



Rai Valley Area School

Newsletter



Rai Valley Area School
**Growing and Learning
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Newsletter

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Tumuaki's Report



Kia ora koutou

This week we have seen early signs of spring, and yes I know there is still the tail of winter to come but I'm enjoying the early blossom.

Last Friday our Year 9 girls attended the Tasman Sport run "Ignite Day" in Nelson. They had an opportunity to participate in a number of sports. The student feedback was that they had a fabulous day.

Also, last week we ran the School Cross-Country. Mr. Biasco and Mr. Waldie put together a great afternoon where everyone participated somehow. I would like to thank Malcolm Burkett for the use of his paddock, it meant we had a much more interesting and cross-country-like course.

Epro8 Technology has been the focus of the Year 5-8 classrooms in the last 2 weeks. This is a great opportunity for our Tech students to shine. In a couple of weeks, we will have two teams in the Nelson competition for Years 5 & 6 and Years 7 & 8 teams.

Congratulations to those students who gained their NCEA Literacy and Numeracy last term from the CAA's (Common Assessments Activity). All our Year 11 students now have their Numeracy and Reading.

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Receptionist: Pauline Agnew

Caretaker: Shane Dearman



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Many of the Year 10's also gained a mix of numeracy reading and writing credits, with 2 Year 10 students also completing their NCEA Literacy and Numeracy.

Last term our students participated in the Heart Foundation's jumping for June. As a school, we raised \$2372.00 with Amy Billingsley raising the highest individual amount of \$460.00 and the Year 1&2 class raising the highest class amount.

Oliver Pearse was fortunate to have spent 10 days on the Spirit of New Zealand voyage recently. He had a wonderful trip and a great experience. Kirrilee Lilburn is also going on a voyage in the September holidays. This is an amazing opportunity for our senior students. It is planned that there will be further voyages in 2025. An opportunity of a lifetime so start planning!

Attendance continues to be a major focus. Our attendance for the last week is 90%. This is definitely heading in the right direction, with the last terms being in the low 80s. Can you please remember to email or ring Pauline if your child is going to be away?

Finally, I would like to wish both our school netball teams well for their games this Saturday. Both Teams are playing off for 1st and 2nd in their grades. Thank you to Mrs Massey and our parents for your continued support throughout the season.

Kia ora koutou
Maree

R.V.A.S 2024 Cross Country



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R.V.A.S Cross Country results 2024

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| Year 1 Boys | Stanley Nicol | Year 1 Girls | Joy Harrison |
| | Felix Leov | | Scarlett Denize |
| | Andrew Ready | | Anna Alvarez |
| Year 2 Boys | Tommy Massey | Year 2 Girls | Willow Kennett |
| | Alfie Waldie | | Pyper Knight |
| Year 3 Boys | Bjorn Prattley | Year 3 Girls | Khloe Dunbar |
| | Robin Jackson-Lee | | Mercy Ready |
| | Jake Ballantyne | | |
| Year 4 Boys | Aiden Mackness | Year 4 Girls | Ellie Thompson |
| | Vincent Wiesner | | Cara Harrison |
| | Eddie Neal | | Jeorgie Prattley |
| Year 5 Boys | William Sharpe | Year 5 Girls | Dawn Ready |
| | | | Imagen Knight |
| | | | Scarlett Morrison |
| Year 6 Boys | Tiaan de Kock | Year 6 Girls | No year 6 girls |
| | Van Bidols | | |
| | Tai Mackness | | |
| Year 7 Boys | Sam Hope | Year 7 Girls | Annie Jones |
| | Sinclair Couper | | Armandine Jackson |
| | William Waldie | | Keira Wearing-Holmes |
| Year 8 Boys | Marno de Kock | Year 8 Girls | Avani Rosssiter |
| | Hunter O'Donnell | | |
| Year 9 Boys | Oliver Hope | Year 9 Girls | Elin Kiddey |
| | Bill Partridge | | Amy Billingsley |
| | Gareth Woodley | | Leah Jones |
| Year 10 Boys | Jackson Jenner | Year 10 Girls | Tessa Zillwood |
| | Uriah Ready | | |
| | Quaide Carter | | |
| Year 11 - 13 Boys | Ollie Pearse | Year 11 - 13 Girls | Sophie Harrison |
| | Keegan Quirk | | Kayla Gardiner |
| | Aston Hewetson | | |





Primary students have been busy with the 'Keeping Ourselves Safe' programme during last week with a visit from our School Community Constable, Charlotte Codlin. They enjoyed a great Cross Country Race last Wednesday over the neighbouring farm paddock and in and around school. Further in this newsletter you will find the results. In classes this week, years 5-8 have been practising their skills with the EPRo8 kits ready for a challenge, in Nelson, early in September. EPRo8 stands for Engineering, Problem-solving and Innovation. Some great designs have been made under a set time challenge. We wish them luck with the competition in Nelson.

Maths Week has been underway in the primary syndicate also with a daily challenge. Both events, Maths Week and EPRo8 are activities that can gain points for the students' houses. House points are not just about sporting events, so everyone can participate and contribute. Reluctant students can always gain points by pure participation, not necessarily winning events. Giving it a go is always rewarding, emotionally and gaining points for your team.

Don't forget the orders for Chickens that were sent out last week. These orders close on 28th Aug. The chickens can then become 'pet animals' for Pet Day. Also a notice out last week for school photos that will be on 29th Aug and if you are requiring a family photo at that time, you need to pre-book this as well. To do that, please give your family name to Pauline, in the office by Wednesday 28th thanks.

On the previous page is a list of 1st to 3rd placings, by year group, for the school Cross Country last week. Good running and good effort guys.

Watch out for regular Pet Day notices now as Renee and I and our helpers that joined us for a meeting today, start all the organising for this big school event. Anyone who can offer to help is certainly welcomed. Please do that by direct communication with Renee or myself.

Just a couple of notes on safety...**If your child rides on a bus that has seat belts fitted to that bus, it is a legal requirement for them to put the seat belt on and leave it on, for the duration of their bus trip.** Simple safety rules really!

Kind regards everyone,
Karen Davies
Head of Primary Syndicate/AP



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EPRO8 2024



Our Year 5-8 students are competing in the Internal Epro8 Series this week.

The year 7-8 group started first thing this morning, building an earthquake testing device and platform. The winning team's will have the opportunity to attend the Interschool Competition in Nelson later this term.



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| 0:29:50 | | |
| 1 | Team 04 | 230 |
| 2 | Team 02 | 210 |
| 3 | Team 01 | 210 |
| 4 | Team 03 | 180 |



Kia ora koutou,

What a great last few weeks we have had here at Rai Valley, with the weather being just about as perfect as it could have been for the cross country. We have also had students getting involved in a wide range of activities ranging from EPro8 technology competitions, through to Spirit of Adventure, completing Duke of Edinburgh, as well as Maths week and our Year 10 cohort receiving their Common Assessment (Literacy and Numeracy) Grades.

I would like to extend my thanks to Jared and Erin for allowing us to use their paddocks to push the boundaries of last week's cross country. Thanks to their generosity we were able to go beyond the school fields, their support was very much appreciated by all.

It is with genuine pride that I can say that we had 100% participation, with the majority of students running or walking the course, and those who did not run or walk the course volunteered to marshal the event, providing not just direction, but also encouragement to those who were taking part. It resulted in a very competitive event and certainly gives us something to build upon and develop even further next year (who knows perhaps we will add some obstacles and other surprises).

Academically we have some very strong results for the Level 1 Literacy Common Assessments, achieving above the national average in a number of areas. These tests are a relatively new initiative designed to build consistency across Aotearoa New Zealand, especially around setting a benchmark for how literacy (reading and writing) and numeracy skills are quantified. For those students who did not quite achieve, the next opportunity is literally just around the corner (week beginning 16th September) and we are already working towards providing them with the opportunities and skills to give it another go.

We will also be running our Derived Grade Examinations for our year 11-13 students in the same week. Derived Grade exams are an incredibly important time for our students because they provide a realistic indication of how our akonga will do at the end of the year. They also contribute towards providing grades in the event of a student being unable to attend the formal exam at the end of the year (due to a variety of reasons). These exams are a formal part of our assessment structure, and students are expected to attend all sessions (there will not be dedicated study leave for these as they will run as part of the normal school day). With this in mind it is vitally important that our students are provided with the time and space after school to revise, practice and consolidate their learning so they are as prepared as they can be for these important moments.

Planning for the Year 9/10 camp is now under way. We will once again be teaming up with Tapawera Area School. We are currently finalising the timetable of activities and have locked in overnight camping excursions for both the Year 9s (lake level) and Year 10s (backcountry). Keep an eye out over the next few weeks for equipment lists and requests.

Once again thank you for all your support this term.

nga mihi nui

Dan Waldie
Deputy Principal
Head of Secondary



**"EVERY DAY IN
EVERY WAY I GET
BETTER AT TAKING
EXAMS"**





Last Friday Mr Fleming asked me if some children could come and have a look at the 'sculptural paintings' that the senior arts students have been working on. Joy

Harrison is standing next to Lorna O'Donnell's art work. "It was pretty big Mrs Davies" said Joy. It was pretty well done also Lorna as this gained her an excellence mark for NCEA Level 1. Well done and well done to the other girls. You can view these pieces in the library.



Shine
AND SPARKLE!

SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR STARTS IN 1 WEEK



There will be an Enchanted Forest Dress Up day for Primary on Wednesday 28th August. Come dressed as a magical book character or any enchanted forest creature.

Students can visit the Book Fair at break times and after school until 4pm.

Thursday nights are late nights so parents, caregivers, family members and friends can come and browse the Book Fair shop at their leisure from 6pm-7.30pm



Ignite 2024

Friday 9th August our Year 9 girls headed to Saxton Field for the Ignite Kōhine Māia Festival put together by Sport Tasman.



The girls were mixed in with two other schools to play sports. Our Year 9 girls played cricket, netball, rippa, basketball, and golf. At the beginning of the day, the girls were shy but by lunchtime, they had made new friends. New connections. It was an amazing day with lots of positive attitudes.

Thanks, Mr. Briasco for organising this event and Taina for helping with transport.

Ngā mihi
Theresa Neal







PET DAY 2024 UPDATE

School Chicken Orders close
WEDNESDAY 28th AUGUST

PET DAY ENTRY FORMS

Pet Day entries tell us what you are planning to bring, these have gone home to students today. Please fill out and return to the box in the office by FRIDAY 23rd AUGUST



YEAR 11-13 STUDENTS:

If you are thinking of bringing a pet this year you **must** talk to Ms Furness about it.

Cancer Society
Daffodil Day
Te Rā Daffodil

**Friday
30 August**

Sign up to fundraise
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*The 1 in 3
could be me*

Please donate this Daffodil Day.
Because the 1 in 3 who'll get cancer
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AFTER SCHOOL CARE

is available from 3pm to 5pm

Monday - Friday

contact the school office or

Skylar on 027 244 9390 to book in.

(Skylar does not have access to her phone from 8.50am-2.50pm)

\$5 per child per hour



Do you want to learn the guitar?

Interested in lessons?

When: Monday & Friday morning tea time

Where: In the VC room at the library

Cost: \$10 per session



If you are interested please talk to me Sophia Wiesner at school
or
email me on sophia.wiesner@rai.school.nz



Up & Coming Key School Dates for 2024

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|---|--------|---|
| Friday 23rd August | T3W5 | Pet Day entries back to school |
| Friday 23rd August | T3W5 | Y1 & 2 Fire Wise visit - PRIMARY |
| Monday 26th - Thursday 5th September | T3W6/7 | Scholastic BOOK FAIR : ENCHANTED FOREST |
| Tuesday 27th August | T3W6 | Village Green OPENING - WHOLE SCHOOL KAPA HAKA |
| Wednesday 28th August | T3W6 | Book Fair DRESS UP DAY - PRIMARY |
| Wednesday 28th August | T3W6 | Chicken orders CLOSE |
| Thursday 29th August | T3W6 | School Photos - WHOLE SCHOOL |
| Tuesday 3rd September | T3W7 | Y7 & 8 EPRO8 @ Nelson Intermediate 5pm-8pm |
| Wednesday 4th September | T3W7 | Y5 & 6 EPRO8 @ Nelson Intermediate 1pm-4pm |
| Monday 9th September | T3W8 | Maud Island trip - PRIMARY |
| Thursday 12th September | T3W8 | Bricks in Schools - PRIMARY |
| Monday 16th September - Friday 20th September | T3W9 | Derived Grades EXAMS - SENIORS |
| Monday 16th September - Friday 20th September | T3W9 | CAA's Monday - Reading Wednesday - Numeracy Thursday - Writing - SENIORS |
| Monday 23rd - Friday 27th September | T3W10 | Y9 & 10 Camp @ Lake Rotoiti - SENIORS |
| Friday 27th September | | Term 3 ENDS |
| Monday 14th October | | TERM 4 BEGINS - Whole school 8.45am |
| Wednesday 16th October | T4W1 | Pet Day Indoor |
| Thursday 17th October | T4W1 | Pet Day Outdoor |
| Monday 28th October | T4W3 | Labour Day |
| Monday 4th November | T4W4 | Marlborough Anniversary |
| TBC | | Term 4 ENDS |

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If you still require the paper copy please contact the school office
office@rai.school.nz | 03 571 6016

Wildflower World SPRING SEED FUNDRAISER

Help us grow by beautifying your garden

Fund Raising for RAI VALLEY AREA SCHOOL STUDENTS

Here is a great opportunity to purchase seeds to show your support. Seeds are easy to sow, fun to grow and will reward you with healthy veges and gorgeous flowers year after year.

We have some great choices - why not try them all. Prices are less than normal retail and our organisation will make 40% profit on all sales. Growing information is included on each packet of seeds.

To order please return this form with your payment no later than **MONDAY 23RD of SEPTEMBER**

Delivery will be on or after **1st October 2024**

Thank you for supporting this fundraiser.

All enquiries to **Renee Joep** : renee@rai.school.nz 027 7750 083

Seed Order Form 2024

Name: _____
Address: _____
Ph: _____

| Seed Type | Price | Number | Total |
|---|--------|--------|-----------|
| Wildflower Bee Friendly Mix – 10 grams Wildflower seeds, the ultimate in colourful low maintenance gardening, providing essential nutrition for bees and other pollinating insects. Covers 10m ² . Hgt: 20-60 cm | \$9.50 | | |
| Summer Salad Mix – 1200 Seeds Eat Healthy and save money with our Summer salad. Inside you will find individual packs of Lettuce, Spring Onions and Radish to help bring your summer salads to life | \$7.10 | | |
| My First Flower Garden – 7 grams This easy-care wildflower seed mix is great for the first-time gardener, full of low maintenance easy care varieties. It's so easy! The perfect children's mix. Covers 7m ² | \$7.30 | | |
| Asian Greens – 1200 Seeds Make authentic stir fries and soups or just use in place of other vegetables. This mix contains Mizuna, Tatsoi and Chinese cabbage | \$6.20 | | |
| Micro Greens – 10 grams 'Micro Greens' is a term used for vegetables that are harvested at small seedling stage. They are a nutritious and tasty addition to salads. They can be grown any time of year, even inside during the winter. | \$7.70 | | |
| Sweet Pea – Summer Rainbow Mix – 20 seeds A colourful and fragrant mix of climbing sweet peas. Plant against a fence or trellis. Height up to 2 metres. | \$6.40 | | |
| Sunflowers – 20 seeds Sunflowers are a great way to add colour to your garden, and they're easy to grow and care for. | \$5.60 | | |
| Potful of Poppies – 7 grams A combination of different types of poppies that can be grown together to give an amazing colourful and easy to grow display. Three wildflower species have also been included to harmonise and blend. Height 40-80cm. Covers 7m ² | \$7.30 | | |
| GRAND TOTAL | | | \$ |

Please make payment to:

Rai Valley Area School 12-3165-0348666-000 reference : SEEDS24

Wildflowers Bee Friendly Mix

Plant wildflower seeds in your garden or patio pots to provide essential nutrition for bees.

Bees are vital for the pollination of many flowers. This mixture has been composed of flowers that are proven bee favourites in our gardens. Bees will forage on these flowers for nectar and pollen which provide carbohydrates and protein for growth and energy. Some nectar-rich bees are more capable of feeding off disease and pesticides.

fundraiser

7 grams - covers 7 square metres

seeds supplied by
Wildflower World

Summer Salad Mix

Fundraiser

Wildflower World

fundraiser

My first
flower garden
starts with
wildflower
mix

Wildflower World

Potful of Poppies

fundraiser

7 grams - covers 7 square metres

seeds supplied by
Wildflower World

Micro Greens

fundraiser

Crisp texture and fresh flavour
for gourmet salads

seeds supplied by
Wildflower World

Summer Rainbow Mix Sweet Pea

20 seeds

fundraiser

seeds supplied by
Wildflower World

Sunflowers

20 seeds

fundraiser

seeds supplied by
Wildflower World

Wildflower World

fundraiser

Asian Greens.



SCHOOL CHICKEN ORDERS 2024

Baby chicks are back! Lambs, calves, daffodils and CHICKS...Spring is a great time of the year! Orders are now being taken for this year's one day old Brown Shaver chicks. When grown these will be laying machines!



A wonderful way to get the kids out of the house and teach the importance of compassion and dedication.

- Chicks are sold in units - each unit contains 4 chicks and costs \$40 per unit.
- Orders need to be in at your school office by Wednesday 28th August-***no late entries will be accepted sorry-this is out of our control***
- A care book will be provided, and children will be expected to complete a pets diary on raising their chickens.
- Children will be able to compete at School Pets Day, Group Day and the Marlborough A+P with their chicks if they wish.
- The approximate date for hatching is Mon 2nd September.
- The approximate date they are arriving in Blenheim is Tues 3rd September and will be picked up by your school coordinator Laura, she will contact you regarding pick up closer to the time.

ORDER FORM:

Name _____

Who will be collecting _____

School _____

Telephone _____ Cell _____

Email _____

Number of units (4 chicks/unit) _____

Total paid \$ _____ Paid ____/____/2024 (\$40 per unit)

Internet Banking Only (No cash)

MBGA 03-0599-0290525-00 (PLEASE NOTE THIS IS NOT THE SCHOOLS BANK ACCOUNT NUMBER) Please put your first and last name and how many units bought as a reference



School Wide News



KEEP FIT HAVELOCK

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Pelorus Kids Creative

Clay Class

After School Programme Term 3, 2024
Tuesday Classes 3, 10, 17, 24 September (3:15 - 4:45pm)
Supper Room Havelock Town Hall (Limited Spaces Available)

Clay Class (8-12 year olds)

Taught by Renate von Petersdorff

\$85.00 per 4 week session

Email peloruskids@gmail.com for registration form

Proudly Supporting Our Pelorus Communities

& Pelorus Kids Creative



Student Absence / Buses / After School Arrangements / Students arrive late / Parent deliver or collect students

Could you please notify Pauline, when required as soon as possible, at the school office regarding above issues with a reason, either by phone (03 5716 016) and leave a message or by email (office@rai.school.nz) or personally to the office.

This allows up-to-date recorded information for emergencies.

If students are late at school or leaving during school hours:
Parents need to sign in or out at the school office.

Thank you in advance.
Pauline





Positive Relationships

Whakawhanaungatanga

Means working and playing in safe and thoughtful ways with others.

THE KIWI CAN CORNER

Positive Relationships / Whakawhanaungatanga

Positive Communication

With younger tamariki this week we're exploring more about effective ways to use active listening skills. Our older Kiwi Can kids will be working on our negotiating skills too!

Why not talk about this at home?

- ★ If we are using an 'active listening' approach what will our eyes be doing? What about our ears? Our body? Our brains?
- ★ How does actively listening affect the person we're communicating with? How does it affect *us*?
- ★ When someone gives you a compliment, what kind of feelings does it trigger? Does it feel different if the compliment feels earned or is from a person you respect?
- ★ Can you tell me about a time this week when you've worked or played with others in a positive way?



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Positive Communication

Our Kiwi Can juniors have been learning more about positive communication, using our manners and being respectful. Older tamariki have also been exploring how to give and receive positive feedback.

Some conversation starters for this week:

- ★ Who do you know that is a good listener? What makes them a positive person for you to talk to?
- ★ How can we show courtesy or good manners at home? What about when we go to the shops or the library?
- ★ What is something you could ask someone to gain a better understanding of their views and ideas?
- ★ If you were sharing your views and ideas with someone, and they responded in a negative way how would this affect you?



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**SATURDAY
21 SEPTEMBER**

**10AM – 2PM
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YOU CAN FOR CANCER



Luke, with his iconic dreadlocks, is taking a brave step by shaving his head for this remarkable cause. The pain of losing his brother Logan to cancer in 2020, when Logan was just 27, has deeply moved him to take action.

In a heartfelt pledge, Luke has promised to shave his eyebrows too if donations surpass \$15,000. Imagine the sight of Luke, completely hairless, on August 30th – a powerful symbol of his commitment and our collective support. Let's come together, dig deep, and support Luke and the Cancer Society in their fight against cancer.

To donate to Luke, please visit
 youcanforcancer.org.nz/lukeroberts





**Mainland
Football**
Marlborough



Football Sessions (5-12 year olds)

COACHES: Nicky Smith-Scott, Jemimah O'Donnell & Sophie Campbell

WHEN: 6 sessions: Thurs 25 July, Sun 28 July, Thurs 8 Aug, Sun 11 Aug, Thurs 22 Aug, Sun 25 Aug

THURS (OUTSIDE): 3.45-4.30pm
SUN (INDOOR): 10-10.45am
A&P Park **Stadium 2000**

COST: \$30
(\$5 PER SESSION)

TO REGISTER - GO TO:
www.marlboroughfootball.co.nz
> Program info > FANTAILS Girls Only Skills Sessions
Registrations close Monday 23 July

Harcourts

MARLBOROUGH KIDS DUATHLON

Sunday 20th October
BRANCOTT ESTATE VINEYARD

The Harcourts Marlborough Kids Duathlon is a multi-sport event for kids aged between 6 -18 years from all around the Marlborough region. With both short and long course options, the duathlon is all about having fun, getting out with your friends and giving it a go!



RACE
ONE

6-18 YEARS
RUN 1KM
BIKE 3KM
RUN 1KM

RACE
TWO

6-18 YEARS
RUN 2KM
BIKE 5.5KM
RUN 1KM

BEAT THE
BEAR

4-7 YEARS
500m RUN

ONLY 500 PLACES! REGISTER NOW AT

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Community News



TENNYSON INLET ISLANDS

GROUND BASED RODENT CONTROL - POISON WARNING

Vector Free Marlborough wishes to advise that a ground-based rodent control operation will be taking place to significantly reduce rodent numbers on Tawhitinui and Awaiti Islands. It is important that we reduce rodent numbers, as we work towards eradicating pests from the islands over the long term.

Description of control area

Tennyson Inlet Islands: Tawhitinui Island (22ha) and Awaiti Island (4ha) are located 2.5km east of Elaine Bay in the Marlborough Sounds and form part of the Tennyson Inlet islands group, which also includes Tarakaipā Island (not in the control operation) further south and east of Penzance Bay.

Operation date

From 14 August 2024

Poisoning methods, poison used and nature of poison

- Double Tap Pellet Bait containing Diphacinone 0.05g/kg and Cholecalciferol 0.6 g/kg in the form of a dyed green pellet bait, contained inside reusable Philproof bait stations attached to trees 100cm above the ground

General warning

The public are reminded of the danger that toxic baits pose, particularly to children and dogs.

- Follow advice stated on poison warning signs
- Do not touch poison baits or bait stations
- Do not touch poisoned rodent carcasses
- Keep children under strict supervision in the control area
- Do not let dogs eat poisoned carcasses

Warning signs will be erected at all main public entry points and the public are reminded that it is an offence to remove any of these signs. Please follow the instructions stated on the signs.

If you suspect poisoning

- Contact your local hospital, or dial 111
- National Poisons Centre 0800 POISON – 0800 764 766
- In the case of a domestic animal being poisoned, contact a local veterinarian.

For further information please contact

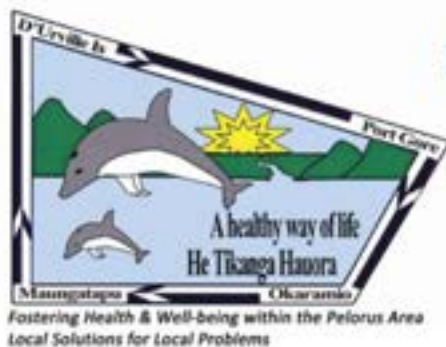
Vector Free Marlborough

Free Phone: 0508 548 008

Email: communications@vectorfree.co.nz

Website: www.vectorfree.co.nz





Pelorus Area Health Trust

What is happening in our
Pelorus Community Lounge:

Harakeke Hub

Every 2nd Tuesday of the month, 2.30-4.00pm. A chance to connect.
Just bring yourself and meet up with others for cuppa, cake and chat!!

PSUI Alzheimer's Support Day

Every Monday the Lounge is used for a group who get support, activities, morning and afternoon tea and lunch.

Cancer Society Counselling Sessions

Once a month the Cancer Society provides a counselling session for those affected by a cancer diagnosis

Hot Soup Run

Every Friday hot soup is served with a bread roll and a sweet treat, either delivered to those who would like it in their own home, or served in the Community Lounge

Community Group Meetings

Different community groups meet in the lounge on a regular basis from the local Knitters Group to the Havelock Lions

Health Drive Sessions

Different health practitioners can use the lounge to run a drive on a particular health issue whether it be a vaccination clinic or a session on elder abuse

Health & Well-being Information Centre

One corner of the lounge is dedicated to information on anything health and well-being. Pop in anytime to grab a pamphlet on a health issue that concerns you.

Drop-in for a Cuppa, a chat or some assistance

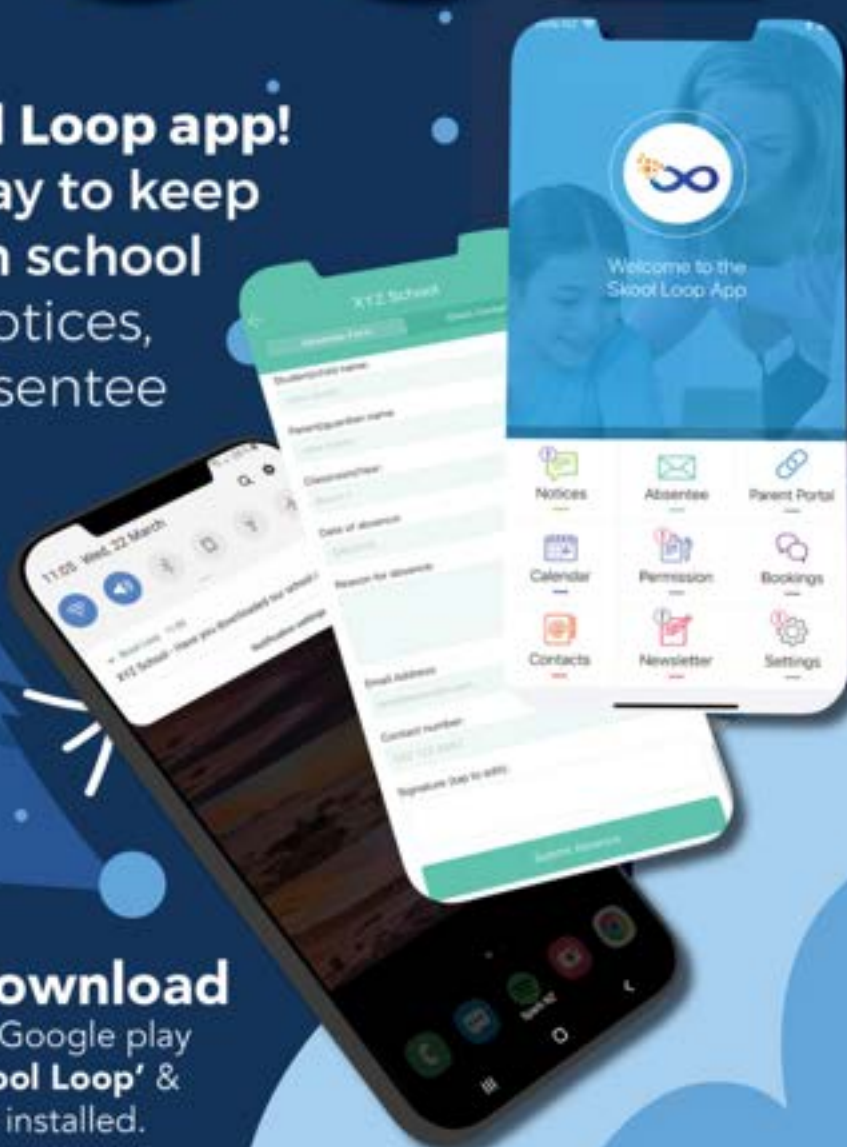
The Community Lounge is available for anyone who needs some assistance, a download or a cuppa.

Check our website www.PelorusAreaHealthTrust.co.nz for more information and like us on Facebook facebook.com/CharitableTrustHealth

We need more volunteers for our 2 Charity Shops and in our Community Lounge. Half day shifts or whole day shifts available.

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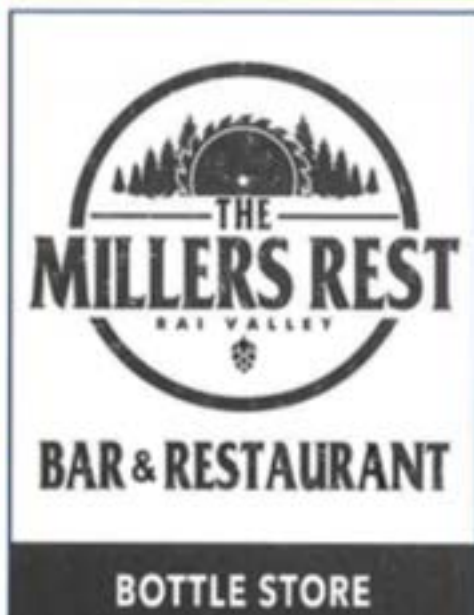
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