



HERETAUNGA COLLEGE

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Newsletter – July 2022



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IMPORTANT DATES TERM 3

Friday 29 July	Upper Valley Music Festival
Tuesday 2 August	Board of Trustees Meeting, 6pm in the Boardroom
Tuesday 2 August – Thursday 4 August	'The Importance of Being Ernest' – Level 2 & 3 Production
Friday 5 August	Powerlifting Competition
Monday 8 August	Sports Photos
Tuesday 9 August	Junior Curriculum Information Evening, 6pm in the Hall
Friday 26 August	NCEA Accord Day – Students at home
Friday 26 August	Wellington Tertiary Open Day
Monday 29 August – Friday 2 September	Winter Tournament Week
Tuesday 6 September	Full School Kaiarahi Conferences – Course Selection, 2pm start
Wednesday 7 September	Full School Kaiarahi Conferences – Course Selection, 2pm start
Friday 9 September	Learning Conference – Students at home
Monday 19 September	Senior Derived Exam Week starts
Friday 30 September	Last day of Term 3

Mufti Days

Term 3

Cystic fibrosis	Tuesday 9 August	\$2
Food Bank	Thursday 29 September	\$2 or a food can

LOOKING AHEAD TO TERM 4 ...

Monday 17 October	First day of Term 4
Tuesday 18 October	Sports Prizegiving
Tuesday 1 November	Senior Service Awards, 9am
Tuesday 1 November	Senior Prizegiving Evening, 6.30pm
Friday 4 November	Learning Conference – Students at home
Monday 7 November	NZQA Exams begin
Thursday 1 December	NCEA Accord Day – Students at home
Wednesday 7 December	Junior Prizegivings – Students released for the year

Mufti Days

Term 4

Loud Shirt Day	Friday 21 October	\$2, Bright Shirt
World Kindness Day	Friday 11 November	Free

TERM DATES:

Term Three:
Monday 25 July – Friday 30 September
Term Four:
Monday 17 October – Thursday 8 December

TEACHER ONLY DAYS 2022

Friday 26 August - NCEA Training Day
Friday 9 September
Friday 4 November
Thursday 1 December – NCEA Training Day

PUBLIC HOLIDAYS 2022

Monday 24 October – Labour Day

BOARD OF TRUSTEES: Meet on the first Tuesday of each month at 6.30pm in the Board Room.

JUNIOR CURRICULUM INFORMATION EVENING

Tuesday 9 August 2022

Heretaunga College Hall starting at 6pm

This evening is an opportunity for parents and students to come to the college and hear about the junior curriculum and the options available to students in the junior school.

FINANCE PAYMENTS

We have numerous amounts of students in our school and we do not know your student individually. So when making payments through internet banking please ensure you identify your student and what the payment is for.

On a regular basis we receive payments with no student name/number and therefore we are unable to allocate the funds to the correct student's account.

The schools bank account is: **Heretaunga College Board of Trustees** ASB: 12 – 3478 – 0030501 – 00



The poster features a stethoscope on a white surface at the top. Below it is a white circle with the word 'vibe' in a stylized, lowercase font. Underneath the circle, it says 'VIBANT YOUNG PEOPLE, VIBANT COMMUNITIES'. To the right of the circle is a green cross icon. Below the circle, it says 'HERETAUNGA COLLEGE'. The main title 'SCHOOL NURSE' is in large, bold, teal letters. Below the title, the hours are listed: 'Tuesday 9:00am-3:00pm' and 'Friday 9:00-2:30pm'. There are two columns of bullet points listing services: 'Coughs, colds, sore throats', 'Immunisations (not COVID)', 'Skin issues such as acne, eczema, skin infections, rash', 'Asthma', 'Injuries due to sports/for other', 'Nutritional advice and support', 'Sleep advice and support', and 'Mental health issues'. At the bottom, it says 'EMAIL US : NURSE@HERETAUNGACOLLEGESCHOOL.NZ'.

We are very excited to announce that Vibe primary health care will be available to the students of Heretaunga College. This service provides students with the opportunity to have a positive experience with a health professional onsite. A registered nurse will be available at the College to see students and their whānau for any health interventions.

HOW TO CONTACT US:

You can book in with the nurse by emailing us at vibenurse@heretaunga.school.nz or calling us on 0800242828.

THE LAST SUPPER – COVID EDITION



LIBRARY



June saw the House Reading Challenge underway. The challenge was to see which house could read the most books during the month. There was a fabulous uptake, and over 400 books were read during the month. Congratulations to the winning house - Remutaka - which recorded 194 books read, followed by Orongomai with 127 books. The senior student who read the most books was Kalila Martins, the junior student was Manita Bussan and the staff member was Ms Wood. Well done everyone!

ARCHIE COSSLETT, NZ MEN'S FLOORBALL, SINGAPORE 2022

NZ had a successful trip winning their first ever international game and came 5th overall, just missing out on selection for the World Championships in Switzerland. Archie adjusted smoothly to the international competition



in Singapore, playing consistently well. His coach wondered if Archie was immune to stress! Archie scored against Malaysia and was named MVP in the game with the Republic of Korea. He really did himself proud, and was mentioned regularly by the commentators for a "level head beyond his years" and skills. Culturally it was a wonderful experience too, where he met people from all around Asia and got to see some of the sights of Singapore.



SWIMMING

Congrats Erin Knox!

Erin got 3 gold medals in the para multiclass 50m backstroke, 50m butterfly and 100m backstroke at the North Island Secondary Schools.

What an amazing achievement. Your HC whanau are so proud of you! ❤️⭐️🏆

ATHLETES WITH DISABILITIES

Congratulations to Naenae College for taking out this year's Athletes with Disabilities Futsal Competition, beating Heretaunga College in a tight final 5-2. Next up the Ten Pin Bowling Tournament on July 6!

Final Scores:

Final - Naenae 5, Heretaunga 2
3rd/4th - Wainuiomata 5, Upper Hutt 3
5th/6th - Newlands 13, Onslow 7
7th/8th/9th - Paraparaumu 9, HVHS 2
7th/8th/9th - Mana 12, HVHS 5



RELAY YOUR WAY

This term, on 28 May, we held our big event - Relay Your Way. With 140 people signing up and having around 250 people show up on the day with their whanau and bringing their dogs, we couldn't have been happier with how the event turned out!

The day went so well, starting in the cold at 7am and finishing colder at 7pm, 12 hours later. It was great to see so many of you awesome human beings walking and running heaps of laps around the quad, not only getting the step count in for your own well-being but also to remember those who have passed, to celebrate lives and to fight back against cancer.

We are super grateful to Upper Hutt Hire who donated the fencing, to the Mad Butcher for donating sausages to feed us, to the Mint Food Truck for their kai and to former HC student Amir for doing the 'chop the mop.' We also want to thank the Community Committee for their work too, and the other students who chipped in - you all rule! Finally, thanks-wise, we would like to shout out to Mandy, Christobel, John and Tom from the Cancer Society for their support, and to Mr Douglas for making the magic happen.

It was great too to have some laps of remembrance for Ms Massam and Caitlin Kerr, with their songs 'Don't Stop Believin' and 'Gimme, Gimme, Gimme' (even though Mr Douglas struggled as the DJ during this time). And, although the students talked a big game before the event, the teachers' baton did not stop moving the whole time, with Mr Pike walking for almost 12 hours!

Our original fundraising goal was \$20,000 - our final total though was \$38,364.

Thank you to everyone who made such a big fundraising effort. Every dollar helps the Cancer Society with their work. However, we would like to give a special shout out to Alexia Girvan, McKenzie Pierce, Briar Scott, Olivia Donaldson and Blake Holcroft. These students were amazing. Blake, Olivia, Briar and MacKenzie raised between \$750 and \$1,000 each - so good. But a special shout to Alexia who raised \$2,005 - thank you so much!

We also want to acknowledge staff members Mary Mooring, Amy Johnson, Julie Sarros, Matthew Lambert and Michelle Roa. Like the students, these staff are amazing - Michelle, Matthew, Julie and Amy raised between \$850 and \$1,700 each. We all know that teachers and teacher aides are not paid enough, so massive props to you. But we want to pay a special tribute to Mary Mooring who raised \$4,331 - she is the highest fundraiser in the Wellington region.

We are proud that we are at the moment the second highest fundraising team in New Zealand, and our school can't wait to be a part of the event in 2023!

Emma Barron-Orriss and Blake Holcroft
Community Captains



WELLINGTON BIG SING

Phoenix Chorale attended the Wellington Big Sing on Thursday 9th June. This involved 29 other choirs from around the region and was a huge day of music making including a mass warm up before the evening Gala concert. The choir sang superbly and represented the school well.



ROCKQUEST COMPETITION

Huge congratulations to Tarn Ashby and Overhead for their fantastic performances at Rockquest which was held on Saturday 2 July 2022.



SCHOOL MUSIC GROUPS REHEARSAL TIMES 2022

Drum Line - Monday afternoon break in the Band Room (be there for a 1.30pm start - 10mins before end of spell 4)

Phoenix Chorale Choir - Tuesday morning break in the Hall (meet in the Music Room)

Jazz Band - Wednesday morning break in the Music Room

String Ensemble - Thursday morning break in the Music Room

Guitar Ensemble - Friday morning break in the Music Room

Bands - All bands have a session time with our tutors. Please check the music lessons timetable for these.

SPORTS UPDATE



New Sports Coordinator

We have a new sports coordinator, Simone Naylor. Simone has recently come to us from Hutt Valley High School, previously working developing badminton in the Hutt Valley. Please drop in to the sports office to meet her anytime.

Upper Hutt Exchange

While Heretaunga did not win the exchange with Upper Hutt this time; there were some very close games; it was a great opportunity to get the students playing their sports.



Pop In and Play - Year 9/10 sports

In term 3 we will be running fun sports sessions during morning break in the Sports Centre on Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays;

Monday - Badminton and Table Tennis

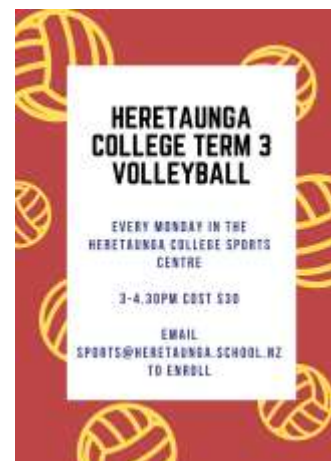
Tuesday - Floorball

Wednesday - Basketball

Please come along and play - would love to see you.

Volleyball after school Mondays

We continue to offer Youthtown Volleyball after school Mondays starting 1 August. This is a great opportunity so get in some pre-season games for the Term 4 College Sport games. If you would like to register please email sports@heretaunga.school.nz.



Roller Skating

Some awesome results from students in roller skating at the Central Areas competition in Palmerston North with Liberte Bretherton 3rd in Intermediate Freeskating and 1st in Large Show Team and Sienna Hare 2nd in Cadet Freeskating. Both have qualified for the National competition in July and we wish them well for this event.

STUDENT VOLUNTEER ARMY

Collect your first badge now!!!!

Heretaunga College is a member of the Student Volunteer Army Foundation. This means that all of our students can register their volunteering hours to receive a SVA pin badge for free! So get registered and start logging your hours. This can be done retrospectively – you can log hours that you have already done. Register here:

service.sva.org.nz



Got any questions? See Mrs Pike

FREE AFTER SCHOOL MATHS TUITION

Free afterschool Maths tuition in Morgan 5 every Wednesday 2.30 p.m. - 3.30 p.m. All welcome!

EMAILS FROM SCHOOL

Please remember to check your spam/junk box for emails from Heretaunga College. Once you say that the email from us is safe it should automatically start arriving in your inbox.

If your email address has changed or you have recently obtained an address please advise the school office so your student's file can be updated.

CONTACT DETAILS

Have you changed your contact details?

Please advise the office of any changes to your address, phone numbers, email address or emergency contact details. Details can be changed by phone, email or through the parent portal. If you are unable to access the portal please contact the college office for assistance.

SECOND-HAND UNIFORM

If you have any uniform you no longer require please consider donating this to the main office. We are looking for both **junior and senior uniforms**, together with **socks and shoes**. Good quality items are sold for a minimal fee and this money goes towards pastoral care for students and families in need. Any lesser quality items are used in emergency situations.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Parking At Heretaunga College

Please do not park on the lawn at any time. If there are no parking spaces within the college car parks then please park on the street.

Signing In/Out of College

Students are reminded to sign in at the student office if you are late to school.

All students should have a note explaining their lateness or parents should ring the College absence line (**939 9370 Ext 814**) or email **absences@heretaunga.school.nz**

When signing out to attend appointments students are required to present a note/text to the office.

If a student is unwell they are required to come to the student office where office staff will call a parent.

Uniform

A reminder to parents to make contact with Jacqui Lucas, Deputy Principal if there is an issue regarding uniform.

Please name your students uniform. We can return lost items quicker if they are named.

Absences Email Address

To advise an absence please call 939 9370 and press 1 OR email absences@heretaunga.school.nz

Panadol

We do NOT supply students with Panadol. If your son/daughter requires pain relief whilst at school they must bring it from home. The Student Office will store this for your son/daughter in a locked drawer.

From the Finance Team

Making Payments

Cash payments can be made at the college office between 8.00am and 2.15pm daily, with Eftpos facilities available until 3.15pm. Students can make payments before school starts each morning and during school break times only.

Alternatively, payments can be made online. The schools bank account is:

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Please ensure that you note what the payment is for i.e. Netball and, if known, your student ID number.

If you have any questions or feedback, please contact Kirsty or Ady at accounts@heretaunga.school.nz or ring 939 9370 and ask for the Finance team.

Fizz-free School

Heretaunga College is a fizz-free school. Please remind your son/daughter of this rule. Fizzy drinks will be confiscated from students.

Parent KAMAR Portal

Access to School Reports and Other Information

Each parent has access to the parent portal via the school internet page (www.heretaunga.school.nz). You find the link in the top right hand corner. Here you can access all of your children's academic data such as attendance, school reports, current results and teachers' comments as well as pastoral entries. Alternatively, you can download the Kamar app from the Apple Store or Google Play store. Access details were emailed out but if you have misplaced your user name and password, please contact the school office.

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Welcome to Trentham United Harriers & Walkers Club!

This leaflet is to provide you with some basic information about us, any questions contact us:
trenthamharriers@gmail.com
Or look at our website www.trenthamunited.com

Our Season (April to September)

Weekly Trainings

Juniors (ages 5-16)

Thursday (April): 5.00pm (outdoor training)
Thursday (May-August): primary age (5:30pm-6:15pm)
intermediate/college age (6:15pm-7:00pm)
At the indoor centre adjacent to our clubrooms.
Saturday: 1:30pm (except on a race day - TBA)

Seniors (Adults/16+)

Thursday: 6.00pm, group run departs clubrooms at 6:15pm (all year round)
Saturday: 1:30pm clubrooms

Walkers

Thursday: 6.00pm clubrooms (recreational) (all year round)
Saturday: 1:30pm clubrooms

Our race walking training group is on a varied schedule - please ask for more information.

Women's only (Walk-Jog-Run) - Mondays at 6:00pm (meet outside H2O Xstream). You do not have to be a club member to attend this group. Come along whenever you like! Join our Facebook page 'Women United Walk -Jog-Run'.

2022 Membership Fees

Category	Total	What do I get for my membership?
Recreational Member (15+)	\$90.00	All memberships: - Participate in Saturday club days, Thursday club nights and TUH races and ladder, - Weekly club newsletters - Can participate in Sanders & Gough event and 3 inter club relays. Senior - Competitive - Entry fees covered for 4x Wellington XC & Road Interclub events. - Support for those selected for Wellington, National Cross Country and North Island XC events. Junior/Youth/Under 7 - Thursday afternoon trainings (April-September) - Entry fees covered for 4x Wellington XC & Road Interclub events. - Support for those selected for Wellington, National Cross Country and North Island XC events.
Senior/Master Competitive	\$180.00	
Junior 18-19 / Under 20	\$135.00	
Junior 15-17 / Under 18	\$125.00	
Youth 7-14 / Under 15	\$85.00	
0-6 / Under 7	\$35.00	
Walker Competitive	\$150.00	*Note ages as at 31 December 2022 *Uniforms to be purchased separately