai te pukapuka*
- *Homai te pene kikorangi*
- *Homai nga pene rakau nga tae*

Rosalie

Rosalie O'Neill, our Executive Officer, is going to retire at the end of this term. She has worked at Hutt Central School for 26 years and she has a lot of knowledge about our school, the families and community. I would like to thank Rosalie for her many hours of loyal dedication to our school, especially the warm and welcoming introduction that everyone receives when they come to Hutt Central School, and the numerous systems she has developed to ensure our office operates smoothly. She will be dearly missed.

Our New Entrant class

Room 6, has grown much faster than we predicted this year. For term two, Martin Hodge and Sarah Ronchetti will be team teaching in Room 6 every morning. Martin will teach on Monday, Tuesday and Friday afternoons and Sarah on Wednesday and Thursday afternoons. In Term 3, Sarah will open another New Entrant class, and we will welcome Anna Grant, who will be working in Room 6 on Wednesday and Thursday for the rest of the year.

School Vision

We want to revise and create a shared vision that gives an aspirational direction for our school. In order to do this we are undertaking a visioning process. On **Wednesday 8 June** we are holding a very important evening meeting for our community. This is to help us generate and share ideas about the aspirations and ideas for the future of our school and students to contribute to the shared vision for Hutt Central School. Please mark this date in your diaries, it is a very important part of our visioning process and we need the input from all of our community.

Board of Trustees Elections 2016

All parents should have received a nomination form and explanation letter in the mail. Extra copies are available at the school office.

Nominations for the next Board of Trustees elections close noon Friday 20th May 2016.

Voting closes noon Friday 3rd June, 2016

Working Bee

On Saturday 9 July we are holding a 'Working Bee' to begin our refurbishment of the hall. It will involve some demolition, building and decorating work. If you are able to help out for the day or part of the day please contact the school office, admin@huttcentral.school.nz.

Welcome to our new students

Maia Lincoln, Jamie Roberts and Anita Prak. It is great to have you at Hutt Central School.

Enrolments

Please let us know if you have any children who will be enrolling in our school for 2017 by September 1st 2016. Please pass this on to any friends or neighbours who you know may be considering enrolling their children at Hutt Central School in 2017. This will assist us with our planning.

Kia ora,
Naku noa
Michael Gendall
Principal

BRING AND BUY TOMORROW 11:30-12:30PM



With the weather being so changeable at the moment we seem to have an influx of clothing accumulating in our lost property. Could all children please be encouraged to check to see if anything belongs to them.



This as always highlights the need for clothing to be clearly named.

Hutt Central School Annual Quiz Night

2nd June at the Speight's Ale House - PLEASE NOTE DATE CHANGE

Please support this awesome event that is lots of fun and raises a good sum of money for the school's fundraising projects. Great raffles on the night. Get your family and friends together into a team of 6 - 8 people. Nibbles are provided and the Bar is open to purchase drinks. Tickets are \$15 each available from the school office.



Hutt Central School Calendar

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

Week 2 Term 2 (9 May - 13 May)

Friday 13th - Bring and Buy in the school hall - start 11:30am

Week 3 Term 2 (16 May - 20 May) - Road Safety Week

Tuesday 17th - ICAS Digital Exam

Wednesday 18th- National Young Leaders Day- a year 6 group attending

Thursday 19th - Middle and Senior Syndicates Cross Country Event at Sladden Park

Friday 20th - Junior Syndicate Cross Country Event at school from 9.45 - 10.30am

Week 4 Term 2 (23 May - 27 May)

Friday 27th- Middle Syndicate Trip to the Carter Observatory

Check out our Class Blogs

Room 1 Ms Mahoney	teamtahi2016.blogspot.co.nz/
Room 2 Mrs Campbell	teamrua2016.blogspot.co.nz/
Room 3 Mr Whiteman	teamtoru2016.blogspot.co.nz/
Room 4 Miss Tiffen	hcsroom4.blogspot.co.nz/
Room 5 Mrs Fleming	huttcentral5.blogspot.co.nz/
Room 6 Mr Hodge	centralroom6.blogspot.co.nz/
Room 7 Mrs Scott	room7huttcentral.blogspot.com
Room 9 Mrs Burrell	hccroomnine.blogspot.co.nz/
Room 10 Miss Leach	hccroom10.blogspot.co.nz/
Room 11 Mrs McCawe	hcsroom112016.blogspot.co.nz/
Room 12 Mrs Butler	room12hcs.blogspot.co.nz/
Room 13 Mrs Gould	wonderfulroomthirteenhcs.blogspot.co.nz
Room 14 Ms Titcombe	room14huttcentral.blogspot.co.nz/



Remember the Bring and Buy!

Team Rua wanted to share their Figurative Language writing with you about the Bring and Buy. We are writing to inform and entertain our audience. We hope you can see the **Similes**, **Hyperboles**, **Alliteration**, **Metaphors**, **Personification**, **Onomatopoeia** and **Oxymorons**. We use the acronym- SHAMPOO to help us remember these features for our writing.

Person	Writing	structure
Kaan	It was a human tidal wave!	M
Cam/ Alex	My chance of winning the raffle is tip toeing near	P
Levi	The people in the hall are like an army of ants	S
mason	I want to sell all of the baking at the beautiful, busy Bring and Buy	A
George	It is annoyingly fun because you spend all your money at the Bring and Buy	Ox
Elle	She is the toy, he is the dollar	M
ruby	BOOM! CRASH,my money fell on the floor.	On
Connor	The tables are full like a rubbish truck.	S
Zeta	She is sherbert, he is fizzy. POP! Suddenly the Bring and Buy disappeared.	M-On
Emma	We collected so much money at the Bring and Buy it was like we had all the money in the world.	S H
HOLLIE	IT WAS BLEEDING WITH PEOPLE AT THE CROWDED BRING AND BUY.	P
Mikayla	Make an old thing new that's what we do at the Bring and Buy	O
Stella	The book stall at the Bring and Buy is as wriggly as a worm.	S
Charlotte	The Bring and Buy is the shop and seniors are the shopkeepers.	M
Ruby ellen/Morgan	Sizzle,Slap,Bang goes the sausages on the bread at the Bring and Buy.	ON
Jacob	The Bring and Buy is so fun you could faint or die.	H
Nadene	The Bring and Buy was like a old shop selling good stuff.	S
James	Slip, slop, slap my face goes into my ice cream and the ice cream flew out of my hands.	ON A
Gabriel	The people are bees in the hive	M
Kyan	Sausage sauce squirts silently	A
Gabbie	The rain cried lots and lots, we couldn't go outside at the Bring and Buy.	P
Corey	The spinning wheel was speaking our names at assembly after the Bring and Buy.	P
Katherine	The Bring and Buy is as cool as a new toy.	S
Maya	The door frame looked as if it was a mirror, the light shone on it.	S

Harley	It was noisy like a lion at the Bring and Buy	S
Drew	Slippery slap my money slips out of my wallet	On
Kaleb	<i>The peanut sponge hit the teacher 's straight in their faces</i>	M
oscar	The crowded hall was empty of silence	Ox

Community Notices



NZ Kids Food

A nutritious lunch box ordered online and delivered to the school office every morning as requested for a reasonable price. For further information look at www.nzkidsfood.co.nz

Auditions for "Disney's My Son Pinocchio"

Sing - Dance - Act - triple treat for children aged 10 to 16 years old.

Come to try a class on Thursday 12th of May @ St Marks Church. It's free but please let us know you are coming as places are limited. For more details go to the website: www.musicalstars.co.nz or call: 021-410-015

ONE FOR THE PARENTS

Children at school or kindergarten and got a spare hour? Why not come down to Buildabody, 13 Sydney St, Petone for an hour of affordable HIT circuit training. Wednesday and Friday mornings 10 - 11am. Large indoor space so weather is not a factor.

Also a few spaces available, in the Monday, women's only, class 7 - 8pm.

For more information call 021 816 008 or email eva@buildabody.co.nz

HUTT SCIENCE DISCOVERY DAY
Saturday 11 June, between 10am-3pm
The Dowse Art Museum

FREE EVENT

Come along and find out more about Hutt Science; see our science 'hands-on' resource kits in action and take part in some fun practical science activities.

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