

# Hutt Central School

*Empowering our children to meet the future with confidence*

Hutt Central School Newsletter No 5 Term 4 9th November - 13th November 2015

Thank you for your patience and co-operation over the last week with the closure of the Hutt Road entrance. This is now open and work is continuing on the Dental Clinic. Please ensure that your child has a sunhat for school everyday. All students must wear a full brimmed sunhat when outside.

We are currently carrying out our planning for 2016. At this stage this is the organisation for our syndicates:

Junior Syndicate: Martin Hodge, Amy Fleming, Claire Tiffen, Caroline Scott, Heather Burrell and Kath Leach. Middle Syndicate: Alison Butler, Kathryn McCawe, Christine Gould and Caryl Titcombe. The Senior Syndicate is Steph Campbell, Dave Whiteman and Leanne Mahoney.

On Tuesday of this week our students went to the Southern Zone Athletics. All of our students competed to the best of their ability and we achieved some excellent results.

Congratulations to the following students who finished in the top three of an event: Catherine Sonerson, Leo Sanders, Maddi Marshall, Nkhata Hollywell, Siologo Ogo-Faatagi, Naomi Sopoaga, Hanna Turner, Elle Collingwood, Mason Carey, Kyan Nair, Katherine Jameson, Stella Hill, Moriah Sopoaga, Jordan Woodhouse-Bird, Maclean Forbes, Kaan Austin-Aschebrock and Josh Whitehead.

I would like to thank Andrea Rogers for her organisation of the event and Kathryn McCawe and Leanne Mahoney for accompanying our students on the day.

Welcome to our new students Ella Collier and Gabbie Parker-Farmer. It is great to have you at Hutt Central School.

Corban Berry and Ashton Tiejtens shared their reciting of poetry with me this week. I was impressed with the way they could memorise an entire poem and use expression.

Kia ora,  
Naku noa  
Michael Gendall  
**Principal**



## **Jump Rope For Heart**

This is being held on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> November. Children are being encouraged to collect sponsorship which can be returned to school after the Jump Off with the fundraising envelope and forms given to them. Half the money raised will go to the Heart Foundation and half the money will go directly to the school. We are hoping to reach our target of \$500.00. Thanks very much in advance for your support.



### **Walking Pou update**

Work in progress as some of the senior students start painting the walking pou.



### **School Disco- Thursday 19th November**

**The Theme is "Who am I?" Be unique! Be whoever you want to be!**

If you would like to enter the **competition** to design the ticket for the disco, entries close on **Friday 13th November**. Hand in your entries to the office.

### **Hutt Central's got Talent! - 2nd and 3rd December - NOTE CHANGE OF DATES**

Yes, it's on once again! A chance for the children to show off and strut their stuff!! Any talent - dancing, acting, singing, miming ... yes, even playing the spoons. This is open for Years 3-6.

### **Hutt Central School Calendar**

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

#### **Week 6 Term 4 ( 16 November - 20 November)**

Wednesday 18th

Jump Rope Jump Off

Thursday 19th

School Disco in the school hall - Junior session **5:30-6:30pm** Senior session **6:45-8pm**.

The middle syndicate can choose which **one** of these session they attend.

#### **Week 7 Term 4 ( 23 November - 27 November)**

Monday 23rd

Board of Trustees Meeting 7.00pm Staffroom

Tuesday 24th & Wednesday 25th

Middle Syndicate Zoo Trips

Friday 27th

Junior Athletics Morning

Middle Syndicate visiting Indoor Valley Sports

### **2016 term dates**

**Term 1 Monday 1st February - Friday 15th April**

**Term 2 Monday 2nd May - Friday 8th July**

**Term 3 Monday 25th July - Friday 23rd September**

**Term 4 Monday 10th October - Friday 16th December**



### **Community Notices**

*The Hutt Valley Tennis Academy based at the Mitchell Park Tennis Centre is now taking enrolments for two tennis coaching programmes in the Christmas school holidays, Dec 22 – 24 and Jan 26-29. Foundation Coaching from 9am-12pm is for 6-12 year olds not yet playing interclub and no prev. tennis experience required. Competitor Coaching from 1:30pm – 4:30pm is for 8-14 year old interclub and tournament players. Coaching costs \$40 per session. All students that attend our professional tennis coaching programmes will realise big improvements. Technical coaching, game strategy coaching, competitions and prizes.*

*Please email Marc Paulik [hvtacadmey@gmail.com](mailto:hvtacadmey@gmail.com) for more info and to enrol.*

## CIGNA KIDS WATERFRONT FUN RUN

Come and be a part of the Cigna Kids Waterfront Fun Run on Wednesday 16 December at Frank Kitts Park. Personalised race bibs, certificates, spot prizes and a Cigna Carnival including a BBQ, face painting and much more. Races for pre schoolers through to year 8s. First race starts at 4.30pm. Only \$7 to enter at [www.athleticshub.co.nz](http://www.athleticshub.co.nz) or contact Jo Murray for more info at [jo@athleticswellington.org.nz](mailto:jo@athleticswellington.org.nz). Enter before 8 December for your personalised bib and certificate and the chance to win spot prizes.

## Cancer Society Raffle

There is a lovely pack of Environ skin care that Shelley Tietjen and family have donated for a raffle to raise funds for the Cancer Society. Tickets are available until the end of next week at the school office for \$2 each or 3 for \$5.



  
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## ARTRAGEOUS BOOKINGS OPEN NOW

**Pre-Christmas Holiday Programme 9–23 Dec 2015**

The programme from 9-15 December will be tailored for older children of intermediate age, although children of any age 5-14 are welcome. We will be focusing on having fun, playing with art ideas and techniques and allowing the kids to wind down from a big year. From 16–23 December our focus will be on all ages and Xmas gift, decorations and card making will be a big theme.

**January 2016 Holiday Programme 11–29 Jan 2016**

January Programme will run from 11-29 January 2016 catering to children aged 5-13 years. it's going to be FUN!

**NEW! Artrageous Kids Enterprise Project 18–22 Jan**

We are trialling a new programme that some of our regular attendees have encouraged us to put together: aimed at children aged 10-14 years. This programme is aimed at developing children's interest in creating art to sell. Learning how to develop their skills and complete creations to a finished product. This idea has come from children wanting to develop their talents beyond the home audience. If the children on completion of this event would like to sell their creations we will organise and support them to have a stall at a craft fair in Wellington.

[www.artrageouskids.co.nz](http://www.artrageouskids.co.nz)

email: [admin@artrageouskids.co.nz](mailto:admin@artrageouskids.co.nz)

## Production 2015 DVD "That's Entertainment"

If you would like to purchase a DVD of the school production could you please fill out the order slip below and return with money to the school office by tomorrow - Friday 13<sup>th</sup> November. Extra order forms are available at the school office.

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### Hutt Central Production DVD

I would like to purchase \_\_\_\_\_ DVD's @ \$15 each.

Total cost \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Room Number \_\_\_\_\_

## School Sports Photos



The sports photographs are now live for ordering at

[inphotography.co.nz/store](http://www.inphotography.co.nz/store)

or the direct url is

<http://www.inphotography.co.nz/store/product/hutt-central-school-sports-2015/hutt-central-school-sports-2015/>

The password is !!HCSPHOTOS!! (case sensitive)

Group Photograph Prints are 25x20cm and are **\$13 each** when ordered online through secure polipay (direct online banking) or secure paypal (credit card service). Any orders placed through the school office have a \$2 surcharge; \$15 each. Preview images (with watermark) are loaded for your convenience. A small thumbnail will appear as you make a selection from the list of teams. You can then click the image for a larger view to check names and smiles. No copyright release has been granted and the quality is not printable!

If you wish to order directly at the school office please use this order form or fill one in at the office.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Class \_\_\_\_\_

	Team Name	Qty	Total
1			
2			
3			
4			
5			
	TOTALS		

**All orders placed by 20th November will be delivered to school by 4th December.**

After this date a surcharge will apply for direct mailing. Please email any questions to

[brooke@inphotography.co.nz](mailto:brooke@inphotography.co.nz)