



Newsletter

Friday 26th November – Term Four, Newsletter 16, 2021

NEWSLETTERS ARE DISTRIBUTED FORTNIGHTLY ON EVEN WEEKS.

Tena ra koutou ki nga hau e wha – Greetings to everybody.

Have you been asking yourself where this year has gone? We are nearly in December and the year has simply disappeared!

The children have been enjoying athletics events over the past two days. Huge thanks to Mark Buckland for organizing and overseeing these events. The video links to the production items will have been sent out by classroom teachers and I'm sure you will all enjoy viewing them. Huge thanks once again to Shelley for overseeing the organisation of the production items, and to Sharn Coates for overseeing the recording and editing.

Teachers have now updated student goals and learning stories in Linc-Ed Hero so that the reports are ready for you to view and print as a record of your child's learning for the year. It is important to print the report before the end of the school year if you wish to keep a copy, as Linc-Ed Hero does not allow you to go back and retrieve it after the 15th December of this year. Please let the school office know if you are unable to print a copy of the report at home and we can do it for you.

The last day of school for all students for the 2021 school year will be Wednesday 15th December. School will finish at 12:05pm on this day, with the school bus leaving at this time also.

As mentioned in the previous newsletter, we won't be having a traditional final assembly on the last day due to Covid restrictions. However, we are planning a small leaving ceremony for our Year 6 students. This event will be videoed and a link will be shared with Year 6 parents as soon as we can after the event is finished.

Our fabulous new yearbook has arrived! A huge thanks to Jamie Hamlin and our talented student media team for doing an outstanding job once again.

I have been advised that schools will be continuing with the current Alert Level settings until the end of the year.

I wish you all a safe and enjoyable weekend!

Noho ora, kia atawhai
Rob Posthumus



CANS FOR CHRISTMAS!!

Let's show that 'HURUPAKI CARES' for others.
Bring a can or two to school over the next 3 weeks.

15 November to 2 December

We'll collect them for the Salvation Army so they can distribute them to families in need, for Christmas.

THANK YOU!!



CALENDAR ART WILL BE COMING HOME NEXT WEEK!



Lincoln Cleave, Emme Turley, Dejaye Paratene, Shiloh Morre-Boyle, Olivia Bowen, Zaleiah Whitburn, Rosemary Proffitt and Jed Smith!!!

SCHOOL YEARBOOK – FOR SALE ON KINDO NOW!

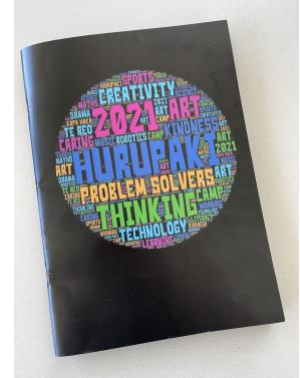
\$15.00 each and will be delivered to your class.



Local and Loved Cookbook -

Makes a great Christmas present for a loved one! *For sale via Kindo* or

<https://www.localandlovedcookbook.com/>



Kindo updates

If you have not already, please register for our school payment system [Kindo!](#) You might like to set up an automatic payment to spread the costs out over the school year? Go to 'top up account' on your Kindo app for instructions.

School Leavers

If your family is leaving our school and moving to another school that does not use Kindo for school payments, you need to close your account. If you're not sure if the new school has Kindo, log in, go to *My Details* and click on the list of schools, scrolling to find your new school.

If your new school is NOT on the list, use the 'close account' button on that screen. You can choose to donate your balance to school or have it paid out to your nominated bank account. **Note:** *Kamo Intermediate* does use Kindo.



PLEASE REMEMBER:

NO vehicles other than staff and service vehicles are to enter school grounds between 8.10am - 8.45am and 2.15pm - 3pm
NO vehicles are to enter into school grounds to drop off or pick up children at any time, except by arrangement with the office.

The recommended speed limit within school grounds is 5kmh

PLEASE INFORM YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS WHO PICK UP

REMINDERS

- ✓ Please check your Kindo account for outstanding fees <https://www.hurupaki.school.nz/payments/>
- ✓ Download Hero app. Click <https://hero.linc-ed.com/parents/>
- ✓ Please call or email the school when your child is going to be away - Thank you!

IMPORTANT DATES COMING UP

Friday 10 th December	Pod 1 & 4 Beach Trip
Tuesday 14 th December	FREE Mufti day
Wednesday 15 th December	Last day term 4 (School finishes at 12.05pm)
Wednesday 2 nd February	First day of 2022

Enviro Team Products!!

Christmas is just around the corner and we have the perfect gifts for all your relatives, and all hand made by the Enviro team at Hurupaki School! These are all **available on the Kindo shop** and delivered to your child's class or held in the office for pickup.

Kawakawa Balm

A perfect gift for just about anyone and a must for all households. It can be used for eczema, burns, blisters, bee-stings, insect bites, cuts, sores, dry lips, nappy rash or dry, itchy and cracked skin. \$8.00 for 30gms, \$15.00 for 30gm

Beeswax Wraps

All households should have these. They are perfect for wrapping sandwiches in, the sandwiches stay moist and delicious. Glad wrap will take up to 1000 years to decompose so these are far more environmentally friendly. They are also much cheaper. \$6.00 each.

Lip Balm

Everyone needs a good lip balm to keep their lips soft and stop them chapping through both the winter and summer. These lip-balms are full of moisturising ingredients and are in a cute tin that will fit perfectly in a pocket or bag. \$5.00 10ml tin \$3.00 tube.

Moisturising hand cream

A gift for old and young alike, anyone whose hands might get dry or cracked. It could be from gardening, washing up, clothes washing, or swimming at the beach. This product has Rose Geranium essential oil included which is well known for its range of health benefits. \$6.00 30ml tin.



COMMUNITY NOTICES

- **FREE swimming caps** - available on Kindo
- **School Lunches available Wednesday and Friday's with lunch Online** - www.lunchonline.co.nz
- **Swim Lessons after school** to contact Geoff ph 0279450808 or email geoff.butturini@gmail.com for details

Preparing for the Teen Years - Webinar

Parents are eager for more tools, strategies and techniques to help them in the area of Mental Health. That is why we have converted our usual parent presentation - **Preparing for the Teen Years it's Never Too Early!!!** into a webinar (link below).

<https://www.eventbrite.co.nz/e/168198079985>

NEXT CHAPTER PARENTING offering Individual, or group, PARENTING SESSIONS via Zoom. Eight one hourly sessions, weekly at a time convenient to you, available evenings.

Website: www.nextchapterparenting.co.nz

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HURUPAKI HOLIDAY PROGRAMME XMAS – JANUARY

16TH – 24TH DECEMBER 2021
10TH JANUARY – 28TH JANUARY 2022
Hurupaki School Hall, 20 Dip Road, Kamo

- Hours 8:00am – 5:30 pm
- 5 – 13 year old children
- Maximum 50 children
- WINZ subsidies available
- Discounts Available 2+ children
- Exciting daily activities
- 6 outside visits
- \$39 per day staying in
- \$42 per day outings

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We aim to provide a safe and stimulating programme where the children can relax, make new friends and above all have fun.