

Week 6, Term 2 2 June 2023

#### Kia ora e te whānau

We hope you loved the 'sneak peak' of Kainui Cross Country photos in the newsletter last week. This was just a selection of our place getters from last Friday's event. Our success on the Awahou course definitely emphasises the power of training and perseverance in developing a skill. Many of our runners have been part of our weekly Run Club sessions and this ongoing training over many months has made a big difference. We are incredibly appreciative to Michael Mouat for volunteering to coach, motivate and encourage our runners. Wednesday next week is the Manawatu Interschool Cross Country (Year 5-8) and we look forward to seeing how we compete against a larger range of schools too.

Please keep an eye out on Seesaw for our next learning post—this week we are showcasing a Maths Rich Task that your child's class have been solving. Rich Tasks offer multiple avenues for exploration and thinking. Student's are using a range of equipment to explore maths concepts and have conversations with their peers as they are problem solving. This Seesaw post will also include an individual teacher comment to explain how your child approached the task or what they are currently progressing with in maths. These online posts are designed to give you a range of examples of your child's learning and how they are achieving.

Teachers are also in the process of writing a Mid Year Summary for your child. This report will incorporate details around Literacy, Maths and what your child is proud of at the moment. Reports will be sent home at the end of Term and then you will also be offered a Learning Conference session to chat about your child's progress early next term.

Thank you for your flexibility this week with our earlier finish on Wednesday for the Paid Union meetings. Teachers did really appreciate this! Where possible we really try to minimise disruption to our school week, however with ongoing sickness and the early onset of winter bugs we have had a range of relievers within our school. Thank you for your understanding that some class programmes have looked slightly different but as much as we can we are aiming to ensure that each classroom is staffed and learners are being well supported and catered for.

Ngā mihi nui, **Erin** 

# KA PALKIDS

Pūrerehua: Hadley—It is so exciting to see you enthusiastic to share your learning with others, Hadley! You love to show all who are important to you what you are learning, and this keeps you growing and going! You are also such a kind friend for others to have alongside them, helping them in their learning journey. Keep up the awesome work!

**Ngaruru:** Alice—Your leadership skills have been outstanding this week. You always demonstrate empathy and kindness to others. Keep being amazing!

Arotahi: Sienna—You are such a kind and caring friend to everyone in Arotahi. You are a great helper to your kaiako too! Your Sea Monster writing and art was also fantastic. Ka pai Sienna, thanks for being you!

Kaihōpara: Alex—What a fantastic job you did at Kainui cross-country! You have stepped things up in class too and are really showing those around you how to be a Kindness Ambassador and great role-model! Ka rawe!

**Taurikura: Zoe**—It has been fantastic seeing many examples of your positive attitude this week. The way in which you were happy to show the class not only your successes, but also a whoopsie, is a great example of how we can learn from our mistakes, keep things in perspective, and have a laugh. Ka pai Zoe!

**Pūkeke: Caitlin**—We are so appreciative of the leadership you are showing in Pukeke and across our school—you are one amazing role model. Thank you for your enthusiasm as a Librarian too. Tino Pai.

### Kainui Cross Country Achievements

Well done to all our runners who represented our school so well at Kainui last Friday. We are so proud of you all!

Yr 4 Girls: 1st—Isla B Yr 4 Boys: 1st—Lockie M;

2nd—Mason

Yr 5 Girls: 1st—Alex Yr 5 Boys: 1st—Frank; 2nd—Ben;

3rd—Xavier

Yr 6 Girls: 1st—Millar Yr 7 Boys: 1st—James

Yr 8 Boys: 1st—Hadleigh; 2nd—Cooper

### Hiwinui Intermediate Netball

This weeks game played against Cornerstone Christian school saw us win 14-8. Our team are playing as a team, working together throughout the court. The learning in training is being put into practice!

Player of the day: Cohen—being available to receive the pass in the shooting circle saw you securing goals from all around the circle. Your attacking skills supported your team in the win! Ka rawe Cohen!

### **Book Club**

Book Club Issue 4 is now out—please place all orders for Scholastic Book Club **online by 7 July**.

www.scholastic.co.nz/parents

### Swimming Pool Keys

If you have not yet returned your pool key, please do so as soon as possible. Thank you!

### Room 1 and 2 Tuhura Time





# Friends of Hiwinui School

Join us for a fun night out and a chance to reign as Hiwinui's top 'quizzers' for 2023. More details to follow, with tickets on sale Friday 21st July.

The Friends of Hiwinui School Fundraising Committee are seeking volunteers to help out on the night, and local businesses who would like to sponsor a quiz round ... please get in

touch: fundraising@hiwinui.school.nz





### **Community Notice Board**

**Hiwinui School Playgroup**—The next playgroup will be Thursday 15 June. Please check their Facebook page for details. All preschoolers and their minders welcome.

**Beginner's Yoga with Paula Barratt**—The Joyful Yogi. Classes Sun 4 June 9.30-10.30; Mon 5 June 2-2.45 & 7-7.45pm. Text Paula on 027 413 6334.

Manawatu Water Polo—Years 5-8. PNBHS Pool, Wellesbourne St. Tuesdays 3.45-5pm. \$40 per term. Contact Kerry on 0274807555 or search manawatuwaterpolo on Facebook.

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

7 June Interschool Cross Country, Massey
15 June Book Character Dress Up Day
20 June Close off for Doughboys Pie Orders
30 June Doughboys Pies Delivered!

30 June Term 2 Ends17 July Start of Term 3

8 Sept Friends of Hiwinui School Quiz Night!



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Beginner's Yoga

## SUNDAY 4TH JUNE

9:30 to 10:30am (gentle yin yoga)

## MONDAY 5TH JUNE

2:00 to 2:45pm (hatha flow)

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7:00 to 7:45pm (hatha flow)



the joyful yogi

Limited Spaces Available

906C REID LINE EAST, HIWINUI FOR ANY QUERIES OR BOOKINGS PLEASE TEXT OR PRIVATE MESSAGE PAULA BARRATT - 0274136334

THE JOYFUL YOGI



TUESDAY 13 JUNE | 3:30 - 4:30PM

# OPEN DAY

Y-Kids after school programme is much more than a child-minding service
We are recreation based, and the aim is to meet the needs of children in their out of school hours in a fun, safe and learning environment. Come along and check out our after school care and have a go at Kung Fu!

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Children must be accompanied by an adult