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HATAITAI SCHOOL



Kia Ora Whanau

Celebrating 100 Years and the
Official Opening of the Original Building Open Day - Friday 3 March 2023

Only 5 days to go!

Thank you for all the offers of help so far.

The organizing team met this week and will do so again on Tuesday. Hopefully by now you have seen the poster as shown here advertising the day.



The programme for the day:

FRIDAY 3 MARCH 2023

From 9:15am Arrive at Hataitai School

10:00 am Opening Ceremony of the new building **10:30 am** Morning Tea - held in the School Hall

After morning tea, you can take a walk down memory lane around the School and be entertained with various student learning activities.

1:00 pm BBQ lunch

3:00 pm End of the Celebration Day

Free time to meet together for the rest of the day

SATURDAY 4 MARCH

From 11:00am to 4:00pm Lunch at All Saints' Church Hall

90 Hamilton Road - Limited to 100 people.

This is a get together for those who wish to catch up.

Please register by emailing franceslefort@gmail.com

WE NEED YOUR HELP!

If you could help with any of the following items we would be very grateful

- Old school desks
- Old school chairs
- Hataitai School memorabilia e.g. class photos, books, stationary, uniforms, cups etc
- We need two mannequins
- Pictures

MORNING TEA:

Part of the day on Friday is to provide morning tea in the school hall.

Emma Hay is coordinating this, so if you could help on the day and/or bake, please email Emma - emma.hay@hataitai.school.nz

Thank you to those who have already offered their assistance with this.

MEET THE TEACHER EVENING - HELD WEDNESDAY 22 FEBRUARY

Thank you for coming along on Wednesday evening despite the miserable weather. At the meeting we asked for the parent voice about our school and the teaching and learning programmes we provide.

We also asked for the parents to offer any help they possibly could; especially for this coming week and the year ahead. I am in the process of collating all the information and will be presenting it both to the staff and Board next week.

In the next newsletter I will give you an update on this.

SCHOOL PICNIC AT SCORCHING BAY - MONDAY 27 FEBRUARY

This coming Monday we will be holding our annual school picnic at Scorching Bay. Please come along and join us for the day - or some of it.

If you have not sent a permission email to your child's teacher - please do so urgently. If we do not receive one your child will not be allowed to swim on the day.

Due to safety precautions we have asked that an adult attend the day with their child in Aoraki class.

LEARNING CONFERENCES

This coming week you will receive an invite to make a booking for your child's Learning Conference in mid-March.

Please take the time to do this as we want to ensure that every family is informed of their child's goals and student progress so far this year.

Ngā mihi

Jacinta Simpson PRINCIPAL

2023 TERM DATES

TERM ONE

Wednesday 01 February - Thursday 06 April

Wednesday 01 February SLT/Teacher Meeting

Thursday 02 February School Open - Teacher Only Day Friday 03 February School Open - Teacher Only Day

Tuesday 07 February School Commences 8:55am - all students

Monday 06 February Waitangi Day - school closed

Thursday 06 April Last day of Term 1

Friday 07 April Good Friday Observed – school closed

TERM TWO

Monday 24 April - Friday 30 June

Monday 24 April Kahui Ako Teacher Only Day – New Curriculum starts - school closed

Tuesday 25 April ANZAC Day - school closed

Wednesday 26 April School Commences 8:55am - all students

Friday 02 June King's Birthday – school closed

Monday 05 June King's Birthday observed – school closed

Friday 14 July Matariki – school closed

TERM THREE

Monday 17 July - Friday 22 September

Monday 17 July School Commences 8:55am - all students

Date to be confirmed Motu Kairangi Kahui Ako Teachers Only Day – school closed

TERM FOUR

Monday 09 October – Tuesday 19 December

Monday 09 October School Commences 8:55am - all students

Friday 20 October Labour Weekend – school closed Monday 23 October Labour Weekend – school closed

BOARD of TRUSTEE MEETINGS 2023

TERM ONE

Thursday 23 February 6:30pm - BOT Meeting No. 1 Thursday 30 March 6:30pm - BOT Meeting No. 2

TERM TWO

Thursday 11 May 6:30pm - BOT Meeting No. 3 Thursday 15 June 6:30pm - BOT Meeting No. 4

TERM THREE

Thursday 03 August 6:30pm - BOT Meeting No. 5 Thursday 07 September 6:30pm - BOT Meeting No. 6

TERM FOUR

Thursday 26 October 6:30pm - BOT Meeting No. 7 Thursday 30 November 6:30pm - BOT Meeting No. 8

SCHOOL NOTICES

ABSENCES

Please advise the school office and your child's home class teacher of your child's absence before 9:00am.

Phone: (04) 386 1510, then press 1 to leave a message

Email: office@hataitai.school.nz **Website**: absence@hataitai.school.nz

SCHOOL LUNCHES

Hell Pizza - Wednesday

Please note Hell Pizza has advised us last week they will be increasing the price by .50c

Standard pizza \$7.50 Gluten/Diary free pizza \$8.50

If your child is ordering pizza, please ensure they have the correct amount as we do not provide change.

Sushi - Thursday

Place your order for Thursday via www.ezlunch.co.nz Orders are accepted up until 9.00am on a Thursday morning

SECOND HAND HOUSE AND SPORTS T-SHIRTS

First in, first served. Limited amount of second hand shirts available to purchase from the school office for \$5.00 - payment is to be made by eftpos.

All proceeds going to Hataitai School Parent's Group Fundraising Team - HSPG.

It is also not too late if you have any Hataitai School clothing that you would like to donate for this fundraiser.

DRUM LESSONS AT HATAITAI SCHOOL

Our drum teacher has limited places available for students wishing to learn the drums.

For more information, please email our tutor.

Kim Andrews: kim.two.sticks@outlook.com or 027 201 3182



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Two Sticks Drumming

https://www.nzmusicteachers.co.nz/kim-andrews/?edit=1590290550



COMMUNITY NOTICES

HATAITAI COMMUNITY HOUSE ADMINISTRATOR POSITION AVAILABLE

We need an organised and motivated individual who will be managing the administrative activities of the Hataitai Community House and Hataitai Centre.

This is a 15 hours'/week role, which is focused on supporting the Hataitai Community House Coordinator to develop community engagement and to ensure the smooth operation of the two community buildings.

This role will be the main point of contact for booking the venues for hire. This is a perfect role for someone who likes to see tasks through to completion and can self-manage.

Applications open until 1 March 2023. For more information and to apply, please see https://www.seek.co.nz/job/60828624

TUTORING WITH CLAIRE MORTELIER

Tutoring available in English, Maths and French. I have a couple of slots available, but be in quick. I've been tutoring for many years and also work at Hataitai School.

Contact me - Claire Mortelier 021 413 287

BLITZ Netball Training

Blitz Sessions are Tuesdays and Thursdays 3:30 – 5:30pm
Term 1 starts Tuesday 14 February 3:30 - 5:30pm. All trainings take place at Ākau Tangi.

https://basicsfirstblitznetball.com/

MATAIRANI KINDERGARTEN FUNDRAISER

Matairangi kindergarten is hosting Hataitai local Sarah Connor as this terms fundraiser as she talks about menopause!

It may be a bit early to think about this for a few of you, but no doubt you will work with someone or know someone who is experiencing significant changes in their life due to peri menopause or menopause. It really is something to be aware of and know a few ways to support those people or just develop your own awareness for your own changes or that of your partner.

Date: Wednesday the 1st of March

Location: The Hub (Kilbirnie) **Time**: 7:00-9:00pm

We would love for you to come and support this event and spread the word to encourage ticket sales please.

https://www.eventbrite.co.nz/e/lets-talk-about-menopause-with-sarah-connor-tickets-535479632997?aff=ebdssbdestsearch&keep_tld=1

I really look forward to seeing you and your friends there!

Teaching Team Matairangi Kindergarten

QISMA TECH - AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMME

Please read the brochure below – if you are keen to register your child, please email <u>gismatech@gmail.com</u>





Tech After School Programme



ABOUT US

We are a STEM educational company that prides in getting kids engaged and excited about developing their understanding in Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics.

CONTACT US

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PRICE for 1 term

\$210 per child Thursdays from 3:30 pm to 5:30 pm years 5 - 8

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WEB DEVELOPMENT

Web development will always be a necessary career in our modern digital world.

We will educate kids on the basics of web development programming in HTML, CSS and Javascript.

The kids will be aiming to build their own website about whatever content they choose.



3D MODELLING

From simple phone cases to proposed building structures on Mars. 3D modelling is a key aspect in future careers within science and engineering.

We will educate the children on 3D structures and will be using Tinker CAD

The children will design, build and 3D print their own structure to take home.

MARZZIPAN DRAMA AT HATAITAI SCHOOL

