



Hutt Central School Newsletter  
No 3 17th May - 21st May Term 2 2021

**Kia ora Tatou,**

This week our Senior students had a fantastic opportunity to try out their endurance through our Cross Country event. It was great to see our students giving their best effort to get around the course in our races and for our fun event involving challenging obstacles. Thank you to our staff for their work with our students for this event and to our community who supported us.

**Hangi**

Our Whanau group are organising a Hangi for our Matariki celebrations on Wednesday 7 July. This will be an opportunity for our community to come together and share a meal in which our students are involved in the preparation.

**Whanau Group**

The Whanau group are meeting on Monday 24 May at 7pm in the staffroom. We welcome our whanau to join us for this meeting - with the main focus being our preparation for our Hangi.

**Great Students**

Ruby Markham shared her fantastic writing with me this week. I was really impressed with her creativity through the use of words and phrases that made me feel like I was in her story!

**Rock Stars**

Congratulations to the following students who were awarded Rockstar certificates in assembly last week:- Jamie Roberts, Sophia Wasley, Scarlett Rawson, Tony Rigg, Matthew Moore, Grace Grant, Isla Tolley, Blake Jackson, Kiana Te Kawa Dawson, Flynn Millar, Emily Williamson, Keogh Rangiwhai, Carter Jackson, Will Eltringham, Frankie-Rose Asher, Sylvie Hicks, Emily MacDonald, Leilah Sopoaga, Baylee Packer, Ashleigh Broadhurst, Josh Bruce, Ryder Caine, Ava Nash and Felix Slater.

**Paid Union Meetings**

NZEI are organising two Paid Union Meetings for our teachers who are members of this Union. These will be held on the afternoon of Tuesday 22 June and Wednesday 23 June. Our school will remain open for these meetings and students will work in bigger groups for these afternoons.

**Teacher only Day**

Our second Teacher only day for this year is being held on Tuesday 8 June. (This is the day after Queen's Birthday). The school will be closed for instruction on this day.

**Sign in QR Codes**

We have placed QR codes at the entrances to our school. Please ensure that you sign in each day that you arrive at our school.

**Policy Review**

This term the policy [Reporting to Parents](#) is up for review. Please visit our Schooldocs site to view this policy and click on the review or feedback tab on the top left hand side if required.

Our site can be accessed via: [www.schooldocs.co.nz](http://www.schooldocs.co.nz) and click 'Search for your school' or go directly to the school's site: <http://huttcentral.schooldocs.co.nz> The user name is huttcentral and the password is 1866.

**Reminder:**

Please keep clear of the Yellow lines on Railway Ave outside Autoworld by our front gate at all times. This is not a safe place to drop off and pick up students.

Please come and see me, email me or call the school to talk with me if you have any questions or queries.  
[principal@huttcentral.school.nz](mailto:principal@huttcentral.school.nz)

Nga mihi,  
Michael Gendall



### Dance opportunity

This year we are looking for a parent or parents who may be interested in supporting our Dance Splash opportunity. If you are keen or would like some more information please contact Steph Campbell. [campbells@huttcentral.school.nz](mailto:campbells@huttcentral.school.nz)

### Senior Syndicate Cross Country/Fun Run

It was amazing to see our tamariki join in and get active on Tuesday. This year we had a fun challenge filled run around (and through) many obstacles. It was great to see many taking on challenges that they initially said they wouldn't attempt and some want to do it more than once! We also had a competitive run which enabled children to extend themselves and attempt to qualify for the South West Zone Cross Country next week. A signmee has been sent out to those that have qualified.



## BRING AND BUY

The Hutt Central Bring and Buy returns on **Friday the 4th of June.**

This is always a great event and an important fundraiser for our school camps. This weekend might be a great time to have a look for any pre-loved books, games, or toys in good condition that could be donated to find a new home through the Bring and Buy. Senior students will be visiting classes each day to collect donated items. As usual, we will also be asking for donations of baked goods on the day of the Bring and Buy which are always a hit! **Look out for more information next week!**



### 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>

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

<b>Week 3 Term 2 2021</b> 17th May - 21st May	Bully Free NZ week Road Safety week Friday- Pink Shirt Day
<b>Week 4 Term 2 2021</b> 24th May - 28th May	Monday - Whanau group meeting - Staffroom 7pm Tuesday- SW Cross Country at Sladden Park Thursday -PPT for SW Cross Country Chess Tournament at Kelson School
<b>Week 5 Term 2 2021</b> 31st May - 4th June	International Language Week Friday - <b><u>Bring and Buy</u></b>
<b>Week 6 Term 2 2021</b> 7th June - 11th June	Monday - Queen's Birthday Holiday - School closed for the day Tuesday - Teachers Only Day - School closed for the day

### Our 2021 Seesaw Blogs

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

Room 1	<a href="https://blog.seesaw.me/hcroom12021">https://blog.seesaw.me/hcroom12021</a>
Tāwhai (Rm 2 & 3)	<a href="https://blog.seesaw.me/hctawhai2021">https://blog.seesaw.me/hctawhai2021</a>
Room 4	<a href="https://blog.seesaw.me/hcroom42021">https://blog.seesaw.me/hcroom42021</a>
Room 5	<a href="https://blog.seesaw.me/hcroom52021">https://blog.seesaw.me/hcroom52021</a>
Rm 6	<a href="https://blog.seesaw.me/hcroom62021">https://blog.seesaw.me/hcroom62021</a>
Kowhanga (Rm 7)	<a href="https://blog.seesaw.me/kowhanga2021">https://blog.seesaw.me/kowhanga2021</a>
Kowhanga waru (Rm 8)	<a href="https://blog.seesaw.me/kowhangawaru2021">https://blog.seesaw.me/kowhangawaru2021</a>
Rm 9	<a href="https://blog.seesaw.me/hcroom92021">https://blog.seesaw.me/hcroom92021</a>
Rm 10	<a href="https://blog.seesaw.me/hcroom102021">https://blog.seesaw.me/hcroom102021</a>
Rm 11	<a href="https://blog.seesaw.me/hcroom112021">https://blog.seesaw.me/hcroom112021</a>
Rm 12	<a href="https://blog.seesaw.me/hcsroom122021">https://blog.seesaw.me/hcsroom122021</a>

### Fundraising Chocolates

We are nearing the end of our annual chocolate fundraiser so are calling for any unsold chocolate and money to be returned to the office by the end of this week.

If you would like extra time to finish selling your box please let us know.

**Whittaker's**  
SINCE 1896

The cost for a full box of chocolates is \$72.00 and the individual slabs are \$2.00 each. We can accept payment with cash or eftpos at the school office or by direct credit to the school account - Hutt Central School 06 0996 0379750 00 Please ensure that you reference payments with your child's name and chocolate.

We would like to thank the families who have already returned their chocolates and/or money and those who have taken and sold extra boxes on behalf of Hutt Central School.

Many thanks,  
The Fundraising Team

## Community



**Fortnite, Fades and Kicks:** Come socialise with other gamers and meet one of the top gamers in New Zealand – Jahlyn Evernden. Get a free haircut from the team at *Who's Next Barbershop* and learn about the world of a sneakerhead with Sean Aickin and see some of his impressive collection.

### Fortnite Fades and Kicks

When: Saturday, 19 June from 10am to 2pm

Where: Lower Ground floor, National Library (entrance from Aitken Street)

Cost: FREE!

This is a joint event between the National Library and AREPA Gamers Club. More information about this and other events for tamariki and rangatahi can be found on our website:

<https://natlib.govt.nz/events/fortnite-fades-and-kicks-june-19-2021>

## St Bernard's College

Te Kura Tuarua ō Hato Perenara



A Year 7-13  
Catholic College  
for Boys



Open Day  
Saturday 29 May 2021 10.00am - 2.00pm

Enrolments for 2022 close 9 July 2021

183 Waterloo Road Lower Hutt  
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## Queen Margaret College Discovery Days

Come along and discover Year 7 and 9 at QMC. Experience the advantage of small classes, a unique curriculum, and passionate, experienced teachers in our stunning, heritage location. Register online [qmc.school.nz](http://qmc.school.nz).

A banner for Queen Margaret College Discovery Days. It features the college's logo on the left, a photo of three students looking at a laptop in the center, and a large yellow and orange graphic on the right that says 'MAKE YOUR MARK' and 'JOIN US TO EXPERIENCE QMC'. Below the photo, it lists 'Discover Year 7 Thursday 3 June' and 'Discover Year 9 Thursday 24 June'. The website 'qmc.school.nz' and a small circular logo are in the bottom right corner.

Queen Margaret College

**MAKE YOUR MARK**  
JOIN US TO EXPERIENCE QMC

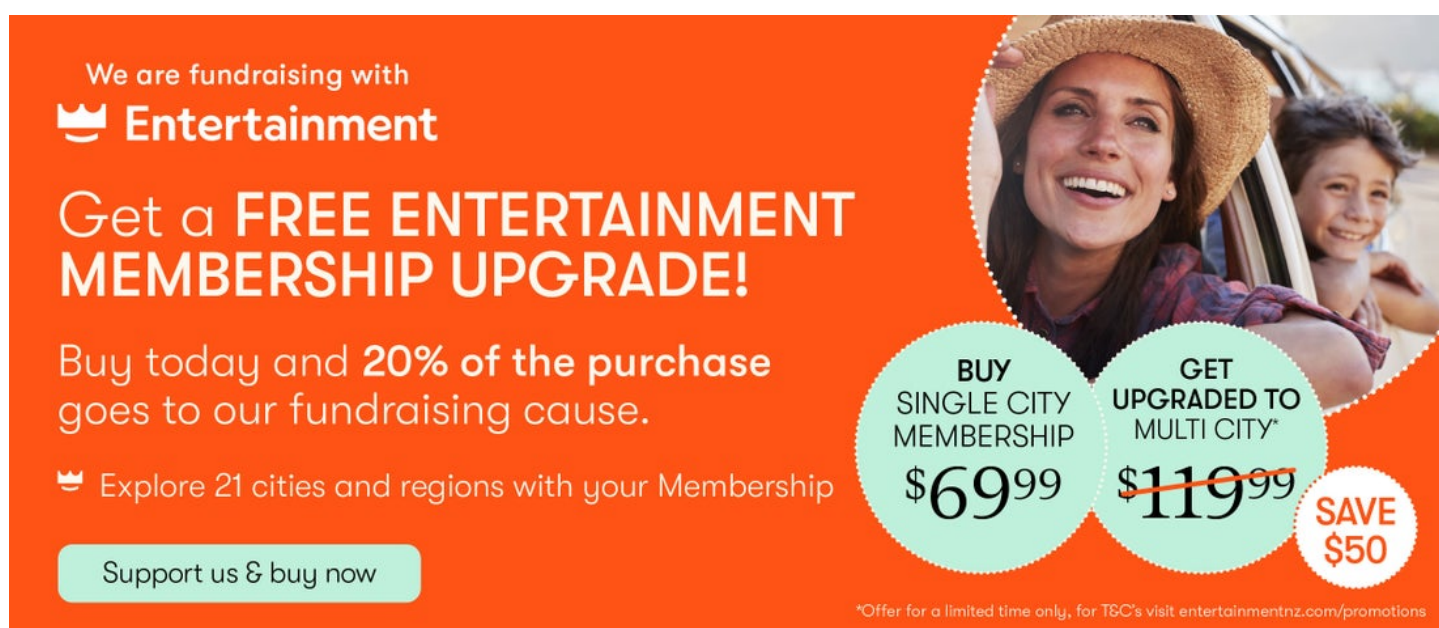
Discover Year 7 Thursday 3 June | Discover Year 9 Thursday 24 June

qmc.school.nz

## Hutt Central School Hoodie Orders

Child's name: ..... Class: .....

	Cost		Amount to pay
Name on the back as you want it written			
Size 6	\$48.00		
Size 8	\$48.00		
Size 10	\$48.00		
Size 12	\$48.00		

A fundraising banner for Entertainment NZ. It has an orange background. On the left, it says 'We are fundraising with Entertainment' with the Entertainment NZ logo. Below that, it says 'Get a FREE ENTERTAINMENT MEMBERSHIP UPGRADE!' and 'Buy today and 20% of the purchase goes to our fundraising cause.' At the bottom left, it says 'Explore 21 cities and regions with your Membership' and 'Support us & buy now'. On the right, there's a photo of a smiling woman and child. Below the photo, there are two circular callouts: 'BUY SINGLE CITY MEMBERSHIP \$69.99' and 'GET UPGRADED TO MULTI CITY\* \$119.99' with a 'SAVE \$50' badge. A small disclaimer at the bottom right says '\*Offer for a limited time only, for T&C's visit entertainmentnz.com/promotions'.

One of the best things about the Entertainment Membership is that you have the option of choosing a Multi City Membership, which unlocks EVERY offer across New Zealand.

*For the first time ever, anybody who purchases a **\$69.99 Single City Membership will be upgraded to a Multi City Membership valued at \$119.99 for FREE!** That's a \$50 saving and access to over 10,000 offers!!!*

*As we are currently unable to travel overseas, people are exploring New Zealand a LOT more, which makes the Multi City Membership the perfect option.*

*We think this is going to be huge so there is one thing you need to do...let everybody know! This is a limited time offer and it ends **Monday, May 31 at 11.59pm**, so be quick!*

**[www.entbook.co.nz/1053z62](http://www.entbook.co.nz/1053z62)**