

## Okaihau College 2018 Open Day

**Wednesday 20 September 2017**  
11.30 am - 1.00 pm  
and 5.30 pm – 6.30 pm

Prospective students and their parents / caregivers are invited to attend our Open Day. Each session begins with a welcome in the Hall after which our junior students will give tours of the school.

If you are unable to attend the Open Day, or have any enquiries about enrolments, contact Deputy Principal, Karen Campbell on extension 706.

## Phone Systems

Following recent wet weather, we are again experiencing difficulties with the school land line - (09) 401 9030. If you are ever unable to get through on this number, please feel free to contact us via mobile phone.

The Main Office number is 021 0258 3715 and the Student Centre number is 021 0868 4071.

## Driver's Licenses

If students sit and pass their Learners, Restricted or Full Drivers' License, they are entitled to collect NZQA credits for this (up to eight standards across the three licenses).

Once a student has passed the test, they just need to bring the copy of their license to Mrs Jenny Couchman in the Main Office for the credits to be processed.

This can be done retrospectively for any student who has passed this year. Any questions, just come and ask at the Main Office, or see Deputy Principal Mrs Karen Campbell.

## Far North NZDF Info Evening

**Tuesday 26 September & Tuesday 14 November**

Come along and get an insight into what the New Zealand Defence Force is all about. Chat with our Service men and women and get a head start on your new career in the New Zealand Army, Navy or Airforce.

**Where:** 16 Whangatane Drive, Kaitaia

**When:** 6.00 p.m.

Refreshments provided

All welcome

RSVP: 09 4385467



## College Calendar

### Tuesday 19 September

- Board of Trustees Meeting 6.00 pm

### Wednesday 20 September

- Okaihau College Open Day

### Monday 25 September

- Senior Reports Issued

### Thursday 28 September

- Senior Report Evening

### Friday 29 September

- Last Day of Term 3

### Monday 16 October

- First Day of Term 4

### Thursday 9 November

- NCEA Exams Start

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# OKAIHAU COLLEGE 2018 ENROLMENTS

The board invites applications from parents and caregivers who wish to enrol their student at Okaihau College next year.

Enrolment at the school is governed by an enrolment scheme, details of which are available from the Main Office. Pre-Enrolment Forms have been distributed to local primary schools, and are also available from the Main Office.

The deadline for receipt of applications for out of zone places is Wednesday 27 September 2017. Parents of students who live within the home zone should also apply by this date to assist the school to plan appropriately for next year. *Students who live in the home zone are entitled to enrol at the school.* The Board has determined the number of places likely to be available for out of zone students next year. This is approximately:

10 places at Year 7  
2 places at Year 8  
5 places at Year 9  
5 places at Year 10  
5 places at Year 11  
5 places at Year 12  
5 places at Year 13

The exact number of places will depend on the number of applications received from students who live within the school's home zone. The school operates an approved special programme for students with special needs and expects that there will be approximately two places available in the programme for out of zone students next year.

Applications from out of zone students will be processed in the following order of priority:

*First priority will be given to students who have been accepted for enrolment in an approved special programme.*

*Second priority will be given to applicants who are siblings of current students.*

*Third priority will be given to applicants who are siblings of former students.*

*Fourth priority will be given to applicants who are children of former students of the school.*

*Fifth priority will be given to applicants who are children of board employees or a child of a member of the board of the school.*

*Sixth priority will be given to all other applicants.*

If the number of out-of-zone applications exceed the number of places available, students will be selected by ballot (except in the case of special programmes where the criteria in the enrolment scheme apply). If a ballot is required it will be held on Wednesday 18 October 2017. Parents will be informed in writing of the outcome of the ballot within three working days of the ballot being held.



We Serve

## Okaihau Lions present:

### Okaihau Country-style Dance!

Sat 7<sup>th</sup> October 2017

Okaihau Community Hall

Doors open 6:30pm, Dancing 7pm till late

Adults: \$20 per ticket

Under 13 yrs: \$10 per ticket

SPOT  
PRIZES

Proceeds to help fund the

Okaihau 150<sup>th</sup> celebration, Easter 2018

Tickets are limited. Contact:

Hazel/Neil MacMillan 09-4019232 nh.macmillan@xtra.co.nz

Rick/Lindy Atkinson 09-4018835 linric@farmside.co.nz

