

Haast School Newsletter!

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Week 2, Term 1, 2025

Growing Individuals for the Future

Kia ora koutou,

Welcome back! We are very excited to be back at school.

Here is the year in a snapshot:

Term 1&2 Environment & Community

Term 3&4 Space Junk!

During the first two weeks we have unpacked our school values. Daily, we will reflect about how well we have worked towards achieving these values.

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Friday, 14 February, **School Surfing at Neils Beach** will start!

Thank you to those who have offered to help. The Teaching and Learning with this activity is water safety and surfing. Here is the link to the permission form with the dates if you would like it [Haast School Surfing and Water Safety](#)

Jackson Bay Celebrations: Kathryn will have the display open for us to visit before we go surfing at 1pm. We will leave the school at 12.30pm. Helpers will be messaged to arrange transportation.

This term the topic is **Gold Rush**. The children are challenged to find out more about this at home. Can you help!

Cyndi, Jess and Ellie

Events

2025 Dates:

Term 1: 29 January - 11 April

Waitangi Day 6 February

School Closed Friday 7 February

BOT meeting 11 February.

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

BOT meeting 25 March

Challenge Day, Haast, 28 March

Term 2: 28 April - 27 June

Yr6-8, Rural Kids Camp, 12-17

May

BOT meeting 20 May

Crosscountry 23 May.

BOT meeting 24 June

Term 3: 14 July - 19 September

BOT meeting 19 August

School Skiing

Arts Festival, 5 September.

Term 4: 6 October- 11/19 December

BOT meetings: 14 October,
18 November and 3 December.

From the Classroom!

Tessa made chocolate chip cookies for us!

Caught Being Good!

Macy
Showing Integrity!



The weather has been so hot!

Thank goodness we have new water play toys to cool off with!



Isla and Archie put together the new bookshelves! They used maths, technology, reading, working together and problem solving to work this out! Good job you two!

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