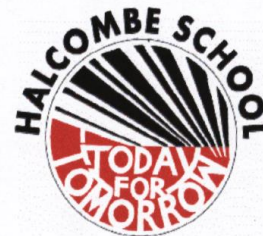


# Halcombe School



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Term 3 Week 8

13<sup>th</sup> September 2016

*Tena Koutou Katoa* - Greetings to all parents and caregivers

## KIT books

Last week about 20 children turned up to a sports meeting without their KIT books for the notice. PLEASE check that your child brings this to school EVERY day. Good communication is very important to us and one of the best ways we have to communicate easily with you, is through the KIT book. We look forward to your support.

## Online Payments for Touch

Please make sure your online payments for touch are received by **Friday morning**. Teams will be sorted out over the weekend for students who have paid.

## Student Council

Fun Day - next Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> September.

## Senior Social

Rooms 5 and 6 students will have their Senior Social next Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup>, starting at 7pm.

## Final Assembly

This week we have an exciting final assembly for the term. We will be holding the Winter Sports Prizegiving, the Kapa haka group will perform and the Jump Jam group will entertain us. Room 3 will host the assembly.

## Flippaball

We have had two teams entered in the Feilding flippaball competition this term. On Friday they played their final match, which happened to have been against each other! It was awesome to see so much support on the 'sideline'! Thanks to our coaches, Michelle Lord and Teresa Alcock.

## Netball

We have also had three teams involved in the Feilding Saturday Morning Netball competition this season. They have been playing since the beginning of Term 2, so it has been a long season! All three teams have done really well, and the players have all improved. An extra special 'well done' to the Red team who won their grade - well done girls. Thanks to our coaches, Caroline Withey, Kim McAlley, Kathleen Watkins, and Paul and Tash Jukes.

## Term Dates 2017

At its BOT meeting last evening, the Board of Trustees approved the following term dates for 2017.

Term	Start	End
1	30th January (Monday)	13 <sup>th</sup> April (Thursday)
2	1 <sup>st</sup> May	7 <sup>th</sup> July
3	24 <sup>th</sup> July	29 <sup>th</sup> September
4	16 <sup>th</sup> October	Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> December (Thursday)

## **Student Council Fun Day Wednesday 21st September (Week 9)**

### **BRING YOUR WHEELS!**

Bring your skateboards,  
ripsticks, scooters or  
rollerblades!

No bikes please.  
We recommend wearing  
a helmet.



### **YUMMY LUNCH!**



Order your spider and/or  
sausage at the office.  
Last day for orders is  
Tuesday 20th Sept

**Spiders \$2**  
**Sausages \$2**

### Main Road bus Term 4

Students who use the Main Road bus, will need to renew their ticket before the start of the new term. The cost is \$80. A reminder that we do not have EFTPOS at the school but online payments to account 01 0625 0106729 00 are most welcome. Children will get a new ticket on the first day next term.

### Interhouse Nukumball

Last week many of the senior students participated in a nukumball (similar to volleyball) challenge. Games were played over several lunchtimes, and as usual, the competition was red-hot! On Friday, Kauri faced Rimu in the playoff for third and fourth, with Kauri winning a close match. This was followed by the final between Totara and Matai, which Matai won. Congratulations Matai! The interhouse competition is continuing this week, with some of the junior students involved in soccer matches!



### End of term

This is a reminder that the term ends on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> September at 1.00pm. Please note the earlier finishing time. There will be no assembly. Buses will run at 1.00pm.

Kind regards

Sue Simpson

### COMMUNITY NOTICES

#### Carr & Cribb Sport's Academy

School Holiday Programme for 5 - 14 year olds Monday 26th - Thursday 29th of September at the Feilding Yellows Clubrooms, Johnston Park, Feilding. For details check us out on Facebook, email: [carrandcribbacademy@gmail.com](mailto:carrandcribbacademy@gmail.com) or call Brad Carr on 021 111 6558

#### Meet the Candidates

The Halcombe Community Development Group have organised an evening where you can come along and meet the candidates that are standing for the **Northern Manawatu Rural Ward** - Alison Short, Steve Bielski and Wayne Brooks. We have also invited both the **Mayoral candidates** to come along too - Helen Worboys and Margaret Kouvelis. The **Meet the Candidates** will take place in the Halcombe Memorial Hall on Monday 19th September 2016 at 7.30pm. Tea & Coffee will be served. Remember to wrap up warm.

#### Keep NZ Beautiful

The aim of this week is to collect rubbish from your street/s. Every little helps so thank you in advance for doing your bit to keep Halcombe beautiful. Keep NZ Beautiful rubbish bags and gloves are available from the Dairy. Please note that the bags are limited. Put the full bags in Mel Henderson's trailer on Stanway Road and we will make sure that this gets to the transfer site.