**COMING UP THIS TERM**

24 July  
The Hare and the Tortise  
performance  @ school

7 August  
Junior Music Concert  
9.15—10.00am in the hall

4—6 August  
Inspire Photography (class, sibling and individual photos)

12—16 August  
National Maths Week

2—3 September  
World of Maths @ Hataitai School

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**Ngā Hau e Whā (Yr 3-4)**  
(The Four Winds)  
Term 3, 2019

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**Tēnā Koutou Katoa, welcome back to all our Ngā Hau e Whā**

**Inquiry Focus: Nature of Science, Social Science, Geography and History**  
This term we continue developing our understanding of the nature of science while learning more about the world around us. We will start our journey in Hataitai and then ‘travel’ out to Wellington, New Zealand, the World and hopefully make it to Space in Term 4! Each Tuesday morning the students will participate in an immersive experience. We would love to collaborate with any science/geography minded parents and places. Please let us know if you have ideas for or would like to help with this unit or learning.

**Student Oral presentations:** This term’s first presentation topic will be to recite a nursery rhyme off by heart (in any language). We look forward to hearing many favourite family nursery rhymes.

**Positive Behaviour for Learning: Yr 3-4:** Last term our behaviour focus was showing respect; to ourselves, others and our school. The students earned many, many tokens to successfully fill our mighty bucket for the second time through demonstrating behaviours like the ones below.

- Listening when someone else is talking
- Waiting to speak when someone is already talking
- Holding the door open for others
- Greeting others in the morning
- Using initiative to take care of the classroom e.g. picking up rubbish without being asked

**Junior Music Concert:** Students of Kerry, David and Kim have been invited to perform a short piece at our Junior Music Concert on Wednesday 7th August at 9.15am in the Hall. If your child participates in music lessons outside of school hours and would like to participate please let megan.hinge@hataitai.school.nz know by Friday 2nd August.

**We Are Desperately Seeking . . .**

Newspaper, Magazines
Ice cream containers  and large plastic jars with lids

**Kelly Sports:** This term all students at Hataitai School will participate in a weekly athletics session run by the Kelly Sports Team. These sessions were fantastic last year and we look forward to participating again.

**Junior School Production “To Tatou Kainga, To Tatou Iwi—Our Place, Our People’**

This term we will begin the epic journey that is creating a junior school production. The production will be held mid Term 4 at school. Please let us know if you can assist with prop making, backdrop painting, etc. The Senior School Production will be held at the end of this term. Please see fortnightly school newsletter for more information.

**Health Focus:** Students will be in year groups once a week to complete a unit on Health. In Year 3-4 level we mainly focus on building healthy relationships with our selves, and with others. The resources are available for parents to view.
We Welcome Teacher Trainees to Hataitai School

Several classes in the school will have the pleasure of trainee teachers working with them this term. In our team, Ngahuru welcomes James who will be working with Rob and the team for approximately seven weeks.

Yummy Stickers

Help us collect stickers for sports gear! Collect Yummy cut out labels and stickers to earn sports gear for our school. More stickers = more gear. Sticker sheets are in classrooms and can also be found here [https://www.yummyfruit.co.nz/schools/](https://www.yummyfruit.co.nz/schools/)