

# Halcombe School



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Term 3 Week 8

12<sup>th</sup> September 2017

Tena Koutou Katoa - Greetings to all parents and caregivers



## **BIRTHDAY**

Unfortunately we have had to make a difficult decision and cancel our Birthday Party on the 23<sup>rd</sup> September. We just haven't sold enough tickets to make the evening viable. Thank you to those who bought tickets. You will be reimbursed this week.

## **School BBQ**

Many thanks to Graeme Drayton (Ironbark Engineering) for fixing our school BBQ. It has been 'wobbly' for ages and Grizz has done an awesome job of strengthening it so it will be good for the next 20 years. Many thanks Grizz.

## **Chin Up Champs**

Congratulations to the finalists who competed in our Chin Up Champs in assembly on Friday; Blake, Sean, Ben, Stevie, Lily, Abbie, Rhianna and Samuel. Well done to Rhianna for taking out the competition with 37 chin ups - almost enough to break the school record of 40 (set by Jensen in 2016). Great work kids!

## **Netball**

Saturday Morning Netball has come to an end. We have had three teams competing in the local Feilding competition this year. Thank you so much to our coaches, Kathleen Watkins, Kim McAlley and Christine Sinclair for coaching our teams. Congratulations to all the players on a wonderful season.

## **Turners Tournament**

Good luck to our netball and rugby team attending the Turner Sports Tournament at North Street School on Thursday.

## **BBQ for sale**

We have a BBQ for sale. You can view it in the Hall foyer. Make a reasonable offer and it's yours.

## **Yummy stickers**

A reminder to collect 'Yummy' stickers and bag labels, and return them to school by Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> September please! We exchange them for wonderful sports gear. We are hoping this year will be a record, so keep munching through those apples!

## **Scholastic Book Club**

The latest catalogues are out now. You have the option of ordering online directly from Scholastic via their new LOOP website your books are delivered to the classroom as usual. You can still send in cash or cheque orders to the Office. Please make cheques payable to 'Scholastic NZ'. See the catalogue for the order forms and full details. Orders close Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> September, end of week 9.

**STUDENT COUNCIL FUN DAY  
WEDNESDAY 20 SEPT (WEEK 9)**



**WHEELS!**

**BRING YOUR SKATEBOARDS,  
RIPSTICKS, SCOOTERS OR  
ROLLERBLADES! NO BIKES PLEASE.  
WE RECOMMEND WEARING A HELMET.**



*As part of their inquiry into how animals help us, Room 2 is going to donate some money to the SPCA. Bring along a gold coin if you would like to help too. Thank you!*

**BURGERS - \$3**  
**ORDER YOUR BURGER FROM THE OFFICE  
NOW! LAST DAY FOR ORDERS IS  
TUESDAY 19 SEPTEMBER.**

### Interhouse Nukumball

Over the past week, many of our senior students have been competing in an Interhouse Nukumball Competition. It has been great to see students representing their house with pride and passion! Congratulations to Totara, who took out the competition.

Kind regards

Sue Simpson  
Principal



### Community News

#### Ironbark Engineering

Contact Ironbark Engineering for all your engineering needs. Phone 328 8552 to talk to Graeme (Grizz).

#### Cash for Communities – Ballance

PGG Wrightson and Balance Agri-Nutrients will be running the CASH FOR COMMUNITIES Scheme again this year. We'd love it if farmers in our community nominated our school. Just nominate our school when you order your fertiliser.

#### Before & After School Care

Hello my name is Tracey and I have two children aged 7 and 12 attending Halcombe School. I provide Before and After School Care in my home in Halcombe. I currently look after a five year old before and after school and a three year old three full days a week. The three year old is moving out of the district, so I have space available for a couple of children. I can provide references and am happy to answer any questions. Please call me on 020 41332354.

#### Free to a good home

Chook and 6 chickens free to good home. Phone Francie on 06 328 8568.

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MONDAY 2ND – FRIDAY 6TH OCTOBER.

LESSONS HELD OVER THE WEEK  
ARE AT THE SAME TIME EACH DAY

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