

Term 3, Week 6

30 August 2024

Kia ora e te whānau

At Hiwinui we love the way our learners embrace new opportunities. At our Wednesday Hui we had an exciting announcement from Josh at Epic. Our first members of the Hiwinui Band were announced and their band practice has started too. Congratulations Evie, Lil, Charlie, Isabella, Kenzie, Louka and Nova.

We were delighted with the number of students that auditioned and have another musical opportunity being launched to cater for the extra interest - watch this space! On Wednesday at lunchtime Epic also ran a 'Palmy's fastest drummer' competition - this was so incredibly fun and Mia took out the Hiwinui title.

Last night we held our Maharahara Speech finals. This was a lovely chance for our learners to present in front of an audience with whānau. Congratulations to Honour, Millar and Nate who will represent our school at the Kainui Speech Competition. Ross Meads from the Ashhurst Library was our judge and he had amazing feedback for each speech maker.

Next week all our Wharite Learners are off to the Kainui Dance Event. This is always a fun morning of movement and music at the Civic Centre and the bus trip is definitely a highlight too. You will have received a note home with all the details for this trip. Permission is covered by your 'consent to go on local trips' that is ticked on your child's enrolment form.

A rainy week is always more challenging for our learners—we know how active they love being! We always appreciate our Wharite children having spare clothes in their bags for those days that puddles and mud are tempting. We are hoping next week is full of lots more sunshine. Have a lovely weekend! **Ngā mihi nui, Erin**



As part of an upcoming school-wide project, we are planning to take photos of each student.

If they have a taonga (treasured item) that is special to them

and your whānau we would love for these to be brought to school on <u>Monday 2nd September.</u> This could be something with cultural significance, a pounamu, a necklace, or object/item, or traditional dress etc that holds personal meaning.



Lamb and Calf Day

SAVE THE DATE: Saturday 2nd November! Our Lamb and Calf Day for 2024 is sure to be another great community event.

Calves and lambs must be born between 1st July and 15th September. Entry forms are now available on Skool Loop.

You are welcome to add your name to our list in the office if you are looking for a pet lamb and once farmers

let us know about lambs that need 're-homing', we can touch base with you. In previous years we have simply asked for a Koha of some yummy baking to thank the farmer.



IMPORTANT DATES

3 Sept	Kainui Junior Dance—Y 1-3, Feilding Civic Centre
10 Sept	ManaSticks Hockey Festival Day—Y 5-8
11 Sept	Epro8 Year 7-8, 5pm
12 Sept	Epro8 Year 5-6, 9:30am
23-27 Sept	Pukeke Year 7-8 Camp - Taupo
27 Sept	End of Term 3
2 Nov	Lamb and Calf Day
9 Nov	Manawatu Oroua Boys and Girls Ag Club Championship Day



Wed 18th September, 5:50pm at Focal Point, PN

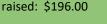
Your \$30 ticket includes movie entry and one drink, plus a night to relax and enjoy with some awesome company!

Tickets via the Link on Skool Loop / Facebook.

Our colourful Daffodil Day

We loved seeing our children dressed in in their favourite colours today as our way of supporting Daffodil Day!

Thank you for the generous donations. As as school we





Speech Winners

Congratulations! Nate, Millar and Honour will represent our Kura at the Kainui Speech Finals on 11th September 2024.



Worm wee for sale!



Look out for the Enviro group stall at 3pm on



Sunday September 1st

Victoria Esplanade Palmerston North

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- **Room 1: Hadley** You have been an amazing Pathfinder this week! Your reading is getting better and better and you are approaching learning challenges with more enthusiasm and positivity. I love the way you have been getting your independent contracts completed independently, and you have been so kind and caring towards your teachers!
- Room 2: Bodhi You are so bubbly and full of life but have the most beautiful calm and quiet manner when your friends need support. You encourage your classmates and always try your best in your learning. We are so happy you are at our kura! Keep it up.
- Room 3: Austin You are such a bright and cheery influence in our class. You use kind words with your classmates and love to have a laugh. You are excellent at making sure you say "Hello!" in the mornings and love to encourage others to give things a go! Keep being a leader in showing awhi, Austin!
- Whā: Hannah I love the way you are always trying in class each day. You have a great attitude towards learning, and you attempt all tasks willingly. ka pai for being such an incredible learner!
- Mangopare: Xavier I am loving hearing all the encouragement you verbally give others in our class. You are such a bright, positive presence, Xav. You are stepping up more and more in your work and contributing well to the class teams you are a part of. Mahi pai, e hoa!
- **Pūkeke:** Indie You are such a ray of sunshine! You are very supportive of your friends and are often cheering on your classmates, and me! I am super impressed with how well your mahi is coming along too. I am so pleased you're in Pūkeke. You are going to be such an incredible Year Eight next year!
- Presented by our Learning Assistants: Sarah, Elise & Charlotte
- **Caelia** You have been enthusiastically joining into our Chapter Chat Group what a clever reader!
- Leo You have been very energised and so excited to join my group. You are so eager to learn.

George - You are the most amazing Pathfinder! I am so proud of the way you are writing all your letters on the line and trying so hard every time!



Regards Erin, Portia, Jo, Emma, Jessica, Holly, Kendall, Dean, Allanah, Heidi, Kevin, Sarah, Charlotte, Elise, Rachelle & Jacki



FRIDAY 11TH OCTOBER 2024 10AM - 3PM | FEILDING TOWN SQUARE

Watch this space as we announce sponsors, more events and competition registrations including the

famous Gumboot Relay Race.

FEATURES INCLUDE

- Animals galore
- FREE morning tea for kids
- Farm machinery (which you can climb on!)
- Tractor & milk wagon rides
- Rural Day dressed Fashion Parade
- The Farmers Market
- Scavenger Hunt
- Live entertainment (country style!)
- Rope making
- Free saleyard tours
- Shearing Demonstration
- Horse & Cart Rides
- Relay Race for all ages with amazing prizes
- MUCH MUCH MORE



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Do you have what it takes? Stamina, courage, mental and physical ability, not to mention a sense of adventure and fun.

2024 Family Shemozzle

When: Saturday 2nd November Where: Hunterville, Rangitikei Who: One Adult and one Child (one competitor must be aged 9 yrs – 13 yrs and be enrolled at a Primary, Intermediate School or Home School (up to and including Year 8 at school). Price: \$10 per team

Registrations open 1st August.

Check out our Facebook Page: Hunterville Huntaway Festival or our website: www.shemozzle.co.nz, for more information!







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