



# Henderson Intermediate School

## NEWSLETTER 20

Term 4 | Week 8 | Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> December 2019

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Kia Ora Talofa Guten Tag Bonjour Malo e le lei Kia Orana Fakalofa lahi atu Goeie Dag Sawadee Croeso Bula Fāilte

### Upcoming Events

#### DECEMBER

- 3** - Te Whānau Moko Prize Giving 7PM
- 4** - Year 6 students attending our school in preparation for 2020 & Year 8 students to Parnell Pools
- 5** - Year 8 Graduation Dance 7 to 10pm
- 6** - Careers Day (no assembly today)
- 10** - Sports & Cultural Prizegiving 7pm
- 11** - Specialist Classes Cycle Ends
- 12** - Pasifika Parents Final Evening 7pm
- 13** - H.I.S Has Talent heats
- 16** - H.I.S Has Talent FINAL
- 16** - Board of Trustees Meeting
- 17** - Formal Prizegiving 7pm
- 18** - Last day for Term 4 - school closes 12pm

Please check out our **FULL CALENDAR**

Kia ora **Henderson Intermediate School Whānau**

I hope this finds you all well.

We have had some truly amazing weather in the last week, haven't we! It is so nice to have all this sunshine.

The next two weeks here will be very busy and I hope that you are able to attend the events we have coming up.

**YEAR 6 ORIENTATION DAY** - This **Wednesday** is our in school day for pre-enrolled Year 6 students. Our Year 7s will have a special role being the new school leaders that day.

The **Year 8s'** have a day out at the pools which they always love.

**GRAD DANCE** - This **Thursday** is our Grad Dance for our Year 8s. This is a very special time for them.

**SPORTS AND CULTURAL PRIZEGIVING Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> December** at 7.00pm and **PRIZEGIVING EVENING Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> December** at 7.00pm. This year we will be sending home a letter to families that confirms whether your son or daughter is going to be receiving a PRIZE at either of these special evenings. We are also going to LIVE STREAM this so that those of you who cannot come can watch at home. This will enable relatives who cannot be at the evening function, to be able to watch where ever they are.

**TE WHĀNAU MOKO PRIZEGIVING** - This is at School in the School Hall tomorrow, **Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> December**, at 7.00pm

**PACIFIC PARENTS CELEBRATION EVENING** - This will be in the School Hall, next **Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> December** at 7.00pm.

Let's have a great end to the year.

You can contact me anytime if the need arises. Call me at school or on my mobile 021 252 1383. If you want to come in and see me at School, you do not need an appointment to do so. Just come!

*Noho ora mai! Stay well.*

*Manuia le aso! Have a good day.*

**Warmest Wishes**

**Mrs Wendy Esera**

**FOR AND ON BEHALF OF STAFF AND BOARD**

### STATIONERY & UNIFORM POP UP SHOP

We will have a pop up shop open here at School from **Wednesday 22 January to Friday 7 February – 9am to 3pm** (please note we will be closed Auckland Anniversary Day – Monday 27 January). Bring your child to try on and buy their uniform and purchase their stationery pack. Cash, Cheque, EFTPOS available.

### 2020 Classes

If your child is **not** returning to Henderson Intermediate next year please contact the school office.

PH 8388529

## WELL DONE!

Best wishes to our students, **Zephaniah, Emily, Raukura, Lahnyah, Lily, Yauola, Jade, Cameron, Isaac & Leah** who will be participating at the NZTFI Junior TAG Nationals this week. Well done for being selected and good luck!



## Performing for the Royals!

Well done **VJ Rm20** (seen to the left of the Duchess) who is part of a movement, Tatau Manaia, which focuses on cultural and academic values for young boys. The group were fortunate to have been asked to perform for His Royal Highness Prince Charles and the Duchess of Cornwall recently.

## Term Dates 2019 / 2020

### 2019

Term 4	Monday 14 <sup>th</sup> October	to	Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> December
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### 2020

Term 1	Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> February	to	Thursday 9 <sup>th</sup> April
Term 2	Tuesday 28 <sup>th</sup> April	to	Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> July
Term 3	Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> July	to	Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> September
Term 4	Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> October	to	Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> December

### School Closed:

Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> & Friday 7<sup>th</sup> February – **Waitangi Day Holidays** (during School holidays)  
 Friday 10<sup>th</sup> April - Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> April - **Easter**  
 Monday 27<sup>th</sup> April - **ANZAC Day**  
 Monday 1<sup>st</sup> & Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> June - **Queens Birthday Holidays**  
 Monday 26<sup>th</sup> & Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> October - **Labour Day Holidays**

**Last day of Term 4 is Wednesday 18 December and school closes at 12pm.**

**Please arrange for your child to be picked up or to walk home at that time.**

**YEAR 8 GRADUATION DANCE**  
**THIS THURSDAY 5<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER**  
 7PM TO 10PM  
**REFRESHMENTS PROVIDED.**



Our Year 8 students have enjoyed practicing their dances for this special night.

*Please return your permission form with your \$15 payment to the School Office as the last day for payments is tomorrow*

*Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> December*

**SORRY NO DOOR SALES.**

## HENDERSON INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL

Warmly invites our Pacific Island families & students to our

### **PACIFIC ISLAND CELEBRATIONS EVENING**

**Next Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> December 7pm**

in the School Hall

**Bring the whole family**

Everyone who comes goes into the draw to win a \$50.00 GROCERY VOUCHER. There will be 2 draws during the night. One for Family members and one for Students.

Bring the whole family - GOOD LUCK to you all!

**HENDERSON INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL 2020 – Please enrol your in zone child now.** Special In-School Day this **Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> December - 9.00am to 2.30pm** - This is a special day when all **enrolled** students for 2020 come to our School for the day.

Click [here](#) to print an enrolment form. Please provide proof of your in zone address & a copy of your child's birth certificate/passport. For further information please phone the School Office.

## Community Notice

### **Drowning Prevention Auckland's FREE aquatic based holiday programme SPLASH Break-Away – January 2020**

This is funded by Oranga Tamariki & is designed for kids aged between **11-17yr olds**. The week includes a variety of activities including water safety, Lifejacket safety, snorkelling, by-stander rescues, swimming sessions, safe boating programme, aquatic games and land-based games.

**Programme Information Dates:** Week 1: 13<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup> Jan & Week 2: 20<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup> Jan (7 LOCATIONS - incl Westwave Pool & Leisure, 20 Alderman Dr Henderson)

**Start:** 9am **Finish:** 2.30pm Any questions? Email: [Splash@dpanz.org.nz](mailto:Splash@dpanz.org.nz)

Click [HERE](#) to register Check out their [Website](#)

