

Halcombe School



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Term 1 Week 11

8th April 2014

Tena Koutou Katoa - Greetings to all parents and caregivers

STUDENT COUNCIL FUN DAY

FRIDAY 11th APRIL

PART ONE: SAUSAGE SIZZLE
\$1.50 EACH

Please place your orders at the office before
school, starting tomorrow Wednesday 2nd April.
Last day for orders is Wednesday 9th April.

PART TWO: SPOTS AND
STRIPES DRESS UP

Dress up in a spotty, stripey
costume and get ready to
join the fun!



PROUDLY BROUGHT TO YOU BY THE STUDENT COUNCIL

Don't miss out!

Order your SAUSAGES at the office and don't forget to DRESS UP on Friday!

No Subways This Week

Because of the Sausage Sizzle on Friday, there will be NO SUBWAYS this week.

Property Updates

- At this stage the work on the Hall is on schedule with the handover date in late May/early June.
- Yesterday, the final stage of the UFB connection was completed and the transfer of our network will occur over the next week or so. This is fantastic news and will enable teachers to get the best use out of online programmes in their classes.
- New coloured blackboards have been put up outside Rooms 7 and 1. Children will be using these as part of their class programmes.
- New concrete has been laid to replace the broken concrete area by the Cultural Centre.

Juicies

Juicies will be on sale again tomorrow and EVERY DAY next week, for \$1.

Years 4 - 8 Books

Students in years 4 - 8 will be bringing their books home on Friday this week. We would like you to take some time over the weekend, to sit down and have a look at what your child has been working on this term. As you will see, there is a small slip of paper glued into each book - this is where we'd like you to make a positive comment/words of encouragement for your child. Please ensure the books are returned to school next Monday (14th April).

Mark d' Lacy aka 'The Minstrel'

We loved having The Minstrel at school last week. He is a guitar and singing legend! His key messages included:

- Don't go in a boat without a life jacket.
- Measure the fish you catch. The small ones go back so they can keep growing and the big ones go back so they can breed.
- Use a wet towel to handle fish which means you won't damage their scales.
- Use salty ice to keep fish fresh.
- Don't fish in a marine reserve.

End of Term

This is a reminder that school finishes next week at 3.00pm on THURSDAY 17th April. Friday is Good Friday.

Kind regards

Sue Simpson
Principal

COMMUNITY NEWS

NEW Halcombe Community website!

For news on what's happening in the area, updates on the Walkway Project and much more, check out www.halcombcommunity.co.nz Fill out the feedback survey on the Noticeboard page and be in to win a \$50 voucher for either the Halcombe Tavern or Mitre 10.

Feilding Blue Light Disco - Friday 11th April 2014 At The FAHS Hall

(Churcher Street Entrance). Theme 'Mad Hatters'! (Wear a hat!) Year 1-4 5.00-6.30pm; Year 5-8 7.30-9.00pm; \$2 ENTRY. Drinks, lollies & glow sticks for sale at venue (\$1 each). Everyone must have a permission slip completed by parent/guardian. Permission slips available at Halcombe School office and at the door. Contact Constable Sarah Cree or Senior Constable John Samuela at the Feilding Police Station 323 6428 for more information.

Manchester Street School Gala Day

Manchester Street School, 160 Manchester Street, Feilding. 11am-2pm Sunday 13th April 2014. Fun rides, food, games with prizes, baking, white elephant, raffles & more! Check us out on Facebook.



Room 2 harvested their rhubarb, cooked it and ate it. YUM YUM.
It was delicious!