TE AWAMUTU COLLEGE

NEWSLETTER
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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Greetings to the Te Awamutu College Community.

- **Settled start** – I have been pleased by the settled beginning to our new school year.
  What has made it a great start?
  - positive attitude of students
  - students on time to school and all their classes
  - students wearing correct Te Awamutu College uniform
  - students having the appropriate books/gear/equipment

- Students have been accepting of the rule that there are to be no phones out in Form Class time. (Their work day has started!)
  Phones and other devices can be used for educational purposes in classes at the teacher's "say so". Indeed, as you are aware, we have introduced compulsory BYOD (Bring Your Own Devices) at Year 9 and 10 for 2018.

- A further warm welcome to our:

  - 5 new staff
    Rosemary Brandon (Mathematics & Statistics)
    Kayla Abbott (LTR English)
    Louise Longbottom (LTR English)
    Lisa Stoneham (LTR English and Drama)
    Dylan Faull (IT Technician)

  - 294 new Year 9's
  - 30 new students across other year levels
  - 6 International students

  - and a welcome back to:
    Tema Ross (LTR Health & Physical Education)
    Sarah Watson (LTR Health & Physical Education)

- **Further Staffing Updates**
  - Phillipa Lunjevich (Health and Physical Education) has resigned after 7 years and will be leaving us at the end of this term. She has contributed to a wide range of school activities and events, and will be missed.

  - Mike Graham (Learning Support Assistant) leaves us on 2 March, after almost 4 years as an LSA and prior to that as the Kapa Haka tutor, for an exciting venture in Canada. Mike has supported teaching and learning for many and been a valued colleague in so many ways.

    Kia kaha to you both.

- The school was reminded at a recent whole school assembly that we are a PB4L (Positive Behaviour for Learning) school.

  This means that we firmly believe that if students and staff are following clear behaviour expectations and rules that there will be great outcomes for teaching, learning and academic results.

  The 3 R's

  - Responsibility
  - Relationships
  - Respect

  cover all aspects of our behaviour at school.

  They guide us all in how we work together and get along. There will, of course, be rewards and consequences in place to motivate and support students.

- **Thanks to Karina Belfield**
  The Board of Trustees and staff thank Karina for her three years on the BOT, including one year as Chairperson.

  Karina has been steadfast in promoting the College and looking for ways for us to further improve and progress, in a range of areas.

  She has been an active and useful member of Board Sub-Committees:
  Student Discipline, Sports and External Fundraising Applications and Principal's Appraisal.

  Karina has also found time to be an informative and "hands on" BOT Representative on the Rogers Charitable Trust.

  Karina will not be lost to us – she and her husband Alan, continue to be active and supportive parents involved with several sports.

- **Te Awamutu College Rogers Charitable Trust**
  The Trust Farm has, through successful management of the farm, generated a donation of $75,000 to the College. We are grateful for this and it has or will be put to good use:

  - A new car has been purchased for use by the energetic and invaluable Attendance Officer, Helen Bright, in her Te Awamutu Schools' Attendance Service role.
  - New curtains/drapes and nets for the 10 "N" Block classrooms (previous curtains were at least 20 years old). These have certainly brightened and refreshed these Mathematics and Health classrooms.
  - A redevelopment of the Agricultural & Horticultural Science Compound is currently being costed and the remaining funds will go to this worthwhile project (planter and garden beds, walkways, paving, potting shed and greenhouse repairs etc).

- **Roll (as at 14/2/18)**

Yr 9	292
Yr 10	269
Yr 11	242
Yr 12	237
Yr13/14	163
	1203

  It certainly is a large Year 9 cohort this year – well ahead of Ministry of Education predictions!

- **Our school looks great**! A lot of effort and money has gone into maintaining our grounds and classrooms over the summer.

  Over the summer and during this term over $100,000 will be spent on assets to support teaching and learning and the running of the school, including:

  - 20 Drawing Tablets (Visual Arts)
  - 40 Computers (Visual Arts)
  - 15 Laptops and 16 Desk Top Computers (Library)
  - 10 Laptops (English)
  - 2 Ovens (Food Technology/Hospitality)
  - 3 Data Projectors
  - 2 Kayaks (Outdoor Education)
  - Shade Sails (Pool)
  - Chiller (Canteen)
  - "Mule" (Grounds Staff)
  - Water Blaster (Grounds Staff)
  - Bench Saw (Hard Materials Technology)
  - Curtains (Oak Café)

Staff, students and visitors are expected to look after and respect our grounds, facilities and equipment.

- Congratulations again to our **2018 Head Students**:

  - Leah Belfield
  - Adriana Vasinca
  - Dalton Hargreaves
  - Kaleb Roberts

  They all spoke passionately and wisely about their goals for 2018 and the future, at a whole school assembly.

  The **2018 Board of Trustees Student Representative** is Te Kapamanawakii Crown.
  He has recently completed a voyage with Spirit of Adventure (where he also received some training about this important role).

- Congratulations to the **2018 Student House Leaders:**

House	*Head of House*	*Deputy*
Cameron	Arnica Marshall	Maia Paki
	Phoenix Phillips	Ethan Carter
Gorst	Astra Brill	Abby Mitchell
	Sam Foster	Tiaan Van Rooyen
Melrose	Lilli Daniel	Jess Sinclair
	Tyreece O'Neill	Spencer Nelson
Selwyn	Rosie Numan	Morgan Ellis
	Paul James-Lyon	Zion Whakaruru

- **School Committees**

  Congratulations to the following student Chairpersons of our committees. The membership of these committees is strong.

Ball	Ruth Stokes
Cultural	Rosie Numan
Environment	Hayley Smith
Health	Teri Hedges
SADD	Chloe Schwass
Service	Jessica Sinclair
Sport	TBC

- Well done to the **Year 13 Camp Committee** and all 110 students who attended – feedback has been very positive. A big thanks must go to the six staff who supervised (Dave Smith, Noel Cox, Hanna Reid, Trina Roberts, Phillipa Lunjevich and Rachael Pentney) – it could also not take place without your input and support.

- **NCEA Results 2017 (Provisional – as at 19/1/18)**

  - **Level 1** – 88.7% of our eligible Year 11 students gained this important qualification. Up 7% from 2016 and **our best result ever**!

  - **Level 2** – 86.3% of our Year 12s gained this. Up 3.6% from previous year and once results are finalised should be our best result ever.

  - **Level 3** – 75.5% of those Year 13s in a position to attain Level 3 did so. Up 4.2% and our second best result ever.

  Pleasing results arose for our Māori students at all 3 Levels, up 8.8%, 5.2% and 24.1 % respectively. **Results at Levels 1 and 3 were our best ever**!

  Level 1 76.5%
  Level 2 79.2%
  Level 3 74.1%

Endorsements: it was great to see an increase in "Excellence Endorsements" at all 3 Levels and an increase in "Merit Endorsements" at Level 1 and 2.

- "Excellence" Medallions:
  136 Year 12 and 13 students will receive these this year based on our criteria of Bronze (15 – 29 NCEA Excellence Credits), Silver (30-49), Gold (50-59), Distinction (60+). Invitations and detailed information will be distributed for the Academic Excellence Evening **(Thursday 22 March, 7.00pm, Vilagrads).**

The importance of a high attendance rate remains a vital ingredient in NCEA success. That's why we have again included as part of our Annual Plan, that in order to attend a school social or ball, play in one of our sports teams or participate in a cultural activity you **must** be attending **at least** 85% of your classes.

We continually stress to students that if they continue on at school and have the right attitude and work ethic they will have more success.

Students leaving the College are, for the most part, going on to employment, training or tertiary courses.

We strive to help them reach the pathway best suited to their aspirations and needs.

Education is very much a team effort. Your involvement, encouragement and support plays a vital part.

Kia Kaha.

T. Membery

Tony Membery
Principal

ELECTIVES 2018

Electives are a 3 Day Learning Programme being held on 27 – 29 March 2018 (Week 9).

The Electives provide an opportunity for **ALL** students to engage in authentic and high personal interest activities with a range of students from all levels.

Choices being offered this year, include:

Asian Cooking	Costume Capers
Crochet and Cross Stitch	Croquet
Denim Creations	Fabulous Food for Flatting
Film Making	Fishing, Fun and More
Golf	Hiking
Mountain Biking	Scrapbooking – Creating Memories
Squash	Thrill-Seekers
Whakairo (Carving)	Woodwork Projects

Students will receive a booklet containing all necessary information for this year's choices.

Please encourage your son/daughter to participate and get involved. There are numerous opportunities to try new experiences. Staff put in a lot of thought, time and effort to plan for, supervise and run these activities.

Payments for Electives (if there is a cost) and return of permission slips are done at the Student Centre before school, interval and lunchtimes.

NOTE: Four trips or programmes will also run at this time:

1. "Business Challenge" Programme for 80 Year 11 students. Students create a product or service in groups and learn about setting up costs, distribution, marketing etc. They do a presentation for invited external judges from the business community and awards are announced. This programme has proven to be a success and highlight in previous years.
2. "Hokioi" committee – students will begin work on the 2018 edition of our school magazine.
3. Year 13 Outdoor Education Trip – Kayaking (Mr Oliver's class).
4. School Production 2018 selected cast rehearsing and crew preparing.

Students involved in these programmes have already been identified and will not select an elective.

POWHIRI 2018

JUNIOR PRIZEGIVING DECEMBER 2017

YEAR 9 CERTIFICATES

9BK

CRYSTAL BRICKLAND
First in Class — Mathematics and Statistics
Science
Effort — Digital Design and Photography

CRYSTAL BUCKLAND
First in Class — Social Studies
Effort — Science

ROMANDOW PHOTHIRATH
First in Class — English

9FT

DALLAS ALEXANDER
First in Class — Social Studies

ERIN BUTTERFIELD
First in Class — Mathematics and Statistics
Effort — Social Studies

EMILY BUTTERFIELD
First in Class — English
Digital Design and Photography
Science
Effort — Mathematics and Statistics

JARED DRABBLE
First in Class — Food Technology
Effort — Wood Technology
Science

GRACE LINDSAY
First in Class — Digital Design and Photography

MICHAEL NUMAN
First in Class — Metal Technology
Wood Technology
Effort — Health and Physical Education

SAMANTHA SEAGER
First in Class — Health and Physical Education

9HY

LUKE BURGESS
First in Class — Health and Physical Education
Effort — Wood Technology

RICK DYKSHOORN
First in Class — Food Technology
Effort — Performance Music – Drumline
Agricultural Science

ROWAN HEASLIP

First in Class	Social Studies
	Science
	Mathematics and Statistics
Effort	Performance Music – Concert Band

NGAWAINA HOHEPA

First in Class	English
Effort	Social Studies
	Health and Physical Education

9LD

LEAH ATTWOOD

First in Class	English
Effort	Health and Physical Education

COLE HADEN

First in Class	Metal Technology
Effort	Wood Technology

LOLKJE DE BOER

First in Class	Mathematics and Statistics
Effort	Outdoor Education and Environmental Action

SOPHIE GOLD

First in Class	Science
	Dance
Effort	Performance Music – Rock Band
	Social Studies
	English

MACKENZIE HARRIS

First in Class	Social Studies
	Health and Physical Education

SAM ROWE

First in Class	Mathematics and Statistics

LUKE TAYLOR-WARU

First in Class	Wood Technology

9MR

SAMUEL FITNESS

First in Class	Wood Technology

ANNA JAGER

First in Class	Outdoor Education and Environmental Action
	French
Effort	Health and Physical Education

LOGAN JOHNSTON

First in Class	Health and Physical Education
	Mathematics and Statistics

KACY MONKLEY

First in Class	English
	Social Studies
	Science
Effort	Mathematics and Statistics

9MT

TRENT BRIERLEY
First in Class Mathematics and Statistics

JORDAN DEXTER
First in Class Mathematics and Statistics
Science

LUCY GILLESPIE
First in Class Food Technology

CHARLOTTE GRAHAM
First in Class Social Studies
English
Effort Mathematics and Statistics

JASON HILL
First in Class Health and Physical Education
Effort Outdoor Education and Environmental Action
Science

9PR

JORJA BLAIR
First in Class Fabric Technology
Drama

AARON BODDIE
First in Class Performance Music – Concert Band

FIONA BRENNAN
First in Class English

ANNA CARSON
First in Subject Performance Music – Rock Band
Metal Technology
Effort Graphics and Design

BLAKE CLARKE
First in Class Outdoor Education and Environmental Action
Performance Music – Drum Line

SAMANTHA DIXON
First in Class Graphics and Design
Special Effects and Modelling
Effort Visual Art

CAITLIN FLADGATE
First in Class Business Studies
Effort Graphics and Design

MATTHEW FOX
First in Class Performance Music – Rock Band

ELINA KARPPINEN
First in Class Japanese
Mathematics and Statistics
Effort English

KEITA KOROHEKE
First in Class Te Reo Māori
Effort Food Technology

XIAN PATMORE
First in Class Outdoor Education and Environmental Action
Effort Drama

BAYLEY QUIN
First in Class Health and Physical Education
Outdoor Education and Environmental Action
Effort Science

ZOE SUTTON
First in Class Science

TORRIE TURNER
First in Class Agricultural Science

MATTHEW YARNDLEY
First in Class Graphics and Design
Social Studies
Business Studies

GEORGIA YOUNG
First in Class Graphics and Design

9PL
JACOB CHAPMAN
First in Class Mathematics and Statistics
Science
Effort Agricultural Science

ELLA CUMPSTONE
First in Class Dance
Effort Food Technology
English

ALYSIA REICHELT
First in Class Graphics and Design
English
Effort Social Studies

JENNA SINGH
First in Class Food Technology
Social Studies

STELLA TAMAKI-WHATARANGI
First in Class Health and Physical Education

MITCH ZEUREN
First in Class Digital Design and Photography

9TH
AMY KERR
First in Class Health and Physical Education
Effort Mathematics and Statistics

GRACE MURPHY
First in Class Visual Art
Effort Health and Physical Education

HARSHA RATNAM
First in Class Science
Special Effects and Modelling

SAMANTHA RUSH
First in Class Social Studies
Digital Design and Photography
Effort Outdoor Education and Environmental Action

TEGAN SHEARER
First in Class English
Effort Digital Design and Photography

9WS
HAYDEN BEARE
First in Class Health and Physical Education

ATAREIPOUNAMU CROWN
First in Class English
Effort Social Studies

JENKO RAYNER
First in Class Agricultural Science

EMMA TURNBULL
First in Class Food Technology
Social Studies
Visual Art
Science
Effort Mathematics and Statistics

MEGAN WALKER
First in Class Business Studies
Effort Science

YEAR 10 CERTIFICATES

10CI
MYA CHAITIKA
First in Class Social Studies
English
Moving Image and Special Effects
Effort Business Studies

TROY JAMES
First in Class Health and Physical Education

RUBY KIRWAN
First in Class Health and Physical Education
Sport Elite

NATHANIEL SHORT
First in Class Mathematics and Statistics
Effort Social Studies
English

MYLES TOWERS
First in Class Health and Physical Education
Effort Performance Music

10CL

JADZ BRICKLAND-WOOD

First in Class	Mathematics and Statistics
	English
Effort	Social Studies

ETHAN SICELY

First in Class	Social Studies

10DW

HAYDEN ABSALOM

First in Class	Science

KYLIE BECK

First in Class	Science

BILLIE BROWN-WAHANUI

First in Class	Graphics and Design

SARAH DENTON

First in Class	Science
Effort	Mathematics and Statistics

BERT DOWNS

First in Class	Electronics
	Science

GEMMA DYKSHOORN

First in Class	Social Studies
	English
	Health and Physical Education
	Mathematics and Statistics
	Business Studies
Effort	Visual Art

ANNUSHKA KIVELL

First in Class	Business Studies

ANTHONY MILLER

First in Class	Science

NEEVE MORRISON

First in Class	Health and Physical Education

AMY NIGHTINGALE

First in Class	Outdoor Education
	Health and Physical Education

MICHAEL STOKES

First in Class	Wood Technology

CASEY VINCENT-BOWDEN

First in Class	Science
Effort	Health and Physical Education

OKSANA VOZNYUK

First in Class	Performance Music
	Drama
	Science
Effort	English

BREE WALKER
First in Class Science
Effort Social Studies
Moving Image and Special Effects

KATE YARNDLEY
First in Class Science

10EY
LOGAN COOPER
First in Class Te Reo Māori
Social Studies

FINN McLEAN
First in Class Health and Physical Education

CHEYANNE MORRISON
First in Class Agricultural Science
Effort Health and Physical Education

OLIVIA SHORT
First in Class Science
Effort Mathematics and Statistics

ELLEN TOSSE
First in Class English

10JO
KYLAN ATKINSON
First in Class Health and Physical Education
Effort Science

PHILLIP CORBETT
First in Class Metal Technology

GEMMA HASTIE
First in Class Health and Physical Education
Effort English

CAITLIN SANDERS
First in Class English
Social Studies
Mathematics and Statistics
Effort Science

10LT
BROOKLYN CHURCH
First in Class English

TAMARA FAGAN
First in Class Food Technology

TEEGAN GULLIVER
First in Class Mathematics and Statistics
Effort Social Studies
Science

MADISON REID
First in Class Mathematics and Statistics
Effort English

ISABELLA WALKER
First in Class Social Studies

10PD
KIANI BALLARD
First in Class Food Technology

OLIVER CORLETT
First in Class Mathematics and Statistics

CAMRYN PARKES
First in Class English
Outdoor Education
Sports Elite
Effort Health and Physical Education

OLIVIA RAWLINGS
First in Class Social Studies
Effort English

10SH
TANESHA SWINTON
First in Class English
Social Studies
Effort Science

10SR
KATERINA AMITUANAI
First in Class Dance
Effort Social Studies

JESSICA CULLEN
First in Class Visual Art
Social Studies
English
Effort Science

HANNAH DALE
First in Class Food Technology

MONIQUE GAMBLE
First in Class Fabric Technology
Effort Mathematics and Statistics
Digital Technologies

ALEX YOUNG
First in Class Mathematics and Statistics

10TD
REUBEN FOX
First in Class Mathematics and Statistics

LIAM LABUSCHAGNE
First in Class Mathematics and Statistics
Digital Technologies
Effort English

NIKYLA MIEZENBEEK
First in Class Social Studies
Health and Physical Education

BELLA-MARIA VANIN
First in Class English

JACK WOOLLASON
First in Class Digital Technologies

TE AWAMUTU COLLEGE JUNIOR SCIENCE FAIR AWARDS

Science Invention Category
1st Place
Bert Downs PICAXE accelerometer motion control system

2nd Place
Bert Downs, Nathaniel Short, Liam Labuschagne. Super Shoe Power

Both of these went on to win the Highly Commended Awards at the Waikato Science Fair.

Science Photography
1st Place
Anna Carson Strawberry Crush

2nd Place
Bayley Quin Dahlia and Danelion

3rd Place
Zanthe White Thistle

Science Investigation
1st Place
Aaron Boddie Operation Evaporation

2nd Place
Elina Karppinen Is your Heart Burning?

3rd Place
Keita Koroheke, Dawna Dragovich and Caitlin Fladgate Popping Points

Special Award for Excellence in Science
ICAS Science Competition – High Distinction: In the top 1% of New Zealand
Bert Downs

SPECIAL AND CULTURAL AWARDS:

Te Awamutu College Drama Department Award for Outstanding Performance by a Junior in a production
GEMMA HASTIE

The Oosterman Family Junior Music Award – Outstanding Junior Musician
OKSANA VOZNYUK

Mad Cow Drum Prize – Outstanding Junior Drummer
AARON BODDIE

The Cameron Olsen Trophy for Outstanding Junior Guitarist
BRIANNA FRIIS

Junior Speech Final
First Place
TI HASLAM

Second Place
ELLEN TOSSE

Third Place
OKSANA VOZNYUK

Te Awamutu College Trophy: Most Improved Member of Kapa Haka
KEATON HAERENOA

Te Kotahitanga Award for Excellence in Engagement and Participation in Class
Year 9: LUKE TAYLOR-WARU
Year 10: ANIKA BAILEY

Junior Beep Test Champions
Year 9:

Mackenzie Harris	11.11
Luke Burgess	14.3

Year 10:

Ruby Kirwan	12.5
Samuel Harris	13.5

SPORTS AWARDS

Most Outstanding Junior Netball Player
KATERINA AMITUANAI

Waipa Netball Umpires Trophy
BILLIE BROWN-WAHANUI

Te Awamutu College Trophy – Junior Boys; Swimming Champion
Te Awamutu College Trophy – Junior Boys' Athletic Champion
Nolan Cup – Junior Boys' Cross Country
LUKE BURGESS

Nolan Cup – Junior Girls' Cross Country
SAMANTHA DIXON

Te Awamutu College Trophy – Junior Girls' Athletic Champion
CAITLIN FLADGATE

Best Under 55kg Rugby Player
SAMUEL HARRIS

Best Under 15 Rugby Player
TROY JAMES

Te Awamutu College Trophy – Junior Girls' Swimming Champion
AMY KERR

Cotterell Cup – Intermediate Girls' Cross Country
RUBY KIRWAN

Most Outstanding Year 9 Netball Player
KEITA KOROHEKE

Best Under 14 Rugby Player
CRAIG SCOTT

Sports Excellence Badges
Tennis - WSS Titleholder Girls' Doubles
KYLIE BECK

Small-bore Rifle Shooting
COLE HADEN

Judo
DIADRE HERRICK

Touch – Zone Regional Qualifying Team
JAEDYN ROBERTS

Equestrian – NISS Show Hunter Champions
TANESHA SWINTON

Rugby – Waikato Under 18 Girls'
OPAL THOMSON

Touch – Zone Regional Qualifying Team
DONALD TONIHI

Equestrian – NISS Show Hunter Champions
GEORGIA YOUNG

Junior Sports Achiever of the Year
DIADRE HERRICK

Diadre Herrick's dedication to learning the sport of Judo has seen him earn National titles in both Australia and New Zealand. He is without peer both sides of the Tasman in his age and weight group. He won all three fights at the 2017 Harry O'Rourke New Zealand Judo Championships in Wellington to claim the under 50kg Senior Boys' 12-14 years title, beating an opponent from Whakatane with an ippon in the final. Congratulations Diadre.

MAJOR SCHOOL AWARDS

2002 saw the introduction of a Cup for our Year 9 and 10 Dux to rightfully recognise the students who have topped their year level academically.

15 years have left them looking quite tarnished. So, this combined with the completion of 34 years' service at Te Awamutu College, including the last 10 as Principal, sees the introduction in 2017 of the T V Membery Cups for Year 9 and 10 Dux.

The worthy recipients receive not only a big shiny brand new cup to keep for a year but also a financial reward courtesy of Vetora.

Year 9 Dux 2017 (Sponsored by Vetora)
MATTHEW YARNDLEY

Year 10 Dux 2017 (Sponsored by Vetora)
GEMMA DYKSHOORN

JUNIOR PRIZEGIVING 2017

STUDENT CENTRE

Hours – 8.00am – 4.30pm

The Student Centre is open during the above hours for:

- payments of fees
- passing messages on to your students in emergencies
- dropping off gear for your student to pick up during their breaks
- secure locked cupboard, closed at 8.45am then reopened at 3.15pm (items left at own risk)
- picking your student up from the Health Clinic
- collecting confiscated items

If you have an appointment to see your student's Year Level Dean you will find their offices in the Student Centre.

Passes – If your student needs to leave at any time throughout the day, make sure they have a note or an appointment card which they then need to take to the Dean at Form Time to receive a pass. Remember students – to check in at Form Class first before you go to the Student Centre for your pass.

Where are we? – walk straight down the driveway past the Uniform Shop, and turn **right**.

ABSENCE FROM SCHOOL

Please communicate with us regarding your child's absence from school:

- Phone the Student Centre 871-4199 (Press 1)
- Email us at *absentees@tac.school.nz*
- Make sure students have a note or appointment card when needing to obtain a "Leave Pass" to leave school during the day. They need to take this to the Dean at Form Time to receive a pass.

If you receive an absence alert (text message or e-mail), please get in touch with us. For all absences the Ministry of Education requires a satisfactory explanation/reason to be provided as to why a child is absent.

SPORTS

Sports

Meetings have already taken place in preparing for Junior Girls Volleyball, Boys and Girls Cricket teams, Wednesday Tennis competition, Senior Boys and Girls Volleyball, Clay Target shooting and Netball. Any student who has missed these and still wants to be involved, see Mr Bain. Lacrosse and Junior Boys Basketball will call meetings soon.

The Inter-House Swimming and Athletic sports will be followed by King Country competition early in March and Waikato competition later in the month.

Winter Sports Coaches and Managers

Some Winter codes are already preparing to get into pre-season mode or very close to getting their teams together. The College depends on parent and family support to fill many team Coach/Manager roles. If you are at all interested, please contact the Director of Sport, Keith Bain, email kbain@tac.school.nz or phone the College 871 4199 ext 237.

STUDENT SPORTING SUCCESS

Known sporting successes over the holidays and start of term.

Waikato Under 18 Mixed Touch

Arnica Marshall
Maria Muraahi

Winners of Gold at National Championships

New Zealand Under 16 Touch Team To Tour Australia

Donald Tonihi

SPORTS CONTACT LIST 2018

Sport	Contact	Position	Email / Facebook / Webpage	Phone
Athletics	Murray Green	Coach	teawamutu@paperplus.co.nz	
Basketball	Anna Wetere	Secretary	annawetere@xtra.co.nz https://www.facebook.com/TACBasketball/	870 2291
Cricket Boys	Ken Seabright	Coach	kbain@tac.school.nz	871 4199 (ext 237)
Cricket Girls	Natalie Maurice	Manager	nmaurice@tac.school.nz	871 4199 (ext 238)
Cross Country	Murray Green	Coach	teawamutu@paperplus.co.nz	871 5257
Equestrian	Keith Bain	Teacher I/C	kbain@tac.school.nz	871 4199 (ext 230)
Football	Sheryll Whitt	Secretary	sheryllwhitt@gmail.com	871 5085
Golf	Daniel Powell	Coach	dpowell@tac.school.nz	871 4199 (ext 206)
Hockey	Will Cawkwell	Boys Coach	wcawkwell@tac.school.nz	871 4199 (ext 305)
	Gareth du Plessis	Coach	kiwiinsa@gmail.com	
	Emma Yarndley	Girls Coach	emma.yarndley@outlook.co.nz	027 919 7664
Ki O Rahi	Natalie Maurice	Teacher I/C	nmaurice@tac.school.nz	871 4199 (ext 238)
Lacrosse	Ursula Johnson	Coach	ujohnson@tac.school.nz	871 4199 (ext 318)
Mountain Biking	Brett Leong	Teacher I/C	bleong@tac.school.nz	871 4199 (ext 323)
Netball	Jo Doig	Chairperson	joannebrucedoig@gmail.com	
	Taylor Hunter	Teacher I/C	thunter@tac.school.nz	871 4199 (ext 210)
Rowing	Ann Edmondson	Secretary	teawamuturowing@gmail.com	
		Rowing Club Links	https://www.sporty.co.nz/teawamuturowing https://www.facebook.com/teawamuturowing	
Rugby	Cameron Stapleton	Chairperson	cstapleton@tac.school.nz	871 4199 (ext 258)
	Alan Belfield	Girls	a.belfield@xtra.co.nz	
	Sheree Easterbrook	Club Secretary	tacrugby@outlook.com	
		Rugby Club links	https://www.sporty.co.nz/teawamutucol https://facebook.com/teawamutucollegerugby/	
Sailing	Dave Smith	Teacher I/C	djsmith@tac.school.nz	871 4199 (ext 259)
Shooting	James Saunders	Teacher I/C	jsaunders@tac.school.nz	871 4199 (ext 338)
Skiing	Malcolm Haig	Teacher I/C	mhaig@tac.school.nz	871 4199 (ext 316)
Snowboarding	Malcolm Haig	Teacher I/C	mhaig@tac.school.nz	871 4199 (ext 316)
Swimming	Keith Bain	Teacher I/C	plunjevich@tac.school.nz	871 4199 (ext 324)
Tennis	Warren Beck	Girls Coach	wsbeck@woosh.co.nz	
	Trina Roberts	Teacher I/C	troberts@tac.school.nz	871 4199 (ext 312)
Touch	Keith Bain	Teacher I/C	kbain@tac.school.nz	871 4199 (ext 237)
Volleyball	Keith Bain	Teacher I/C	kbain@tac.school.nz	871 4199 (ext 237)
Waka Ama	Maria Rauhihi	Teacher I/C	mrauhihi@tac.school.nz	871 4199 (ext 334)

All other sports: Keith Bain, Director of Sport kbain@tac.school.nz or (07) 871 4199 (Ext 237)

HEALTH CENTRE

Hours 9.45am-3.15pm
Phone 871 4199 ext 248

The Health Centre is available to all students at interval and lunchtimes. It is run by a registered nurse between the hours of 9.45am – 3.45pm. Students may visit the Health Centre at other times with a permission slip from their teacher if urgent attention is needed. The school nurse is here to help. We are able to provide ongoing care at school e.g. wound dressings. If you have seen your GP and require ongoing care please bring your ACC number from your clinic. If your child is recovering from surgery or has on-going health problems which may affect their performance at school please keep us informed. We are happy to assist.

Unwell at School
Please go to the Health Centre and the nurse will help you, they will arrange for you to go home if needed.
Please do not text parents directly as this often causes confusion when it comes to signing out or accounting for absences.

Contact Details
Please inform the Student Centre of changes to your home, work or mobile telephone numbers. If your child is injured or unwell at school, we can only send them home with people who are named on the database so it is important that you have an emergency contact.

School Doctor Service
A GP is available for appointments at school. This service is provided by Pinnacle GP network and funded by the Waikato District Health Board. This is a confidential service that students can access **free** of charge by making an appointment with the school nurse. Students are encouraged to inform their parents if they are seeing the school Doctor, on occasions they may be referred back to their own GP if there is a chronic or on-going problem.

Physio
Paul from SOAR Physio is available on Tuesday and Friday. Appointments can be made through the nurse.

Dental Health
This is **free** to all students until the age of 18. Further information is available at the Health Centre or at the town dentists. Annual check-ups are strongly recommended.

Local Dentists

Dental on Mahoe	Mahoe Street
Lumino Dentist	Market Street
Paul Kay Dental	Albert Park Drive

If you child has been unwell at home please check the Infectious Diseases page.

Infectious Diseases

The following guideline has been adapted from the Ministry of Health resource to protect students and staff at Te Awamutu College.
If you are unsure of what to do please feel free to call the Health Centre 871 4199 ext 215

Disease/Infection	***Time between exposure & sickness***	***The disease is spread by.....***	***Early signs***	***How long is the child infectious***	***Exclusion from School***
Influenza	1-3 days	Coughing sneezing and direct contact with respiratory droplets.	Sudden onset of fever with cough sore throat muscular aches and headache.	From 1-2 days before illness, up to 7 days	Restrict contact activities until well.
Vomiting & Diarrhoea	1-7 days	From food or water that is contaminated or by direct contact with infected person.			Until well with no diarrhoea or vomiting for 24 hours.
Scabies	Days - weeks	Direct skin contact with the infected person, sharing sheets & clothes.	Itchy rash in places such as forearm, around waist between fingers, buttock and under arm pits.	24 hours after treatment is started	24 hours after treatment is started.
Ring worm	10-14 days	Contact with infected person's skin or their clothes or personal items. Also through contaminated floors and shower stalls.	Flat spreading ring shaped lesions.	While lesions are present and while fungus persist on contaminated material.	Restrict contact activities e.g. gym & swimming until lesions clear.
School Sores (impetigo)	Usually 7-10 days	Direct contact with discharge from infected skin.	Scabby sores on exposed parts of body.	Until 24 hours after treatment with antibiotics or until sores healed.	Until 24 hours after treatment with antibiotics, or as advised by GP.
Conjunctivitis	24-72 hours	Direct contact with discharge from eyes or items that are contaminated with discharge	Irritation	While there is discharge from the eyes.	Until eye discharge has stopped.

YEAR 13 CAMP

Year 13 Camp 2018 was an unforgettable trial of endurance, leadership and stamina throughout. Days filled to the brim with activities kept us on our toes and constantly busy in the best way possible. The first day we began this amazing trip with the entire year group travelling by buses and vans to Tui Ridge, a few kilometres outside of Rotorua. Along the way we stopped in Tirau for lunch, bombarding the town with a horde of hungry teens. Our arrival at Tui Ridge was followed by a walk around the grounds so we could get our bearings. After this we were thrown directly into the thick of what this camp would expect of us. We were split into groups, deliberately randomised to the fullest, and within these groups we had to conquer activities including but not limited to, sack racing, apple bobbing, and constructing a human pyramid. Trying to rack up points for our groups we had to make friends out of almost strangers and work together to come out victorious. As expected after this busy day we all absolutely devoured the amazing dinner of vegetarian lasagne, seconds were a must. Dinner was followed by a quiz, again in our groups, which spanned a large range of diverse topics. Then came the imminent collapse into bed, ready for the next day.

Day Two saw us back in our groups after a quick breakfast, and a quick run for the athletes who went out early to run down the 4km driveway. The day's plans had us all tackling numerous activities in rotation. These activities included flying fox, bubble soccer, softball, archery, orienteering, high ropes and the giant swing. High adrenaline and competitive activities encouraged teamwork and trust among groups, laughter and cheers of encouragement were plentiful. After another fabulous dinner of butter chicken, with chocolate self-saucing pudding, we began the pageant portion of the evening. Mr and Mrs TAC, where two lovely contestants from each group are covered in a newspaper outfit and walk/dance themselves down a runway, to the amusement and wolf-whistles of their peers. Each group was given a country as their theme, therefore the outfits created ranged from queens to mummies and Māori warriors to geishas. The outfits made were truly stunning, creative and artfully made and the contestants did them justice as they paraded down the catwalk. However, there must be a winner, and the winner was Group 7 with their outfit based on New Zealand, there may be a little bias there. After such a packed day we still had one more activity to go, a Burma trail. Walking through the bush in the dark is terrifying enough, but hearing the frightened screams of the classmates that went before you added a whole new element of terror. Another collapse into bed was had after such a packed rollercoaster of a day.

Day Three it rained. Therefore there had to be a slight change in plans for the day's activities. We started with breakfast and a pack up of our things and then we donned House colours. It was Inter-House competition time and the competitiveness of everyone at the camp was close to it's peak. Flags and balloons were flying over the two inside competitions, in which we got closer to the people in our House than ever before. Then came the big guns, obstacle course and tug of war in the rain. As Houses we came together and helped one another through it, either physically or through cheering. We were a force of nature and even though we were all in competition we came together as a year level more than anything. This especially showed in our farewell and thank you haka to the Tui Ridge staff, which was truly goose bump inducing. Thank you to the teachers who came with us and helped us through it all, as well as the Camp Committee who had a huge hand in organising the events. We all came together in the end because of this and it was amazing.

Adriana Vasinca – Camp Committee 2018

WAIKATO UNIVERSITY GRADUATES

Former students who have graduated from Waikato University between 1 June 2017 and 31 December 2017.

	Last Secondary Year	Qualification	Level of Honours
Daryl Macdonald	1978	Doctor of Philosophy	
Linda Dowling	1981	Master of Educational Leadership	First Class Honours
Chris Bryant	1983	Master of Counselling	Second Class Honours (First Division)
Margaret Aull	1998	Postgraduate Diploma in Management Studies	
Michelle Oldfield	1999	Bachelor of Business Analysis	
Sukhjeet Singh	2003	Bachelor of Science	
Krystal Taiapa	2004	Bachelor of Arts	
Nathan Bunn	2006	Bachelor of Science	
Elizabeth Rushbrooke	2008	Bachelor of Entrepreneurship	
Wai Grant	2010	Bachelor of Media and Creative Technologies with Honours	First Class Honours
Luke Paerata	2010	Bachelor of Laws	
Rebecca Pay	2010	Master of Arts	
Jae Vincent	2011	Bachelor of Business Analysis	
Angharad Williams	2012	Certificate of University Preparation	
Bayley McOnie	2013	Bachelor of Teaching - Primary	
Jed Simson	2013	Bachelor of Computing and Mathematical Sciences with Honours	First Class Honours
Georgia Watts	2013	Bachelor of Laws	
Alana Corbett	2014	Bachelor of Media and Creative Technologies	
Karl Taylor	2014	Bachelor of Health, Sport and Human Performance	
Norval Tristan	2014	Certificate of University Preparation	
Divine Shortland	2014	Certificate of University Preparation	

Junior Health and Physical Education 2018

Term	Year 9	Year 10
1	Water Safety S.M.A.R.T. Fit Athletics Preparation *Hauora and FRIENDS*	Water Safety S.M.A.R.T. Fit Athletics Preparation *Hauora*
2	The Science of Movement *Discovery*	The Science of Movement *The Road*
3	Move to Improve S.M.A.R.T. Fit *Border Patrol*	Move to Improve S.M.A.R.T. Fit *Drug Free World*
4	PAC *My Veges Ate My Homework*	IPS *Body Confidence & It's about MANA*

Our Year 9 FRIENDS Youth is a programme designed to build young people's self-esteem and resilience by teaching them practical skills to cope with life's challenges.

The Prime Minister's Youth Mental Health Project identified My FRIENDS Youth as being effective in improving wellbeing and reducing anxiety and depression. It helps young people develop emotional skills and coping strategies and improves their capacity to learn.

- As per the school policy, each student is expected to wear the full Te Awamutu College Junior Physical Education uniform during all PE classes and attempt every task to the best of their ability. Uniforms can be purchased from the School Uniform Shop.
- It is strongly recommended that all students name their uniform and personal equipment.
- Junior HPE workbooks are allocated to every student as part of our course fee.

If you have any questions or contributions, please do not hesitate to contact the Health and Physical Education Department.

You can also keep up to date with what is going on in HPE at https://www.facebook.com/pehealthtac

Thank you.

Ms Natalie Maurice
HOD HPE
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Mr Keith Bain
Assistant HOD HPE
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Ms Marielle Tonar
TIC Junior Health
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STUDENT DIARIES

Years 9 –11 students have been issued with a free Student Diary (ask to see it).
Thanks to local businesses and organisations that helped make this possible by their advertising.
Thanks to Kayla Smith for the fantastic cover artwork.
This Diary should be used by students to record:

- A copy of their timetable
- Homework details
- Dates of upcoming tests, assignments due etc
- Credits gained (Year 11)
- Equipment / gear / ingredients required to be brought to school.
- Upcoming events.

It also contains some useful information about the College.

STUDENT CARS

Any student wishing to drive a car/scooter to school must collect a Vehicle Authorisation Form from the Student Centre. This is to be signed by parent/caregiver and returned to the Student Centre. These vehicles must be parked in Tawhiao or Mahoe Streets. Students are **not to park** their cars on Leith or North Streets due to safety reasons concerning the buses.

A new **Vehicle Authorisation Form** must be completed each year and handed in to the Student Centre.

UNIFORM

- School beanies ($22.00) and caps/hats ($17.50) are available from the Uniform Shop.
- Any student wearing Roman sandals **must** wear the back straps.
  (***scuffs, slip-ons, jandals are not sandals)***
- Shoes are to be black leather **school** shoes. (Boys' shoes must also be lace-up).
- Any singlet / T-Shirt worn underneath shirts or blouses must be **white** in colour and tucked in.
- Please support us with the wearing of correct **TE AWAMUTU COLLEGE UNIFORM.**

UNIFORM SHOP HOURS – TERM 1

- **Tuesday (Lunchtime) 1:30pm – 2:10pm**
- **Wednesday (Interval) 11:00am – 11:30am**
- **Thursday (Lunchtime) 1:30pm – 2:10pm**

Te Awamutu College
Regulation Shoes

Plain black with no extra colour, decoration or labelling.
Shoes must be able to be polished.

Standard Black Leather Lace up School Shoes

Plain Black Leather Ballet Shoes, girls only

Black Roman Sandals

Black Leather Shoes with One Band Over the Top

Standard Black Leather Slip on Shoes

Non Regulation Shoes

The following assortment of shoes are NOT compliant with our school uniform regulations.

Slave Sandals

Ballet Shoes with Buckles

Jandals

Black canvas or Suede

Black Slippers

Black Sports/Skate Shoes

TE AWAMUTU COLLEGE

UNIFORM PRICE LIST
2018

Eftpos - Visa & MasterCard, No Cash out

Prices are subject to change without prior notice.

All prices are GST inclusive.

Opening Hours: Feb – Nov **Tues & Thurs** **1.30-2.10pm**
Wed **11am-11.30am**

YEAR 9, YEAR 10, YEAR 11 - BOYS

Navy Shorts

Size	12,14,16	76,80,84,88cm	92,96, 100cm	104,108,112cm
	$**36.00**	**$37.20**	**$39.80**	**$41.50**

Grey Shirt

Size	10,12,14	Sml, Med, Lge	1XL,2XL,3XL	4XL, 5XL,6XL+
	$39.00	**$40.20**	**$42.00**	**$44.40**

Navy School Socks **$8.90 pair**

YEAR 9, YEAR 10, YEAR 11 - GIRLS

Navy Skirt

Size	57,62,67,72cm	77,82,87cm	92,97,102,107cm	112-127cm
	$64.90	**$68.60**	**$69.70**	**$73.40**

Grey Blouse

Size	6	8,10,12,14W	16,18,20W	22,24,26W	28,30W
	$36.70	**$38.70**	**$39.70**	**$40.70**	**$41.70**

Under Knee Black Socks **$7.00 pair**
Under Knee Black Socks **$15.50 3 pair pack**
Black Crop Sock **$13.50 3 pair pack**
Black Tights **$9.00**

YEAR 12, YEAR 13 - BOYS

Grey Trousers

Size	14	76,80,84,88cm	92,96,100cm	104,108,112cm +
	$59.70	**$61.30**	**$63.10**	**$64.90**

White Shirt

Size	14	Sml, Med, Lge	1XL,2XL,3XL,	4XL,5XL,6XL+
	$56.50	**$59.50**	**$62.20**	**$64.90**

Black Socks **(2 pair pack)** **$11.00**

YEAR 12, YEAR 13 - GIRLS

Grey Skirt

Size	57,62,67,72 cm	77,82,87 cm	92,97,102,107cm	112cm +
	$77.40	**$80.40**	**$83.60**	**$86.80**

White Blouse

Size	8,10,12,14 W	16,18,20W	22,24,26W	28,30W
	$50.70	**$52.40**	**$54.20**	**$56.20**

Under Knee Black Socks	**$7.00 pair**
Under Knee Black Socks	**$15.00 3 pair pack**
Black Tights	**$9.00**

ALL STUDENTS REQUIRE

Long Sleeve Jersey

82cm	87cm	92cm	97cm	102cm
$70.00	**$71.00**	**$75.50**	**$77.20**	**$81.50**

107cm	112cm	117cm	122cm	127cm
$82.40	**$87.60**	**$91.00**	**$92.10**	**$94.00**

or

Sleeveless Jersey - Senior Students

82cm	87cm	92cm	97cm
$56.40	**$58.20**	**$60.50**	**$60.90**

102cm	107cm	112cm
$63.50	**$64.10**	**$64.60**

YEAR 9/10

PE Shorts	**$26.20**
PE T-Shirt	**$28.30**

SPORTS TEAMS

Team Sports Shorts (navy)	**$35.30**
Team Sports Socks	**$17.70**

OPTIONAL

Navy/Grey/White School Jacket	**$130.00**
Casual Jacket	**$130.00 - Year 12/13 Students**
Tie	**$ 24.50 - Year 12/13 Students**
Scarf	**$ 22.00**
Cap	**$ 17.50**
Bucket Hat	**$ 17.50**
Beanie	**$ 22.00**
Umbrella	**$ 16.50**

TE AWAMUTU COLLEGE CANTEEN

"THE SNACK SHACK"

2018

HOT FOOD

Mince & Cheese Pie	$2.00
Mince Pie	$2.00
Steak & Cheese Pie	$2.00
Bacon & Egg pie	$2.00

TOASTIES

Ham & cheese	$1.70
Ham pineapple & cheese	$1.90
American Hotdog	$2.00
Fish Burger	$2.00
Chicken Burger	$2.50
Texas BBQ Riblet Burger	$3.00
Nachos- mince, sour cream, and cheese.	$3.70

WINTER WARMERS

Hot chocolate	$1.50
Mochaccino (seniors only)	$1.50
Noodles	$2.00
Garlic bread	$1.00
Sushi From	$3.90

COLD FOOD

Filled Rolls (Chick/Ham)	$2.40
Sandwiches	$2.40

CONFECTIONERY

Raspberry Super Twist	$0.90
Peanut Slab	$1.50
Fresh Fruit – seasonal selection	$0.50

ICEBLOCKS

Juicies	$1.00
Moosies	$1.20
Jelly Shots	$0.20

Canteen will be open for business from 8:00am daily.
A good time to order your lunch & have a hot chocolate to start your day.

BAKED GOODS

Cookies	$1.00
Donuts - Twist	$2.50
Donuts - Snail	$2.50

DRINKS

Mineral Water	$1.50
Primo- choc,straw,ban **350ml**	$2.30
Primo-choc,straw,lime **600ml**	$3.30
Fresh up- 4 flavours 1LT	$3.20
Ribena 1LT	$3.20
Ribena 250ml	$1.70
Fizzi – range of drinks 1.5LT (99% sugar free)	$2.00
Coke Zero cans	$1.50
Pepsi Max cans	$1.50
Classic diet Cola cans	$1.20
Spree diet lemonade cans	$1.20
Charles Sugar Free Lemon or Mango/ Orange	$2.00 $2.00

Lunches: noodles, garlic bread, burgers, toasties, nachos, hotdogs, need to be ordered no later than 11:20am - so you won't miss out

TERM 1 CALENDAR 2018

WEEK 4

Monday 19 February	**Class, ID, Portrait Photos**
Tuesday 20 February	**Staff Photo, Yr 13 Photo**
	Noho 9TA
Wednesday 21 February	Inter-House Swimming
	Period 4 Form Class
	Noho 9KI
Thursday 22 February	"Headz Up" (Head Students)
	Yr 9 Deans/Form Teachers/Parents Evening - 7.30pm Staffroom
	Noho 9CL
Friday 23 February	**Inter-House Athletics (Te Awamutu Stadium)**

WEEK 5

Monday 26 February	2ESS Space Museum
	3SRS Surfing (a)
	1OED 1st Aid (a)
	1BIO Waitomo
	Noho 9SA
Tuesday 27 February	Pd 4 Massey University
	3SRS Surfing (b)
	1OED 1st Aid (a)
	3SSC Soccer Assessment (+ 3 x Yr 9 classes) (Pd 3 & 4)
	Noho 9HG
Wednesday – 28 February	2BIO Kawhia
	3SRS Surfing (c)
	Junior Assembly – Pd 4
	Senior Deans' Assemblies – Pd 4
	1OED 1st Aid (b)
	Noho 9RI
	BOT 6.00pm (Staffroom)
Thursday 1 March	1OED 1st Aid (b)
	Noho 9BD
	NCEA Info Evening - 7.30pm Staffroom
Friday 2 March	King Country Zone Swimming

WEEK 6

Monday 5 March	9OEE Adrenaline Forest (a)
	Noho 9AD
Tuesday 6 March	King Country Zone Athletics
	Special Olympics swimming
	Noho 9SY
Wednesday 7 March	Junior Assembly – Pd 4
	Senior Deans' Assemblies – Pd 4
	Noho 9KA
Thursday 8 March	3GEO Rotorua (2 days)
Friday 9 March	AUT Pd 2 (Yr 13)
	9OEE Adrenaline Forest (b)
Sunday 11 March	WSS Touch

WEEK 7

Monday 12 March	1/2/3MRI Poukai (RI)
Tuesday 13 March	WSS Tennis
Tuesday 13 March – Friday 16 March	Art: Wellington
Wednesday 14 March	Senior Assembly – Pd 4
	Junior Deans' Assemblies – Pd 4
Friday 15 March	Summer Sport Photos
	Profile Reports issued – 3.10pm

WEEK 8

Monday 19 March	10OED RC (a)
Tuesday 20 March	WSS Golf
	10OED RC (b)
Wednesday 21 March	2ESS Waitomo
	Senior Top Class Competition – Pd 4
	Junior: Form Class – Pd 4
Thursday 22 March	Academic Excellence Evening – 7pm Vilagrad
Thursday 22 March – Friday 23 March	1OED Kayaking
Saturday 24 March	WBOP Athletics
Sunday 25 March	3OED Kayak (5 days)

WEEK 9

Monday 26 March – Thurs 29 March	3OED Kayak (5 days)
Tuesday 27 March – Thurs 29 March	BP Business Challenge and Electives
Wednesday 28 March	BOT 6.30pm (Staffroom)
Friday 30 March	**GOOD FRIDAY**

WEEK 10

Monday 2 April	**EASTER MONDAY**
Tuesday 3 April	**EASTER TUESDAY**
Wednesday 4 April	Junior Assembly – Pd 4
	Senior Deans' Assemblies – Pd 4
Friday 6 April	ICS Boards due (Judging)

WEEK 11

Monday 9 April	Inter-House Softball
Tuesday 10 April	WSS Swimming
	2OED Kayak (b) (3 days)
	1SCG Prac (Physics)
	Pd 2 ICS Assembly (Yr 9)
Wednesday 11 April	WBOP Mountain Biking
	Pd 4 Jnr Top Class Comp
	Senior Form Class
Thursday 12 April	Lunch-'winning' Yr 9 ICS
Friday 13 April	**TERM 1 ENDS**

TERMS / DATES 2018

Term 1:	Tuesday 30 January – Friday 13 April (11 weeks)
Term 2:	Monday 30 April – Friday 6 July (10 weeks)
Term 3:	Monday 23 July – Friday 28 September (10 weeks)
Term 4:	Monday 15 October – Friday 7 December (8 weeks)
Easter	Good Friday 30 March (Term 1) Easter Monday 2 April (Term 1) Easter Tuesday 3 April (Term 1)
Anzac Day	Wednesday 25 April (Holidays)
Queen's Birthday	Monday 4 June (Term 2)
Labour Day	Monday 22 October (Term 4)

COMMUNITY NOTICES

PIRONGIA SCHOOL FAIR
Friday 2nd March 4.00pm – 7.30pm
Pirongia Primary School, 100 Beechey St.

Celebrate with Pirongia School and the community at the biennial school fair. Featuring classic old style stalls run by the students to challenge and entertain all the family. There will be lots of games to play, animals to pet at the famous petting zoo, rides on tractors, ponies and fire engines, raffles, hot food, cold drinks, sweet stalls, auctions and much more. Fun for all the family!! Proceeds go towards the new school playground upgrade. Cash only – cash out facilities available.

soar physio

COLLEGE CLINIC BACK UP AND RUNNING

Tuesdays and Fridays 11am-12.30pm
in Student Health Centre
Book with Nurse Maureen in Student Health Centre
ACC consults $10.00, non-ACC $60.00
No referral needed
We can initiate ACC claims

ASB

Supporting success in your school.

If you are a parent, staff member or member of the school community and you draw down a new ASB home loan of $250,000 or more, ASB will donate to your chosen participating school:

$500

ASB lending criteria and terms apply. Fees may apply. To be eligible for this donation your new home loan application must be received, approved and then documented in a facility agreement, along with the completion of a school donation voucher, between 1 July 2017 and 30 June 2018. A minimum of 20% equity is required in the security property provided to ASB. This home loan offer is only available on loans secured by an owner-occupied residential property. Only one donation will be given per customer. Donations will be made by ASB on behalf of the customer to the chosen school upon full draw down of the new home loan. This offer excludes loans for business purposes and bridging.

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