



# HENLEY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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KI RUNGA RAWA - WHĀIA TE ITI KAHURANGI - KIA WHĀI TE TAUMATA

24 June 2021  
No: 3 Term 2

Tēnā koutou katoa

Tēnei te mihi atu ki a koutou

Dear Parents and Caregivers

Welcome to Nidhi P (Tui Rm) who started at Henley School recently.



On last Saturday's wet and cold morning I watched our **Henley Diamonds** netball team compete against Richmond at the Saxton Netball complex. This team is coached by Room 1 Teacher, Mel Beattie and they have made great progress. Despite the conditions they keenly contested every loose ball and created space for their team mates. Their ball handling and shooting skills have improved significantly. It was clear to see that their confidence has also grown over the season and they ended up with a 4 all draw. Netball is a great sport and it was an exciting game to watch – well done girls!!!



and the Henley Force team in the Year 5-8 Freshman category came 3<sup>rd</sup>. Henley School was also rewarded with a new Jump Jam teaching resource worth approximately \$650!!! Henley Legends and the Henley Hot Shots are performing at the Waimea College school assembly on the 7<sup>th</sup> July – I'm sure the Waimea College students and staff will love the experience. All Jump Jam teams will perform at our assembly in week 10.

Next week on **Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> July** our mid-year written reports will be going home. We hope you find them informative as considerable time and thought goes into producing them. The 'next steps for learning' identified in the reports are important parts of the home-school partnership. You will also be informed whether your child is working towards, at or above the expected level for their year in Reading, Writing and Maths. The teachers arrive at an Overall Teacher Judgment in relation to the curriculum level based on evidence from the student's work. Attendance is something else we report to parents, and a student is considered to be attending regularly if they were present at school for more than 90% of all half-days the school is open for.

In Week 10 on **Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> July the school will close at 2pm** so that parent interviews can take place from 2.20pm onwards. Our online booking system for interview times is straightforward - to book your time simply go to [www.schoolinterviews.co.nz](http://www.schoolinterviews.co.nz) and enter our school code **ytf9c** then follow the prompts. If you don't have internet access or have any problems, feel free to ring the school office. The online booking of parent interviews will close on **Monday 5<sup>th</sup> July at 12 noon** so please ensure you have booked your time by then.

Last week I also watched our Interschool Cross Country team compete at Greenmeadows in Stoke. Thanks to the parents who provided transport and also to the Teacher's in Charge Sabine Reinert and Cade Armstrong along with Teacher Aide Gary Walker. Thanks also to our Sports Coordinator Jan Lynch for her pre trip organisation and support. Once again, we performed to a high standard with a number of top ten placings from individuals. Congratulations to all those who were selected and competed in this challenging event. Well done to the Junior Syndicate students and staff on the recent Folk Dancing demonstration held on our top court. It always gets a large turnout of parents, family and whānau in support.

Lastly, congratulations to staff member Mr Joe Kirker and his wife Rachel who had a little girl last weekend. Nellie Kirker was born on Saturday the 19<sup>th</sup> June and was 8lb 1oz. We look forward to meeting Nellie in due course. Mrs Sonya Wright is teaching in Room 20 while Joe is on Dad duties.



No reira, noho ora mai ra (so look after yourself) and

Hei kona ra (Goodbye for now),

Kind regards

John

## NO Junior Assembly

**Friday 2 July**

Matariki celebrations will take place in the Junior classes.



## UPCOMING DATES

Mon 28 June - Fri 2 July	Matariki Celebration
Fri 2 July	School reports emailed home
Mon 5 July – Fri 9 July	Book Week
Tues 6 July	Parent/Teacher Conferences – <b>SCHOOL CLOSERS 2.00PM</b>
Thurs 7 July	Newsletter
Fri 9 July	Book Parade
Fri 9 July	Last day of Term 2
Mon 26 July	First day of Term 3

## ILLEGAL PARKING AND STOPPING

Parking (which includes stopping to let a child out of your car) on yellow lines is illegal. The yellow lines are in place near schools for a reason, they protect our children against possible injury. Drivers and children need good visibility around school to be able to see each other. Please support us in keeping our students safe. The Police have advised that they will be monitoring the school from time to time and will be issuing tickets.

If you witness any illegal activity in this regard the Police have asked that you report it directly to them rather than the school.

## MID YEAR REPORTS

This year reports will be emailed to parents and the mid year reports will be sent out over the afternoon of Friday 2 July.

## PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES TUESDAY 6 JULY

Conferences are being held between 2.20pm and 7.50pm. You can book your online conference time online using this [www.schoolinterviews.co.nz](http://www.schoolinterviews.co.nz) and using the school's code **ytf9c**. Once booked you will be emailed your confirmation (check your spam or junk folder if it doesn't appear in your inbox)

Online bookings close Monday 5 July at 12 noon

**SCHOOL CLOSERS AT 2.00PM ON TUESDAY  
6 JULY FOR CONFERENCES**

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## Online Parent Toolkit

UNDERSTANDING ONLINE CHALLENGES

Inappropriate Content

### How to Help

Some of the things your child may see online can be distressing. It is important you build their resiliency when they start to go online and continue to have regular conversations about what they are seeing and doing. Some of the other things you can do are:

- Monitor what your child is doing online
- Use parental control tools to filter the content your child can access
- Respond calmly if your child has seen inappropriate content and has come to you for help
- Explain the approach you plan to take if this happens and try not to take away their devices or remove access to it if they do come across this type of content

For more information visit **Netsafe Parent Toolkit:**

<https://www.netsafe.org.nz/parenttoolkit/>

## COMMUNITY NOTICES

**NELSON YOUTH THEATRE** – **Aladdin Jr** 19 to 23 July, 2.00pm and 7.00pm – and **Cats** 14-16 July, 2.00pm and 7.00pm – bookings for both can be made by calling (03) 548 3840 or visiting [www.theatreroyalnelson.co.nz](http://www.theatreroyalnelson.co.nz)

**SHARPEN UP NETBALL** – **Netball Holiday Games-2021-** Yr 5 & 6. Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> and Friday 23 July at Garin College Gym. \$35 For 1day or \$60 for both. To sign up check out the registration forms on Instagram or Facebook pages or email [sharpenupsport@gmail.com](mailto:sharpenupsport@gmail.com)

**MINISTRY OF INSPIRATION** – **Holiday Programmes. Art & Engineering**, Monday 12 to Wednesday 14 July. **Science and Engineering**, Monday 12 to Wednesday 14 July. To register <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/holiday-programmes-july-2021-tickets-159214931145>

**WHENUAITI OUTDOORS HOLIDAY PROGRAMMES** – **Go Wild in Nature** – 7-10 yr olds, July 12<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup> (5 days 9-3pm) Enrol now! [www.wio.org.nz](http://www.wio.org.nz)

**MATHS ENRICHMENT CLASSES** – Is your child fascinated by maths and wants to investigate concepts deeper? A chance to approach maths differently through playful exploration, puzzles and fun games. After school Tuesdays 3.30-4.30 starting 3 August, Enner Glynn. Contact Eleni at [eleni@mailbox.org](mailto:eleni@mailbox.org) or Ph 021 140 7831.

**PLAYBALL JULY HOLIDAY PROGRAMME** – **Multisports and Crafts**. Children aged 2-12yrs, Nelson Hockey Facilities, 9.00am-14.00pm. 14-16 July Wed-Fri, 19-22 July Mon-Thurs. Contact Anthony Ph 022 163 6227 or [anthony@playball.co.nz](mailto:anthony@playball.co.nz)

**FLIP OUT NINJA CLASSES** – Programme for increasing fitness, flexibility and confidence for children aged 5-15yrs. Classes are run by trained coaches. Ph 539 5452