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DAYS OF NOTE ...

June

6th Friday 13th Friday

19th Thursday 24th Tuesday

25th Wednesday

Teacher Only Day - School Closed **Gym-Sports Competition** Matariki Shared Breakfast Reports go Home Parent/Teacher Interviews





A warm welcome to **Noah and Harley Smith** who have joined the happy little crew in Kowhai. We look forward to watching you learn and grow.

Principal's Message

Tēnā koutou Hinuera whānau.

Well week 6 is done! This term certainly does not slow down and there are only 15 school days remaining this term! It's hard to believe that the year will then be half done! We have lots of happenings before the end of term.

Firstly, we have a teacher only day tomorrow. Our awesome kaiako/teachers will come together to do a day of learning around the new curriculum with a focus on mathematics. We are excited to have time to delve into this document and make some great learning plans for terms three and four! A reminder that school is not open for instruction this Friday!

On the 9th June, the School Interviews site will go live. This is a great opportunity for whānau to connect with kaiako and share tamariki progress! There is a huge focus on learning at Hinuera School and it is always exciting to see a variety of learning activities when walking into classes! Thanks to our awesome kajako and learning assistants for providing these rich learning experiences.

On the 13th June we have some Hinni Kids representing us at Gym-Sports. They have been working hard during lunchtimes, growing and learning,

showing resilience and being the best they can be! It is fantastic to see the enthusiasm and commitment they have to their practices!

We have our annual Matariki shared kai, 19th June. We look forward to lots of whānau joining us for a bacon and egg muffin, and to celebrate the start of the Māori new year. A time to look forward, celebrate and come together as a community!

Finally, 24th June written reports come home and 25th June parent-teacher interviews take place. A great time to celebrate our Hinni Kids learnina!

We sincerely hope to see all our Hinuera community at our shared events. This makes our community stronger and makes Hinuera School the best it can be!

Nga mihi maioha, Kane Fraser



Pre-Schoolers

It's that time of the year again where we put out a call to find any pre-schoolers who may be intending to come to Hinuera School but may not be on our pre-enroll list. If you have a preschooler, or know of any in the district that are planning to join Hinuera School, could you please get in touch with the office to make sure we know about them and have them registered in our system.

We would also encourage you to chat with any one that may be considering Hinuera as a schooling option, and suggest that they give us a call to arrange a visit to see what we are all about. The more the merrier as they say.

Teacher Only Day 6th June

For those of you who may have difficulty with finding childcare on this day, please be aware that Starfish in town are offering a program for the day. Check them out at

childcare@starfishservices.org.nz

Motoring Through the Forest

We would like to extend a huge thank you to Jono from Rob May Builders for constructing and donating two wooden cars which are currently parked beneath the native trees. They have been in hot demand as children clamber and climb, creating their own little adventures. We even noticed one industrious wee group who were going to great lengths to place a wooden pallet in behind the car, presumably as a makeshift trailer. So much fun for years to come. Thank you for your talent and your generosity.



Whānau Hui

As mentioned earlier, we will be having parent/ teacher meetings on Wednesday 25th from 1pm until 6pm. We will be using the School Interviews website for bookings

https://www.schoolinterviews.co.nz

This event will go live on Monday 9th June for you to select a time that suits to come along and share with your child's teacher. The log-in code is

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MATARIKI BREAKFAST

(return slip)

We are hosting our annual Matariki breakfast on the 19th June. To help with catering, we would really appreciate knowing how many people would like to attend. We want everyone (parents & children) to be able to share in the morning. You can choose to grab and go, stay for a while or stay for the whole morning. RSVP Friday 13th

Yes we would like to share in the breakfast and be catered for:

Family Name: Adults Attending Children Attending:

