

# SCHOOL NEWS

Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> July

Week 1- Term 3

Term 3 - 23/7/2019 – 27/9/2019

Term 4 – 14/10/2019 – 17/12/2019

## ABSENTEES: TXT Stream

Our school operates a system where you will receive a text message from the school if your child is absent from school. Please respond with reason by text to 3255, you must start your message with the following code: Huntly Primary space then your message. We hope this will make communication easier and our children.

**Also available from the FREE Skool Loop App, also by texting 3225 followed by Huntly Primary space – message.**



*Kia Ora Whanau / Caregivers*

*Welcome back to school for Term 3.*

*A warm welcome to all our new starters and families who have joined us. We also have some new staff - welcome to Whaea Shahgul in Room 2 and Whaea Kellee will be joining us again in week 3 to teach in Room 6. I am teaching in Room 6 for the next couple of weeks.*

*We started our new school hours this week and we are enjoying the extended learning blocks. **Our whole school assemblies will now be on Friday afternoons at 2pm. These are odd weeks, the first one is Friday 2nd August.***

*Our Teacher Only Day on Monday was very successful with everyone involved with the day to day running of our school around the table and sharing ideas to make our school the best it can be, starting with our Positive Behaviour For Learning (PB4L). We are now gaining some traction and will keep you up to date with progress as we go. Our "Caught Being Good" cards are going well and many students have already won great prizes from the lucky draws. We will send home a copy of the Traffic Light System that we are working on as soon as we've finalised it.*

*Thanks for the great support that enabled us to have our Teacher Only Day - it will definitely benefit our Kura.*

*Whaea Peta-Maree*

## **WINTER UNIFORM**

*All uniform items, Pants, Shirts & Polar Fleece are available from the school office. Please make sure your children are in correct uniform. KidsCan jackets are NOT part of our uniform but can be worn to & from school.*

### **School Lunch Orders**

Orders will be taken at the school office from tomorrow.

**Technology Fees** – Term 3 now due \$13.00 per term.

### ***New School timetable for Term 3***

<b><i>TIME</i></b>	<b><i>SESSION</i></b>
<b><i>8.50 – 11 am</i></b>	<i>Learning Block 1 – Read &amp; Feed</i>
<i>11 – 11.30am</i>	<i>INTERVAL</i>
<i>11.30 – 12.45pm</i>	<i>Learning Block 2</i>
<i>12.45 – 1.15pm</i>	<i>LUNCH BREAK</i>
<i>1.15 – 2.30</i>	<i>Learning Block 3</i>
<b><i>2.30pm</i></b>	<i>HOME</i>

### ***SCHOOL CALENDAR – TERM 3***

<i>30<sup>th</sup> July</i>	<i>BOT meeting – 6pm</i>
<i>2<sup>nd</sup> August</i>	<i>2pm – Whole School Assembly</i>