

Principal's Panui

Tena koutou katoa,

As this will be the last panui for the year I would like to take this opportunity to acknowledge the year we've had and the adversity we continue to face as a kura and community. It has certainly been a tough year in many ways and I want to thank all the students, whanau and teachers who have continued to support our kura in a variety of ways throughout 2020. I am extremely grateful for the way in which we have pulled together as a whanau to support our students as they have had to negotiate a difficult time that has changed the way in which we do many things.

I am excited about the changes to our timetable and roopu system that we will be implementing in 2021. These have been changes that we are making that I hope will be the first of many that are done with our whanau and students at the table. We continue to seek input and ideas and will carry on with our community hui every month in 2021 in Whakarongorua, our school marae. I encourage anyone who wants to have input into some of the decisions that we make as a kura to attend.

Our Senior and Junior Prizegivings take place next week. These are always wonderful occasions in which we can celebrate the achievements of our tamariki / mokopuna. It is especially important this year to be able to celebrate together and I look forward to seeing you all next week as we acknowledge our students.

No reira, tena koutou, tena koutou, tena koutou katoa.

Thomas Davison
Principal

2020 School Magazine

The 2020 school magazine will be back from the printers in the last week of school. Due to the interruptions Covid-19 has created for us, the magazine will be a few pages shorter this year, and this is reflected in the price. Magazines are \$10 each and can be pre-paid / ordered at the Student Centre or Main Office.

Te Puna Ako

Please could students ensure all library books are returned before the end of the school year.

College Calendar

Monday 7-8 November

- Year 11 Surf Camp – Taupo Bay

Wednesday 9 December

- Senior Prizegiving @ 7.00pm

Thursday 10 December

- Year 7 and 8 Prizegiving @ 12.30pm

- Year 9 and 10 Prize-giving @ 2.00pm

OKAIHAU COLLEGE 2020 PRIZEGIVINGS



*Parents / Caregivers / Whanau
All Welcome*

SENIOR PRIZEGIVING

7.00pm on Wednesday 9 December

Students are expected to wear
a high standard of dress.

Please bring a plate of food
for a shared supper.

YEAR 7 AND 8 PRIZEGIVING

12.30pm on Thursday 10 December

YEAR 9 AND 10 PRIZEGIVING

2.00pm on Thursday 10 December

All junior students are expected to be
in perfect school uniform.

Invitations will be sent out closer to the time.

