

Haast School Newsletter!

Values

Mahirahira - Curiosity
Manawanui - Determination
Whakaute - Respect
Pāhekoheko - Integrity

Week 4, Term 1, 2025

Growing Individuals for the Future

Kia ora koutou,

School Surfing at Niels Beach is underway. Friday afternoons February 14, 21, 28, March 7 and 14. With thanks to the wonderful helpers we have a super safety ratio rate of 1:2.

New uniform is looking very smart and great to see the children wearing them with pride.

We have a new website that is about to go live! Hoping the link will go live by the end of the week:

www.haastschool.com

Duffy Theater came on Thursday to share the love of reading. So good to have some of the Haast Playgroup join us!

Health and PE Community Parent/Caregiver Survey 2025

To be completed by 20 March 2025 has been shared with you. **Health and Physical Education** is one of 8 Learning Areas of the New Zealand Curriculum. Health and Physical Education is guided by 4 Strands, and 7 Key Learning Areas and all schools in NZ are required to consult with their school community every two years about their Health and Physical Education programmes. Please take the time to complete this survey. It will not take long to do!

Cyndi, Jess and Ellie

Events

2025 Dates:

Term 1: 29 January - 11 April.

Athletics and Swimming Hari Hari, 10 March, postponement 11 March.

BOT meeting 26 March

Challenge Day, Haast, 28 March
Surfing at Neils Beach, Feb 14, 21, 28, March 7 and 14.

Term 2: 28 April - 27 June

Yr6-8, Rural Kids Camp, 12-17 May

BOT meeting 21 May

Crosscountry 23 May.

BOT meeting 25 June

Term 3: 14 July - 19 September

BOT meeting 20 August

School Skiing

Arts Festival, 5 September.

Term 4: 6 October- 13/19 December

BOT meetings: 15 October, 19 November and 3 December.

From the Classroom!



School Beach Water Safety and Surfing at Neils Beach



New Bikes and Helmets!

Thanks to Aimee, who through the Wellbeing fund from Te Whatu Ora got us some new bikes and helmets! We are very grateful.

A huge thank you to Jimi too for coming to help the tamariki put them together.

Caught Being Good!

Lucas

**For your DETERMINATION
Awesome to see you joining in
with your learning groups!!**



Seesaw

**For more photos, visiting experts
and your child's learning go to**

Seesaw

You can comment on your child's learning!



Macy says,
"Wear your hat and put
on sunscreen while out
in the sun!"

Our Wonderings

We are learning about the
Marine Reserves. We have
joined a 21 Day challenge with
www.youngoceanexplores.com

Scholastic Book Club!

<https://mybookclub.scholastic.co.nz/Parent/Login.aspx>

Our New Uniforms!



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