



NEWSLETTER

Thursday, 14th June 2018

Week 7 of Term 2

Kia ora koutou, ngā mihi kia koutou katoa,

Teacher Paid Union Meeting

All teachers are attending the Paid Union Meeting on **Tuesday 19th June**. We would appreciate it if you could organise for your child/ren to be picked up from school from by 1.30pm, and let classroom teacher know. If you aren't able to pick up your child can you please email Denise and let us know asap.

This week we celebrated Support Staff Day here at Houghton Valley School. We are very fortunate to have a wonderful support team - Denise (office manager), Joanna (librarian), Jasmine, Jo and Tanya (Teacher Aides) and Colin (IT technician). We appreciate all the work you do as often it is over and above your job description. They support our teachers and students in a myriad of ways, so that our school runs smoothly, safely and vibrantly!

We acknowledged our support staff with a morning tea and some gifts, and our children presented them with cards and lots of lovely messages.



Joanna Librarian, Teacher Aides – Jasmine, Jo, Tanya and Denise Office Manager

Feedback and a catch up with the Leadership team - Tuesday 3rd July 8.15-9.00am

As a leadership team we are always keen to hear your feedback and how things are going for your child/ren and the things we are doing here at Houghton Valley School.

Each term we hold a coffee morning with the leadership team to provide an opportunity to hear your feedback and to share the term ahead. We don't want to make this too formal so if you only have time to pop in for 10 minutes please do.

We would love to hear your feedback on term 2:

- Production
- PB4L
- Learning programmes
- Communication



Stars of Matariki by Kowhai

Ngā mihi kia koutou katoa, Luana Carroll, Te Tumuaki – Principal

HVS School Terms for 2018

Term 3 - Mon 23rd July to Fri 28th Sept

Term 4 - Mon 15th Oct to Thurs 20th Dec

LOST PROPERTY

We have a mountain of lost property piling up in the main corridor. Next fine day will put the clothes out in the courtyard. Could be useful to label coats and jackets as these will be needed over the coming months. Thank

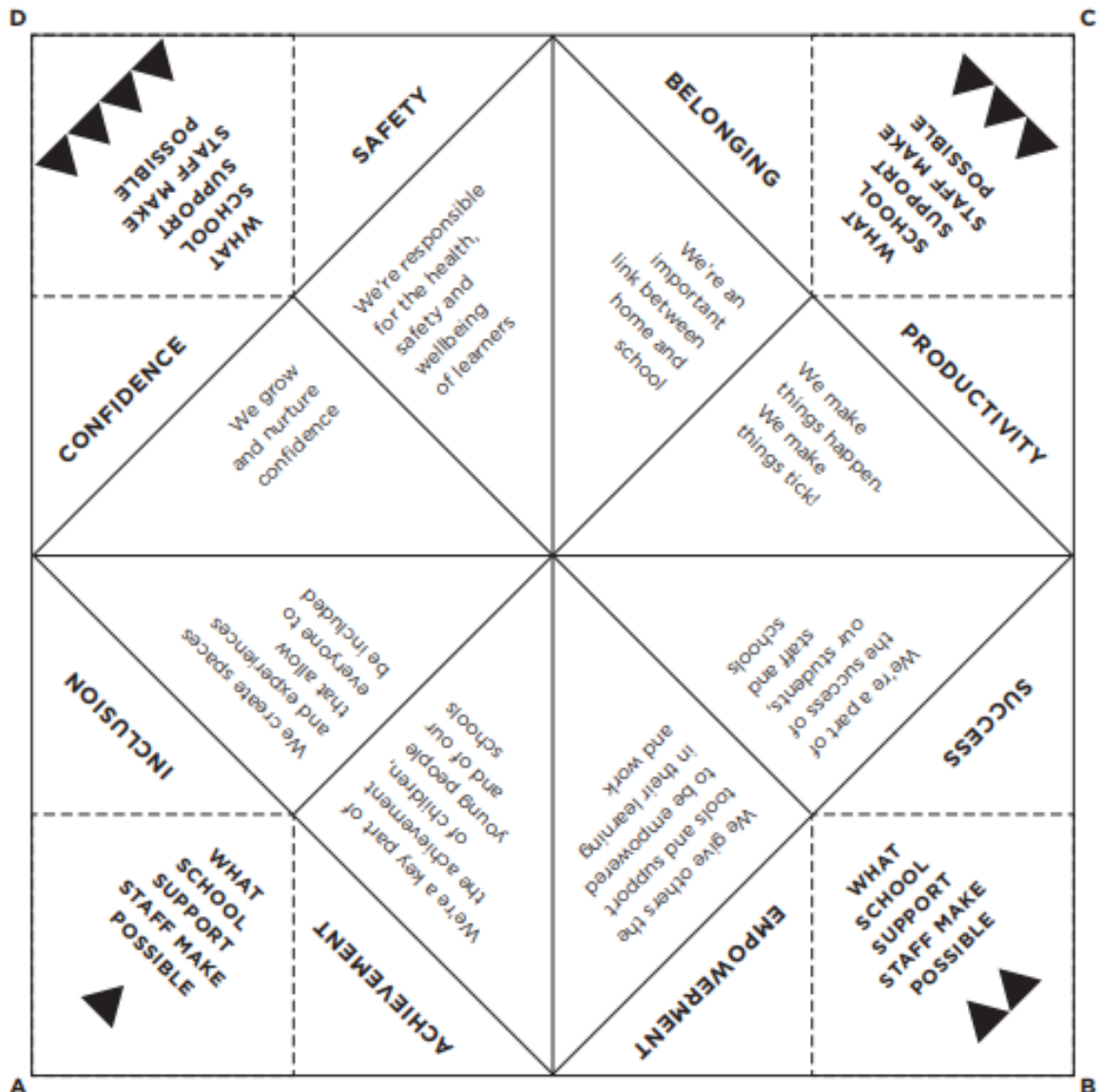


We have a NEW unnamed navy blue MACPAC Jetstream Kids jacket with a hood (size 6). If this is your child's jacket please come and collect from Denise in the office. Thanks

SUPPORT STAFF

SUPPORT STAFF DAY 2018 — MAKING IT POSSIBLE —

This year New Zealand School Support Staff, alongside thousands of Education Support Personnel across the globe are celebrating what they make possible. Make then keep or share this origami - which uncovers just a few of the things that are possible thanks to School Support Staff.



KELLY CLUB AFTERNOON PROGRAMME AVAILABLE
TUESDAY 19TH JUNE STARTING @ 1:30PM (WHILE UNION MEETING ON)



Kelly Club will be running a Holiday Programme on the half day on Tuesday **June 19th** from 1:30pm while the school is closed for NZEI Union Meeting. Join us for Crafts, Sports, Games, Baking and Discovery Time.

On **19th June** we're giving you the extra half an hour for no extra cost! Price will be our usual after school care prices. 1:30pm - 4:30pm \$12 and 1:30pm - 6pm for \$19

For more info visit our website www.kellyclub.co.nz OR contact Genevieve on 022 010 9981 houghtonvalley@kellyclub.co.nz

HOME AND SCHOOL ASSOCIATION



Despite being four months away, the success of the school fair was the main topic of conversation at the most recent Home and School meeting. It was clear that an awesome foundation exists for the fair and along with several new ideas 2018 has the potential to be one of the best yet. Planning is getting underway soon with a need to fill the many critical volunteer roles a priority. More information will be coming home soon.

And speaking of volunteering, the new committee is now in place with Kevin Hales on board as treasurer, Ian Long chairing his first meeting and Megan Laking as secretary.



Entertainment Books for Sale Houghton Valley School is selling Entertainment Books™ for a fundraiser again this year. Entertainment Books include hundreds of **discounts for activities, shops and restaurants around Wellington. The books are \$65** but there are thousands of dollars worth of discounts. To order your book online visit: www.entbook.co.nz/1097k91. Please pass this link on to family and friends - our school gets about 20% from every sale. Any questions, please contact Kate (Te Maihi's mum) ph 383 5234.

HVS Home and School Association

TERM 2 EVENTS

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 7 11 th -15 th June		BOT Meeting @7:30pm			Te-hui-a-kura - Assembly 2:15pm Classes Presenting Room 6, 7 and Year 4's
Week 8 18 th -22 th June		Interzone Cross Country @ Karori Park 9-12pm ----- Teacher Paid Union Meeting-children to be picked up by 1:30pm ----- Kelly Club Holiday Program (½ day)		Interzone Cross Country Postponement	Te-hui-a-kura - Assembly 2:15pm
Week 9 25 th - 29 th June					Te-hui-a-kura - Assembly 2:15pm
Week 10 2 nd -6 th July		8:15am till 9am Coffee morning with the Leadership Team	Student Learning Reports go Home		9am - 11am Performance Assembly & Farwell Lara Nemet ----- 2:55pm End of Term

KELLY CLUB HOLIDAY PROGRAMME JULY HOLIDAYS



KELLY CLUB ISLAND BAY HOLIDAY PROGRAMMES: Mon 9 July – Fri 20 July 2018

Kelly Club Island Bay Holiday Programmes focus on giving children aged between 5 and 13 the opportunity to do things they enjoy in a safe, supportive and encouraging environment. The programmes are packed with activities to entertain and inspire children.

For full details and to enrol into our programmes visit www.kellyclub.co.nz email islandbay@kellyclub.co.nz or call 022 198 6316



KELLY SPORTS HOLIDAY PROGRAMME! – Wellington Indoor Sports Centre, Newtown - 9th July – 13 July 2018

Let the kids come and try some of their favourite sports; Rugby, Netball, Football, Hockey and much more!! Learn new skills, gain self-confidence and make new friends! Have fun at Junglerama or Jumparama – Jump, Play, Enjoy! or try Ten Pin Bowling, plus there is a trip day! To book To book <http://www.kellysports.co.nz/events/3245-Wellington-Indoor-Sports>

KELLY SPORTS TERM 3 2018: Kelly Sports will be back in Term 3 with their fun and exciting classes. “Play Like a Sports Hero” (Yrs 1-4) – Thursdays 3:05-4:05pm - Come and try Football, Netball, Ripra Rugby and Handball. Try 2 weeks each of these sports. We use games & drills to teach game sense and team play. It’s a great way to try new sports, learn new skills and improve ability. We use games & drills to teach game sense and team play. Learn the fundamental skills for all sports – throwing, running, jumping, striking, balance and many more – all while having a great time!

COMMUNITY NOTICES

SCHOOL HOLIDAY WORKSHOPS:

CALLING ALL SUPERHEROES - JULY 16 – 20

In the upcoming school holidays, Weta Workshop is opening its doors to a new cohort of creative superheroes! We warmly invite the children of Houghton Valley School to come along.

From sketching to sculpting and costume making, our workshops for ages 6 – 12 years old will excite and delight! Don’t miss out. Book online at www.wetaworkshop.com/school-holidays

Artrageous Kids Programme: Mon 9 – Fri 20 July

BOOK ARTRAGEOUS JULY Venue: Poneke Dojo, Prince of Wales Park, Salisbury Tce, Mt Cook, Wellington

8.30am–3:00pm \$69 and after care 3:00pm–5.15pm \$15 Aimed at children aged 5-12 years. Our classes provide a space for all children to explore at their own pace; chaotic or careful, gingerly or with gusto, tiptoeing or tromping. Our aim is to draw out their creativity, not stuff things in! Bookings essential. **BOOK NOW!**

Big Kids (Olderageous) Programme: Mon 9 – Fri 20 July **BOOK OLDERAGEOUS JULY**

Venue: Pavillion at Wellington High School, Taranaki St, Mt Cook, Wellington
8.30am–3:00pm \$69 and after care 3:00pm–5.15pm \$15 Our BIG KIDS programme is aimed at children aged 10-14 years. Providing them with a space, focused adult attention and loads of resources. This programme is tailored to draw out older children’s interest in creating and using their imagination and creativity in a hilariously fun atmosphere. Bookings essential. **BOOK NOW!**



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Kelly Club After School Care • Genevieve - Cell 022 010 9981 or email houghtonvalley@kellyclub.co.nz

HVS School Fair – Saturday 27th October 2018

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