



Hiwinui School

Week 6 - Term 2
7th June 2019

**NO
HOT LUNCHES or
SAUSAGE SIZZLE
TOMORROW
DUE TO KAINUI CROSS
COUNTRY**

Dear Family and Friends,

What a dreadful job it is trying to decide whether to hold a sports fixture. I was so glad that we did postpone our **Cross Country** yesterday as it turned out to be a real wet and bleak afternoon. We will have one more try to hold this fixture and that will be at 1pm on Wednesday 12th June as at this stage the forecast is looking good for then. Please send the children along with their uniforms in their bag next Wednesday just in case.

The **Kainui Cross Country**, fingers crossed, will go ahead **TOMORROW**. Due to the lack of the school cross country we went on the placings of each year group over the last two years and the children's attitude and effort while training, in order to name our school team. As we are only allowed to send eight students, four of each gender, from each year group we saw this as the fairest way. Some students that fitted these criteria simply did not wish to do it this year and we respected their decision.

There have been a number of changes to the Kainui event this year including the course, the number of students entered and the fact there is no break between the Junior and the Senior event, there is no Prize Giving and no medals.

Please make sure that if your child is racing they have a separate bag of clothes in their school bag, including shoes and socks, to put on after the event.

Rooms 1, 2 and 3 students will be brought straight back to school after their race in order to prevent health issues.



LITTLE LEARNER READERS: Would you believe that we have only had these books for 2 years and already **there are 30 books missing**. This is a lot of money and for the next week we are offering an amnesty whereby for every book returned to Mrs Leigh that was issued prior to this newsletter the child bringing the book into Mrs Leigh will get a lollipop.

VOTING PAPERS for the **Board of Trustee Parent Representative Election** **MUST BE** in the **BALLOT BOX** in the office **BY NOON TOMORROW**. It's now too late to post them. Votes will be counted next Wednesday and new board members announced on Thursday 13th June. A reminder to put your voting paper inside the envelope that came with it.



Parent Information: In the Government 2019 Budget it was announced that Decile 1 - 7 schools would in 2020 be given \$150 per child if the school didn't charge a School Donation. Unfortunately, as a Decile 9 school this does not include us. I was at the Rural Principals Conference at the time of 'The Budget' and a lot of Decile 8 and 9 schools showed their disappointment as we too have children whose parents are finding it difficult financially. If you feel disappointed like many of us in Decile 9 schools, please let your views be known to the Minister of Education - Chris Hipkins; chris.hipkins@parliament.govt.nz

Why are some children and young people bullied?

The child or young person who likes to bully looks out for someone who they think is weaker and can't stand up for themselves. Often the victim is different in some way, for example the colour of their skin, the way they talk, how clever they are, their sporting prowess, their name, who they belong to, or shape or size. Or where they live and the number of pets they have. Bullying is never the victim's fault. No one deserves to be bullied.

... 2019 School Camp Fundraisers ...

1. **BERNADETTE PETERS' FAMILY PORTRAIT OFFERS** -\$25 Vouchers available from the school office include a sitting and 8" x 10" photo. Extra copies and USB available to purchase if required. (Offer ends 30th September.)
2. **DOUGHBOYS' FAMILY PIES** - Thank you to all those who have supported this fundraiser - we have had a record number of orders thanks to the effort you have taken to sell to family and friends. Pies will be ready to collect after school on Wednesday 19th June. Please bring named bags or boxes beforehand if possible.
3. **MOVIE NIGHT** - don't forget to put your name down for a ticket to see 'ROCKETMAN' at Feilding Focal Point Cinema on Thursday 20th June, 8:30pm. Tickets available at the office for \$22 (cash only) - complimentary drink included.



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Thursday 6 th June: Vautier Park		Opposition:	Time:	Court:
Hiwinui Blue	(Yr 4)	Ashhurst	4.40pm	11
Hiwinui Red		CSNS Magic	4.40pm	12
Hiwinui Yellow		Cloverlea Fantails	4.40pm	6
Saturday 8 th June: Pascal St Stadium				
Hiwinui Green	(Yrs 5 & 6)	Hokowhitu	10.30am	7
Hiwinui Purple		West End	11.15am	3
Monday 10 th June: Vautier Park				
Hiwinui All Stars	(Yrs 7 & 8)	Oroua-Gold Ferns	4.15pm	9
Hiwinui Hot Shots		FIS Blue	5.10pm	10

RED CROSS BASIC FIRST AID for PARENTS & CAREGIVERS

Thursday 15th August at school 7.00pm - 9.00pm

Parents and caregivers are invited to a Basic First Aid class at school (\$26.50 per person) based primarily on children and infants - CPR, choking, bleeding and shock, strains and sprains, burns, and DRSABC. You *are* your child's first aider so the more knowledge you have the better. **Book your spot now** - office@hiwinui.school.nz



... KAPAI KIDS ...

Wondering 1: **Edi Murphy** - *for your enthusiasm in maths and sharing your mathematical knowledge with your friends.*

Terrific 2: **Indie-Rose Blackmore** - *Congratulations, you have learnt your Pink Heart Words. You are now using them in your writing too!*

Room 3: **Sam Whitehead** - *we appreciate the strong scientific knowledge you share in our class. You help our learning go deeper - thank you!*

Room 4: **Alicia Wilson** - *for your leadership, service, and the respect you show for others in class and around the school. Thank you Alicia.*

Room 5: **Hadleigh Pryde** - *you are a respectful and polite member of Room 5 and you consistently try your best at everything you do.*

Room 6: **Grace Mossman** - *you are working so hard on your literacy contract. You are focused and motivated.*

and **Cameron Smillie** - *your work ethic during maths time is admirable. Ka Pai Cam!*



The **Enviro Group** planted three trees in their project area on Wednesday to celebrate Arbor Day.



Community
Notice Board



FARM-STAY ACCOMMODATION WANTED:

Massey University is looking for local farm-stay accommodation for short course groups studying Bachelor of Agri-Science at South Korean and Japanese universities. You would need to host them and show them the workings of a NZ farm and farm related experiences. Hosts will be paid weekly board and allowance. If you are interested please email homestaypn@massey.ac.nz

GIVE-A-LITTLE PAGE TO FUND HIWINUI COMMUNITY DEFIBRILLATOR:

The Hiwinui Community Committee has opened a Give-a-Little page to raise funds for a Defibrillator to be housed at Hiwinui School for the wider Hiwinui community use.

To support this wonderful cause please go to:

<https://givealittle.co.nz/project/hiwinui-nneds-a-defibrillator-for-the-community>

BUNNYTHORPE FEEDS - 10% DISCOUNT ON LAMB & CALF MILK POWDER:

for Hiwinui School families – from 1st June 2019. We also supply bottles and teats.

HIWINUI PLAYGROUP – THURSDAY 20th JUNE:

All pre-schoolers and their minders welcome – Room 4 – bring a gold coin per child and a piece of fruit to share. Follow them on Facebook.

Towel Roster: EDMONDS family

NO EGGS



PLEASE

Kind regards,

Brenda, Debbie, Sarah, Fiona, Irene, Mark, Rebecca, Rochelle, Odette, Novena, Colin, Kate, Holly, Kendall and Emma.

*Mahia i runga i te rangimarie me te ngakau mahaki.
With a peaceful mind and respectful heart
we will always get the best results.*

Dates to Remember ... *this is a guide only - dates may change*

- 7th June Kainui Cross Country
- 19th June B.O.T. meeting
- 28th June Written Reports home
- 5th July Open Classrooms-Science "I wonder what will happen ...?"
- Term 2 ends**
- 8th July Whole Staff / Teacher Only Day
- 22nd July **Term 3 begins**



Stickers and
Labels
WANTED