

NEWSTEAD

MODEL COUNTRY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Whanau,

What a great week we've had with a variety of EOTC (Education Outside The Classroom) activities happening.

Our senior swimmers represented the school well on Monday at the annual Country Cluster Swimming Sports at Tamahere Model Country School. Congratulations to the following students who gained placings in their finals:

Paige McDean (7 yr) - 1st Girls Breaststroke; 2nd Girls Medley
 Eden Ellison (8 yr) - 4th Girls Breaststroke; 4th Girls Medley
 Christopher Horn (9 yr) - 1st Boys Backstroke; 2nd Boys Breaststroke; 2nd Boys Medley; 3rd Boys Freestyle
 Olivia Gujer (9 yr) - 3rd Girls Backstroke
 Brooke Carter (10 yr) - 5th Girls Medley

Thanks to Liam Carroll for organising the team, Dom Reed (our Graduate Teacher Trainee) for helping out with the officiating of the event, and to the parent helpers on the day. Our City Schools Swimming event will be held on Thursday April 1st at Tamahere Model Country School.

Yesterday our Junior Team visited Hamilton Zoo. Our concept for learning throughout the school this year is 'adaptions and adapting' which tied in nicely with the visit. The kids loved it! I've just walked through the classes this morning and the kids are still buzzing about the trip. We were really fortunate to have so many parents volunteer to help on the day - thank you. We were also fortunate with the weather. Thanks to Lynne, Renee, Nikki and Rachel for organising and running the day.



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UPCOMING DATES:

March

25 Junior Tabloids
 @ Tamahere School

April

1 City/Country Schools
 Swimming @ Tamahere
 2 Good Friday – No School
 5&6 Easter Monday & Tuesday –
 No School
 16 Last Day Term 1

May

3 First Day Term 2

TERM DATES FOR 2021

Term 1	3 February – 16 April
Term 2	3 May – 9 July
Term 3	26 July – 1 October
Term 4	18 October – 15 December

NOTICES:

Most notices sent out can be found on the school website under the heading *Our Info, Recent Notices*:

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School News

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Our Senior School has been on Camp for the last three days. This year we have been at Totara Springs Camp. I was fortunate enough to spend the day with them yesterday. The kids have been having so much fun doing a variety of activities including low ropes, flying fox, crate climb, initiatives. Go karts, archery and raft building. There were also two giant water and hydrosides to keep everyone (including the adults) entertained. The New Zealand curriculum lays out five key competencies that children can aspire to achieve. These include thinking, using language, symbols and texts, managing self, relating to others, and participating and contributing. Camps provide great opportunities for students to develop these key competencies. A massive thank you to all the parents who were able to come along and help out. These parents work with groups of children at each activity along with helping out with food, cleaning and general pastoral care. We couldn't do this without our wonderful parent support. Special thanks as well to June Malcolm, Liam Carroll and Judi Scrimgeour, for all the work they put into setting up the camp and running the camp.



We are currently setting up our inaugural After School Care 'School Holiday' programme which will start at the end of Term 1. This will be based out of Newstead Model Country School. Watch this space!!

Have a great weekend everyone.
Ka nui tēnā mō tēnei wā.

Drew Campbell - Principal

School News

School Bank Account Details

Newstead Model School
ASB Bank 12-3152-0233579-00

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A BIG THANKYOU TO PLACEMAKERS TE RAPA AND HUNTLY FOR YOUR DONATION AND USE OF BBQ AT THE RECENT FAMILY PICNIC EVENING



The PTA is open to all Newstead parents and caregivers.

If you want to know more, you can find Helen at After School Care most days, thanks.

PTA contact details



pta@newstead.school.nz



Newstead Model Country School



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Newstead School Council Inc



Sports Draw

Cricket

Friday 12 March		
Newstead Black Yr 5		
5.30pm	@ Seddon Park - 9	Vs Ngahinapouri, Hurricanes
Newstead Red Yr 3		
5.30pm	@Hamilton West School - 1	Vs Hamilton West School, Kiwi's

Cricket Report

Game 4 vs Horsham Downs Knights

The Red Hawks travelled to Frankton to take on the Knights from Horsham Downs school. The focus at this week's practice had been batting and playing straight and it was great to see several batsmen putting it into practice to keep the good balls out as well as finding the gaps in the field. Zoe was particularly impressive playing several cover drives in her innings including one well struck boundary while Jamie executed the perfect on drive. Harrison, Carter and Isla all scored regularly off accurate deliveries from the Knights bowlers. All the batsmen contributed well, running hard between the wickets to record partnerships of 25, 28, 21 and 27 to see the Red Hawks through to their highest score of the season to date at 101/2. Harrison 11, Charlotte 14, Carter 14, Jamie 14, Amelia 14, Eden 7, Zoe 18 and Isla 9.

With several of the leaders in the field not available this week the challenge was laid down to the team for players to attempt to affect their first run outs of the season. The team took up the challenge and effected 8 run outs, with Charlotte (2), Zoe and Carter all achieving their first run outs of the season; Isla and Harrison also chipped in with two each. The bowling performance was very consistent throughout the innings led by Isla, Zoe and Jamie bowling great lines; bowlers to take wickets were Charlotte (2), Harrison (2), Zoe, Amelia, Eden, Carter and Isla, with Carter claiming a wicket clean bowled. Despite a match high partnership of 29 between Toby and Harry the Knights innings ended at 89/9. Final scores were Newstead 91 and Horsham Downs 44, a win to Newstead by 47 runs. Captain: Charlotte

School Swimming Sports Results

	Breastroke			Backstroke			Freestyle	
	7 Year old			7 Year old			7 Year old	
	Boys	Girls		Boys	Girls		Boys	Girls
1st		Paige	1st		Paige & Neve	1st	Braedyn	Neve
2nd		Charlotte	2nd		Hailey	2nd		Hailey
3rd		Neve	3rd		Charlotte	3rd		Paige
	8 Year Old			8 Year Old			8 Year Old	
	Boys	Girls		Boys	Girls		Boys	Girls
1st		Eden	1st	Jack	Zoe E	1st	Jack	Zoe L
2nd		Zoe L	2nd		Eden	2nd		Zoe E
3rd		Pippi	3rd		Pippi	3rd		Eden
	9 Year Old			9 Year Old			9 Year Old	
	Boys	Girls		Boys	Girls		Boys	Girls
1st	Christopher	Lucia	1st	Christopher	Olivia G	1st	Christopher	Lucia
2nd	Sam C	Lily	2nd	Kade	Lily	2nd	Kade	Olivia G
3rd	Kade	Emma	3rd	Luke	Lucia	3rd	Sam C	Emma
	10 Year Old			10 Year Old			10 Year Old	
	Boys	Girls		Boys	Girls		Boys	Girls
1st	Xavier	Brooke	1st	Leo	Kathleen	1st	Jai	Brooke
2nd	Sam E	Lucy	2nd	Sam E	Brooke	2nd	Sam E	Kathleen
3rd	Leo	Lucia	3rd	Corey	Maria	3rd	Leo	Maria
	11 Year Old			11 Year Old			11 Year Old	
	Boys	Girls		Boys	Girls		Boys	Girls
1st	Jai		1st	Jai		1st	Jai	

Community Notices

Waikato District News 4 March 2021 [CLICK HERE](#)

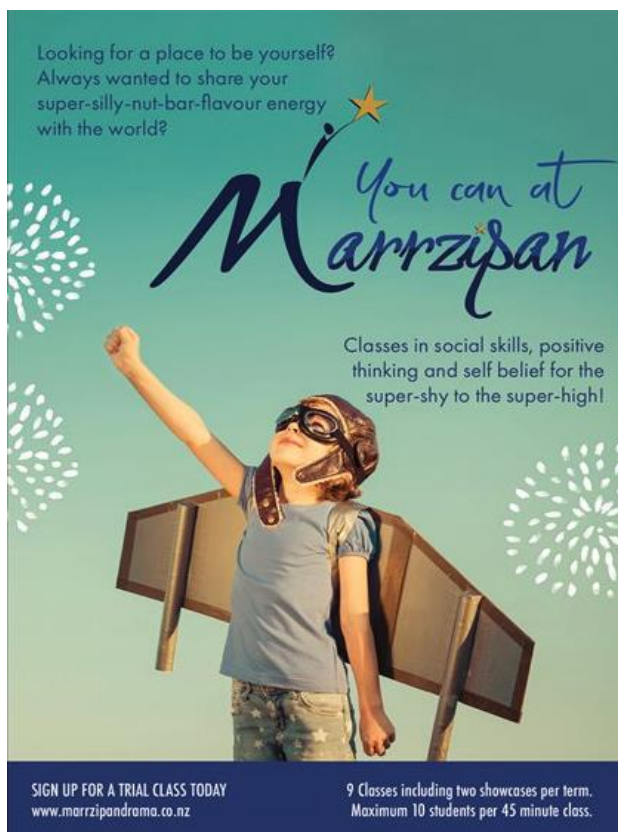
New Update Waikato Expressway March 2021 [CLICK HERE](#)

Parenting Helpline

Free, all ages, all issues. 9am-9pm 7 days. Advice, support and strategies on any parenting challenges.
Ph: 0800 568 856. www.parenthelp.org.nz

Children's Ear Clinic - There is now a shortcut for you to access the current children's ear clinic programme. These will now not be circulated each school term as we have previously done [Click Here](#)

Single Parent Services - [Website](#)



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Seasons for Growth is an innovative small-group programme that aims to strengthen the social and emotional wellbeing of children and young people who are dealing with significant life change such as: moving to a new place, change of friendships, family separation, loss of a loved one.

Numbers permitting, programmes start in your community April 7th at Te Ara Hou Village, Hillcrest.

For more information, please contact the Coordinator
Melanie Black

Email: hamilton@seasonsfg.org.nz

Phone: 07 857 0435

Mobile: 027 391 4761



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I KNOW, I THINK, I WONDER

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Visit our St John Youth Facebook page or email central.youth@stjohn.org.nz to find out more







www.stjohnschooll.com - 528618875

MUSIC LESSONS AT SCHOOL

We are very fortunate to have a fabulous music teacher available to come into school to teach piano, singing and theory lessons. Spaces are now available.

Beverley Pullon holds a Doctorate in Musical Arts. She has been teaching for many years and has a vast amount of experience to pass on to our children.

Lessons are currently available on Wednesday during the school day.

For more information please contact **Beverley** directly on **0274257235**, or speak to Amanda Briston.

Thinking of learning UKULELE?

HAVE A GO!

with:



MusiQHub are providing junior students with **FREE** playing sessions right here at Newstead School.

Contact MusiQHub Manager, Carl Watkins to set up your child's **FREE** playing session...

What? HAVE A GO!

When? Wednesdays

Where? Newstead School!

Contact? Carl Watkins: carl.watkins@musiqhub.co.nz



BUY OR GIFT a virtual balloon and help KidsCan Waikato

Please share this with people you know- kids you care about.

Waikato Sunrise Rotary this year has nominated KidsCan Waikato as its fundraising charity through the Balloons over Waikato festival from 16 - 20 March.

- We need your help to raise these essential funds, so we have provided an eco friendly, uniquely fun and exciting -

*****Virtual Balloon Race*****

- **BUY NOW-** For **\$8** a balloon, the purchaser can design and colour their balloon, then watch it take off on Tuesday 23 March at 6.30PM, from the Eiffel Tower, Paris and see where it will travel, wherever the wind takes it over a **7 day** period, before arriving in New Zealand.
- There are three fabulous 1st, 2nd and 3rd prizes to win.
- **Go to link** <https://rabr.co/rotarykidscan>

Margaret Jenkins

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LISTEN with ears of tolerance

SEE through eyes of compassion

SPEAK with the language of care & love



Hillcrest United Football Club (HUFC).

Registration now open for 2021.

We are a junior football club, based at Jansen Park. Players come from Silverdale Normal, Hillcrest Normal, Matangi and Berkley Normal Middle, Newstead, Tamahere, and Tauwhare schools.

The season runs during Term 2 and part of Term 3 - the first game is 8th May.

See <http://www.hillcrestunited.co.nz/calendar/>

Club info/have a go at football sessions will be held in Term 1: 2-3pm, Sunday 7th March and Saturday 13th March, at Jansen Park, next to the carpark on Morris Road.

Parent coaches and managers are required for all teams.

See <http://www.hillcrestunited.co.nz/faqs/> for more information, or email info@hillcrestunited.co.nz.

First Kicks: for boys and girls born 2015-2017.

- * Training after school once a week at Jansen Park.
- * Games Saturday mornings 9am at Galloway Park. This consists of skill activities and 3 10min 4x4 mini games.
- * A shirt is provided, players must have their own shorts, socks, shinpads (compulsory) and football boots.
- * Fee: \$50
- * Register in Term 1 - see <http://www.hillcrestunited.co.nz/first-kicks> for details and registration links, and how to pay.

Junior Football: for boys and girls born 2008 - 2014.

- * Boys and girls are in separate leagues.
 - * Football grade determined by year of birth - your grade is the age you turn during the year. Boys teams are single grade, 7-13, Girls teams are mixed grade - 7/8, 9/10, 11/12/13. We try to group kids with friends where possible.
 - * Training after school once a week, generally at Jansen Park but can be at a school if you have a team mainly from one school.
 - * Games are Saturday mornings on a home and away basis, with half the games at Jansen Park, half at other fields in Hamilton or greater Waikato.
 - * A uniform (shirt and shorts) is provided, players must have their own black socks, shinpads (compulsory) and football boots.
 - * Register by the 26th March to guarantee a place in a team - after then, new registrations only accepted if space is available. See <http://www.hillcrestunited.co.nz/register> for how to register.
 - * Fees: if paid before 1 May: \$90 one child/\$150 two children/\$180 three children (in same family)
if paid after 1 May: \$100 one child/\$170 two children/\$210 three children (in same family)
- See <http://www.hillcrestunited.co.nz/register> for how to pay.

HAMILTON WANDERERS JUNIOR FOOTBALL MUSTER

Our Junior Muster date will be Sunday 21st March at Porritt Stadium. This is for Mini Football (age 9-12) and Saturday Youth Football (age 13-14), girls and boys.

Please ensure you have registered in MyComet prior to the Muster day: <https://mycomet-oceania.analyticom.de/en/login>

Attendance times will be confirmed through our facebook page so please send a request to join 'Hamilton Wanderers Juniors'

Players who will be turning 4-8 yrs old this year can also register, but are not required to attend the muster

Any questions please email wanderersjuniors@gmail.com