

Hewett House Newsletter

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Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Girls are looking forward to the long weekend. The Hostel will be closed from 5pm Friday, however Mrs Biss will stay with any girls whose parents can not make it by that time. If you are going to be later please ring Mrs Biss with an expected time of arrival.

The Hostel will be open from 1pm on Monday, not noon as noted in the last news letter. Parents will have time to have lunch with their daughter's before returning them to the Hostel.

On Friday the 12th of June at 1.30pm the Hostel will be holding a parent Forum in the recreation room of the Hostel, all parents are welcome. Your local representative will be contacting you for any feedback you may have and inviting you to attend. Afternoon tea and refreshments will be provided by the Hostel on the conclusion of the meeting.

If you do not hear from your representative you can contact them, details for your area are as follows:

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Three representatives from the Education Review Office, and invited guests, will be coming to dinner at the Hostel on Tuesday evening following the long weekend. Girls have been told that this is a formal occasion and we would appreciate tidy smart dress for dinner. Parents could you please remind your daughters to bring something appropriate from home for this occasion.

Prep will follow at the normal time and the visit will not interrupt any of the Hostel's normal routines.

Thank you to all parents who have forwarded their taxi card applications. The applications do take the taxi company time to process so please if you have not done one please find one attached.

Return your taxi application to the Hostel as soon as possible so your daughter can have a card for next term. Alternatively you daughter will have to pay cash for the taxi as the chit system is being discontinued.

Congratulations to Lucy Pullen who has made the under 17's rep. team.

Also, well done to Emma Pullen, Rebecca Manson, Briana Massie and Georgia Wedd who have been selected into the Hawkes Bay orienteering team to compete in Hamilton this weekend. We all wish them every success.

Bi. Riddell came 1st in the NZ Motorbike Cross Country, Round one Championships in Nelson. Way to go!

Finally Emma Pullen gained a merit in her Grade five speech examination. Good girl.

Enjoy your daughters this long weekend,

Varinia Larder
Hostel Manager

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Kind regards

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