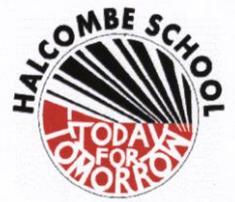


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Term 4 Week 5

12<sup>th</sup> November 2018

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

Yes – the newsletter is a day early this week because . . .

## SCHOOL WILL BE CLOSED TOMORROW, TUESDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER.

### Strike Action

The school will be closed for Industrial Action tomorrow 13<sup>th</sup> November. You will need to make alternative arrangements for your children.

### Interschool Cross Country - Hunterville

We had some fantastic results at the Interschool Cross Country event held at Hunterville recently. All our runners gave 100%, and we're really proud of all of them. Thank you so much to the parents who provided transport, and to those who came along to support our kids. Our top results were:

- Year 4-5 Girls: Sarah - 2nd, Lily - 14th.
- Year 4-5 Boys: Jordan - 4th, Max - 10th.
- Year 6-7 Girls: Ruby - 2nd, Abbie - 9th, Georgia - 19th, Ashlee - 20th.
- Year 6-7 Boys: Jay - 18th.
- Year 8 Girls: Lucy - 2nd, Holly - 4th, Jessie - 6th.
- Year 8 Boys: Jack - 1st, Blake - 19th, Kane - 20th.

### Classes for 2019

As always at this time of the year, we offer you a chance to let us know your thoughts about your children's class for next year. There will be changes to staffing and we are yet to complete our appointments. If you have any special requests about your child's placement for 2019, please send an email to [ssimpson@halcombe.school.nz](mailto:ssimpson@halcombe.school.nz). Please don't send emails to Paula. If there are friendship clashes, family matters or learning issues you would like us to take into consideration, please let me know by **3<sup>rd</sup> December**. By then I will be in a better position to let you know teachers and class levels. Requests after this date are unlikely to be met. While we cannot guarantee the class your child will be in if there is a split year group, we are here to listen.

### Book Amnesty

Please have a look at home for school reading books. There are a lot of books missing and they're not at school, so they must be at your place! Please look behind the couch, under the beds and in that pile of stuff in the corner. Reading books cost such a lot of money and we'd love to have them all returned please. This is a reminder that reading books will not be sent home if the previous book has not been returned.

### Eggs for Sale

We still have some fresh eggs for sale at \$5 dozen at the office. Call in or phone.

*Nga mihi  
Kind regards*

*Sue Simpson  
Principal*



Constable McLean visited Rooms 1 and 2 to talk about road safety.

He helped us cross the main road when we had Cross Country, so we were able to say a big THANK YOU.