



Hutt Central School Newsletter

No 1 Term 3 25th July - 29th July 2022

Kia ora Tatou,

Welcome back to school for Term 3. It has been great to talk with the students about their adventures and activities over the holiday break and everyone appears well rested and refreshed!

We thank everyone for supporting our COVID organisation as recommended by the MOE and MOH. Our staff and Years 4-6 students have been really good with mask-wearing and we are supporting those with a mask exemption. Thank you for also wearing a mask when you come into school, hopefully, we can get over the peak as well as the winter illnesses for our review in week 4.

To help us update our spreadsheet, please let us know if your child or whanau has had COVID or has been required to isolate during the term break.

Staffing

This term we welcome Suzanne Taylor and Jo Mortimer to our school. Suzanne will be working with Room 1 on a Thursday to release Martin. Jo will be working with Room 10 alongside Jess on a Wednesday.

We also welcome back Heather Burrell who will be working on Thursdays for teacher release.

Emperor's New Clothes.

The New Zealand Playhouse visited us again this week, performing for the Senior Syndicate on Wednesday and the Junior Syndicate on Thursday. Once again we had a most entertaining time with them. Thank you to the fundraising committee for covering the costs of these two shows.

Bring and Buy next week

Have a look at the notice below for our Bring and Buy. This is always a special event for our students (and our school) which is taking place next Friday (5 August). Our senior students are currently organising this event which always provides great learning, enthusiasm and excitement.

Kaiako- Whānau Hui

Thank you to the many whanau who came to meet us for our Hui yesterday and (in advance) for those coming today. It is great to meet and have a conversation with you about your children and their learning and we really appreciate the time you have taken to come and see us.

Note: Room 13 and Room 5 interviews will be held next week. To make a booking to visit with Rachael White or Kylie Penny please follow this link:-

<https://www.schoolinterviews.co.nz> and 'Make a Booking' with the event code hmy4p

Board of Trustees Election

This year we will be holding our Triennial Board of Trustees Elections on 7 September 2022.

An email was sent to all eligible voters on Monday 4 July calling for nominations. There are 5 parent representative positions available on the School Board and Nominations close at noon 3 August 2022. Please contact the school office if you missed this email and we will resend it to you. Also please let us know if your email and/or postal address needs updating.

We thank you for considering standing for our school Board of Trustees. Any questions please contact myself or Jo Nash our Returning Officer.

Ngā mihi nui,
Michael Gendall
Principal

principal@huttcentral.school.nz

We are exploring Lego therapy!

We desperately would love you 'no longer needed' Lego. The actual brand Lego is preferable. If you have any full kits they would be amazing too. We are very keen to get a collection of Lego Minifigures. Please send them to the office. THANK YOU!



THE BRING AND BUY



Friday 5th August (Week 2 of Term 3)
REDUCE, REUSE AND RECYCLE

This year our Bring and Buy for 2022 will be happening next **Friday the 5th of August**. As per last year, this will be an outside event - happening mainly in the courtyard in front of Rooms 9 and 10.

All money raised goes towards Senior School camps. We would really appreciate the whole school getting involved in some way by bringing in second-hand toys and games, books and magazines etc. Please ensure any toys or books you send along are clean and appropriate for primary school children.

The above items can be brought to school now, they will be collected from the classrooms daily by students from Rooms 11 and 12. Due to Covid settings, we will again **NOT be asking for** donations of baking or any food items. We will have hot food for sale on the day: pizza slices and a sausage sizzle. Please note that there will NOT be subway lunches available this Friday.

In addition to the toys, books, games and raffle tickets to buy there will also be a range of fun games/activities to play, priced at around \$1 or \$2. When sending spending money to school with your child we find that a named wallet/purse or re-sealable plastic bag is a great way of making sure lost money can be returned to the right person. And remember that a bag to put purchases in is always helpful.



From Wednesday 27th July to Tuesday 2nd August, our school will be hosting the Scholastic Book Fair in the school library. All of the classes will visit the fair with their teachers but please take the time to visit and see if any of the books are of interest to you.

This is a great fundraiser, as a percentage of every book that is sold goes towards purchasing new books for our School Library.



UNCLAIMED JACKETS FROM LOST PROPERTY LAST TERM

These lovely jackets were not claimed from the lost property at the end of last term. If one belongs to your child please let us know in the school office so that we can return it.



Visit our website for links to the classes, contacts for teachers and an updating Calendar
<http://www.huttcentral.school.nz/>

Week 1 Term 3 2022 25 July - 29 July	Monday - Term 3 starts Wednesday and Thursday - Parent Teacher Interviews Wednesday to Friday - Scholastic Book Fair Friday - Assembly link
Week 2 Term 3 2022 1st August - 5th August	Monday and Tuesday - Scholastic Book Fair Wednesday and Thursday - Rm 5 and 13 Parent Teacher Interviews Friday - Bring and Buy
Week 2 Term 3 2022 1st August - 5th August	Wednesday - BOT meeting 7pm Staffroom Friday - Assembly link

Our 2022 Seesaw Blogs

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

Room 1	https://app.seesaw.me/blog/hcsroom12022
Room 2	https://blog.seesaw.me/hcsrcm22022
Room 3	https://blog.seesaw.me/hcsroom32022
Room 4	https://blog.seesaw.me/hcsrcm42022
Room 5	https://blog.seesaw.me/hcsrcm52022
Room 6	https://blog.seesaw.me/hcsrcm62022
Room 7	https://blog.seesaw.me/hcsrcm72022
Room 8	https://blog.seesaw.me/hcsrcm82022
Room 9	https://blog.seesaw.me/hcsroom92022

Room 10	https://blog.seesaw.me/hcsroom102022
Room 11	https://blog.seesaw.me/hcsroom112022
Room 12	https://blog.seesaw.me/hcs2022rm12
Room 13	https://blog.seesaw.me/hcsroom132022

Dear Parents,

Your child has come home with a delicious box of Whittaker's chocolate slabs today.

The sale price for each slab of chocolate is \$2.00 per slab and \$72.00 for the entire box.

This is one of our major fundraising activities for the year and we'd love all our families to get behind this and sell their issued box of chocolates. If we sell all of our boxes we will raise almost \$7,000.00 for the school!

There will be prizes for the first, second and third best sellers! This year the prizes include an Amazon Fire 10" tablet, smart tracker watch, and a JBL Go 3 Bluetooth speaker!

The school makes almost \$25.00 for each box of chocolates we sell.

Please return the chocolates to the school office if you do not intend to sell any.

Thank you

The Fundraising Committee



Tickets are available in the school office (\$25 per ticket) for our annual Hutt Central School Quiz Night taking place on Friday 23 September at 7pm in the school hall.

If you haven't quite got enough for a team (6-8 people) let Jo or Penny know, as I'm sure we can help.

Get in quick as this is a sell-out event!

ENTERTAINMENT BOOK

Support Hutt Central School in the month of July and you will automatically receive a 2-month extension of your Entertainment Membership when you purchase a 12-month product.

That is an extra 2 months for FREE (14 months total) to use and save with your Entertainment Membership!!!!

<https://subscribe.entertainmentnz.com/fundraiser/1053z62>



Marrzipan Drama

Is it a bird? Is it a plane? No. It's a Marrzipan kid dressed as a bird-plane for their upcoming play!

Marrzipan is at your school and we would love to have you come and try it out!

Come see all the craziness and fun as we run 9 drama-based self confidence lessons a term. Marrzipan is full of games, a wacky play, and an even wackier Joshuwawa!

Free Trial Lesson

For more information please contact Joshuwawa at:

Josh@MarrzipanDrama.co.nz or visit www.marrzipandrama.co.nz

Te Ngākau Kahukura o Te Awakairangi presents

LIVING IN COLOUR

ONE HEARTBEAT AT A TIME

Ka Marama i Roto, Ka Tiaho ki Waho

PRIDE EVENT

Saturday 30 July 2022 | 4 - 9pm
The Dowse Art Museum

Information stalls
Workshops

Entertainment
Free kai

Whānau Friendly Matariki Event

For any questions email: hello@nvlivingincolour.org

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RĀKORAKI Kaitiaki o Te Aka Kaiti

Te Atua Kaitiaki
Te Atua Kaitiaki

Little Dribblers FC

After School Football Term 3

**Little Dribblers After School Football
for Kids Y1 to Y4
New term starts 1st August**

**6 School venues to choose from.
9 x Weekly sessions from 3 to 4pm for
only \$70**

**Grab your mates!
Come and Play!
Sign up Online
SportZone.Org.NZ**



Please use this link for online registration

<https://www.sportzone.org.nz/kids>

BEGINNER BADMINTON

Monday's: 3.30 – 4.30pm, 5 – 10 year olds
Wednesday's: 3.30 – 4.30pm, 10 – 14 year olds

\$55 per child per timeslot for term three
{starts 25th July for ten weeks}

Please pay: 06 0561 0859800 00
prior to first session (no pay = no play)

To register contact Nikki
developmentofficer@hvt.org.nz
providing name, age, email and contact number
or for more information

Shuttle Time is a worldwide programme that aims to give kids of all ages and abilities an enjoyable and accessible experience to Badminton. Get your kids involved in the world's fastest growing racket sport!

For more information about Shuttle Time, visit
www.bwfshuttletime.com

