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H day: Hollywood stars
& Hurt!



From the Principal

Kia Ora Parents, Caregivers and Whanau,

New Student

Welcome to **Amber Dobbs** (Room 7) and her family who have joined us from Ohau School. It is great to have you here! The roll now stands at **188**.



Homework Tips

Parents often ask us for tips or advice as to how they may be able to further assist their child with learning at home. Over the next few weeks I will list some ideas which can be easily used at home.

Make learning **fun**. Sitting down to do school work at bed time is usually a recipe for disaster. Choose an appropriate time and place where both you and your child are in the right space.

Praise - encouraging your child is one of the most important things you can do. Learning soars when confidence is up. The reverse happens when confidence is low.

Reading tips....

- ✦ Discuss the pictures, maps, index, symbols etc
- ✦ Ask them to predict what might happen next?
- ✦ Look at the first sound, look for blends (bl, cr, th etc)
- ✦ If the error makes sense, let your child read to the end of the sentence, praise the reading then go back and say "This bit made sense but is that what this word says?"
- ✦ If the error does not make sense, lead your child to correct the mistake by allowing time to self-correct.
- ✦ Questions to ask..... Does it make sense, does it look right, and does it sound right?
- ✦ Expand their vocabulary e.g. what is another word for...
- ✦ Take turns at reading aloud and asking each other questions. Your children will love challenging you
- ✦ Remember that it is not a memory test; encourage them to look back at the text to search for answers (like we do as adults to check for understanding!).

Maths: The following website is great http://nzmaths.co.nz/activities-support-your-child?parent_node=. See you child's teacher for further information.

More next week...

Support Staff Day

Today is 'Support Staff Day'. We are very fortunate to have a wonderful, talented, committed and professional support staff - thank you to you all - **Adele, Penelope, Amanda, Phil, Amy, Jane, Delorus, Rob, Wendy, Marg** and **Gael**.

Staff News

This week our thoughts are with **Mr and Mrs Smith**. Sadly Mr Smith's father passed away last Friday. Mrs Smith is attending the funeral today and will be absent for the rest of the week.

Mufti "H" Day

We had a lot of H2O coming from the sky last Friday so were unable to have our usual costume parade. However, it was still great to see so many students and staff dressing up in the letter **H** to support the Kapiti Aquatic Centre fundraising. We raised **\$222.40** which was a marvellous effort, well done!!!!

Snow Camp 2012

A reminder to the families of next years snow camp to get in touch with **Sonja Lafrentz** if you are able to assist with the cook book i.e. suggest possible advertisers. Please contact Sonja on 346 7119.

Win Sports Equipment

Thank you for the Colgate toothpaste cartons which have come into school - keep them coming in!!!!

CCC - Coffee and Chat with Craig

Thanks again to those who popped in this morning - same time, same place in two weeks, 29th June. Bring a friend!

Craig Vidulich
Principal

Last thoughts....

Poor, poor, poor Christchurch! Our thoughts continue to be with you - kia kaha!

Good luck Ma'a and Andrew, thanks for the memories, the tries, the excitement and the 100 odd games you have each played over the decade. Let's hope you go out in style!!!! (I'm sure they will be reading our newsletter!)

Awesome win by the Silver Ferns, a thrilling test match on Sunday evening!!!!!!!!!!

'When error holds so much power, play disappears. Creativity ceases. Margaret Wheatley and Kellner Rogers

Students of the Week



- Room 1 **Seanna Allen** for great counting
Lauren Palmer for superb writing.
- Room 3 **Kadyn Orchard** for making excellent progress in reading. well done
- Room 2 **Bria FitzGerald** for fabulous reading progress this half year.
- Room 7 **Kirsten Bedford** for working hard to improve the presentation of her work.
- Room 8 **Claudia Allan** for achieving well in maths and reading.
- Room 6 **Martha Piercy** for her exceptional application to work and the excellent results she achieves in all subjects. For the contribution she makes to the well being of Room 6 with her willingness and enthusiasm
- Room 5 **Zach Shearman** for willingly attempting all class activities, joining in class discussions, and demonstrating independent work habits.

CONGRATULATIONS!

Enviro Club

Just when we thought it was all ready to go, one of our precious Enviro Club tutors has accepted full time work and is unable to begin tutoring the programme. We desperately need someone who is available on a Wednesday from 1pm until 2pm who would be willing to guide, teach and mentor the gardening group.

The tutor could be a parent, a relative, a neighbour or some able and willing associate.

Someone with a knowledge of gardening and some enthusiasm for working alongside children as they learn, experiment and involve themselves in our Enviro Schools programme. The programme is 10 weeks long and each focus area is divided into 2 groups. In order to keep the groups to a manageable size we have divided the children into 2 groups to meet with the tutors on alternative weeks.

If you are the one, or know of the one, please contact me asap on 06 364 3071 or by return email y.barsanti@th.school.nz

Many thanks,
Yemma



Home and School News

Beer Fest - We would really appreciate more help in the following areas

- **Friday 8th** Hall decorating, hope to get this all done in school hours. Even a couple of hours would be fantastic
- **Saturday 9th** Bar duty some helpers for the last shift later in the night
- **Sunday 10th** Tidy up from 12.
- **Hall decorations** We still need beer posters, snowy mountain/alpine posters, Bavarian themed paraphernalia.

A big thank you to **Mel Gundesen** and **Anna Kent** who have volunteered to lead the Slap Dancing at the Beer Fest. Grab your tickets so you don't miss seeing them in action!

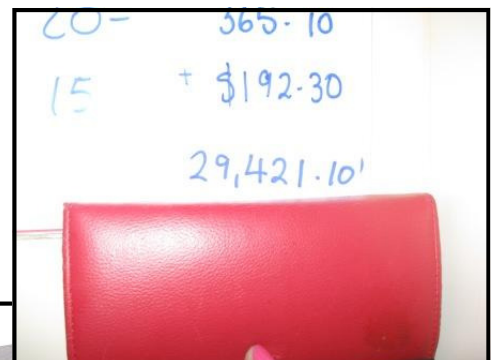
Country Fair

We are putting a roster together but thanks to all those fabulous people putting their hands up early. Don't worry we still need lots of people. With our increased school roll we will have a great supply of manpower this year. Our big problem this year leading up to the fair will be **lack of storage** so if anyone has a **large indoor area** we can use for **storage preferably close to school please give Adele a shout!**

More information about the Fair to follow next week along with our amazing raffle.

Next meeting date

Will be held on **5 July** in the staffroom. Everyone welcome.



Some photos from
2010 of Paddy's Mart

The Great Midwinter
Beer Fest

Saturday, 9 July 2011
7PM until late

Te Horo Community Hall
School Road, Te Horo

Great choice of Local and International Beers
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Waikanae Butchery 04 902 6776
On line ticket purchase www.te-horoschool.nz

Sports Results

NETBALL

Last Thursday the **year 4-5-6** netball team had their first game against Waitohu Red at Te Horo School. The whole team played a strong game. We won 20-2!

Check out photos of us

http://tehorospikeatschool.co.nz/1/image_galleries/2-photo-gallery/categories/60-netball-2011

Year 5/6 A team lost to Otaki 30-1

Year 3/4 team lost to Waitohu 5-4

HOCKEY

Year 5/6 11 a-side hockey team

This week it was a game we would rather forget, losing 2-0 to Levin North on Monday evening. We were definitely missing our usual flair; with passes going astray, feet getting tangled up in the ball, and failing to get in and tackle players. Thanks to a great defensive effort by a few players, only 2 goals managed to be scored. Hopefully next week we will be back on form.

Player of the Day was **Angie Leckie**, for showing determination out on the field and being prepared to put in 100% effort.

Senior Hockey – Yr 7/8

It was another challenging game last night but some of the Te Horo team just weren't hungry enough for a win. The play was almost always in the wrong half and it was mainly thanks to **Cullum Wyatt/Watson's** goalie skills that Koputaroa hadn't scored by half time. They made up for it in the second half, scoring three easy goals from runaways. Not Te Horo's best performance, apart from the usual players who always try their hardest.

Final score: 0-3

Player of the day: Alex Gray for her determination in tackling

Te Horo Tadpoles played Fairfield Pumas winning 2-1

Goals scored **Bria FitzGerald** 2.

Player of the Day **Matthew Bird**.

Te Horo Tadpoles played Poroutawhao Pepis winning 1-0

Goals scored **Bria FitzGerald** 1

Player of the Day **Rebecca Bowman**.

The **Te Horo Turtles** played like tyrants and blasted Levin East off the turf winning 7-0.

Goals scored **Lani Gray - 4, Alex 1, Emma 1, Ethan 1**

Points of the Day **Lani 3, Frankie 2, Emma 1**

Well done everyone!

Coming Events

16, 23, 30 June	Music programme - afternoon
16 June	Y3-6 netball starts
24 June	Year 7&8 immunization
28 June	Paraparaumu College open evening
	Board of Trustees meeting 7:30pm in the board room
29 June	Coffee and Chat with Craig 9:05am in the staffroom
	Horowhenua Music festival
1 July	Portfolios go home
4 July	Parent interviews
6 July	Visit to Kapiti College
5 July	Otaki Schools soccer at Te Horo
	Home and School meeting 7:30pm in the staffroom
8 July	Postponement date for Otaki Schools soccer
7,14 July	Music programme - afternoon
12 July	Theme Day
9 July	Winter Dance (Beer Fest) put on by the Home and School
15 July	End of term 2
1 August	Start of term 3
7 October	End of term 3

Primary School Ski Champs

With the ski season fast approaching I am keen to organise another team for the primary school ski champs. The team will consist of 5 skiers with the ability to ski the top ski runs and manage T-Bars. The champs run from Aug 29th - Sept 2nd. We will do some fundraising to help cover costs. If interested please call Shelley on 04 2932632.

Yummy Stickers

Don't forget send the yummy stickers to school, each class has a sheet to stick them on to. Collection of the stickers/labels will go through until 5th October as entries need to be in by 7th October (last day of term 3). Thank you for your support and to **Stacey Faith** who oversees this.

Oven for Sale

As the school oven has been replaced (thanks again to Sonya and Gavin Lafrentz) we have a Shacklock Chef 24 to sell. Any offers, call in at the School Office.

Gavin Lafrentz

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Community Notices



Clothing Swap



This Thursday 16th June

Play group House Manakau

7pm

\$5.00 for the first glass of bubbly and nibbles

Allie 06 3026176
027 2034498
Jin 06 3646970
021 623378
Julie 063626395
0212108251

Ladies select from your wardrobe clean clothes and shoes which are still in good condition. They could be from, your too big wardrobe or your too small wardrobe or your bored with wardrobe. Deliver these to Allie at 137 Takapu Road Manakau or Jin 101 Greenwood Boulevard Otaki between now and the 15th June. Or deliver to Manakau Play Group House after 4pm on Wednesday 15th June so it can be sized sorted and hung ready for its new owners.

Due to space numbers are limited - so when you drop off clothes pick up your \$5 ticket

Beautiful fresh walnuts for sale in the School Office for \$5.00 a bag.

Mowing & Property Maintenance Rural/
Lifestyle/Orchard Mowing Contract or labour
only Phone 027 262 4462

Saddleback Piglets for sale. 8 weeks old. \$85 per piglet. If your interested phone Bobbie on 3642050.

Winter School Holiday Programme

KidzOwn 2011 Winter School Holiday Programme (Term 2) is now available. You can get information from our website www.KidzOwn.co.nz or you can email our Head Office for a FREE infopak to Enquiries@KidzOwn.co.nz

WANTED

Rotary washing line - can collect
Please phone Joy on 364 2044

Hi All - **trememdous thanks** to all of you and your schools for supporting 'H' day. Great momentum today for the Aquatic Centre. Bulldozer begins, Congrats to Paekakariki School who won the \$600 sports pack (thanks to Stirling Sports, Swim T3, Zoggs and Sport Kapiti for goods donated) - and - approx \$6,200 made on "H" day with Otaki College, Council Staff and Telecom still to be counted. Might reach \$7000.