

Principal's Panui

A quick glance at our calendar for this term alone reinforces something I often write or speak about: we offer a rich variety of experiences for our students, next week there is Self Defence for our Year 8 and 10 girls, a football tournament for 7s and 8s, as well as the regular Wednesday football for seniors, the Northland Cross-country Championships, Project Possum for Year 12s and the Life Ed mobile classroom arrives on Thursday.

Encourage your students to seize these opportunities, even if, or especially if, they take them out of their comfort zone.

BOI Hockey Rep Players

Congratulations to our Hockey Players who have been named in the BOI Rep Team to play in the Inter Association Tournament on the 18th of June: Ryan Penney, Tyreece Tangira, Chloe Schischka, Tessa Flood, Katie Morgan, Tracey-Lee Walker, Grace McDonald, Lavinia Abraham, Grace Hamlin, Aimee Lawson, Emma Aukett and Non travelling Reserves Kowhai Harris and Jesikah Wihongi.

Pink Ribbon Breakfast



Winter Sports Fees

Winter sports fees are due now. Please can they all be paid by next Friday 16th June.

Netball:

Year 7 & 8 Team \$40
Year 9 & 10 Team \$45

Hockey Team: \$75

The Cheeky Poem

By Eloise Drayton, 7TR

I met a poem in the garden today.
At first I didn't see it; it was dozing away
In the snowy white daisies.

It shook my hand and said "hello",
and asked if it might stay.
"Yes, yes" I said and led it inside; it quickly broke away.

It made a quick dash
Then CRASH!
Down came my bookshelf
Books tumbling everywhere
Like a landslide.

It ran through the back door and onto the deck.
One by one pot plants fell; a domino effect.

I dragged it away after such a great fright.
Then, at once, it had to go and ran right out of sight.

I hope I never see another poem.
I hope with all my might.

College Calendar

Monday 12 – 14 June

- Year 8 Self Defence Courses

Tuesday 13 June

- NSS Cross Country - Whangarei

Tuesday 13 – 14 June

- Project Possum Course

Thursday 15-16 June

- Year 10 Self Defence Courses

Thursday 15 – 20 June

- Life Education Trust Visit

Tuesday 20 June

- BOT Meeting @ 6.00 pm

Wednesday 21 June

- Senior Drama Attend
Performance @ Turner Centre

Thursday 22 June

- Money Savvy Year 10 Course

Friday 23 June

- Senior Curriculum Day Line 6

Monday 26 – 30 June

- Year 13 Gateways week

Tuesday 27 June

- Year 7-12 Reports Issued

Tuesday 4 July

- Year 7 Vision Testing

- Report Evening

Thursday 6 – 9 July

- Teen Ag Nationals

Friday 7 July

- Duffy Assembly

- Last Day of Term 2

Monday 24 July

- First Day Term 3

My Best Friend

By Liam Reihana, 7TR

My best friend is a poem.
He is classic like my dad
But even more fantastic.
He does my housework without me asking.

He has cool powers
Just like The Flash
ZOOM!
He can do my housework super fast!
WOOOH!

He is like a worker bee.
He does my jobs just for me.
He rushes my rubbish to the kerb
And lovingly lops my lawns

Just for me.
He's the best poem that could ever be.

The Food Tech room was a hive of industry on the morning of the pink ribbon breakfast. The Year 13 Food Technology class prepared all the yummy cup cakes, smoothies and McMuffins to raise over \$900 for NZ Breast Cancer Foundation.