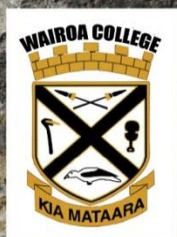


WAIROA COLLEGE

Raising student achievement through building strong foundations



Vision: Success for all | Motto: Kia Mataara - Be Vigilant | Symbol: The Rock - Building Strong Foundations

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April 12, 2018

Term 1, | Week 11

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MESSAGE FROM OUR PRINCIPAL



Tēnā Koutou Katoa

From the staff I would like to say a big thank you to Mrs McCallum and Mrs Newton for all the hard work they have done while at Wairoa College. You both will be missed. I wish you all the best in your future endeavours. I would also like to thank Paula Couper and James from EIT for relieving this term. We appreciate you filling these positions while we sought more permanent options.

At the start of Term 2 we will welcome two new staff members, Damon Thomas who will teach Hard Materials Technology and Johann Oosthuizen who is the new HOF of Technology.

At assembly this week we celebrated students who had 100% attendance for the term. Three names were drawn out of a box and those students were given a canteen voucher. Attendance at school is essential if learning is to take place. When students are at school they feel a greater sense of belonging, engagement and are more successful.

In the Year 7 and 8 area we have had new and exciting things happening this term and some to start next term. The Year 13 mentoring programme on a Wednesday has been a great success. The new basketball hoop in the junior area is used all the time. Joanna Tokona is leading the ALIM (accelerated learning in mathematics) programme. Johann Oosthuizen will be going into each class every week to teach IT skills and safety around using IT. We will also be having tutors from Te Ataarangi coming in to each class every week teaching Te Reo and stories from around the area.

A big thank you to all those that were involved in making our ANZAC ceremony such a success. Students were very respectful and I enjoyed hearing them sing.

To the students - enjoy your holidays, have fun and be ready to start Term 2 with lots of energy. Term 2 is where you can make the biggest difference towards your learning. Seniors need to go after those credits, aim for merit and excellence. You can achieve top results if you put the work in.

Happy holidays!

Ngā mihi nui

Mrs Jo-Anne Vennell

Mix and Mingle



by Mya Mataki

Wairoa College had its year 7 students bobbing for apples in its third year 7 and 13 mix and mingle for 2018. On Wednesday 28th of March, the year 7 students were given a piece of yarn with alternative lengths, the lengths decided which team the student would find themselves in. Teams were then given a bucket full of apples and an easter prize went to whichever group came out on top with everyone sitting in a neat line with their apples on their laps. Smiles and giggles flooded outside the whare as students dived for their apples, and many students voiced how much fun they had. Without knowing, the students had used communication skills to successfully find themselves in a group of people they wouldn't usually find themselves around, and made themselves vulnerable by participating in a high pressure situation. As a student executive we believe these activities encouraged year 7 students to feel comfortable around us and their peers. It has given them the courage to see us as friends and a positive role model in school.

Wairoa College Remembrance Day



Today the Services Academy and I as a member of the Services Academy participated in the presentation of Remembrance Day at Wairoa College. The Services Academy and I were given the opportunity to march and raise the flag for the soldiers who fought for us. Our academy and school stood in silence for 1 minute as the flag was raised, while this was happening we maintained our silence to show respect towards the soldiers who had fought for us. Our guests today were a few former soldiers and Officers of Military, I felt gratified to have the opportunity to

participate and be in the presence of a few of our brave and significant soldiers.

I found the overall presentation was very memorable. We all acted appropriately to show our gratitude and respect towards the soldiers who had fought for us and for our country.

I am appreciative that I had the opportunity to participate in the presentation by being a part of the Catafalque (Flag) Party, who marched the New Zealand flag towards the pole. Afterwards our school gathered into the assembly and listened to poems which spoke in-depth of the struggles of War. I felt deep compassion as I listened to each poem. Each



poem gave a detailed description of what War was like in the eyes of a soldier. I watched over our guests (former soldiers and Officers of the Military) and felt deep gratitude towards what they as well as many others had gone through to ensure the safety for generations to come. I am truly grateful for the bravery they had shown during the trying years of War and I know my Services Academy and school is also.

I enjoyed the overall presentation and felt respect towards our former soldiers and Officers currently serving in the Military. As the presentation slowly came to an end, our school maintained its silence to show respect towards our guests and the soldiers who had fought for our generation. I felt our performance as an academy was excellent and did the celebrations proud.

By Chelsea Lee Nicholas
Wairoa College Services Academy



Academic Achievements

Certificate of Excellence Year 9 Arts Term 1

Excellence in Woodprint – Kaleb Maxwell

Excellence in using wet and dry media – Lishae Peipi

Excellence in painting activities – Lisa Delaney

NCEA Internal Assessments

Mathematics and Statistics 1.1 – Apply numeric reasoning in solving problems

Achieved with Excellence

Tuki Huata-Cracknell

Caroline Kyle

Gemma Mapstone

Linda Zhuang

Achieved with Merit

Paora Barber

Bailee Carr

Dustin-Jack Dale

Jack Delaney

Samuel Edwards

Monique Kirwan

Hema Men

Natalia Pere

Hannah Simmonds

Hugh Taylor

Mathematics and Statistics 2.1 – Apply co-ordinate geometry methods in solving problems

Achieved with Excellence

Melchior Atzwanger

Jessie Hema-Westcott

Achieved with Merit

Lennox Rodger

Zoe Solomon

Waireti Te Amo-Tpuna

Mathematics and Statistics 2.1 – Apply co-ordinate geometry methods in solving problems

Achieved with Merit

Jacob Paku

Chemistry 2.2 – Carry out procedures to identify ions present in solution

Achieved with Excellence

Melchior Atzwanger

Jessie Hema-Westcott

Gabriel Keefe

Zoe Solomon

Waireti Te Amo-Tipuna

Achieved with Merit

Paige Lowe

Shyanne Smith

Jacky Zhuang

Te Reo Maori Assessment 1 of 3 Required throughout the year

Te Reo Maori 2.1 – Whakarongo kia mohio kit e reo o tea o torotoro

Achieved with Excellence

Diijon Lewis-Eriha

Achieved with Merit

Jack TeAmo

Kaznaia Thompson - Perston

Te Reo Maori 3.1 – Whakarongo kia mōhio kit e reo Māori o tea o whānui

Achieved with Excellence

Kopiri Smith

Uniform Reminder

This week we have had a cold snap and there has been some incorrect uniform worn to school. At the start of Term 2 students are required to wear the correct uniform **ONLY**. We have available at the Uniform shop a winter Jersey and Jacket.

The uniform shop is open Monday-Thursday from 1.15 – 1.45 pm.

Farewell Message

Kia ora koutou

This morning we had our School Remembrance Service to commemorate Anzac Day. The Services Academy completed the Catafalque ceremony; with perfection, there was silence from everyone of our students. The respect felt was palpable.

I would like to take this opportunity to say a big thank you, to you as a community, for your support during my seven years teaching at Wairoa College in the Year 7/8 department. I have enjoyed my time here very much and take with me very fond memories.

I would also like to acknowledge my colleagues for all the dedicated work you do to equip students for the future; and from what I experienced this morning I feel our future is in good hands.

I wish you all the very best.

Nga mihi
Jeanie McCallum



PE Student of the Week – Week 9

7C – Rylee Burton – for a positive attitude to learning and 100% participation.

9R – D'Magio Karangaroa - for outstanding knowledge of and participation in Ki- O-Rahi

9O – Tama Kerehi-Douglas – for outstanding participation in Ki-O-Rahi

9C - Phillippa Mason - for outstanding effort and participation in Ki- O-Rahi

9K – Trinity Nicholas – awesome participation during Ki-O-Rahi.

10R – Louis Raroa – for outstanding effort and participation in Ki- O-Rahi

100 – Myles Tangiora - for outstanding knowledge of and participation in Ki- O-Rahi

10C – Latoya Tahuri – awesome participation and working well in Ki-O-Rahi.

10K – Janayah Kaimoana – awesome effort and working well in Ki-O-Rahi

L1 - Monique Kirwan - always completing written work to a high standard.

L2 - Jack Te Amo - doing an amazing job at coaching the year 8 students Ki-O-Rahi .

L3 - Mya Williams - being early and prepared for coaching the year 8 students

New Zealand National Athletics Championship

Brock Rangi ran in the 100 metre and 200 metre heats and placed in the finals for both.

His time for the 100 metres final was 11.40 (personal best time) – he placed 2nd

His time for the 200 metres final was 22.87 – he placed 5th

An awesome result for Brock, second best in the North Island for 100 metres, amazing!

Volleyball Team

Term 1 of the 2018 school year saw the dawning of a new era at Wairoa College. The College's first ever volleyball team came together to compete in the Hawke's Bay senior secondary schools competition. This has been taking place every Wednesday night in Taradale at the Pettigrew Green Arena. A mixed senior team was formed in order to involve as many of the boys and girls who expressed interest in trying their



hand at this sport. We started this term as absolute beginners with little to no idea of how to serve, pass, set or spike. However, over the course of the last 8 weeks there have been dramatic improvements made by every player involved and coach, Tim Gledhill, is confident that the sport has a bright future here.

The leadership and reliability of senior students Mele Folau, Hayley Mitchell and Devine Tavai-Waitoa in the second half of term was priceless. Furthermore, the spirit of teamwork and cooperation among all the members of the team was rewarding and inspiring to see. Notable developments among the players include the serving of

Ebony Rore-White, who has persistently worked at her technique and has made impressive progress, as well as the overall attitude and ability of Jack Karekare whose natural height and athleticism lend themselves perfectly to volleyball.

This coming Wednesday (11 April) will see the Wairoa College team travel to the Pettigrew Arena for one last game this season to play off for the Bronze medal position in Boys Division 4. Over the winter terms, the volleyball competition gives way to other sports but will return in term 4 for a less competitive social league. Seniors will not be involved at this point, as the majority of year 11-13 students in Hawke's Bay will have their school timetable affected by NCEA exam preparation.

Aotearoa Maori Netball Tournament

6 Wairoa College girls made their presence felt at the recent Aotearoa Maori Netball Tournament held in Gisborne over Easter Weekend. The girls got plenty of court time competing really well against 9 rohe (regions) that boosted some of best Māori players throughout New Zealand. Next year's tournament will be hosted by Te Waipounamu (South Island) in Invercargill. The girls will now turn their focus to the Hawkes Bay secondary schools netball grading which starts in the first week back of term 2.

The girls represented the following Rohe (regions) and grades.

Ruby Mildon and Tiana Douglas	Tairawhiti under 15 (Gisborne/East Coast)
Bailee Carr	Te Raki Paewhenua under 17 (North Harbour)
Cassie-Maree Carrol	Te Raki Paewhenua under 19 (North Harbour)
Wreyon McCormack – Wesche	Tairawhiti under 17 (Gisborne/East Coast)
Hinehea-Rose Keil	Waiariki under 19 (Bay of Plenty/Taupo)



Youth Alcohol Expo 2018

Pettigrew Green Arena, Taradale – Friday May 11 – Go Bus Coach Departs 8:45am Returns 3pm
Free to all Year 11 students

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Friday, 13 April	Last Day of Term 1
Monday, 30 April	First Day of Term 2
Monday, 30 April to Friday, 4 May	Service Academy – Basic Leadership Course
Monday, 7 to 9 May	Sexwise Programme
Tuesday, 8 May	Barista Pro Course
Friday, 11 May	Youth Alcohol Expo, Pettigrew Green Arena all Year 11

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION ON EVENTS
DOWNLOAD THE WAIROA COLLEGE
FREE APP AND VIEW CALENDAR OR CONTACT THE OFFICE**

Web Portal

The web portal provides a lot of information that relates to your child. You can access this information by

- Use the direct link at <http://portal.wairoacollege.school.nz/student/index.php>
- Download the KAMAR app for your iPhone or Android smart phone. The server address to use is <http://www.wairoacollege.school.nz/collegeapp.html>

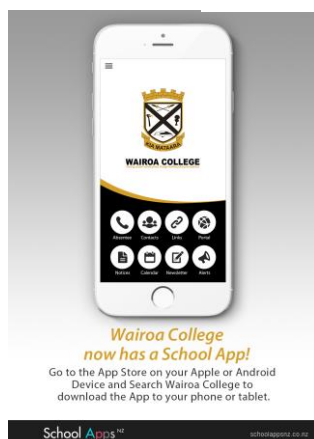
Once you reach the Web Portal, use your child's User Name and the pupil or caregiver password. This can be obtained by contacting the school office.

Web Portal Information

Using the web portal enables you to keep up to date with the following aspects of your child's education:

- School reports
- Absences and timetables
- NCEA results
- Contact detail
- Account information

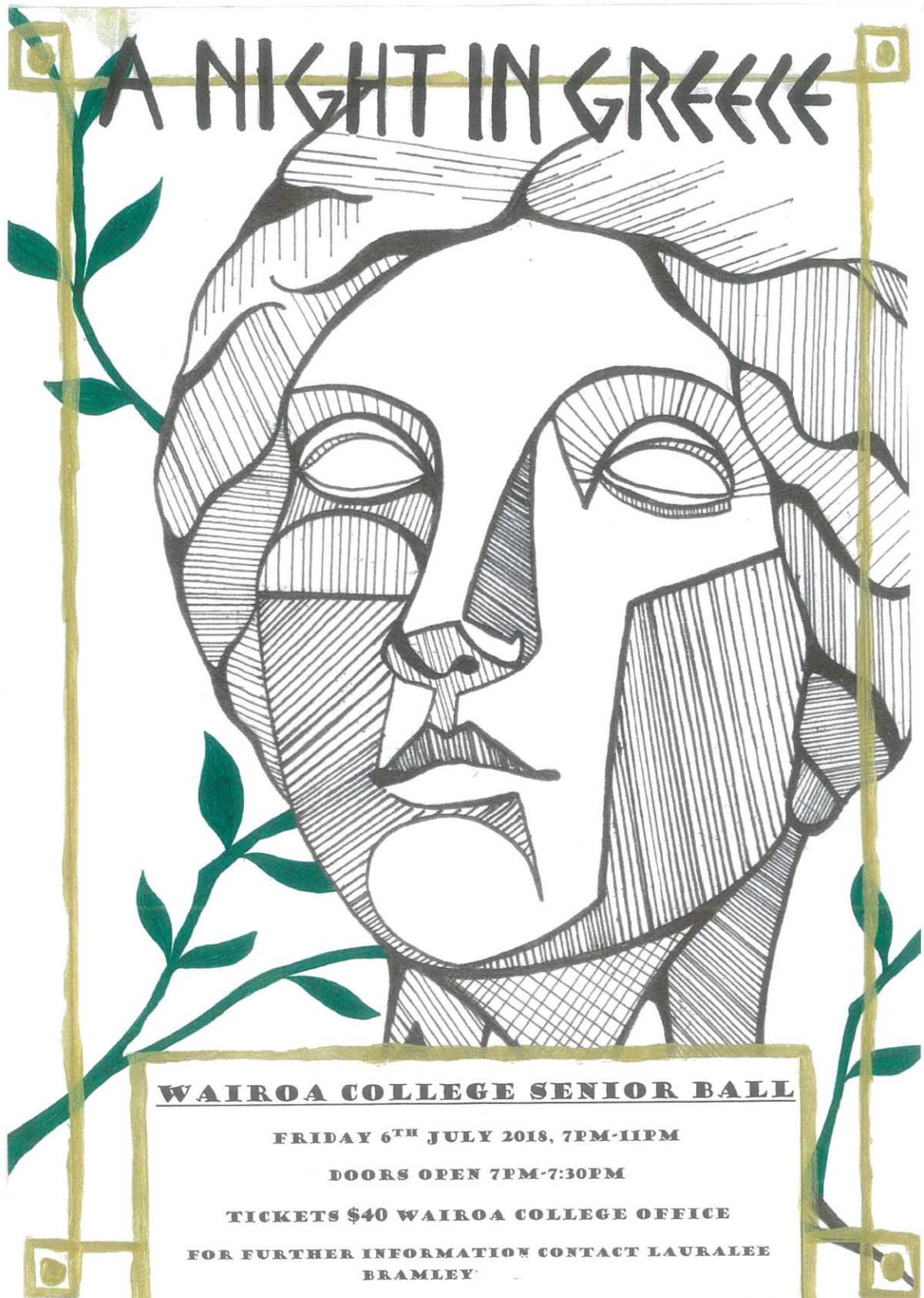
Free Wairoa College App



It is here! You can download it as the link to our website. The following information can be accessed from the App:

- Your Students Absentees
- Current Newsletter
- School Trips Information
- Alerts
- Notices
- Web Portal
- School Calendar
- Contact Information

Wairoa College Ball



School Holiday Rugby Programme for Kids!

The Magpies Rugby Holiday Programme is back again. The new program will help develop the young player even more and designed to give kids of all ages the opportunity to be develop their skills as rugby players and be coached by current and up and coming magpie players.

The program is designed to cater for the different ages of the kids by splitting them into 7-9 year olds and 10-12 year olds. This allows our players to design the activities to the kid's abilities and maximize their learning and enjoyment.

Throughout the day the kids will rotate though stations in small groups. Each station develops the core fundamental skills involved in rugby. The stations involve tactical awareness, team work, run, catch, pass, tackle, carrying the ball into contact, kicking, breakdown, and conditioning games. To finish the player will be able to put their new skills to the test in a mini game.

Cost: \$60 each players - which includes a Magpies shirt (shirt valued at \$45).
(\$40 without shirt)

Duration: 9am - 3pm kids must be signed in & signed out at the start and end of the day - At Lambton Square.

Gear list: Rugby training clothing (jersey & shorts), Rugby boots, MOUTH GUARD, Other protective gear i.e. shoulder pads, Warm Jersey, Water Bottle, Lunch (Snacks & Sausage sizzle provided). Positive attitude and keen to get involved.

Register online as places are limited!!!

<http://www.sporty.co.nz/hbrugby/Junior-Rugby/Magpies-Holiday-Program>

University information evening

The University of Canterbury | Te Whare Wānanga o Waitaha (UC) invites students from our school and their families to attend its Hawke's Bay Information Evening on Tuesday 12 June.

The evening is a great opportunity for senior secondary students and their parents to learn more about the range of qualifications UC offers, to hear from leading academics and get key questions answered about:

- Scholarships
- Accommodation
- Student Support
- Degree and course information

Anyone considering university study in 2019 or 2020 is welcome at this free event, so register online to find out everything you need to know about life and study at UC. Register at: www.canterbury.ac.nz/events/tours-and-events/info-evenings/

The UC Information Evening starts at 6pm on 12 June at Napier Conference Centre, [48 Marine Parade, Bluff Hill, Napier](#).

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Online entries must be in by Sunday 20 May, but entrants can continue to work on their designs right up until Friday 15 June.

With 10 weeks to go and the school holidays just around the corner, now is the perfect time to get started on a design!

For more information, an entry pack and entry form, or to buy tickets visit www.ediblefashionawards.co.nz or contact us on 022 108 5696



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