



**Hutt Central School Newsletter**  
**No 8 Term 4 27 November - 1 December 2023**

**Kia ora Tatou,**

**Volume of our Values - Gold Reward**

We have achieved the Gold Level of the Volume of our Values and we will be having our Gold Level reward. On Monday the 11th December, we will be heading to Maidstone Park and Upper Hutt Roller Skating Club for a picnic and activities. Please save the date. We will need parents to join us and hope that many will spend the day with us. The SignMee has been sent out already - so if you haven't already can you please fill in the permission boxes etc by 3pm this coming Monday.

**Hutt Central's Got Talent**

The school got to enjoy watching the finals of Hutt Central's Got Talent on Wednesday afternoon. We were absolutely blown away by the amazing performances from our Senior Students. We saw musical talents, magic shows, skits and dances. We think all the groups are winners, but at the end of the day, three students were given podium positions. In 3rd place was Lily with her amazing piano skills. In 2nd place was Alexa who showed us her talent in ballet and in 1st place was Poppy who shone as she played her cello. We would like to say a big thank you to Amina, Kylie and the students in Room 9 who worked hard to put together such an amazing show. Also a big thank you to our wonderful judges, Marie, Melanie and Henry Ashby, the Performing Arts teacher from Hutt Intermediate.



**New Student**

Welcome to Avery who has started at Hutt Central School in the last week. It is great to have you with us.

**2024 Organisation**

On Friday 8 November your child will bring home their school report. As part of this, we will let you know their class for 2024. Below is our organisation of teachers and classes:

Junior Syndicate

NE	Anna Grant
NE	Amanda Parson
Year 1	Jess Bazalo
Year 2/ 3	Andrea Rogers / Jo Bate
Year 2/3	Stephanie Moffitt
Year 2/3	Kylie Penny
Year 2/3	Julia Dal Vesco

Senior Syndicate

Year 4/5	Jacqui Anderson
Year 4/5	Lizzy Butler
Year 4/5	Amina Drury
Year 4/5	Rebecca Burge
Year 6	Jamie Quayle
Year 6	Kate Pyne

Note: Claire Tiffen and Anneke Griffith will be carrying out release for teachers in Term 1.

## Out of School Care Provider

The Board of Trustees Subcommittee has made a decision on the Before and After School Care provider to operate in our school Hall from the start of 2024.

Kelly Club is the successful tenderer who will provide before and after school care as well as a holiday programme in our school hall **from the end of January 2024**.

Unfortunately, Kelly Club are unable to provide a holiday programme for these summer holidays as they need to establish their business on our school site over December and January. They are working on a dedicated website for Kelly Club at Hutt Central School to be live in the coming weeks that will give more information for our community, but in the meantime feel free to have a look at their overall website [Kelly Club](#).

Please refer to our link for holiday programme options that have been in touch with our school recently.

[School Holiday Care Options](#)

## Lost Property

There seems to be a lot of clothing accumulating in the lost property box. Could children and parents please take the time to look through it to see if any of it belongs to you. All unclaimed clothing will be donated to the Women's Refuge at the end of the term.

Ngā mihi nui,  
Michael Gendall

## 12 DAYS OF CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

*HELP US MAKE OUR 12 DAYS OF CHRISTMAS RAFFLE THE BEST RAFFLE EVER!*

*We are collecting items to make up four Christmas Grocery Hampers as part of our 12 days of Christmas Raffle.*

*We would be very grateful if your family could contribute an item to be added to the hampers - perhaps something you yourself would like to receive as part of a hamper - whether that is a non-perishable yummy food item, something Christmasy or something that makes a nice wee gift (e.g. a candle).*

*Please bring your contribution to the school office by Wednesday 6 December 2023. With many thanks (and Christmas wishes!)*

*The Fundraising Committee*



## 2024 Term Dates and Public Holidays

**Term 1** Thursday 1 February – Friday 12 April

**Term 2** Monday 29 April – Friday 5 July

**Term 3** Monday 22 July – Friday 27 September

**Term 4** Monday 14 October – Tuesday 17 December

*Waitangi Day: Tuesday 6 February, Term 1*

*Good Friday: 29 March, Term 1*

*Easter Monday: 1 April, Term 1*

*Easter Tuesday: 2 April, Term 1*

*ANZAC Day: Thursday 25 April (falls within the school holidays)*

*King's Birthday: Monday 3 June, Term 2*

*Matariki: Friday 28 June, Term 2*

*Labour Day: Monday 28 October, Term 4*



**Beat the rush and order back to school stationery now!**



Class lists are ready to shop at **[myschool.co.nz](http://myschool.co.nz)**

## Breakfast Club

Breakfast Club is available in the hall every day, 8.30 am - 8.50 am.

Thanks to everyone who has donated supplies! We have enough to see us through to the end of the year. If you're interested in volunteering for Breakfast Club next year please get in touch with Kathryn: [kathrynrose11771@gmail.com](mailto:kathrynrose11771@gmail.com)



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

Week 8 Term 4 27th November - 1st December	Friday - Assembly 2.20pm school hall
Week 9 Term 4 4th December - 8th December	Tuesday - Regional Athletics
Week 10 Term 4 11th December - 15th December	Monday - School Picnic Thursday - Year 6 Leavers Social Friday - Last Day of the term. Assembly starts at 12 noon. School finishes at 1pm
Week 1 Term 1 2024 1st February - 2nd February	Thursday - First day of term 1
Week 2 Term 1 2024 5th February - 9th February	Tuesday - Waitangi Day - School closed

## Our 2023 Seesaw Blogs

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

Room 1	<a href="https://app.seesaw.me/blog/hcsruma12023">https://app.seesaw.me/blog/hcsruma12023</a>
Room 2	<a href="https://app.seesaw.me/blog/hcsruma22023">https://app.seesaw.me/blog/hcsruma22023</a>
Room 3	<a href="https://app.seesaw.me/blog/hcsruma32023">https://app.seesaw.me/blog/hcsruma32023</a>
Room 4	<a href="https://app.seesaw.me/blog/hcsruma42023">https://app.seesaw.me/blog/hcsruma42023</a>
Room 5	<a href="https://app.seesaw.me/blog/hcsruma52023">https://app.seesaw.me/blog/hcsruma52023</a>
Room 6	<a href="https://app.seesaw.me/blog/hcsruma62023">https://app.seesaw.me/blog/hcsruma62023</a>

Room 7	<a href="https://app.seesaw.me/blog/hcsruma72023">https://app.seesaw.me/blog/hcsruma72023</a>
Room 8	<a href="https://app.seesaw.me/blog/hcsruma82023">https://app.seesaw.me/blog/hcsruma82023</a>
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