

Hampton Hill School Newslink



Hampton Hill School
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23 September 2020



Term 3

25 September—Last Day of Term 3—school finishes at 3pm

Term 4

12 October—First Day of Term 4

15 October—2021 OOZ Enrolments close

19 October — BoT Meeting 5.30pm

20 October—OOZ ballot if required

4 November—TIS Visit for Yr 6

13 November—Teacher Only Day—No School for children

16-18 November—Year 6 Camp

20 November—4 December—Swimming

25 November—11 December—Dental Van Visiting

8 December—Volunteers' Morning Tea

15 December—Yr 6 Leavers Dinner

6 WAYS TO HELP THE ENVIRONMENT EVERYDAY!



Follow our power saving

<http://www.schoolgen.co.nz/schoolgen->

Kia ora, Malo e lelei, Talofa lava, Kia Orana, Namaste, Ni Hao, Alsalamu Alaykum, Fakalofa lahi atu, *Talohani*, Groete

I trust the last week of the school term has started well for you.

We enjoyed an eventful week last week as we celebrated both **Science Week and Maori Language at our kura.**

Our tamaraki enjoyed conducting several science experiments in their classes throughout the week. A highlight for me was being invited to see the solar powered ovens that were cooking smores! Then, we had our Science Evening which was well attended by a range of families who displayed a healthy competitive spirit. Finally, the week was capped off with a visit from a scientist from Victoria University who conducted several experiments for the entire school. A big thank you to Mrs Briesmann for her hard work in making the week such a success and for providing so many opportunities for learning.

Maori Language week provided us with an opportunity to practice and learn new words in Te Reo. Our Kapa Haka met on Monday and had the opportunity to give themselves a temporary moku which they enjoyed creating and displaying. Our teachers also spent time in classes with our learners exploring te reo more.

Thank you for a warm welcome to Hampton Hill School this term in what has been my first term as a principal. It has been lovely to meet so many of you at the school gate and at some of the different events we have hosted. I wish you and you children a safe and happy two week break.

Stefan Knap
Principal
Hampton Hill School
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2021 Dates

Term 1—3 February—16 April

Term 2—3 May—9 July

Term 3—26 July - 1 October

Term 4—18 October—15 Dec

Dates to Note:

Waitangi Day—8 February

Easter Break—2,5,6 April

Queen's Birthday—7 June

Labour Day—25 October

From the Office



Out of Zone Enrolments—If you have a child or children turning five in 2021 and you live out of zone, please make sure you have your completed enrolment forms to the office by **9am on Friday 15th October 2020**. **This will be the only date available to apply or out of zone enrolments for 2021**. If you live out of zone and do not apply by this date, you will not be able to enrol your child at Hampton Hill School in 2021. The Board of Trustees has determined that 3 spaces will be available for New Entrant out of zone enrolments for 2021 only. A ballot, if required, will take place on Tuesday 20th October 2020. If you live in zone and have a child turning five in 2021, we would appreciate if you would also return your enrolment documents so that we know how many places we can offer to out of zone applicants and for other planning purposes.

Tummy Bugs— If your child has had a tummy bug, please **keep them home for 48 hours** after their last episode of vomiting or diarrhoea to make sure other children do not catch it from them. Remind children to wash hands often, particularly after toileting and before eating.

Nits—Headlice may be present amongst children in your child's class. These insects are a nuisance and can be controlled or eradicated by families. Headlice crawl from head to head and may be passed on through shared objects such as hairbrushes and hats. It is recommended that you check all members of your household carefully.

Ways to keep connected

Website – www.hamptonhill.school.nz

- for information about our school

Email – office@hamptonhill.school.nz

- or check out the website for all individual staff emails

Hampton Hill School Phone App

- download free from App Store or Playstore



Phone – 04 232 6509

Facebook

Hampton Hill School

This is used by the Principal and Office to update you on notices/reminders/fundraising/current happenings around the school.

<https://www.facebook.com/pages/Hampton-Hill-School-Tawa/177986682345511>

Hampton Hill School Parents Community Page

This group has been set up by parents for parents/whanau of Hampton Hill Primary School.

This page is administered voluntarily by parents of the school and while it has the full support of HHS, the intention of this group is to provide an online community space for parents/whanau us to all share ideas, information, arrange holiday play dates/ kid swaps and generally provide a supportive environment to each other.

Please treat everyone on this page with respect and do not use it as a forum for raising grievances about the school or teachers. Any school issues should be taken directly to the school.

This page is open for teachers and parents alike, to support each other within the school community, so let this be a place where we can celebrate our children and also provide support when we need help.

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/427863694041125/>



Assembly Awards 11 September

Kiwi—**Asinate** for showing unity and listening to instructions. **Aria** for making great progress in her reading and sound knowledge. **Joshua** for sharing his awesome maths thinking and recording with his group.

Hoiho—**Josiah** for showing resilience during his first week of school. Keep it up! **Alexis** for preserving in her writing and working hard to make her stories longer. **Cora** for showing manaakitanga and unity with her friends during school.

Pīwakawaka— **Jak** for being a great role model for others. Well done you! **Kalia** you are an incredible and graceful dancer. Way to go for showing resilience and persevering to learn a new skill. Malo 'aupito! **Kirtanraj** for making some great choices as to where to sit during mat time and following instructions. To atu!

Tūi - **Lauren** for showing all the RIMU values and using great thinking skills. **Summer** for great integrity. Thank you for being an awesome learner. **Cullen** for trying hard to remember to show integrity in our classroom.

Kea - **Liam** for showing initiative and working so well – way to go! **Salote** for the amazing effort and progress you are showing with your reading. **Sam** for awesome resilience and being super helpful - awesome Manaakitanga.

Ruru— **Anna** for consistently showing the Rimu values and always taking pride in what she does. **Eli W** for his well thought out writing ideas and being a great role model for others. **Justin** for showing his awesome mathematical thinking skills during problem solving .

Kererū— **Harshit** for being a role model of integrity, **Emma** for supporting our Kiwi/Hoiho writing and **William** for carefully measuring the courts.

Kakapo— **Natalie** for reading clearly and fluently in her reading group, moving up 4 levels this term! Love your dedication. **Aria** for practising her “k” and “l” sounds, you are showing a lot of resilience. **Isabella** for improving so much on your reading and writing, you are a hardworking student! We are all very proud of you.

Takahē - Happy Birthday to Madi for last week! **Amenia** for whipping up a quick but beautiful piece of calendar art. Hats off to **Quade** for showing integrity and unity when helping Mr B this week. Magical work in inquiry and explaining your learning (STEAM marble maze) to your audience on Seesaw, **Mimi**.

Kārearea—**Nubaid** - for a positive attitude towards all aspects of learning, and showing great integrity and initiative. **Safaa** - for working hard to have a growth mindset in maths and for persevering when she finds the work challenging. **Jiya** - for always striving to complete work to the best of her ability and extend her learning.



After School and Before School
Programme
hamptonhill@kellyclub.co.nz
phone 021 594 646

Fundraising Calendar Art is Back!

All of the children have been very busy making gorgeous art in their classes. Another “Everybody Wins” fundraiser for our school - you get fabulous inexpensive cards and calendars featuring your child’s artwork and we raise funds for the school!

Calendars—\$13.00

Cards (pack of 8 including envelopes)—\$13.00
—that’s less than \$2 per card!

Diaries—\$16.00

You can also upload your favourite photo if you want different art or if your child was away on the day.

These make great gifts for grandparents, inexpensive cards to use as birthday cards, thank you cards—the list is endless!

Order forms will be sent home with students this week—**please check your child’s bag. The forms have website details for orders and a unique order number**. The closing date for orders is Tuesday 27th October. Orders will be delivered to our school 2-4 weeks after the order closing date.



If you don’t have access to the internet to make your order, pop into the office and we will be able to help you.

Support our fundraising!

Entertainment Memberships Are Here!

<https://www.entertainmentbook.co.nz/orderbooks/1054h92?fbclid=IwAR1HvpVR3II5briotcx5e7UXmt9I9znKJlxR x2kHfeh0V0cSaagAayypa6M>

Single City \$69 ⁹⁹ 1 Year Discover all the best savings in your city \$14 to your fundraiser	Multi City \$119 ⁹⁹ 1 Year MOST POPULAR Enjoy savings across all of Australia, New Zealand and Bali \$24 to your fundraiser	Multi Plus \$229 ⁹⁹ 2 Years BEST VALUE 2 years of savings across Australia, New Zealand and Bali \$46 to your fundraiser
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entertainment

Pre-order your Entertainment Membership today!



Community Notices



Want to be the next
Amelia Kerr or
Ross Taylor?

**COME PLAY CRICKET AT THE NORTH
CITY CRICKET CLUB!**

Register online at

<http://northcitycricketclub.co.nz/>

or in person

Sunday 20 September 2 - 4pm at the Cricket
Club, Gee Street, Tawa

More info on our website or
Facebook page



my PARENTING COURSE



A couple of years ago I decided I wanted to offer parents the opportunity of parenting classes in the hope it might be of help to them. It seemed as though the idea might be sound, but it would seem parents were only interested in the main if it were free,... so that is what I decided to do - make it free.

On my website www.nextchapterparenting.co.nz is my Parenting Course. All it requires is a parent to look, read, watch, and hopefully gain out of the process, at their own pace and in their own time.

This course does work, and has the potential to be very helpful.

Brigid Carkeek

nextchapterparenting@gmail.com



JUNIOR ATHLETICS

OLYMPIC WELLINGTON Harriers & Athletics



Registration is now open for our Junior Athletics Season.

Club nights are **Wednesday** evenings. Please see www.olympicjuniors.nz for information on our club nights (see Junior athletics tab) and registration (see membership tab).

Our first club night is **Wednesday 21 October 2019**, at Grenada North.

Under 7s (3 to 6 year olds): 5:45pm - 6:45pm (Athletics NZ Get Set Go programme)

7-14 years: 6:00pm - 7:15 pm

Further details about other athletic events such as interclub meets at Newtown and Colgate Games will be available at club nights.

Athletics is a great sport for developing not only in the track and field area but also in skills for all other sports.

Facebook - Olympic Junior Athletics

Tawa Tennis Club

Love Tennis Weekend gives you an opportunity to come and have a go!
Bring the family. Tell your friends. Come on down and join in the fun.

Saturday 10th and Sunday 11th October
1 – 4pm



Tawa Tennis Club is by Redwood Railway Station.

Contact: Julie Roberts | julieroberts33@gmail.com

Elements Rhythmic Gymnastics



ELEMENTS
RHYTHMIC GYMNASTICS

Rhythmic Gymnastics is a mix of dance and gymnastics. It develops hand-eye coordination through the use of apparatus – rope, hoop, ball, clubs and ribbon. We are the only Rhythmic Gymnastics Club in the Wellington region.

If your son or daughter loves to dance and is looking for something a little different, then come along to a class and give it a try!

Email info@rhythmicgym.nz to arrange a **FREE** trial.

We have classes available from Mon to Sat, min. numbers apply. Our classes are in Thorndon, just opposite the Botanical Gardens.

Kidz Stuff



These school holidays KidzStuff Theatre for Children are presenting Thumbelina, Written by Rachel Henry and Directed by Hilary Norris.

What: Thumbelina
When: 26th September - 9th October 2020

Where: Tararua Tramping Club, 4 Moncrieff Street, Mt Victoria, Wellington
Times: Weekdays 10am & 11:30am, Saturdays 10am, no show Sundays

A poster for the Junior Touch Jam Festival. It features a silhouette of a person in a hula hoop against a background of colorful fireworks. The text says 'JUNIOR TOUCH JAM FESTIVAL', 'JUNIOR TOUCH ALL SCHOOLS MEET', '21ST & 22ND NOVEMBER 2020', 'HUTT PARK, LOWER HUTT', 'YEAR 5/6 AND YEAR 7/8 MIXED, GIRLS AND BOYS', 'BOUNCY CASTLES + FACE PAINTERS + SLIP'N'SLIDES PLUS MORE SURPRISES AND FUN FOR ALL!', and 'For more info and to register visit touchjamfestival.com'. It also lists sponsors: Touch, ATAMHAI EVOLVE, HUTT CITY, studioeventyfour, and Touch. Contact info: Bronwyn M 021 286 8240, E info@touchjamfestival.com.

TAWA SOFTBALL

Register for Under 7, Under 9 Tee Ball!
Register for Under 11, Under 13 Softball!

You can Register with Tawa Softball Club for the 2020 season now - Go to our Website to register online!
sporty.co.nz/tawasoftball

Want to Learn more? We have an open day and final registrations on Saturday 26th September, 1pm, at the Tawa Softball Clubrooms, Redwood Ave, Tawa.

Come along to learn the game, meet coaches, bring your own friends and make new friends!

Check out our Facebook Page Tawa Softball Club - This is our main point of communication and sharing information.
For any questions, please email tawasoftballclub@gmail.com



Community Notices



Here is the link to the latest Tots to Teens Magazine <https://readymag.com/>

The advertisement for Spotlight Performing Arts has a dark red background. At the top, it asks 'Does your child like to sing, dance, act and perform?' and 'Would you like your child to build more confidence and make more friends?'. Below this is a collage of photos showing children in various performing arts activities. The text below the photos says 'Performing arts classes led by a London West End performer!' and 'After school and weekend classes in Aotea, Johnsonville, Karori and Lower Hutt!'. It also mentions 'Two-week trials available.' and provides the website 'www.spotlightperformingarts.co.nz'. The Spotlight Performing Arts logo, featuring a silhouette of a dancer, is in the bottom right corner.



[Kids: An Instruction Manual with Nigel Latta](#)

How often have you wished kids came with an instruction manual? Nigel Latta delivers what every parent has always wanted...a cutting edge, science based, easy to understand guide to solving problems in families. Made with the support of NZ On Air. Don't miss it!

TV1 Mondays 7.30pm