



ONEHERO AREA SCHOOL

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Key dates:

Friday 26 th May	Scholastic Orders Due
Friday 26 th May	Mufti Day in support of Basketball – gold coin donation
Saturday 27 th May	Wearable Arts Festival
Monday 29 th May	Last day for Calf Club Chicken orders
Wednesday 31 st May	School Speech Contest Finals
Friday 9 th June	Spud in the Bucket entries close or the first 100 entries received.
1 st & 2 nd June	Teacher Only Days (school closed)
Wednesday 28 th June	Matariki Maori Culture Success Evening

Kia Ora tatou

Dear Parents

Just a reminder that school is closed on Thursday the 1st and Friday the 2nd of June due to Teacher Only days.

Greenies:

The names drawn from the box this week were: Ashlee Meads, Ryan Ellery, Joseph Eady and Emma Cathcart, well done to these students.

Value Certificates:

The awards that were presented at Monday's assembly were:

Purpose – Ako: Hayley Pedersen, Heath Bovill, Josephine Hira Tautuaa, Deven Booker, Georgia Haarhoff, Jayme Lovatt, Blake Harker, Shannon Loo, Katelyn Paynter, Tahlia Neal, Vicki Smith and Abbey Pryor

Character – Mahi ngà tahi: Karl Grunkvist and Devan Harker

Matariki Maori Culture Success Evening

Wednesday 28th June – Nga Tai E Rua Marae, Tuakau – 7pm.

Once again it is time to celebrate Matariki and Te Ao Maori through the students at OAS.

Please put this date on your calendar. More information to follow in the weeks ahead.

Year 5-12 Speech Finals

The annual speech finals for 2017 will be held in the school hall on Wednesday the 31st of May starting at 9am. Year 5-6 will perform first followed by years 7-8, finishing with years 9-12. Parents are most welcome to come and watch. To save time the judges will do their deliberations after the event so place getters will be named at a special assembly on Tuesday 6th of June at 2.30pm.

Uniform Donations needed

Have you got any odd items of OAS uniform lying around your house?

OAS are on the lookout for items of uniform that parents may be wishing to donate, particularly those in senior school sizes. This is to assist us in providing uniform items to students who wear incorrect uniform to school, and need a replacement item for the day. We are also on the lookout for black shoes from adult size 7-14.

Nits:

Please be advised that we have an outbreak of nits at school. We ask that you check your child's hair and treat where necessary.

Buses:

In response to some concerns about the buses not being able to turn around. To all those who collect their children from school, please **do not** park in the rugby club entrance as this area is required for busses to turn. Health and Safety are looking at signage and cones for this area.

Whitecliffes College of Arts & Design

Whitecliffes are holding a series of Open Days for interested students, starting with an Out-Of-Towners Open Day on **Wednesday 31 May** which will cover all of the Bachelor of Fine Arts programs in the one morning – Fine Arts/Photo Media/Fashion Design/Graphic Design. Other Open Days are as follows: Certificate Programmes **Tuesday 20th June**; Photo Media **Wednesday 9 August**; Fine Arts **Thursday 10 August**; Fashion Design **Wednesday 16 August**; Graphic Design **Thursday 17 August**. For further information or to register see www.whitecliffe.ac.nz

Auckland University Maori & Pacific Parents

Evening

The University of Auckland are hosting a Parents Evening for Maori and Pacific Year 12 and 13 students, their whanau and families. Information about degree programmes, entry requirements, scholarships, and on-campus support for Maori and Pacific students. Thursday 1 June, 6.30-8.30pm. Please RSVP at www.auckland.ac.nz/parentsevening. Any enquiries please email equity@auckland.ac.nz

University of Otago Information Evening

This is a great opportunity for senior students and their parents/caregivers to meet Otago University staff and students, as well as gaining other key information.

Tuesday 20th June, 6.30pm, South Level 4 Lounge, Eden Park. Otago overview and opportunities, accommodation, admission, scholarships, costs, study options (Arts, Law, Business, Sciences and Health Sciences). Enquiries: Auckland.liaison@otago.ac.nz / 0800 80 80 98 / www.otago.ac.nz

Drivers Licence & Defensive Driving Course

Discounts

Students, did you know that if you are a registered Waikato-Tainui tribal member you can received a discount off the cost of a Class 1 car licence (learners, restricted and/or full), and a Passrite Street Talk Defensive Driving Course? For more details please visit waikatotainui.com, phone 0800 TAINUI (824 684), or see Mrs McArley for a brochure.

Canteen Specials:

Due to the short week there will be no Canteen Special next week.

Ngā mihi

Koren Hopoi

Acting Principal

Community Notices:

Pukekohe Performing Arts presents

The Continental Quilt

26 May – 3 June 2017

Mike's pleasantly anticipated stay with his girlfriend is shattered by the arrival of his brother, whose wife has thrown him out. What could possibly go wrong?

Tickets available at www.iticket.co.nz NOW

Rising Stars

Pukekohe Performing Arts Youth Theatre

Term Two is underway!

Classes:

Wednesday – 4-5pm ages 8-12yrs

Friday – 5-6pm ages 13-18yrs

Tutor: Hayley Va'a

Cost: \$150 per child per term

Discount available if more than one child is enrolled in the same term.

For more info and enrolment form please send an email to:

youththeatreppa@gmail.com

2 Harrington Theatre, Pukekohe