



# Houghton Valley School

*Caring, Exploring and Inspiring Together*

*Ka Manaaki, Ka Rapu, Ka Whakamanawa tahi ai tātou*

## Newsletter

Wednesday, 1<sup>st</sup> July 2020

Week 12 of Term 2

### HVS Reminders

- **Thurs 2<sup>nd</sup> July** – Matariki Celebration 5:00pm
- **Fri 3<sup>rd</sup> July** – Last Day of Term 2 2:55pm
- **Mon 20<sup>th</sup> July** – Term 3 starts 9am

### **Kia ora te whanau,**

As we head towards the last few days of the term I want to take this opportunity to thank all of the amazing staff for their work throughout the term. We have navigated some challenging times and levels. The amount of changes you have made and ran with have been outstanding. Nga mihi nui te kaiako matou. Have a well deserved holiday!



### MATARIKI

Due to the weather we will run our Matariki evening in the Hall and library. As this is a whanau event, children need to come with an adult. We will start with singing at 5.30pm so we ask that children are here between 5.00pm-5.30pm.

Hot chocolate will be provided but ***we ask that you bring your own cup!***



### HVS Cross Country

Congratulations to all that ran yesterday. We are thankful that we were able to run the Year 4-6's. Those who came in the top 6 will go on to the Southern Zones in term 3.



### Production – 24<sup>th</sup> September

We can confirm that in Term 3 we will have our biannual School Production at Wellington High School. We are only to get the Riley Centre for 1 day so we are going to have a Matinee in the afternoon and one night show. Please book in your calendar Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> September. We will share more details early in term 3.

### COVID-19

If there are any changes to COVID-19 levels during the break we will be in touch otherwise school will start as normal in term 3. We will not be at the gate in the morning next term.

On behalf of the staff we would like to say thank you for your on-going support and we wish you a safe and relaxing break. We look forward to seeing you Monday 20th July!

Ngā manaakitanga, Luana Carroll

## RESULTS FROM HVS CROSS COUNTRY 2020



Top **SIX** Year 4 to 6 boys and girls represent HVS at the  
Southern Zone Cross Country on Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> July  
(PP1 Thurs 30/7, PP2 Tues 4/8, PP3 Thurs 6/8) at **McAllister Park, Lizardet Street**



	Year 4 Girls	Year 4 Boys	Year 5 Girls	Year 5 Boys	Year 6 Girls	Year 6 Boys
1	Amelie Mitchell	Hunter Wylie	Maddie Hill	Leo McKenzie	Matilda Wallace	Henri Miller
2	Ruby Miller	Harry Barton	Anna Puddick	Ethan Bell	Ahanna Tyagi	Leo Burne
3	Renee Laking	Rueben Pearman	Maggie Dinniss	Jaxon McFarlane	Natasha Horrocks	Austin Coom
4	Eleanor Hayman	Lucca McErlane-Rogers	Nina Macaulay	Zac Brister	Eleanor Jefferies	Jaxon Tearikiau-Ford
5	Emma Adams	Etienne Du Toit	Meira Robins-Brewer	Te Maihi Mitcalfe Matthew	Genevieve Hutson	Will Williams
6	Thea Grose	Hjalmar McConnell	Florence Williams	Rupert Wynands	Rewa Ririnui	Mikey Sainsbury
	Savannah-Rose Ashton	Art Prebble	Andi Moore	Sven-Aksel Mikkelsen	Vita McKenzie	Zebedee Beri
	Edith Prebble	Otto levers	Evie Fry-Hall	Louis Taylor	Sylvie Restieaux	Magnus Munkacsi

## HVS HOME AND SCHOOL ASSOCIATION working together to support and build our school community

### Remember to Register for our Dog Training Fundraiser



One of the wonderful members of our school community is offering outdoor dog training from the start of term 3 and donating 25% of the money to Home and School.

There will be six weeks of classes covering a range of topics. It will cost \$20 per class, \$35 for two or \$100 for all six. If you are interested, fill out the attached form:

<https://forms.gle/z9JstQFYPC6Z2QfB8>

## EZLUNCH TERM 3 2020

### Ezlunch - POLi payments changes as of 6<sup>th</sup> July 2020

We have been advised that a service fee of 1% (capped at \$3) will apply for ezlunch (myKindo) top ups using POLi (instant bank transfers) from 6 July 2020. *Internet banking continues to be FREE.*

You will see these top-up options:

- Internet Banking (POLi) - will incur a 1% service fee (capped at \$3). Funds are instantly transferred.
- Credit/Debit Card - will incur 2.5% and 50c service fee. Funds are instantly transferred. Visa, Mastercard, American Express, China Union Pay.
- Internet Banking (at your bank) - FREE. Allow two days for processing of funds (normally next day). Orders can be automatically placed when the funds have cleared. Kindo is a Registered Bill Payee with all major banks (search 'Kindo' to avoid entering their bank account number when using internet banking).

You can set up an Auto Payment or top up additional funds to your ezlunch balance to avoid topping up each time, which will streamline your next lunch purchase if you'd like to do so.

Should you have any queries, please get in touch with our Customer Support team on [hello@mykindo.co.nz](mailto:hello@mykindo.co.nz) or call 0508 454 636

### Term 2 Events

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>Week 12</b> <i>29<sup>th</sup> June- 3<sup>rd</sup> July</i>		HV School Cross Country Year 4-6		Mid Year Summary & Goal Reports go Home =====	Last Day of the Term 2 2:55pm
<b>Matariki Celebration</b> 5:00pm @ HVS					
<b>Term 3</b> starts Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> July 2020					

## KELLY CLUB ISLAND BAY JULY HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

***Note: Places still available***

**Kelly Club Holiday Programmes** focus on giving children aged between 5 and 12 the opportunity to do things they enjoy in a safe, supportive and encouraging environment.

This programme is packed with activities to entertain and inspire children.

We have some exciting days planned:

*Rainbow Day, Cartoon Day, Crazy Day plus some exciting trip days to Laser Force, Island Bay Marine Centre, Space Place plus we are going to see the movie Trolls 2!*

To enrol [www.kellyclub.co.nz](http://www.kellyclub.co.nz), email [islandbay@kellyclub.co.nz](mailto:islandbay@kellyclub.co.nz) or ph. 022 198 6316



Our holiday programmes give children opportunities to do the things they love in a supportive and encouraging environment. Our friendly staff are passionate about working with children. They are trained in delivering fun activities, first aid and behaviour management. Book online today to make Kelly Club your home away from home these holidays.

**Who can attend:** Children aged 5-13 yrs

**What do you need to bring:** Shoes and appropriate clothing, jacket or sweatshirt, hat, drink bottle and food.

**Food:** Please bring plenty of packed food and drink for morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea. Lunch will be from approximately 12.30pm to 1.00pm each day.

**Programme activities:** Programme activities are adapted to suit children of all ages and children may be grouped by age depending on numbers. Programme activities may vary without notice depending on weather conditions and programme numbers.

**Payment details:** Pay before the holiday programme begins to secure your child's place. You will receive an invoice once you have completed your booking. All payment details will be included on the invoice.

**Work and Income OSCAR Subsidy:** Some parents and caregivers may be eligible for a WINZ subsidy to help cover the cost of our programme. For more information visit [www.workandincome.govt.nz](http://www.workandincome.govt.nz).

**Please note:** Every care will be taken to ensure the safety of your child and their property. However, organisers of Kelly Club accept no liability for any injury sustained by your child or any loss or damage to their property while at the programme. If your child is collected late after the conclusion of the programme you will be charged \$15 per 15 minutes or part thereof.

**Website:** [www.kellyclub.co.nz/Islandbay](http://www.kellyclub.co.nz/Islandbay)  
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## JULY 2020 HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

ISLAND BAY SCHOOL, ISLAND BAY

	Mon 6 July	Tues 7 July	Wed 8 July	Thurs 9 July	Fri 10 July
<b>WEEK 1</b>	<p><b>COOL CARTOONS</b> It's a 2D world at Kelly Club today. Make yourself some mouse ears, chase the rabbit down the hole, join us for a wonderland tea party, and create some cartoons of your own!</p>	<p><b>TRIP DAY - LASERFORCE!</b> Join us for an awesome day to Laserforce! Gear up with your Generation 6 Laserforce Battlesuit vest &amp; grip your phaser tight - it's time for action! \$17 extra for the day. Please remember a big lunch and a drink bottle.</p>	<p><b>RAINBOW DAY</b> Wear your favourite colour and step inside the rainbow with rainbow science and rainbow fruit kebabs. If you're lucky you might just find a pot of gold.</p>	<p><b>TRIP DAY - ISLAND BAY MARINE RESERVE</b> Join us for a sea themed trip to the Island Bay Marine Reserve. Come and see the 'Bait Shed Aquarium'. \$17 extra for the day. Please remember a big lunch and a drink bottle!</p>	<p><b>SMASH HITS</b> If you like singing and dancing, today's the day for you! Warm up your voice for karaoke, prepare for the music quiz, and show off your moves in an epic dance battle!</p>
<b>WEEK 2</b>	<p><b>RETRO DAY!</b> Let's show the parents how it's done! Share your secrets through a paper cup phone or take out our epic marble tournament. Time to dig out the knuckle bones and chatter rings!</p>	<p><b>TRIP DAY - SPACE PLACE</b> We are going to Space Place! Travel through the southern skies in the state-of-the-art planetarium, take a look at the night sky through the Thomas Cooke telescope. \$17 extra for the day. Please remember a big lunch and a drink bottle!</p>	<p><b>HUMAN BODY</b> Bodies can do some incredible things! Test your body's limit with the beep test, make a skeleton hand, and if you're feeling brave eat some marshmallow earwax swabs...</p>	<p><b>TRIP DAY - MOVIES</b> We are off to the movies! TROLLS 2! \$17 extra for the day. Please remember a big lunch and a drink bottle.</p>	<p><b>CRAZY DAY</b> Wear your craziest clothes and try out a wacky hairstyle. There'll be plenty of time to perfect your outfit for our crazy fashion show with some Kelly Club crafting.</p>
	<p><b>FULL WEEK:</b> \$253 <b>FULL DAY:</b> \$54 <b>SCHOOL DAY:</b> \$43 <b>HALF DAY:</b> \$36 <b>TRIP DAY:</b> Extra \$17</p> <p>Mon-Fri, 8am-6pm (Trip Days additional)      8am-6pm      8.45am-3.15pm      8am-1pm or 1pm-6pm</p>				



**BOOK ONLINE NOW AT [www.kellyclub.co.nz](http://www.kellyclub.co.nz)**

### KELLY SPORTS TERM 3

Kelly Sports will be back in Term 3 with their fun and exciting classes. Kelly Sports encourages children to have fun, build confidence and to give sport a go. We believe that sport and physical activity has so much to offer young people; it improves fitness, develops communication skills, team work and gives them a place to channel their energy. Play Like a Sports Hero! (Yrs. 1-4) – *Thursday's 3.05pm-4.05pm* - Come and try 2 weeks of: Netball, Hockey, Ripa Rugby and Football. It's a great way to try new sports, learn new skills and improve ability. We use games & drills to build game sense and team play.

Your child will learn the fundamental skills for all sports – throwing, running, jumping, striking, balance and many more – all while having a great time!

For full details and to enrol into our programmes

visit [www.kellysports.co.nz](http://www.kellysports.co.nz) email [adminwqtn@kellysports.co.nz](mailto:adminwqtn@kellysports.co.nz) or call 04 972 7201.



## COMMUNITY NOTICE

**GirlGuidingNZ** makes sure their girls are resilient, strong, connected, get involved in the community, learn new skills in a safe environment and make new friends. **AND In Term 3 2020 our fees are half price.** There is space for your girl to join. Go to <https://girlguidingnz.org.nz/join-us/#joinform> to register.



**Artrageous July Holiday Adventure: 6 – 17 July 2020** 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!](#)**  
**Venue: Poneke Dojo, Prince of Wales Park, Salisbury Tce, Mt Cook, Wellington 8.30am–3pm**

**Winter Basketball Camps** Improve your game and have fun at our winter basketball camps. Our Hoop Kids and Junior College Winter Camps offer a safe and fun environment for your child to make new friends, get fit, and build confidence. Your child will learn fundamental basketball skills at their own pace and ability. Our professional staff and coaches will make sure your camper has a great time and improves their game. Register now to secure your place! **HOOP KIDS WINTER CAMP** Have fun and develop fundamental basketball skills. Open to girls and boys of all abilities from Year 3 - 8. Date: Mon 6 - Wed 8 Jul 2020, Time: 9am - 3pm, Venue: ASB Sports Centre

Houghton Valley School Dates for 2020			
	Start	End	Exceptions
<b>Term 3</b> <i>(10 weeks)</i>	Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> July	Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> September	
<b>Term 4</b> <i>(10 weeks)</i>	Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> October	Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> Dec 20	<b>Labour Day Monday 26<sup>th</sup> October</b> <b>Teacher Only Day Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> October – No School</b>

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<b>Bee Healthy Dental Clinic</b> • 0800 825 583	<b>Ezlunch.co.nz</b> • Thursdays • Sushi • Fridays • Pita Pit go online <a href="http://www.ezlunch.co.nz">www.ezlunch.co.nz</a> before 9am to order.
<b>Kelly Club After School Care</b> - <a href="http://www.kellyclub.co.nz">www.kellyclub.co.nz</a> Cell 022 010 9981 email <a href="mailto:houghtonvalley@kellyclub.co.nz">houghtonvalley@kellyclub.co.nz</a>	

**HVS School Fair ~ Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> November 2020**