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LEARNING SUCCESS
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FROM THE PRINCIPAL

"SHAPE YOUR FUTURE"

Tena koutou katoa

This year has been a year of change and challenge. Following our extensive consultation across all areas of the school community in 2017 and 2018, we have moved forward on our strategic direction and our key strategic outcomes: Hauora – our students have high levels of well-being; Ako – our students have developed a love of learning; Tikanga – members of our school community experience a sense of belonging. We are also continuing to develop a future-focused curriculum that meets the needs of our students in today's world

We began the year with a change to our pastoral structure and introduced our Waka Huia and Kawai Huia, a development of our House system. As New Plymouth Girls' High School is one of the oldest schools in the region and the country, we are able to draw on our rich history to shape our future. 2019 saw a name change from Tutor Group (pastoral care time for students) to Kāwai Huia and Houses were replaced with the name Waka Huia. The following is a brief explanation of these new names:

The word "kāwai" can be translated as flock or lineage, pedigree. Therefore, Kāwai Huia means flock of Huia or noble lineage. The Huia at one point in our School history was chosen as our "Manu Rangatira" (Chiefly Bird), as the Huia is a symbol of dignity and prestige and is proudly displayed on the school emblem. The huia motif shown on the New Plymouth Girls' High crest is male. Male huia used their bills as a "pick-axe" to dig into decaying wood, exposing huhu larvae and other insects allowing females using their longer, more decurved bill to extract larvae that the male exposed. This may have been the

hope of our predecessors that future generations would display these supportive nurturing traits with New Plymouth Girls' High School and New Plymouth Boys' High School working together. Our students are our precious flock.

Waka Huia means 'Treasure Box' as Māori treasure boxes were waka shaped. The rationale in choosing Waka Huia as the name that would identify our House groups is two-fold. For generations New Plymouth Girls' High School has used the names of local waka that were involved in the great migration by Māori to Aotearoa: Kurahaupo, Tainui, Tokomaru and Aotea. The second part to this was to impart to all students in these Waka that they are very special and treasures to be held in high regard.

The new Waka Huia set up has already led to our student leaders developing opportunities for closer connections across the school and the year groups with more Waka Huia assemblies, Waka Huia singing and events, and our new school waiata, written by Matua

Rihari Brown. We will continue to build these connections across the school in the coming years.

It is through times of adversity and hardship that we forge our resilience, to take on the challenges in life. In the past year, we have all experienced losses amongst our school community – friends, family, loved ones and former colleagues. The atrocity in Christchurch has also brought the world's troubles to our doorstep. There is no sense in these kinds of atrocities. We have to hold on to love and compassion in the face of intolerance and hatred. We will not be defeated by terror and hate, by bigotry of any kind. This is when we need to be courageous and hold on to the good around us and the love around us.

This year, we also lost our beloved and respected former Principal, Jenny Ellis, after a long and courageous battle against illness. Like many of you, I was very lucky and privileged to have Jenny in my life. Jenny was an exceptional educator and leader. She touched many people's lives and was a



"YOU MAY NOT CONTROL ALL THE EVENTS THAT HAPPEN TO YOU, BUT YOU CAN DECIDE NOT TO BE REDUCED BY THEM." MAYA ANGELOU



truly inspirational leader who exemplified leadership as service. A strong woman, a deeply caring and empathetic person, and an inspiration to all of us. She influenced tens of thousands of young people. She really believed in young people, in education and in enabling young women to become leaders. Her accomplishments in education are too numerous to list here. She was awarded a Woolf Fisher scholarship in 2011 for excellence in Principalship and made a Member of New Zealand Order of Merit for services to education in 2017. She spent a lifetime in education and overcame every career obstacle, every barrier placed in her path, to become Principal at New Plymouth Girls' High School. She really loved the school, the staff and most importantly the students. She had so much patience, support, awahi, guidance and good humour and she was a great listener. We will continue to miss her.

Once again, the sporting, cultural, artistic and leadership success of our students is outstanding with many students achieving at national and international levels. Their incredible achievements are contained in this magazine. Fifty-one Honours Awards were awarded throughout the year to thirty-four talented and exceptional young women. Honours in leadership were awarded to our Head Girls: Ella Wood, Georgia Bricknall and Brianna See. Our 2019 Head Girls have exemplified the school values and shown real commitment, passion, and dedication to their leadership roles. Ella Wood developed the Iti Rearea Award, which is our Junior Honours Award for outstanding achievement in sporting, cultural and artistic endeavours and the first Awards were bestowed in October. The Head Girl leadership team also implemented the Gratitude Wall and continued the Breakfast Club. With the Waka Huia Leaders and the Year 13 Leaders, they supported each other in developing greater connectedness and sense of belonging across the year groups with the development of Waka Huia events and assemblies.

In NCEA, the performance of our students in 2018 was once again outstanding. Twenty-three students achieved thirty-five NZ Scholarships with five Outstanding Scholarships awarded across fifteen subject areas: nine Photography, four Biology, four English, three Accounting, two each for Drama, Economics, Media Studies, and Statistics; one each for Calculus, Classics, Design, Music, Physics, Spanish and Technology. Students who earn scholarships are in the top 3% in the subject in New Zealand. Seven Year 12 students achieved Scholarships. Congratulations to all the recipients and their teachers.

Further to this Anahita Piri, our Dux 2018, achieved an Outstanding Scholar Award with four scholarships in total with two outstanding in Accounting and Economics and two further scholarships in Physics and Statistics. Two of our students also achieved two Top Subject Scholar

Awards: Tessa Keenan - top in the country for Drama; and Breanna Camden for top in Biology (as a Year 12 student). Tessa also achieved a scholarship in Media Studies. Breanna Camden not only achieved Top Subject Scholar in Biology as a Year 12 student, she also achieved scholarships in Calculus and English. Breanna and Tessa were presented with their awards at Government House in May by PM Jacinda Ardern.

In staffing news, we are farewelling a number of long-serving staff this year. Firstly, Tony Gerber retires as full-time Teacher of Physics and Science at the end of the year. Tony joined the school as Head of Science in 1996 and relinquished this role in 2014. Since then, he has been Teacher in Charge of Physics and Laboratory Manager. Barb Bennett, Teacher of Science, is also leaving us at the end of the year, after a year of refreshment leave. Barb joined the school in 1982 as Physical Education teacher. After taking time out to have a family, Barb returned to school as a part-time Science teacher in 2001. In 2002, she became a full-time teacher of Science and Technology. In 2011, she became Specialist Classroom Teacher. We thank them for their service and wish them all well in their future endeavours.

Kerry Macdonald, Deputy Principal, is taking refreshment leave in 2020 after 15 years' service to the school. We wish her well on her adventures. Barry Marnoch is also taking three terms refreshment leave in 2020 and we wish him well too.

My grateful thanks to the leadership team of Deputy Principals: Stella Bond, Suzanne Bradburn, Kevin Byrne, and Kerry Macdonald; and to Zoe Kirkcaldie (Business Manager) and Marina Walsh (Hostel Manager). I would also like to thank all the teaching and support staff for their on-going commitment and support. My deepest thanks also to the outgoing Board of Trustees – Loretta Roberts (Chairperson), Rob McEwan (Deputy Chairperson), Rupa Bindra, Anahita Piri, Judyne Howell, Brian Lee, Brett Rogers, and Chris Rudd – for their support, dedication and commitment to the school over many years. I wish to personally thank the outgoing Board of Trustees for continuing on in their roles to ensure a smooth transition with my appointment in December 2016. I would like to especially express my gratitude to Loretta

and Rob for their guidance, advice and support. We welcome our new Board of Trustees, Ngaio Crook (Chairperson), Gaylene Findlay (Deputy Chairperson), David Bevins, Kelly Marriner, Louise Tester, and Sandra Parry (Teacher Trustee) and Loretta Roberts, who has continued on to support the in-coming Board. We wish Anna Coomber, outgoing Student Trustee, well on the next stage of her journey and welcome to the Board Kate Bajema, as incoming Student Trustee. I would like to thank those of you who have given generous donations and sponsorships that have enabled us to purchase resources and offer programmes that would normally be beyond our means. In particular, I would like to thank members of the Centenary Trust for their support in this regard and all those who have supported our students in so many events, sports and activities. Thank you all for your contribution.

Another year is over, and we have achieved so much together. Enjoy the contents of our magazine, which exemplifies the fun, lively, and vibrant nature of our school community. Here at New Plymouth Girls' High School, we pride ourselves on giving our students a wealth of opportunities to develop themselves as confident, educated young women of outstanding character and here we celebrate how they embrace this in unique and diverse ways.

To our students who are leaving us this year, we wish you all the best for your future. Remember, every expert was once a beginner – take risks, accept challenges, celebrate success, and failure, as it is through failure that we learn. Use your mistakes to grow and learn and do better. For those of you who will be returning in the New Year, take time to reflect on this year. Think about what you want to achieve next year and have fun!

"I WISH YOU ALL A VERY RELAXING BREAK AND BEST WISHES FOR THE FUTURE."

Victoria Kerr
Principal

SCHOLARSHIPS 2018

NEW ZEALAND SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED 2018

Piri, Anahita	Y13 Accounting Outstanding Scholarship
Camden, Breanna	Y12 Biology Outstanding Scholarship
Keenan, Tessa	Y13 Drama Outstanding Scholarship
Piri, Anahita	Y13 Economics Outstanding Scholarship
Shin, Yoonseo	Y13 Music Outstanding Scholarship
Ewing, Lauryn	Y13 Accounting Scholarship
Morris, Amy	Y13 Accounting Scholarship
Mclaren-Swift, Hazel	Y13 Biology Scholarship
Steer, Stella	Y12 Biology Scholarship
Fong, Hui Ling	Y12 Biology Scholarship
Camden, Breanna	Y12 Calculus Scholarship
Mclaren-Swift, Hazel	Y13 Classical Studies Scholarship
Cohen, Hollie	Y13 Design Scholarship
Moyaen, Raevienne	Y13 Drama Scholarship
Morris, Amy	Y13 Economics Scholarship
Che Ismail, Adriana	Y12 English Scholarship
Frost, Kaylee	Y13 English Scholarship
Frost, Jessica	Y12 English Scholarship
Camden, Breanna	Y12 English Scholarship
Malloy, Kaeyla	Y13 Media Studies Scholarship
Keenan, Tessa	Y13 Media Studies Scholarship
Treweek, Nikita	Y13 Photography Scholarship
Luo, Donna	Y13 Photography Scholarship
Dwyer, Rio	Y13 Photography Scholarship
Malloy, Kaeyla	Y13 Photography Scholarship
Ogier, Madelan	Y13 Photography Scholarship
Hockey, Jessica	Y13 Photography Scholarship
Atkinson, Kate	Y12 Photography Scholarship
Cooper, Paris	Y12 Photography Scholarship
Rollo, Taylor	Y13 Photography Scholarship
Piri, Anahita	Y13 Physics Scholarship
Airey-Madriz, Luna	Y13 Spanish Scholarship
Mclaren-Swift, Hazel	Y13 Statistics Scholarship
Piri, Anahita	Y13 Statistics Scholarship
Morris, Amy	Y13 Technology Scholarship

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

I write this report as I approach the end of my time working with the New Plymouth Girls' High School as a Board of Trustee's member for the past 14 years. It has been a privilege to work with many great trustees and such a wonderful group of education professionals who are dedicated in providing the best educational opportunities for all of our students. I have been part of some excellent changes and new initiatives embedded over this time and, under the current leadership of our Principal Ms Kerr, the Senior Leadership Team, our teachers and support staff, our school aims to provide a holistic approach to the personal welfare and education of our students as we strive towards our vision "To develop educated, confident young women of outstanding character".

Over 2019 we have experienced big changes in our school board. We had some long-term trustees finish their time with the board and my sincere thanks for all that they contributed over many years. This included Brain Lee who had started as a trustee at the same time as I did and has provided expertise to the school in the area of property development, maintenance and management. There have been many building projects that Brain spearheaded and his creative design is a part of many of our buildings.

Chris Rudd also stood down after providing many years of financial expertise and being involved in several student support areas and with the school PTA. Chris was always great at asking good questions and coming up with potential solutions.

Rob McEwan had also served as a long-term board member who has been crucial to enable our school to move forward in the ever-increasing digital age. Rob was also the deputy chair for the past 6 years, and part of the personnel subcommittee. The expertise and strategic approach that Rob brought to our board has been key in many of the strategic developments we have achieved.

At the end of this most recent board term we also said goodbye to Rupa Bindra, Brett Rogers and Judyne Howell.

Our school had a good number of parents stand for election and we have had a whole new school board elected in June. I have worked with Principal Ms Kerr to support the board during a transition period and they are all now settled in and part of the school community. The board includes Ngaio Crook (Board Chair), Gaylene Findlay (Deputy Chair), David Bevins (Parent Trustee), Kelly Marriner (Parent Trustee), Sandra Parry (Staff Trustee), Louise Tester (Parent Trustee), and Anna Coomber (Student Trustee) who finishes her term in October.

The school has continued to move through a large list of building and maintenance work this past year. We have welcomed a new Business Manager, Zoe Kirkcaldie, who has quickly come to grips with the role plus has been great at ensuring all the building works continue to make progress. The largest part of this has been the re-roofing of B Block, which has been a very long process and the teachers and students affected have been very accommodating and patient. With a school the age of ours the building works will

be continuing for the next few years and the Board is working with the Ministry of Education on a long term property plan to future-proof the school and ensure that we have an environment fit for the challenges of the 21st Century.

The New Plymouth Girls' High School (NPGHS) student results continue to be positive, with many students excelling in sporting, academic, arts and cultural activities. In the current government and education arena there are many changes being initiated which will impact on our school, teachers and students. The board is committed to working closely with the Principal and the school community to ensure that any changes can be implemented in a supportive environment for both students and teaching staff. Our teachers at NPGHS are committed to supporting all students to achieve their very best. As a Board we thank all of the teachers and support staff for their contribution to our students' positive achievement. Scotlands Hostel is an integral part of our school community and is a positive contribution to the culture of our school, serving our rural, national and international community. Marina Walsh, Hostel Manager, has a great team of staff who continue to provide a positive environment for our boarders. The hostel has worked hard at implementing some of the new strategic initiatives and we have seen a growing number of new enrollments for the hostel.

Many people within our school community have made 2019 another successful year and I would like to thank everyone who has contributed to that success. Ms Kerr, as Principal, continues to lead our school with a positive and progressive approach to a 21st Century education. Our teachers' ongoing commitment and dedication to student education is outstanding; their continual support and help with the cultural and sporting activities, plus daily care to students is appreciated. Our Wai Ora Centre, as part of our school providing both nursing and counselling services, is important to the wellbeing of our school community. Our support staff are also a key part of our school community and much of the work they do is not seen, however without them, we could not operate successfully.

To all of our staff at New Plymouth Girls' High, on behalf of the Board of Trustees, we give our thanks and appreciation for all that you do. We would like to thank our long-serving staff members, who are leaving us at the end of this year, for their dedication and commitment to the school. One of our long-term teachers Mr Tony Gerber, Teacher in Charge of Physics and former Head of Science will leave NPGHS and our thanks for all that he has contributed to the school and science department. Our best wishes to you and your family.

To our students, you are our focus and our purpose is to provide you with a safe learning environment and the best opportunities to develop in your learning. I wish you the very best for your results and may you and your family have a wonderful holiday break and be blessed at this season of Christmas.

Loretta Roberts, Chair - NPGHS Board of Trustees

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TURANGAWAEWAE (Belonging) New Plymouth Girls' High School, a place to learn, live & grow. A place full of unique students, passionate teachers and supportive staff. A place where you can discover yourself, tackle new opportunities and create lifelong friendships. A place I am proud to stand.

2019 has been a year of the greatest learnings, successes, challenges and I couldn't have been more honoured to have led my school as head girl through it. What a wonderfully wild ride it has been, it's difficult to encapsulate it all into one short article!

WAWATA (Aspiration) This year has been an incredible chance for me to inspire the girls of our school, whilst in turn, them motivating me. A vision I love and hope to have demonstrated is to seek out distant horizons and cherish those you attain. Through this journey I have been encouraged to be willing to take risks, to put yourself out there, to be vulnerable. Take blows and continue on. "As we let our own light shine, we unconsciously give other people permission to do the same. As we are liberated from our own fear, our presence automatically liberates others."

AROHA (Love) Gratitude, spreading love & support towards not only the others around you, but also yourself, is something I find incredibly important. I'm proud to see the emphasis we placed on this around the school this year. Valentines day was a perfect chance where we were able to kick-start this mission. The day was full of sharing the love, opening our gratitude wall and of course providing flowers & chocolates to the beautiful people of our school. It was satisfying to see this be carried on throughout the year as people would pin things they were grateful for up on the gratitude board. Love was shared throughout pride week with girls contributing to the multi coloured ribbon wall and one of my most favourite highlights was during happy week. Happy week was truly quite something special to experience. Through creating a school video by asking many of the unique, beautiful young women of our school the simple question of "what brings you joy?" I loved being able to interact with so many new girls from various year levels and see faces burst into smiles & laughter.

ITI REAREA, TEITEI KAHIKATEA KA TAEA
 "The small Rearea bird is able to scale the heights of the tallest Kahikatea."
 SIZE AND AGE DO NOT LIMIT US IN OUR CONQUEST FOR SUCCESS.

HANGA (Create) It has been a privilege to chair the ball, social and be a part of the school council committees. Working with various year levels and seeing the ideas we created to help get people involved in the school and loving the outcome has been very rewarding. The ball has been one of the most incredible journeys this year as we were able to experience everything from mad & messy working bees, to the final evening where we were able to cherish the night, making memories we will never forget. To the incredible ball committee girls, it wouldn't have been possible without you. Thank you for the amount of time & care you put into making the night so special.

TēNā KOUTOU (Thank You) To our incredible Year 13 leaders! Here's to you and all the time & effort you have put into your passions this year. Your creativity, enthusiasm & dedication is something that is so admirable, you have been a vital part in making 2019 the wild year it has been!



Ms Kerr, I thank you for the inspiration you are to give myself and all the ambitious young women that you lead the way for. Thanks for all that you have invested in this school, the wisdom & life stories you have been able to share with Georgia, Brianna and I. We are so grateful for it all!

The senior Leadership team who are a constant support and have passion for our school, thank you! Mrs Bradburn, we couldn't thank you enough for the hours you have spent guiding us, finding all the answers to our questions or just having a friendly chat with us. Your ability to just drop anything and spare your time to help and encourage us has been more than appreciated! It can't go without saying the biggest thanks to all the amazing office staff, Melissa and the one and only Andy, the groundsman, you never fail to enlighten us with your sense of humour and passion for life.

HAERENGA (Journey) The Year 13s, our class of 2019! We did it, what a crazy ride it has been. I can't express enough how epic you all are, such an amazing group of talented, unique, strong young women. I wish you all the best for future endeavours and I know you all will smash everything you dare to achieve out in the exciting new world. It's been such a pleasure being part of such a tight knit year group!

KAEA (Lead) Georgia & Brianna, you two rock my world! I couldn't be more grateful to have shared this journey with you. It has been quite special to have grown, created and led together through our last year of high school. I have endless amounts of respect for you both. I truly couldn't have gone through this whirlwind experience without any of your hilarious sense of humor, willingness to let the walls down and sing, dance and rap in front of the school, your endless love, support and encouragement. Continue to be the bold, beautiful, go getting and selfless people you are. You are such an inspiration to me and so many others. I am so proud of what this year has become for us.

WHANAU (Family) For my truly remarkable friends & family. I have learnt to surround yourself with people who add value to your life, who challenge you to be greater than you were yesterday, who sprinkle magic into your existence. You do all of this and more! I can't thank you enough for all the love & support that you have provided through this role and life in general!

Finally, here's to the amazing young women still on their journey through Girls High! It has been a privilege to serve as your Head Girl this year, continue to love and be loved, learn and with that grow, get comfortable with the uncomfortable and know when you need to rest under the shaded tree. There is a wolf inside of every woman. Her wolf was who she was made to be before the world told her who to be. Her wolf is her talent, her power, her dreams, her voice, her curiosity, her courage, her dignity, her choices, her truest identity.

Find your wolf. Ella Wood, Year 13

DEPUTY HEAD GIRL



“HIGH SCHOOL IS
THE BEST TIME
OF YOUR LIFE.”

“High school is the best time of your life.” I used to scoff anytime someone used to say this to me, but as 2019 draws to a close and I reflect on my education at Girls’ High, I have become increasingly aware that High School is a once in a life-time thing and it is one of the grooviest experiences which flashes by so quickly. 2019. What a banger of a year!

To 2019’s Year 13s – hey we did it! It has been a roller coaster, but we’ve made it. It is now time to embark on the next chapter of our lives and find out what life beyond high school and adulthood is really like.

Being one of the deputy head girls this year has been a whirlwind. The role has been so much more than I had ever expected. Sometimes it could be challenging, but the most time it has been an absolute blast. Although sad to be leaving, I think that Ella, Georgia, myself and the rest of the Year 13s has given back to the school which has given so much to us. It was amazing to see our initiatives blossom from ideas on paper to real life. The gratitude wall is one of my favorite initiatives. It is humbling to read the things people within our school are grateful for, and how aware people are of what we have compared to others.

This year started off with the highly anticipated swimming sports and athletics. I thoroughly enjoyed watching the differing year levels integrate together and work as one big whanau. Despite being in a competitive environment, the spirit, passion and friendship shone through. One of my biggest highlights was without a doubt our annual ball. The night was filled with laughter, good food, brilliant company, and lots of photos. A big thank you to the ball committee for helping pull off the ‘Cloud 9’ theme, it was a dream to work alongside you all. Another of my highlights was also being a part of the amazing school council. My role within the school allowed me to join the council again and be a part of all the major decision making around the school. The council ran another successful happy week, with a new activity being created- a banner

making contest which bought out everyone’s competitive and creative natures.

Of course, 2019 was made possible with the help and guidance from some very special people. Firstly, to my family; thank you for putting up for me when I was tired or stressed, but also for showing me endless support and love. To my friends and Year 13; thank you for the laughs, the love, the smiles, and the words of support. Most importantly thank you for being the best year group ever! To Ms. Bradburn; thank you for putting up with the constant emails that we sent to you, for being so organized and willing to help but also super supportive throughout this year. To the staff of New Plymouth Girls’ high; you are all incredible humans and although we don’t say it often, we appreciate everything you do for us students. And finally, to Ms. Kerr. Thank you for all your guidance this year, I have cherished our weekly meetings, with conversations ranging from your upbringing to the day to day running of the school. Ehara taku toa I te to takitahi he toa takitini. I didn’t get here by myself, I got here with the help of others.

Last but not least, to my fellow Head Girls. Ella and Georgia. Where do I even begin? You two are both the most exceptional people and you constantly amaze me. I admire your ability to manage high performance sport, schooling, your leadership role, family commitments and a social life on a day to day basis. Some days your sanity was questionable, but so was mine. There is no one I would have pictured myself working alongside. You two are the most determined, hard-working, compassionate and loving people and I cannot wait to see where these traits take you in the future. I consider you two like extended family now and I am going to miss you both very much next year.

My Girls’ High journey will forever hold a special place in my heart. I am so thankful for every opportunity I have been given, and cannot wait to see what the future holds for myself, the people and New Plymouth Girls’ High School.

Brianna See, Year 13



Georgia Bricknall, my name was called along with a few others. I knew one of my sandals wasn’t in great shape – in fact, the strap had broken just a few moments before my name was called. I slowly waddled towards the base of the stairs. I had two options; keep the shoe on and try my very best to keep the flopping sound to a minimum, or I could take my sandals off – which I decided against, as I wasn’t sure that walking across the stage in bare feet would be the best look. Every step with my right foot was smooth and then everyone knew when my left foot hit the ground as the sound echoed around the hall. It probably didn’t help that when I walked across the stage I looked like a mix of Mr Bean waddling and a clown with oversized shoes, bringing even more attention to myself. This was my final day of Year 12 and I had two thoughts. My first thought, well hey at least this is my last day of school and my second thought was, at least I gave some people a smile and a slight giggle today. I would be leaving that in 2018 and buying a fresh pair of sandals for 2019! And oh 2019 you have been epic, to say the least.

Thank-you 2019 and the awesome previous four years - from the endless lengths of the school pool and a couple laps around the TET stadium track. To the 1st XV rugby wearing and rugby chatting performances across the stage, even to the attempted The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air theme song remake. To the many football matches on the beautiful days or even the endless adventure races across the country – NPGHS you have been crazy cool! I have loved all my five years of education and I really wouldn’t change it for a single thing.

I am so inspired by the role models around me. My first shout out is to Ella, you are my rock and I’m so thankful for your endless

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love and support I’m unsure what I would do without you. Your service to not only the school, but your commitment to sport and school work – is something you should be incredibly proud of. And to my fellow deputy – Brianna. You are so sweet and truly a great friend. You’ve always been there for me no matter what and I cannot thank you enough for being so caring. Also thank-you for your random acts of kindness throughout the year, they always bought a smile to my face!

A huge thank-you to Ms Kerr. I have loved our discussions and all the wisdom that you have passed on to us three. We have covered a range of topics in our Friday lunchtime meetings – quite often going overtime. I really should thank you for putting up with my reviews about the recent Liverpool Champions League Final win or rugby games! Also to the amazing Mrs Bradburn who is always putting others first and has been so easy to work with. I know the three of us appreciate your support and check-ins to see how we are all doing. Mrs Coleman and Mr Faulkner you have been such amazing deans and again through the ball committee and school council I have enjoyed working with you both. Thank you for all your help throughout the year. I cannot thank my amazing teachers enough! Throughout my five years at Girls’ High, I have had some of the very best teachers there are who genuinely want the very best for me. From the extra help, the best lessons and greatest life advice, these five years have been made extra special from you!

Following on from this, Year 13 leaders you have been incredible this year and I cannot thank you enough for all the help along the way! I have enjoyed working alongside you to create many smiles this year for the girls. I think the Waka Huia leaders deserve a special mention with all the hard work with house events, banner building, play creating and fun running – you’ve done so well! Along with this thanks to

the many friends and family who have provided any support and encouragement along the way, it doesn’t go unnoticed.

Above all I need to thank my beautiful family and friends – you have been the best to me and have helped me out more than I can put into words. I truly feel so thankful to be surrounded by the most supportive group ever!

Although I’m someone who spends nearly every moment in football shorts, I have to say that the ball was a huge highlight of my year. The Cloud 9 idea was floated around and it was made official that it would be our theme. I cannot thank the wonderful ball committee enough for coming together for many lunchtime meetings and many weekends to make clouds. You are all so amazing and created such a special night for the Year 13s! And to the amazing Year 13 group, you all are amazing and I hope you enjoyed the night grooving away to DJ BENNO.

Following on from the groovy vibes, another highlight was watching the Year 9s groove to the hippie vibe over at Boys’ High and the year 10s and 11s get amongst the ‘occupations’ theme at Girls’ High. It was great grooving with all of you! And some even better dance-offs were seen!

I would also say that the assemblies have been a huge highlight of my year. I love to take the moment and listen to the names of the girls who are achieving amazing things. From the amazing kapa haka performances to the signing of the classic ‘if it weren’t for your gumboots’ tune, or the many sports, cultural and academic achievements. You have all put a smile on my face and I admire the hard work and dedication that you’ve shown.

Thanks, Girls’ High for the great five years– I truly wish all the future students the very best

BIG LOVE!
Georgia Bricknall, Year 13

BOT LEADER



My time as Student Board of Trustees Student Representative in 2019 has been immensely interesting, I have learnt so much about NPGHS and what goes on behind the scenes to make the school run so smoothly. My final year at Girls' High has been so enjoyable and to be able to spend this year as a leader in the school, especially as a part of the board has been such an honour. For me have the privilege to act as the student voice and ensure that my peers have the best time at NPGHS is a dream come true. Attending the meeting monthly I truly believe has set me up wonderfully for the future, now I understand what a proper adult meeting entails and I am so grateful for the knowledge I have gained from this position. I would sincerely recommend this position to anyone at NPGHS as this leadership role has provided me with so many great skills. I would like to say a massive thank you to Mrs. Cumberledge, Ms. Kerr and the rest of the board members for helping me to adapt to this role and for continually making me feel welcome. I would also like to congratulate the 2020 Student Representative on their selection. Being selected by your peers is such an honour and I know that they are just as proud of you as I am. I encourage you to take in everything you learn as it will set you up wonderfully for your future, good luck and I know you will do amazing!

Lastly, I would like to thank everyone at NPGHS for helping me on my journey; friends, family, teachers and more, I couldn't have asked for better. Thank you NPGHS.

Anna Coomber, Year 13

MUSIC LEADER



It's truly been a rewarding experience being Music Leader for 2019! I feel the Music Department has definitely taken a step in the right direction when it came to achieving our goal which was to get more people joining us in our music endeavours. When taking on this challenging role I was completely clueless on how to approach it but found that with time and help from my peers I was able to rise to the challenge. My intentions were to take a fun approach to the role and I'm glad to say that I have done so!

The first music events of the year was ARTS WEEK! This week many people got involved in both 'Busking', 'Giant Musical chairs' and 'karaoke'! We also had our talented musicians playing in the library. A wide variety of people came together for these events and it was definitely heart warming to see everyone giving it their all. The Music Committee was a huge help when organising and running these events and I can't thank them enough! During the year I was in charge of organising school singing/performance which was defiantly a challenge as our school is so diverse but I felt although I rose to the occasion! We also had fundraiser showcase to raise money for our Jubilate Choir who were heading off to the Cadenza in Whanganui.

Never have I felt so content with the joy music has brought to not only the students of NPGHS but also the wider community! I've had the pleasure of experiencing new adventures with amazing people and I'm forever grateful for being allowed to help keep students passionate about Music and allowing them to express themselves as individuals. Thank you to everyone who help me in my journey to make this school rock!

Paris Cooper, Year 13

VISUAL ARTS LEADER

This year has been very successful for the Visual Arts community at our school. We have had many students involved in various art related events around the school such as Arts Week and being a member on the Visual Arts Committee. This allowed students to explore and expand their creativity. We also had another successful Student/Teacher Visual Arts exhibition where we combined with The Collaboration.

It has been a very rewarding and enjoyable role as it has allowed me to encourage students and inspire them to get involved in Visual Arts. This year, we had the chance to welcome many new students into our Visual Arts Committee. This has been good for our committee and it has given us the chance to introduce new ideas. We have had the privilege to welcome many artists into our school to speak at our lunchtime 'Artist talks' about their careers and experiences with art. This has been a wonderful opportunity for students to learn more about the possibilities around Visual Arts and where it can take them in the future.

As well as this we have held many art events at the school, especially during Arts Week, such as



Pavement art, Wearable arts and Avant Garde Hair art. Many students, including those who are not usually interested in the arts, involved themselves in these activities which was awesome to see. These activities have allowed us to bring many students together.

The most valuable part has been the opportunities presented to students to participate in activities with their friends and have fun together. I have found this role to be very rewarding as it has allowed me to inspire students who may not have been involved in Visual Arts before and encourage them to have fun with these activities and their peers. Thank you to the Visual Arts committee and staff.

Stella Steer, Year 13

DRAMA LEADER



"WHAT A YEAR"

What a year 2019 has been for Drama both in the classroom and onstage! It has been great fun and a privilege to work with Mrs Simpson and all the other Drama girls, promoting theatre and the hard work that goes on behind the scenes of each performance. Drama is widely loved at NPGHS, with a strong following of students that feels like one big family. This role has been an absolute joy and has made me further appreciate the various Drama activities around the school, as well as the talented actresses/ stage crew who have participated.

Some notable events this year were the class productions, Three-day plays, and the Sheliah Winn Shakespeare festival. Congratulations to Sarah Mulder and Georgia Bunn who went on to represent the school at nationals in Wellington!

A particular highlight was the Waka Huia plays, which was just as exciting as it was total chaos! The criteria involved re-imagining the classic fairy-tale of Cinderella, but with a different genre for each Waka Huia (e.g. horror). This resulted in a lot of memorable moments; Mr Brown's appearance as fairy godmother, an awesome rendition of 'Slice of Heaven,' and some stellar finale dances. The Waka Huia leaders and students involved really gave it their all, and their enthusiasm was infectious- the crowd was frequently in fits of laughter.

Special thanks go to Ellie Grieve who fabulously ran musical theatre club every Tuesday morning. This was a hit amongst the girls, as we fine-tuned performances from musicals such as 'Matilda' and 'Be More Chill.'

I am grateful for the overwhelming support offered from Mrs Simpson and other students, and I really got a kick out of working with girls from all year levels. This year has been fantastic, best of luck for all Drama students in the future- break a leg!

Allie McKenzie, Year 13

DANCE LEADER



My role as Dance Leader this year has consisted of many successful and fun events that many students got involved in. During Terms 1 and 2 we held weekly lunchtime Hip Hop and Contemporary Dance classes with a positive turn out of students who were there to learn something new and have fun! Arts Week was another highlight of my role as Dance Leader as it was a whole week dedicated to encouraging students to get involved with Dance within the school. We had a Hip Hop group who learned an awesome dance which they performed at the Showcase where many other students demonstrated their dance talents. I was so proud of all those students who gave it a

go during Arts Week including encouraging their friends to get involved too.

The yearly Night of Dance was held mid Term 3 where we have Years 10 – 13 Dance students performing dances they had learnt and choreographed throughout the year in Dance with Mrs McCrae. This night ran successfully with plenty of talent, costumes and hairspray!

I would like to thank every student that made my role of Dance Leader enjoyable by getting involved and helping promote the spirit of Dance around our school

Nicole Heaysman, Year 13

HONOHONO CO-LEADERS



The role of Honohono leaders was almost inevitable for us due to the wide involvement with the Māori culture at New Plymouth Girls' High. Since Year 9 we have helped out with all the Hui and the Māori events because we enjoyed being surrounded in our beloved culture.

The role of Honohono co-leaders for 2019 was such a rewarding role because we got to embrace our culture as well as share the beautiful aspects of the Māori tikanga with the school. In Term 3 we had the privilege of organising Te Wiki o Te Reo Māori. We held events in Tuhonohono which was a good way to value our school where. We held poi making sessions where girls from different year levels got to learn how to make traditional Māori poi.

Our Kapa Haka group have been extremely successful this year, performing at Pae Rangatahi as well as many school performances. Our staff kapahaka have also flourished and we were able to combine both groups for our performance at the Māori assembly.

Earlier this year our senior Māori class went on a weekend noho at Nukuhau Marae in Taupo-nui-a-tia. This was great way for us to speak Te Reo Māori in a practical environment with the help of Matua Rihari and Whaea Jill.

The role of Honohono co-leaders gave us the ability to have a voice for Māori and Pasifika students at our school. This year we had the opportunity to be in the Māori Kawai Huia group as Year 13 students. This allowed us to help the teina in our class and be successful role models.

It has been an honour to serve as Honohono co-leaders for 2019 and we would like to thank all the staff who have supported our journey at New Plymouth Girls' High School.

Jacosta Demetriou and Moniqua Demetriou, Year 13

TRADITIONAL SCIENCES LEADER



"SOMEWHERE, SOMETHING INCREDIBLE IS WAITING TO BE KNOWN." CARL SAGAN

Science and Mathematics have long been our way of discovering more about the world around us; I believe that these fields have so much to offer. They satisfy our curiosity to learn and challenge ourselves and offer an exciting range of career opportunities. As Academic Leader for Traditional Sciences this year I have been inspired to share these subjects with a wide range of students, with emphasis on fun and practical activities accessible to all!

2019 has been an exciting year, with many awesome opportunities and events. Maths and Science Week was a huge success with great student turn out and involvement. Ice cream making was popular and many students came along to discover the science behind creating their own ice cream. The Chase saw Waka Huia teams take on "the Terror" in a new initiative involving high-tension problem solving, while the Marble Roller Coasters, Forensic Science, A-Maths-Ing Race and Lolly Jar activities all proved to be heaps of fun, with winners taking home 'Nobel Prizes' for their achievements.

Our school was lucky enough to receive funding from Curious Minds to install electricity generation equipment on Tuhonohono, including solar panels and wind turbines. This has been used by Mr Hockey and his team of students during the design process of their electric car for the Evolocity competition. We hope that these facilities will inspire students to gain a deeper appreciation for sustainable sciences, with many more projects in the future!

This year I have been fortunate to have an amazing committee behind me, eager to get involved and enthusiastic to help with all maths and science related events. I would like to thank everyone who has helped this year become a success, including Mr Bone, Mr McFarlane and Mrs Parry for all your continued encouragement and support.

Breanna Camden, Year 13

TRADITIONAL ARTS LEADER



Tena koto, Being the Traditional Arts Leader for 2019 has been a role which has offered many exciting opportunities, and one I have loved promoting in our school. My main focus this year was further establishing the funky purple traditional arts badges. This badge recognizes many significant achievements in a wide range of subjects. With an ever-extending list of qualifying activities, this year saw lots of girls getting amongst it, and we have had a successful year!

Another aspect of my role was running the traditional arts committee, which had a super impressive turnout, and really demonstrated the drive and passion many of our students hold for these interesting subjects. Our committee held several successful meetings where we encouraged discussions and planned ideas for our academic arts subjects.

NPGHS students are an extremely talented bunch, with many successful speakers, writers, and other skilled girls in our midst. Some of the most interesting activities that our girls were involved in throughout the year were creative writing workshops, race unity speech competitions and school speech finals, ICAS exams, debate club and languages week. A highlight was this year's Lit Quiz competition, which NPGHS entered two teams into who put in huge efforts, with one team able to come out champions. The wide range of activities on offer showcases the diverse range of teachers and students who offer these opportunities, and the multi-talented students that can participate and excel over a range of areas. Congratulations and thank you for your participation and efforts this year, you are what has made it a memorable one!

Izzie Simpson, Year 13

TECHNOLOGY LEADERS

This year has been an exciting rollercoaster for my deputy and I. We established the first all-women League of Legends Esports team and made an Esports committee. From the beginning of the year there have been many issues and barriers that seemed impossible to overcome. However, with passion and perseverance we made the impossible possible. This role brings a variety of

people together. From working alongside the senior leadership team to the students of New Plymouth Girls' High, I believe that there has been a significant improvement in the technological development at Girls' High



This role for me as Technology Leader has made my problem-solving abilities enhance. One of the highlights was to make the first Esports committee's in the school then, to make a successful tournament for Girls' in gaming. The League of Legends team has been successful in training and throughout the matches and I am grateful to have decided to start. Technology is usually unrated and an overused team in our generation but, I do believe that I have inspired many young future leaders that it's something not to be afraid of.

I do wish that the many girls from the committee carry on this dream of mine to other generations. This could not have been achieved without the help from the Senior Leadership Team. Thank you for supplying me with and my deputy, the tools to make this year a successful technological year.

Nathika Gouws, Year 13

HAUORA LEADERS

This year has been a wild ride for Emma and I, we have thoroughly enjoyed organizing events at school for the Hauora of our fellow students and the wider community. Following the Christchurch Mosque Attacks, Emma and I made and sold green ribbons around the school, a highly meaningful colour for the Muslim community, to send a message that we supported them during their grievance.



Along with a mufti day alongside the school council, we raised \$3000 for the victims of the attacks.

We organized a Pink Shirt day with the school council where students wore pink shirts to stand up against

bullying and supported the 40 Hour Famine leaders in organizing the annual event.

The Hauora committee sold Poppies for Poppy day on the 12th April, in support of the RSA. We sold Daffodils in August to support the Cancer Society, where all the money we raised supported those suffering from cancer in Taranaki, which was incredibly fulfilling.

A huge project for us was organizing the blood drive. It was warming to see the number of girls who were so keen to donate and save lives. For every person who donated blood, up to 3 lives could have been saved which is amazing to think that we could have saved up to 200 lives.

Mental Health is something that is close to both Emma and my heart's and we wanted to use our role to raise awareness for this at NPGHS. Mike King's "Gumboot Day", allowed girls to wear gumboots, jandals or slipper instead of their regulation school shoes. Gumboots were chosen as having a mental illness can feel like "walking in mud." We organised a gumboot throw on the day and it was a fun way for students to show their support for an amazing cause.

Jess Wingate, Year 13

SPORTS CAPTAIN

Back & forth, back & forth, up & down the tennis court. Streeeettcchhhh to the sky then down to the floor, breathe in & out. Dribble, pass, shoot, swish! Dive, stroke, stroke, stroke, tumble turn, glllllidddeeee. Claudia & I grabbed the baton from Mackenzie & Jenna and bounded off down this year's track.

A year filled with giving it a go, setting goals, achieving goals, big smiles and lots of fun! Oh what a year it has been. We kicked it off with Swimming Sports down at the school pool, and Athletics, a tough Waka Huia contest out at the TET stadium in Inglewood. What a great couple of days full of competition and giving it a go! The sun graced us with its presence, and many people finished the day looking a lot like Aotea.

Summer tournament week was a success, congratulations to all those girls that gave it their all!

The sports council formed early and got into some pretty exciting meetings full of planning the year ahead. Brainstorming brought up the idea of an activities badge, yoga, Jump Jam, an Amazing Race and Zumba. Many girls got right into these, the Jump Jam was a hit, the Amazing Race was tightly



contested and people got their boogie on doing Zumba. Yoga was a great initiative to get girls to slow down for a minute and refocus on their wellbeing. We're so grateful for our sports council team for giving it their all and for coming up with heaps of ideas for girls to get into, to help support both physical and mental wellbeing.

We were sprinting down the track picking up speed, before we knew it, it was the middle of the year and suddenly winter tournament week was upon us. Months of training culminated in one week of intense competition. What a star effort from all involved!

We had both summer & winter sports exchanges happen throughout the year with Palmerston North, Whanganui Collegiate, Whanganui High and Hamilton. There was a strong showing from both sides and games were played in great spirits! The girls saw some wins and losses, and were humble in victory and gracious in defeat.

Girls' High vs Boys' High Y13 games were hotly contested. Crowds of girls supported us in our home games, and I'm pretty sure we won dodge ball... just maybe. We also played touch, netball, multisport and volleyball, which were a bit closer. In fact, the girls did a clean sweep of sets in the volleyball!

A lot of email banter... back & forth. Then a game was upon us! Staff vs Y13 Netball. The stadium was packed, there were hair ribbons, half-time lollies, drinks breaks... and Mr Faulkner in a Prens Netball dress! A narrow loss saw me using the box of tissues Mr Faulkner gave me to wipe my tears away. But a rematch was soon lined up.

Claudia, what a star! I look up to you and all the incredible things you achieve in sport, school and life. I have loved working with you these last five years and this year was a pretty cool to top it off with. Thanks for being such a fab friend!

Claudia & I have had an absolute blast this year surrounded with the most supportive girls. A big thank you must go out to Mrs Yates, Mrs Gillum-Green and Mrs Cleaver for all your help. As we near the end of the track, the baton is held out in front of us and is ready to be passed to the next runners, for next year's leg. Best of luck and have a blast!

Kate Atkinson, Year 13

OUTDOOR EDUCATION LEADER

Isla and I have had the privilege of being the Outdoor Education Leaders for 2019 and have loved getting involved with a wide range of students, activities and teachers throughout the year. We have some highlights that we would love to share with you.

At the beginning of 2019, Year 9 camp was held at the Te Wera camp site. This week was filled with a whole bunch of laughs and plenty of fun activities such as mud runs, night lines, problem solving activities and archery.



Later in the year, there were numerous other camps that took place, such as TOPEC and OPC, which is held at the Hillary Outdoors centre in Tongariro. We are looking forward to the end of year camps for both Year 9 and 10 students and know that these will be action packed and memorable.

We have also had many girls who have competed in events such as rogaining, orienteering, Hillary Challenge, and Get-2-Go, all of which have achieved some great results representing NPGHS. Our Hillary team took out the national title earlier this year, and the winning regional Get-2-Go team is off to Great Barrier Island for the national finals in Term 4.

We would like to say a massive thank you to all the teachers and parents who have worked hard to make all these camps and opportunities for our students happen. Special thanks goes to Dr. Fayle and Mr. Robinson for their effort in organizing some amazing camps for our Year 9 and 10 students.

Jody Rawlinson, Year 13

ENVIRONMENT LEADERS



This year has been huge for the Environment Girls' at NPGHS! We have been lucky enough to be part of the global 'School Strike 4 Climate' movement, started by the inspirational teen Greta Thunberg. Students from our school have been involved in three strikes—the 15th of March, where a group of around 40 students marched along the coastal walkway to be part of a rally at the Puke Ariki Landing. Kim and I both spoke to the crowd of around 200 students and supportive adults, and we were followed by the Prime Minister Jacinda Ardern who inspired many young people and called the current climate crisis "our generations nuclear free moment". Evie Mogford videoed

the event and made a short documentary on our involvement. Students also got stuck into a beach clean up on May the 24th, and another rally and a march through town on September 27th. There were many amazing signs hand painted for these events and I feel all those involved got a valuable education surrounding the climate crisis and what we can do to help, as well as the power of social actions and youth coming together on a national and global scale.

We were also part of the push for the proposed Mount Messenger bypass to not go ahead. Many acres of precious virgin bushland will be destroyed and the habitat of many native and special plants

and animals will be destroyed. Mr Smith made a documentary which we showed a snippet of to the school and asked for those interested to add their names to a petition.

Many girls were involved in various beach clean ups and tree planting events in the community throughout the year which was awesome! We also had a healthy crowd of students attend a talk that Breanna Camden (Science leader) and I organised, where Otago University Professor Sally Brooker talked about her involvement in the development of hydrogen technology.

Exciting times all round!

Bec Simpson, Year 13

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS LEADER



"As the International Leader of New Plymouth Girls' High School of 2019, I am given the privilege to guide and lead the international students for the year.

Looking at my fellow international juniors and friends today, I was reminded of when I first came to New Plymouth Girls' High School back in 2017. At that time, I knew nothing much about New Zealand. All I really knew was there are more sheep than humans in this little country. My lack of knowledge about New Zealand made me even more curious and I was determined to know more about the country and its culture. In 2017, I made one of the craziest decisions of my life – I decided to continue my secondary studies in New Zealand and began my journey at NPGHS as a Year 11 student. It was quite a spontaneous decision for me to move from my home country, Malaysia, all the way to New Zealand. At first, I was extremely excited about studying abroad for the first time ever. It's an important milestone.

Unfortunately, it wasn't all sunshine and rainbows.

I had a rocky start as there are several difficulties that I have encountered as an International student. One of the major and most common ones would be dealing with homesickness. Along my journey, I was introduced to many other international girls from countries such as Vanuatu, Germany, Vietnam, Japan and more. Some came to NPGHS earlier than I did and most of them could emotionally relate to how I felt at that time. I was able to gradually overcome my homesickness and loneliness because of how friendly the girls were and how easily we could get along with one another because we have so much in common. The staff and teachers also played important role in making us feel extremely welcome and comfortable. They never hesitated to assist and guide us whenever we were unsure about anything. Thanks to the hospitable staff and the easy-going girls in school, my experience at NPGHS as well as in New Zealand has been astounding."

Joe Yie Lai, Year 13

LIBRARY LEADER



What a year 2019 has been! The year began with our first meeting in Term 1 where we welcomed 94 girls as student librarians who have worked so hard throughout the year in activities such as book wrapping, and checking out books which have helped make the library such an enjoyable place to be.

In Term 2, we held Library Week, where we organised fun activities in the library for every day of week 4, such as Flag Kahoot, Library Scavenger Hunt, a Poetry Slam and a Library Quiz. These activities helped promote an interest in language and knowledge, which is something that has always been encouraged by the presence of a library at Girls' High, and helped students familiarise themselves with our modern learning environment. Displays were put up outlining events such as New Zealand Music Month, which was celebrated with musicians coming to play at lunchtimes. We also started a Book and Film Club which I hope can be continued in the future, so that students have a chance to relax and enjoy movies and stories in a way that is approachable.

These activities would not have been possible without the continued support of Maureen, whose encouragement and guidance have been endless, and our librarians whose dedication and ideas have made this school year so much fun. Thank you for working so hard to ensure that the library runs smoothly.

All in all, my tenure as Library Leader has taught me about time management, organisation and delegation of tasks. I wish the future Library Leader best of luck in maintaining the library's status at Girls' High as a comfortable safe haven for all students.

Adriana Che Ismail, Year 13



SCHOOL COUNCIL SECRETARY



The achievements of the 2019 School Council are evident through the successes of events such as Happy Week, Gumboot Day and Pink Shirt Day, which all had their own individual but equally significant impact within the school. The organisation of such events was accomplished through the regular fortnight meetings with representatives of each year level, the Head Girl and Deputies, the Hauora Leaders, Year Level Council Leader and Mrs Bradburn and Mr Faulkner. Together, we engaged in topical discussions regarding ideas that could be implemented throughout the school in order to make a valuable and positive contribution to NPGHS.

A project that the School Council worked to instigate was the planting of a Titoki Tree, which was planted as a permanent memorial for the victims of the Christchurch Mass Shootings in March this year. The Titoki Tree represents strength, morale, resistance and knowledge. This embodies the qualities possessed by the Muslim community following the terrorist attack. The planting of the Titoki Tree occurred on October 15th to mark the 7th Month Anniversary of the shootings and was done through a formal ceremony. We are confident that the planting of this tree within NPGHS will have a lasting significance on both staff and students, and that we all will remember the victims of this attack.

NPGHS is undoubtedly a community-focused school, as the School Council has the responsibility of selecting the charities and organisations the proceeds from our school mufti days go to. This year, funds were given to victims of the Christchurch Mass Shootings through the Givealittle page, Little Fighters and Youthline. These charities and organisations all work incredibly hard to help Kiwis all throughout the country, so it was awesome to know that our donations would be making a big difference within the community. Massive thank you to everyone who donated!

I have had a thoroughly enjoyable time being the School Council Secretary, and my experience has provided me with a greater appreciation for NPGHS after seeing and being involved with all the planning, organisation and communication that is required to ensure the success of schoolwide events and activities. I give a huge thank you to everyone who was part of the 2019 School Council, and I am grateful for your time and hard work in achieving all that we have!

Jessica Li, Year 13

YEAR LEVEL COUNCIL LEADER



Being your 2019 Year Level Council Leader has truly been a privilege. This opportunity allowed me to work and organise events for the school with girls from all year levels. Communication and listening was a key part of my role to gather great ideas and suggestions about the issues around the school from students and teachers.

Being the Year Level Council Leader allowed me to also be a member of the School Council which helped me with my communication skills as well as made me more confident with interacting with girls from each year level as well as staff and teachers from around the school. A highlight for the Council was Happy Week with a range of activities to help uplift the school spirit (such as the Banner competition which chose the happy flag that was flown for the week). A titoki tree was also planted in remembrance of the March 15th Christchurch mass shooting and is symbolic of the strength, resistance, morale and knowledge of the New Zealand Muslim community in these hard times.

The hard work and meetings put into the organisation of the new and annually run activities in the school has given the seniors in the council a greater understanding of the deep-rooted traditions in the school, and for the juniors it gave a taste of what it would be like to run these activities officially in the near future. Although the council has just a little background influence on the happenings of New Plymouth Girls' High School, our impacts helped the school run efficiently and organised. Overall I am very fortunate that I was able to be the Year Level Council Leader for the end of the decade (2019!), I am glad I was able to make new memories and the most of this wonderful experience.

Magdali (Maggi) Feldtmann, Year 13

PROMOTIONS LEADER

In 2019 I have been given the privilege to hold the role of Promotions Leader. In this year, my role I would say has been relatively minor, however, I have been able to establish the beginnings of a Newspaper Club at Girls' High. This opportunity has taught me that the organization and development of a club requires much attention to every detail of how to systematically carry it out efficiently. In the future, I hope that there can be continuation of a Newspaper club in Girls' High to further promote and encourage student voice.

Overall, I hope for the future that there are further actions within this role and it develops into one of importance at Girls' High. Thank you for this opportunity and I hope for the best for the next leader in 2020.

Xinxin Chen, Year 13



PASIFIKA LEADER



Being a Pasifika Leader has given me so many opportunities. It has given me the opportunity to not only share my culture but other cultures too. Being surrounded by students that were from different cultures was really an eye opener for me. I have enjoyed the experience. I am very grateful to Ms Mac who provided me with the opportunity to become the Pasifika Leader for 2019 at New Plymouth Girls' High School.

Seini Boi, Year 13

PEER TUTORING LEADER

As New Plymouth Girls' High School's Peer Tutoring Leader of 2019 my responsibilities included liaising with staff to generate awareness of the peer tutoring program, and supporting students seeking tutoring to meet their goals, as well as recruiting enthusiastic, competent and capable student tutors. I promoted the program during parent teacher conferences, handing out application forms to staff for distribution, and kept HoD's in the loop through Teams. I produced versatile application forms, advertised in the school notices and via the Head of Departments in key subject areas. These have been available at student services for most of the year. This role

has helped strengthen my logical reasoning and problem-solving skills, as I endeavoured to make informed choices on which tutors and students seeking tutors, were most compatible considering their various strengths, goals and availability. The majority of students I've worked alongside this year found the application process was easy to follow and felt they had been contacted within a reasonable time frame, which was good to hear. A wider student awareness of the program is something future leaders should consider improving. One of the biggest challenges is this role has been finding tutors in the areas where applicants need help the most, this has been especially

challenging, and I have at times taken it upon myself to pick up some of the slack. This has been a rewarding experience. Around 30 students were involved in the peer tutoring program this year, with a further 20 or so offering their service. I would encourage anyone who would like additional help in their subjects of weakness, or anybody looking to solidify their own understanding through helping others to put themselves forward for the peer tutoring program next year.

Jessica Frost, Year 13



PEER SUPPORT LEADERS



What an amazing year it has been for us in this leadership position, working alongside the wonderful Year 13 Peer Support girls who have put in so much effort to ensure the Year 9 students have had an easy transition into girls high. Through the events we organised The Just Dance competition and Quick Quizzes Race. We could see the new students feel more comfortable within the school and we thrived off seeing the Kawi Huia relationships blossom. This leadership position for us was truly a highlight of our year, with so much support from Mrs. Findlay. We could work hard to achieve our overall goals within this role but also have fun along the way. This role has brought new opportunities, taught us new skills and introduced us to many new wonderful people. We have both enjoyed working alongside each other and forming a bond of our own. Overall 2019 Peer Support was a wonderful, fun experience.

Abby Darke, Year 13

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SADD STUDENTS AGAINST DRINK DRIVING

As SADD Co-Leaders at school this year, we were charged alongside our committee to raise awareness of safe driving practices. This year we distributed precautionary infringement notices on cars parked near school, detailing the associated fines and penalties for various dangerous driving behaviours. We also organised a Students Against Dangerous Driving themed bake sale and baking competition, where students were challenged to decorate their baking in a way that related to road safety. This generated funds for the committee to purchase prize incentives for involvement in later activities. Later in the year we were tasked with organising a program for the SADD assembly, which involved liaising between the staff in charge, each other, Deputy Principal's, other SADD committee members and the Technology Leaders. It resulted in an effective thought-provoking assembly which really drew attention to the prolific use of cell-phones by drivers in our school and wider community. The week following was SADD week where we organised the dress the door competition where classes were encouraged to decorate their doors relating to the theme avoiding driver distractions. A kahoot link was sent to the teachers to play with their students outlining a few road rules. We also operated a stall which encouraged people to pledge against several dangerous driving behaviours because of something significant in their life that they would miss, and a fatal vision goggles activity.

Your 2019 SADD Co-Leaders
Chenae Phillips, Jessica Frost and Shanae Wooller, Year 13



PRIZE GIVING SENIOR 2019

SPORTS AWARDS

Hope AH CHONG
Athletics - Track & Field
Runner Up to Intermediate
Champion
Rugby Distinction
Waimarama ARMSTRONG
Rugby Distinction
Elyn (Clayr) ASIA
Badminton Distinction
The Badminton Cup for
Excellence, Achievement
and Attitude
Kate ATKINSON
Hockey Distinction
The Deborah Armstrong
Trophy for Outstanding
Contribution to 1st XI
Hockey
The Kirsty Grieve Cup for
Leadership in Hockey
Lucy ATKINSON
Hockey Merit
Tennis Distinction
Eve BARRY
Football Distinction
The McNally Cup for
Excellence in Soccer
Tessa BARRY
Football Distinction
Sophia BIRDSALL
Athletics - Track & Field
Distinction
Melanie BISHOP
Adventure Racing
Distinction
Georgia BRICKNALL
Adventure Racing
Distinction
Football Merit
The O'Keefe Trophy for
the Most Valuable Team
Member for All-Round
Contribution to 1st XI
Soccer
Malia BRODERICK
Rugby Distinction
Grace CARROLL
Rugby Distinction
The Kendra Cocksedge
Trophy for the Most
Dedicated New Player
(Shared)
Abby CARVER
Adventure Racing Merit
Athletics - Cross Country
Distinction
The Junior Champion
Emma CARVER
Adventure Racing Merit
Athletics - Cross Country
Distinction
The Sonia Barry Trophy
for Senior Cross Country
Champion
Rogaine Merit

Angela CHUBB
Basketball Distinction
Netball Distinction
Sarah COOKSLEY
Hockey Distinction
Georgia COOMBER
Hockey Distinction
The Hodge Cup for Most
Improved Hockey Player
Tayla CRAWFORD
Netball Distinction
Amber CURTIS
Sailing Merit
The Yachting Cup
Chante DE VILLIERS
Badminton Distinction
Eva DICKSON
Beach Volleyball
Distinction
The Olivia MacDonald
Trophy for Most Valuable
Senior Volleyball Player
Volleyball Distinction
The Dickson Cup for
Outstanding Player
Lucy ELLIOTT
Athletics - Track & Field
Distinction
The Intermediate Champion
Cup
Basketball Distinction
**Gemma GARDNER-
HARRISON**
Rugby Distinction
Lauren GIDDY
Basketball Distinction
The Cleaver Cup for
Excellence in Basketball
Netball Distinction
Caitlin HAYLOCK
Tennis Distinction
Runner Up to Senior
Champion
Eva HILLIAM
Football Distinction
Keeva HINTZ
Rugby Distinction
Sumana HURBUNS
Hockey Distinction
Mercy JONES
Adventure Racing Merit
Athletics - Cross Country
Runner Up to Junior
Champion
Orienteering Distinction
Rogaine Merit
Emma KEHELY
Football Distinction
Laura KEHELY
Athletics - Track & Field
Distinction
Jessica KINGI
In-Line Hockey Distinction
Claudia KELLY
Swimming Sports The
Senior Champion Cup

Paris LIU
Football Distinction
Charlie LUKE
Hockey Distinction
Kelsyn MCCOOK
Rugby Distinction
Taylor MITCHELL
Adventure Racing Merit
Orienteering Merit
Rogaine Merit
Tennis Distinction
Paige NEILSON
Athletics - Track & Field
Distinction
Netball Distinction
Rugby Distinction
Lucy NORTH
Swimming Distinction
Runner Up to Senior
Champion
Wei Qian ONG
Badminton Distinction
Alex PATERSON
Beach Volleyball Merit
Volleyball Distinction
The Edmund Poh Cup for
the Most Valuable Senior
Player
Dana PHELAN
Athletics - Cross Country
Distinction
Runner Up to Senior
Champion
Athletics - Track & Field
Distinction
Runner Up to Senior
Champion
Cassidy PRINGLE
Netball Distinction
Volleyball Distinction
The Cup for Most Improved
Senior
Brooke PULETAHA
Beach Volleyball Distinction
Netball Distinction
Volleyball Merit
Willow RAHUI-BROWN
Netball Distinction
Jody RAWLINSON
Adventure Racing
Distinction The Fleming/
Paterson Cup for
Outstanding Performance in
Adventure Racing
Rogaine Merit
Holly RIDDICK
Hockey Distinction
Rocki ROBINSON
Rugby Distinction
The Kendra Cocksedge
Trophy for the Most
Dedicated New Player
(Shared)

Ella ROGERS
Hockey Merit
Tennis Distinction
The Jenny Farinella Cup for
Senior Champion
Natalia ROUGHTON
Hockey Distinction
The McCuggage Trophy for
Excellence in Hockey
Aingel-Lee RUAKERE
Rugby Distinction
Brianna SEE
Squash Distinction
Ariana SHEWRY
Rugby Merit
Surfing Distinction
Amelia SIMMERS
Football Distinction
Ella SMITH
Cricket Distinction
Liahna SMITH
Badminton Merit
Netball Distinction
The Jamilah Gupwell
Trophy for Most Promising
Senior Netball Player
Sophia TAYLOR
Swimming Distinction
Moana TE UA
Snowboarding Merit
The Cup for Best All Round
Snowboarder
Anastasia TOMURI
Netball Umpiring Distinction
Sarah VALINTINE
Netball Umpiring Distinction
Senior Game Official of
the Year Cup for Netball
Umpiring
Isla VINK
Netball Distinction The
Carolyn Phear Trophy for
Leadership, Outstanding
Performance and
Commitment to Premier 1
Team
Netball The Most
Outstanding Senior
Netballer Cup
Alesha WILLIAMS
Athletics - Track & Field
The Senior Champion Cup
In-Line Hockey Distinction
Rugby The Carrie Lobb Cup
for Most Valuable Player
Elle WILLIAMS
Basketball Distinction
The Toni Roberts Cup for
Most Valuable Senior Player
Kiera WILLIAMSON
Football Distinction
Isabella (Ella) WOOD
Adventure Racing Distinction
Netball Merit
Montana ZAMMIT
Rugby Merit
Touch Rugby Distinction



SPECIAL SPORTS AWARDS

Kawai Huia Swimming:
Relay 11WBA
Oliver Trophy for House Swimming:

Aotea
Miss Stevens Memorial Cup for House Athletics:
Aotea
NPGHS PE & Sport Department’s Team of the Year Cup:

SENIOR ADVENTURE RACING TEAM

Melanie BISHOP
Georgia BRICKNALL
Jody RAWLINSON
Isabella WOOD

National Title Holder Badges:

SENIOR ADVENTURE RACING TEAM

1st Place Hillary Challenge
Melanie BISHOP
Georgia BRICKNALL
Jody RAWLINSON
Isabella WOOD

YEAR 11 DILIGENCE AWARDS 2019

Mikayla	ALCOCK
Lauren	ALLSEBROOK
Tia	ASTON
Lucy	ATKINSON
Tanya	BAGGA
Emily	BROWN
Jessica	CAMDEN
Abby	CARVER
Zoe	CLOUGH
Gabriella	COLLINS
Abigail	CONNELLY
Tessa	COOMBE
Georgia	COOMBER
Emma	DOBBIE
Breeanna	DRINKWATER
Emma	FOREMAN
Olivia	GREINER
Minh Tam	HALDANE
Eva	HILLIAM
Holly	HORO
Cait	HOWARD
Sumana	HURBUNS
Libby	IREMONGER
Mercy	JONES
Ava	JULIAN
Emma	KEHELY
Taylor	KOBOSKI
Priyanka	KUMAR
Emma	LISTON
Aliarne	LOBB
Carys	LUKE
Katie	MAGNUSSEN
Nika	

MALEKMOHAMMADI	BIDHENDI
Haileigh	MCLAREN
Taylor	MITCHELL
Rebecca	MOLES
Tida	NARCISO
Grace	NEWLAND
Tara	NEWMAN
Elana	NICHOLAS

Julia	PADRUTT
Serenity	PATU
Cloe	PETERSON
Anagrace	POCHING
Jade	PONGA
Philantha	RABIS
Ella	ROGERS
Eden	SAMUEL
Emma	SARTEN
Vamika	SATRASALA
Rosario	SILVA
Ella	SIMPSON
Katie	SLATER
Julie	SPELLMAN
Lara	THOMSON
Zoe	TURNER
Amber	WINCH
Katelyn	WOOLLER
Jenna	YATEMAN

YEAR 11 ACADEMIC PRIZES 2019

Lillie-mae AMSTAD
The Marion Ruscoe Memorial Tray for Practical Cookery

Lucy ATKINSON
First in Design & Visual Communication

Tanya BAGGA
First in Social Studies

Sammie BEAN
First in Textiles Technology

Brianna BIRCHALL
First in French

Emily BROWN
First in English Language

Jessica CAMDEN
First in Food and Nutrition

Zoe CLOUGH
First in Mathematics with Statistics

Abigail CONNELLY
Mr. Hatherley’s Prize for Strings

Olivia COOK
First in Te Reo Maori

Tessa COOMBE
First in SPEC - (Specific Preparation for Employment & Citizenship Course)

The Louise Duckmanton Cup for Achievement at Awhina

Lucy COOPER
The Hadden Cup for Year 11 Speech (Shared)

Breeanna DRINKWATER
First in Drama

Emma FOREMAN
First in Health

Emma FREW
The George Thomas Hooper Scholarship for Violin

Taylor GRIFFITHS
First in Hauora

Minh Tam HALDANE
First in Mathematics with Algebra and Statistics

Mia HALES
First in Business Studies

Holly HORO
The Helen Thomson Prize for Mathematics

Mercy JONES
First in Biology - Level 2 (Achieved as a Year 11)
First in Chemistry - Level 2 (Achieved as a Year 11) (Shared)
First in Mathematics with Algebra and Statistics - Level 2 (Achieved as a Year 11)
First in Physics (Prize presented by NZ Institute of Physics) - Level 2 (Achieved as a Year 11)
The Christine Harris Cup for Piano and One Other Instrument

Georgia LEEDER
First in English Alternative
First in Science Alternative
Aliarne LOBB
First in English
The Hadden Cup for Year 11 Speech (Shared)

Carys LUKE
First in Shape Your Future

Zoe MACE
First in Fitness & Recreation

Katie MAGNUSSEN
First in Digital Visual Arts

Taylor MITCHELL
First in Economics

Rebecca MOLES
First in Visual Arts

Madee MORROW
First in Dance

Tida NARCISO
First in Animal and Plant Science

Grace NEWLAND
First in Accounting

Ella ROGERS
The Cup for First in Sports Science and Physical Education

Eden SAMUEL
First in Computer Science

Ella SANGER
The Gower Cup for Food and Nutrition

Rosario SILVA
First in Spanish - Level 2 (Achieved as a Year 11)

Ella SIMPSON
First in English Extension

First in Geography
First in Mathematics Extension

First in Music and The Oswald Mills Rosebowl for Music
First in Spanish

The Instrumental Music Cup

Katie SLATER
First in History
Kate SLINGSBY
Mrs Bruning’s Memorial Prize for Achievement in Art
Alexis WILSON
First in Mathematics Numeracy
Amber WINCH
First in Science Intermediate
The Practical Sewing Award

YEAR 11 TOP OVERALL SCHOLAR AWARDS 2019

Lucy	ATKINSON
Tanya	BAGGA
Holly	HORO
Mercy	JONES
Grace	NEWLAND
Vamika	SATRASALA
Ella	SIMPSON

Aliarne LOBB The Old Girls’ Scotlands Hostel Award
Basma (Sasha) AL DAZHANI The Bay of Plenty Old Girls’ Association Prize for Greatest Improvement Under Difficulties
Shelby PLOWRIGHT The Norcom Award for a deserving Technology Student
Jahsiah PHILLIPS The Whakamua Prize for Oral Maori

Mercy JONES
Whiting Cup for General Excellence in Year 11

YEAR 12 DILIGENCE AWARDS 2019

Kate	BAJEMA
Eve	BARRY
Tessa	BARRY
Adele	BESSELING
Gabrielle	BEVINS
Syna	BINDRA
Melanie	BISHOP
Melanie	BLANCHARD
Maia	BRUNNING
Georgia	BUNN
Philippa	BUSHELL
Poppy	CAMPBELL
Nicole	CLARKSON
Zoe	COLEMAN
Hannah	COLLINSON
Sarah	COOKSLEY
Amber	CURTIS
Chante	DE VILLIERS
Brooke	DONALDSON
Dania	EL-HADDAWI
Maddison	GIBBS
Savithi	GUNASINGHE
Tanya	HASELTINE
Alexandra	HINTON
Simone	HUTCHINSON
Anna	HUTTERD

Maya	JACKSON
Laura	JONES
Grace	JOURDAIN
Gurleen	KAUR
Laura	KEHELY
Preeya	LUNDY
Tayla	MANNING
Olivia	MANSON
Sarah	MARRIOTT
Caitlin	MCHARDY
Sarah	MULDER
Rosie	NAKUTA
Alyssa	NOLLY
Ellamae	PARKINSON
Fiona	PENG
Charlotte	POLES SMITH
Josie	POTROZ
Aaliyah	READE
Holly	RIDDICK
Jasmine	SAGHAFIFAR
Rubab	SHAH
Olivia	SHARPE
Penelope	SHARROCK-MAIFEA

Amelia	SIMMERS
Tamsyn	SKERRETT
Freya	SKLENARS
Anika	STONNELL
Darla	STROUD-BENNETT

Sarah	VALINTINE
Arwyn	WHAANGA
Rebekah	WILKINSON
Ramari	WINEERA

YEAR 12 ACADEMIC PRIZES 2019

Brooke ARBUCKLE
Overall Excellence in Gateway - Workplace Vocational Training (Shared)
Tessa BARRY
First in Chemistry (Shared)
The Gaskin Shakespeare Prize

Syna BINDRA
The Special Magazine Prize for Short Story

Melanie BISHOP
First in Biology

The Biological Science Prize presented by L A Alexander Trust - Level 3 (Achieved as a Year 12)

First in Chemistry (Shared)
First in Photography – Level 3 (Achieved as a Year 12)

First in Spanish - Level 3 (Achieved as a Year 12)

Melanie BLANCHARD
First in Mathematics with Statistics

Isabella BOROBYAN
First in Design Technology

Lydia (Maisie) BUCHANAN-BROWN
First in SPEC - (Specific Preparation for Employment and Citizenship Course) – Level 3 (Achieved as a Year 12)

Maia BRUNNING
First in Te Reo Maori

Philippa BUSHELL
First in Art History
Zoe COLEMAN
Mrs Bruning’s Memorial Prize for Achievement in Art History
Hannah COLLINSON
First in Music and The Kerry Christiansen Cup
The Barbara Morrison Memorial Cup for Services to School Music
Sarah COOKSLEY
First in Food and Nutrition

Amber CURTIS
First in Economics

Chante DE VILLIERS
First in Mathematics Extension

Brooke DONALDSON
First in Drama (Shared)

Dania EL-HADDAWI
First in Geography

The Magazine Prize for Creative Writing
Grace FISHER

First in Photography
Uralaliyanage Savithi GUNASINGHE

First in Drama (Shared)
First in Media Studies - Level 3 (Achieved as a Year 12)

The Burgess Trophy for Senior Speech
The Joanna Harrison Cup for English Essay

Elena HADLOW
The Biological Science Prize presented by L A Alexander Trust for Diligence in Level 3 Biology

Tanya HASELTINE
First in Art Design

First in Enterprise Studies (Shared)
The Enterprise Studies Cup (Shared)

Isabella HIBELL
First in Science

Simone HUTCHINSON
The Daily News Centenary Literary Prize

First in Social Studies
Laura JONES
First in Dance

Grace JOURDAIN
The Magazine Prize – Runner Up

Becky KOWALEWSKI
The Hamerton Wilson Prize for Botany

Preeya LUNDY
First in French

Tayla MANNING
First in Textiles Technology

Sapai (Moana) MATARIKI
First in Enterprise Studies (Shared)

The Enterprise Studies Cup (Shared)
The Photolife Photography Award

Sarah MULDER
First in Drama - Level 3 (Achieved as a Year 12)
First in History
The Outstanding Shakespearian Performance Cup
Fiona PENG
First in Design & Visual Communication (Shared)
First in Visual Arts
Charlotte POLES SMITH
Mrs Bruning’s Memorial Prize for Achievement in Art

Olivia RYDER
First in Health

First in Media Studies
First in Tourism

Jasmine SAGHAFIFAR
First in Computer Science

First in French - Level 3 (Achieved as a Year 12)

Olivia SHARPE
First in Hauora

Overall Excellence in Trades Academy
Amelia SIMMERS

First In Calculus - Level 3 (Achieved as a Year 12)

First in Chemistry and The Keith Sewell Memorial Cup for Chemistry - Level 3 (Achieved as a Year 12)

First in Design & Visual Communication (Shared)
First in English and The Kate Fletcher Cup for English - Level 3 (Achieved as a Year 12)

First in English Written – Level 3 (Achieved as a Year 12)

First in Physics (Prize presented by NZ Institute of Physics)

Freya SKLENARS
First in Accounting

First in Classical Studies
Anika STONNELL

The Bayly Cup for Outstanding Service to Drama
Darla STROUD-BENNETT

First in Sports Science and Physical Education
Ane (Ashley) TAULA

Overall Excellence in STAR - Classroom Vocational Training
Brianna THOMAS

Overall Excellence in Gateway - Workplace Vocational Training (Shared)
Darnell TIPLADY

First in English Language
Jaylani TURNER

First in SPEC - (Specific Preparation for Employment & Citizenship Course)
Geneth WASHER

First in Hospitality

YEAR 12 TOP OVERALL SCHOLAR AWARDS 2019

Melanie	BISHOP
Hannah	COLLINSON
Brooke	DONALDSON
Uralaliyanage Savithi	GUNASINGHE
Jasmine	SAGHAFIFAR
Amelia	SIMMERS
Darla	STROUD-BENNETT

Olivia SHARPE
The Elsie Andrews Memorial Prize for Positive Attitude and Diligence
Samantha HARRIS
The Clarice Douglas Memorial Prize for Positive Attitude and Diligence
Caitlin COE
The Barbara Harrison Memorial Cup for Courage and Perseverance in the Face of Adversity

Tayla MANNING
The Barry Marnoch Cup for High Performance in a Chosen Sport

Liahna SMITH
The Wendy Morgan Memorial Cup for Sportsmanship, Leadership and Service in Sport

Uralaliyanage Savithi GUNASINGHE
The ICAS Medal in Writing for Top in New Zealand and the Pacific

Amelia SIMMERS
The Rebecca, Courtney & Olivia Eaton Cup for Leadership, Sports & Academic Excellence Cup

Melanie BISHOP
Aderman Cup for General Excellence in Year 12



YEAR 13 DILIGENCE
AWARDS 2019

Kate	ATKINSON
Tahlia	BARR
Georgia	BRICKNALL
Ashleigh	BUNNING
Josephine	BURLING
Breanna	CAMDEN
Adriana	CHE ISMAIL
Xin Xin	CHEN
Kim	DE VANTIER
Jocasta	DEMETRIOU
Moniqua	DEMETRIOU
Skyler	ELLINGTON
Rebecca	FARR
Magdali	FELDTMANN
Hannah	FISHER
Kaitlyn	FITZ PATRICK
Keana	FOX
Jessica	FROST
Nathika	GOUWS
Eleanor	GRIEVE
Clara	HADLOW
Emma	HAHN
Caitlin	HAYLOCK
Nicole	HEAYSMAN
Shaylee	HODGE
Michelle	HURRING
Jessica	JANSEN
Kyra	JENSEN
Emma	JOHNS
Claudia	KELLY
Dayna	LE FLEMING
Chun	LI
Kelly	LORTH
Melissa	LOVERIDGE
Charlie	LUKE
Elora	MANKTELOW
Oceane	MBOU
Alexandra	MCKENZIE
Alanah	MCLEOD
Myah	MCQUAY
Alex	PATERSON
Dana	PHELAN
Chenae	PHILLIPS
Isabelle	ROBERTS
Karena Amor	ROSAL
Bella	ROTHWELL
Tamrin	SCHOULTZ
Brianna	SEE
Kushla	SIEMONEK
Rebecca	SIMPSON
Isabel	SIMPSON
Emma	SLEEP
Natasha	STADNIK
Lisa	SYME
Ruby	TIPPETT
Olivia	VAN
	BURGSTEDEN
Grace	VAN DE VELDEN
Isla	VINK
Sabine	VOLKER
Chloe	WILLIAMS
Lyana	WILSON
Jessica	WINGATE
Isabella (Ella)	WOOD

SERVICE TO
SCHOOL &
ACADEMIC PRIZES
2019

Kate ATKINSON
Service to the School - School Sports Captain
The Special Memorial Prize for School Sports Captain
The Stella McAuley Cup for School Sports Captain
Sereseini (Seini) BOI
Service to the School - Pasifika Leader
Georgia BRICKNALL
Service to the School - Deputy Head Girl
The Taylor Cup for Deputy Head Girl of the School
Ashleigh BUNNING
Service to the School - Waka Huia Leader of Kurahaupo
The AICA NZ Prize Awarded to the Most Improved Year 13 Student in Level 3 Chemistry
Breanna CAMDEN
First in Classical Studies
First in English Extension - Scholarship
First in Physics
First in Statistics Extension
Service to the School - Academic Leader
(Traditional Sciences)
The Gaskin English Prize
The NZ Institute Physics Prize for Practical Work (Shared)
Jasmin CARR
Service to the School - Waka Huia Leader of Tainui
Emma CARVER
Service to the School - Head Girl of Scotlands
The Molly Wills Rosebowl for the Head Girl of Scotlands Hostel
Adriana CHE ISMAIL
Service to the School - Library Leader
Xin Xin CHEN
Service to the School - Promotions Leader
Madeline CLAYTON-SMITH
First in Computer Science
Anna COOMBER
Service to the School - Board of Trustees Student Trustee
The NPGHS Board of Trustees Prize for the Student Trustee
Paris COOPER
First in Art Design
Service to the School - Performing Arts Leader (Music)
Michelle (Merique) DAMES
First in Hauora
Abigail DARKE
Service to the School - Peer Support Leader

Kim DE VANTIER
First in Textiles Technology
Service to the School - Deputy Environment Leader
The Mahy Prize for Woodwind
Jocasta DEMETRIOU
First in Te Reo Maori (Shared)
Service to the School - Honohono Co-Leader
Moniqua DEMETRIOU
First in Te Reo Maori (Shared)
Service to the School - Honohono Co-Leader
Olivia EIFFE
First in English Alternative
Skyler ELLINGTON
Service to the School - Student Events Leader
Magdali FELDTMANN
Service to the School - Year Level Council Leader
Hannah FISHER
Service to the School - Deputy Waka Huia Leader of Aotea
The Photolife Studios Certificate for Recognition of Achievement in Visual Art
Kaitlyn FITZ PATRICK
First in Health
Jessica FROST
Service to the School - Peer Tutoring Leader
The Georgina McMullan Prize for Mathematics
The NZ Institute Physics Prize for Practical Work - (Shared)
Courtney GADSBY
Overall Excellence in Gateway - Workplace Vocational Training
Mikayla GAYTON
Overall Excellence in 3+2 Career Training
Lauren GIDDY
First in Science
Service to the School - Deputy Waka Huia Leader of Tainui
Jordyn GIFFORD
First in Tourism
Lilah GILGENBERG
First in Printmaking
Charlotte (Charlie) GODWIN
Service to the School - Deputy Waka Huia Leader of Tokomaru
Nathika GOUWS
Service to the School - Technology Leader
Eleanor GRIEVE
The Annual Award for Singing
The Diane Eagles Memorial Cup for Music and Drama
The St Cecelia Award for Music
Sophie GRIGG
First in Animal and Plant Science
Caitlin HAYLOCK
Service to the School - Deputy Manaakitanga

Leader
Nicole HEAYSMAN
First in Dance
Service to the School - Performing Arts Leader (Dance)
The Suzee Freeman 'Spirit of the Dance' Award for All Round Contribution to Dance
Jessica JANSEN
The Featherstone Cup for Choral Music
Emma JOHNS
Service to the School - Deputy Hauora Leader
Claudia KELLY
First in History and The Gaskin History Prize
Service to the School - Deputy Sports Captain
Tuscany KING
Service to the School - The Julie Chadwick Prize for Drama
Joe Yie LAI
Service to the School - International Leader
Chun (Jessica) LI
First in Economics and The Lyndsay Patten Cup
Service to the School - School Council Secretary
Kelly LORTH
First in Statistics External
Elora MANKTELOW
Service to the School - Manaakitanga Leader
Jacinda MCCALLUM
Service to the School - Student Activities Leader
Alexandra MCKENZIE
Service to the School - Performing Arts Leader (Drama)
The Mary Rush Vase for Excellence in Drama
Alanah MCLEOD
First in Food and Nutrition
Service to the School - Deputy Waka Huia Leader of Kurahaupo
Myah MCQUAY
Mrs Bruning's Memorial Prize for Achievement in Art
Kaylee MONTGOMERY
First in Design Technology
Alex PATERSON
Service to the School - Waka Huia Leader of Aotea
Chloe (Teddy) PATTISON
Overall Excellence in STAR - Classroom Vocational Training
Service to the School - Deputy Technology Leader
Chenae PHILLIPS
Cup
First in Accounting and The Gemma Tennent Cup for Accounting
The Barbara Dow Cup for Deputy Head Girl of Scotlands Hostel
Service to the School - Deputy Head Girl of Scotlands
First in Music
The Doris Veale Cup for

General Excellence in Music
The Elizabeth Kinnell Cup for Excellence in Languages
Portia ROPER
The Photolife Studios Certificate for Recognition of Achievement in Digital Media
Bella ROTHWELL
Service to the School - Deputy Peer Support Leader
Tamrin SCHOULTZ
Mrs Bruning's Memorial Prize for Achievement in Art History
Brianna SEE
Service to the School - Deputy Head Girl
The Brooke Muggeridge Cup for Deputy Head Girl of the School
Kushla SIEMONEK
First in Animal and Plant Science - Level 2
The Washer Cup for Agriculture and Horticulture
Isabel SIMPSON
Service to the School - Academic Leader (Traditional Arts)
Rebecca SIMPSON
First in Geography and The Pamela Hine Geography Prize
First in Social Studies and The John Walmsley Cup for Social Studies - Level 3
The Most Significant Contribution to Health, Safety and the Environment Cup - Environment Leader
Service to the School - Environment Leader
The Port Nicholson Band Trust Cup for Brass
Emma SLEEP
First in Statistics Internal
Natasha STADNIK
First in Art History
First in Painting
Stella STEER
Service to the School - Visual Arts Leader
Holly SUTHERLAND
Service to the School - Waka Huia Leader of Tokomaru
Ruby THOMAS
First in English Visual
Ariari TION
First in English Language
Isla VINK
Service to the School - Deputy Outdoor Education Leader
Sabine VOLKER
First in Accounting and The Gemma Tennent Cup for Accounting
The Barbara Dow Cup for Deputy Head Girl of Scotlands Hostel
Service to the School - Deputy Head Girl of Scotlands
First in Music
The Doone Smeaton Cup for

General Excellence in Level 3 Sciences - Chemistry, Biology and Physics
Lyana WILSON
First in Design & Visual Communication
Jessica WINGATE
Service to the School - Hauora Leader
The Lauren Tennent Cup for Business Studies
Isabella (Ella) WOOD
Service to the School - Head Girl
The W H Jones Memorial Cup for Head Girl of the School
Chihan (Amanda) ZHANG
First in English Alternative - Level 2

YEAR 13 TOP
OVERALL SCHOLAR
AWARDS 2019

Breanna	CAMDEN
Hannah	FISHER
Jessica	FROST
Clara	HADLOW
Allie	MCKENZIE
Rebecca	SIMPSON
Sabine	VOLKER

UNIVERSITY PASSES
2019

Hannah BRIMELOW
University of Canterbury
½ year paper Critical Thinking
Hannah BRIMELOW
University of Canterbury
Full year paper Advancing in Mathematical Sciences
Shaylee HODGE
Waikato University 2 - ½ year papers Political Science, Philosophy
Claudia KELLY
Massey University ½ year paper French Intermediate
Jessica LI
Waikato University ½ year paper Political Science
Isabel SIMPSON
Canterbury University
2 - ½ year papers Greek Mythologies, Ethics, Politics & Justice
Lisa SYME
Canterbury University
½ year paper Science: Good, Bad & Bogus
Breanna CAMDEN
Overall Excellence in University Courses

TRUST
SCHOLARSHIP
AWARDS 2019

Brianna SEE
Taranaki Electricity Trust
Tertiary Scholarship

UNIVERSITY
SCHOLARSHIP
AWARDS 2019

Kate ATKINSON
Canterbury University
Emerging Leaders Scholarship
Nicole BELLRINGER
Waikato University
- Manaaki Tangata Scholarship
Hannah BRIMELOW
The University of Otago Vice Chancellor's Scholarship
The Victoria University
Tangiwai Scholarship
Jessic BRIMELOW
The Victoria University
Tangiwai Scholarship
Ashleigh BUNNING
The University of Otago
150th Entrance Scholarship
Olivia BURNS
The AUT School Leaver Scholarship
Academic Excellence
The University of Otago
150th Entrance Scholarship
Breanna CAMDEN
Canterbury University
- Elaine P Snowden Astronomy Scholarship
Adriana CHE ISMAIL
The Victoria University
Tangiwai Scholarship
Anna COOMBER
The University of Otago
Maori Entrance Scholarship
Kim DE VANTIER
The University of Otago Vice Chancellor's Scholarship
The Victoria University
Tangiwai Scholarship
Skyler ELLINGTON
The University of Otago
Performance Entrance Scholarship
Hannah FISHER
The Victoria University
Tangiwai Scholarship
Lauren GIDDY
Manu Kaewa School
Leavers Scholarship,
Waikato
Lilah GILGENBERG
The University of Otago
150th Entrance Scholarship
Clara HADLOW
The Victoria University
Tangiwai Scholarship
Shaylee HODGE
The Victoria University
Tangiwai Scholarship
Jessica LI
The University of Otago
150th Entrance Scholarship
Auckland University
- Academic Potential
Scholarship
Elora MANKTELOW
Canterbury University -
Electric Power Engineering
Centre Scholarship
Mikayla MATHYS
Manu
Kaewa School Leavers
Scholarship, Waikato

Alexandra (Allie) MCKENZIE
The Victoria University
Tangiwai Scholarship
Kate NEWTON
The Victoria University
Tangiwai Scholarship
Rachel PAGE
The University of Otago
Leaders of Tomorrow
Entrance Scholarship
Alex PATTERSON
Canterbury University
Emerging Leaders
Scholarship
Jody RAWLINSON
The University of Otago
Leaders of Tomorrow
Entrance Scholarship
Anna SARJEANT
Canterbury University
Emerging Leaders
Scholarship
Rebecca SIMPSON
The Victoria University
Tangiwai Scholarship
Canterbury University -
Leigh & Judith Pownall
Scholarship
The University of Otago Vice
Chancellor's Scholarship
Waikato University Te
Paewai o te Rangi -
Academic Achievement,
Leadership and Community
Involvement Scholarship
Stella STEER
Auckland University
- Academic Potential
Scholarship
Olivia VAN BURGSTEDEN
The Victoria University
Tangiwai Scholarship
Alesha WILLIAMS
The Massey University
- Academy of Sport
Scholarship
Lyana WILSON
Manu Kaewa School
Leavers Scholarship,
Waikato
Jessica WINGATE
The Victoria University
Tangiwai Scholarship
The Massey University -
Business School Future
Leaders Scholarship
Ella WOOD
The Victoria University
Tangiwai Scholarship

Aotea House
The Top House Shield
donated by the late Dr
Adams-Smith for the
Highest Score in Activities,
Sports & Academic
Endeavours
Day Girls
The Edna Barker Cup
for Day Girls V Boarders
Competition

SPECIAL PRIZES

Adriana CHE ISMAIL

The A & K Scanlon Memorial Prize for Writing

Jessica JANSEN

Excellence in Youth Leadership Trophy

Xanthe IRVING-MANN

The Liam O'Neill Prize for Tenacity

Taryn ROWLANDS

Waimarie Award – to the student who aspires to summit their own Maunga

Holly SUTHERLAND

The Penny Butt Cup for Promotion of School Spirit

Magdali FELDTMANN

The Rebecca Crofskey Memorial Trophy for Friendship (voted by Y 13s)

Eleanor GRIEVE

The Spotswood Centennial Award for Outstanding Service to the School

Chloe (Teddy) PATTISON

The Spotswood Centennial Award for Outstanding Service to the School

Abigail DARKE

The Naomi McKean Cup for Friendship, Courage and Wisdom – Et Comitatus, Et Virtute, Et Sapientia

Kate ATKINSON

The Toni Street Cup for Support of the Head Girl

Jody RAWLINSON

The Sheryl George Cup for all round Sporting Contribution to NPGHS

Karina TE RANIGHAEATA

Prime Minister's Vocational Excellence Award – for excellence in Hospitality, Food & Beverage at WITT Trades Academy - 2018, Restaurant Services WITT 3+2 NZ Certificate in Food and Beverage Service Level 3 - 2019 and Hospitality Level 4 Food & Beverage Certificate - 2020

Jocasta DEMETRIOU

The Tu Tama Wahine Trophy (Shared)

Moniqua DEMETRIOU

The Tu Tama Wahine Trophy (Shared)

Jessica WINGATE

The Belle Moller Award for Outstanding Service to the School

Breanna CAMDEN

Doc & Lorna Riddle Memorial Prize

Celebrating Achievement in Science and Arts

Rebecca SIMPSON

The Joanne Murphy Cup for Excellence in Work and Performing Arts

Claudia KELLY

The Excellence in Work and Sport Cup

Clara HADLOW

The Year 13 Diligence Prize

Jessica FROST

The Excellence in Work Cup

Rebecca SIMPSON

The Vernon Parkinson Cup for General Excellence in Year 13

Jessica FROST

NPGHS Scholar Award for 2019

(This student has been awarded Top Overall Scholar Badges in 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018 and 2019.)

Lucy NORTH

The Cup for Runner Up to Dux Ludorum

Claudia KELLY

Dux Ludorum and The Excellence In Sports Cup For Dux Ludorum 2019

Hannah FISHER

Proxime Accessit and The Helen Thompson Memorial Scholarship presented by the New and The Chloe Muggeridge Cup for Proxime Accessit

Breanna CAMDEN

Dux Literati The Helen Thompson Memorial Scholarship and The Dux Ring for Dux Literati



Breanna Camden Dux Literati



Hannah Fisher Proxime Accessit



Claudia Kelly Dux Ludorum



Lucy North Runner Up to Dux Ludorum



CONGRATULATIONS



PRIZE GIVING

JUNIOR 2018

SPORTS AWARDS

Lucy ATKINSON
Hockey Distinction
The Hodge Cup for Most Improved Player
Tennis Merit
Gemma AVERY
Indoor Volleyball Distinction
Netball Merit
Malia BRODERICK
Rugby Distinction
Grace BROUGH
Indoor Volleyball Distinction
Abby CARVER
Athletics: Cross Country Merit
The Junior Champion Trophy
Athletics: Track & Field Junior Track Champion (Shared)
The Frank Willis Cup for Junior Champion
Cycling Merit
Aalyah CROFSKEY
Hockey Distinction
Eva DICKSON
Beach Volleyball Distinction
The Trophy for Most Valuable Junior Beach Volleyball Player
Indoor Volleyball Distinction
The Megan Poh Cup for the Most Valuable Junior Player (Shared)
Lucy ELLIOTT
Athletics: Track & Field Merit
Basketball Merit
The Kerryn Roberts Cup for the Most Promising Junior Basketball Player
The YMCA Excellence in Basketball Trophy
Llewelyn (Lulu) FELLOWS
Netball Distinction
Rugby Merit
Grace FOREMAN
Athletics: Cross Country Merit
Year 9 Champion Trophy
Cricket Distinction
The Sutherland Sports World Trophy for Most Promising Player

Gemma GARDNER-HARRISON
Rugby Distinction
The Carrie Lobb Cup for Most Improved Player
Emma GILMOUR
Basketball The Maurice Gilmour Cup for the Junior Basketball Team Player of the Year
Natasha GOULDSBURY
Surfing Distinction
Olivia GREINER
Netball Distinction
Lily HOFFMAN
Indoor Volleyball Distinction
The Cup for Most Improved Junior Volleyball Player
Jessie HOLLARD
Cricket Distinction
Ruby HUTCHIESON
Netball Merit
Rugby Distinction
Jennifer JOE
Badminton Distinction Junior Champion
Mercy JONES
Adventure Racing Distinction
Athletics: Cross Country Runner Up to Junior Champion
Orienteering Distinction
Emma KEHELY
Football Distinction
The Crossley Cup for Outstanding Junior Footballer
Teagan KNOFFLOCK
Swimming Distinction
Isabelle LECHER
Yachting Distinction
Holly LINES
Netball Distinction
Emma LISTON
Indoor Volleyball Distinction
Emily LORD
Football Distinction
Emma-Rose MACKIE
Badminton Distinction
Nicola MATHYS
Basketball Distinction
Alison MCCABE
Indoor Volleyball Distinction
Kelsyn MCCOOK
Rugby Distinction
Taylor MITCHELL
Adventure Racing Distinction
Orienteering Distinction

Tennis Distinction
Runner up to Junior Champion
Rebecca MOLES
Adventure Racing Distinction
Tenisha MURFITT
Football Distinction
Marara MURRAY
Basketball Distinction
Netball Distinction
Touch Rugby Distinction
Emma NORTH
Swimming Distinction Junior Champion
Wei Qian ONG
Badminton Distinction
Briar OSBORNE
Athletics: Track & Field Merit Junior Track Champion (Shared)
Rugby Distinction
Julia PADRUTT
Adventure Racing Distinction
Dannin POULSEN-COOK
Swimming Distinction
Athletics: Track & Field Runner Up to Junior Champion
The Megaw Cup for Junior Field Champion
Cassidy PRINGLE
Beach Volleyball Merit
Indoor Volleyball Distinction
Netball Distinction
The Most Promising Junior Netballer Cup
Brooke PULETAHA
Beach Volleyball Merit
Indoor Volleyball Distinction
The Megan Poh Cup for the Most Valuable Junior Player (Shared)
Netball Distinction
Asha RAVEN
Indoor Volleyball Distinction
Willow RAHUI-BROWN
Netball Distinction
Mataaria REI
Netball Distinction
Kataraina RIO
Touch Rugby Distinction
Ella ROGERS
Hockey The Kaye Cup for the Most Improved Junior Hockey Player
Tennis Distinction
The Herbert Smith Trust Cup for Junior Champion

Angel-Lee RUAKERE
Rugby Distinction
Olivia RUSSELL
Netball Distinction
Swimming Distinction
Runner Up to Junior Champion
Zuxian (Joey) SHEN
Badminton Distinction
Runner Up to Junior Champion
Ariana SHEWRY
Surfing Distinction
Angela SPURDLE
Hockey The McCluggage Trophy for Excellence in Hockey
Lauren TEWHATA
Basketball Distinction
Netball Distinction
Lucy THORNHILL
Indoor Volleyball Distinction
Hannah TIPENE
Athletics: Cross Country Runner Up to Year 9 Champion
Ruby WEBB-SAGARIN
Football Distinction
Elle WILLIAMS
Basketball Distinction
Amelia (Millie) WRIGHT
Gymnastics Distinction

YEAR 9 OVERALL DILIGENCE AWARDS

Leah	ADAMS
Aditi	AGARWAL
Sophie	ALBERS
Heidi	AUSTIN
Isobel	BARKER
Stephanie	BEARDMORE
Sophie	BOAG
Jemma	BREARS
Macy	BROOKES
Grace	BROUGH
Kadee	BUNN
Ashley	CHARD
Ella	COATES
Neve	CUDBY
Laura	CURTIS
Sara	DAHER
Lara	DEANS
Sian	DIMOND
Aitana	DINGLE
Ellie	DINNISON
Poppy	DOWNS
Erryn	FEEHAN
Kiara	FLUTEY
Lily	FONOTI

Grace	FOREMAN
Natalie	FOSS
Una Jo	GARNER
Tessa	GEORGESON
Maiya	GOOD
Chloe	GOODKIND
Jessica	GOULDSBURY
Charlise	GRAHAM
Kate	HALLAM
Caeley	HATTLE
Ella	HICKFORD
Brooke	HOSKINS-LEFEVRE
Paige	JENSEN
Haim	JEONG
Jennifer	JOE
Lonay	JOHNSTON
Olivia	JONES
Madeleine	KINNELL
Annie	LARSEN
Anna	LEE-SANDERSON
Vanessa	LISTON
Emily	LORD
Meg	MACDONELL
Jenna	MACK
Emma-Rose	MACKIE
Hayley	MANU
Charlotte	MARSHALL
Alison	MCCABE
Molly	MCCULLOUGH
Claudia	MCKILLOP
Amelia	MCLORINAN
Hayley	MEYBURG
Samantha	MILLS
Emilie	MINCHIN
Harmony	MORRIS
Brooke	O'HALLORAN
Sriena	OLSEN
Briar	OSBORNE
Madi	PARIS
Billie	PARKER
Amy	PARR
Emma	PLUMTREE
Charna	POTROZ
Jemma	PRANGLEY
Renae	PRATT
Asha	RAVEN
Julianne	REVFEIM
Olivia	RUSSELL
Gazalah	SADIQ
Charli	SARTEN
Sukena	SHAH
Joey	SHEN
Ella	SHIMMIN
Seohee	SHIN
Kirsty	SIMPSON
Olivia	SLACK
Mya-Rose	SMITH
Angela	SPURDLE
Holly	STODDART
Lily	STODDART
Elly	STRUTHERS
Harmony	TE WAKA
Lauren	TEWHATA
Caitlyn	THOMPSON
Eliza	THOMSON
Isla	THOMSON
Neika	THOMSON
Hannah	TIPENE

Ella-Maire	TREACY-WOLNIK
Laura	VANBURGSTEDEN
Devon	WALKER
Stephanie	WATSON
Zoe	WELLS
Jessica	WELLS
Summer	WELLS
Jasmine	WHITE
Nicole	WHITTAKER
Ngatalia	WHITTAKER
Yumin	WOO
Millie	WRIGHT
Camilla	WYNTER
Jenny	ZHOU

YEAR 9 SUBJECT PRIZES

Leah ADAMS
Design Technology
Aditi AGARWAL
English, Mathematics, Science, Social Science
Stephanie BEARDMORE
Biotechnology, Design Technology, Mathematics, Science, Social Science, Textiles Technology
Grace BROUGH
Numeracy
Ashley CHARD
Mathematics, Textiles Technology
Tayla CHURCHILL
Health
Ella COATES
Biotechnology, Digital Technology, Health, Science, Spanish, Social Science
Neve CUDBY
Design and Visual Communication
Sara DAHER
Design Technology, Digital Technology, French, Health, Mathematics, Science, Spanish, Social Science
Lara DEANS
Digital Technology
Sian DIMOND
Digital Technology, English, Food and Nutrition, Science
Aitana DINGLE
Design Technology, Physical Education, Science, Spanish
Ellie DINNISON
Dance, Design Technology, Health, Social Science, Textiles Technology
Erryn FEEHAN
Food and Nutrition, French
Grace FOREMAN
Physical Education
Tessa GEORGESON
Textiles Technology

Maiya GOOD
Design and Visual Communication, English
Chloe GOODKIND
Biotechnology, Drama, English, Mathematics, Science, Social Science, Textiles Technology
Caeley HATTLE
Drama, Physical Education, Science
Ella HICKFORD
Textiles Technology
Eden HILL
Digital Technology
Keira HILLS-WILSON
Dance
Lily HOFFMAN
Physical Education
Gemma HOLLWAY
Digital Technology
Brooke HOSKINS-LEFEVRE
Design and Visual Communication, Literacy
Haim JEONG
Design and Visual Communication, Literacy, Visual Arts
Jennifer JOE
Mathematics
Alazae JOHNSON TONGA
AWHIKAU
Te Reo Maori
Lonay JOHNSTON
Drama
Liv KEMP
Dance
Madeleine KINNELL
English, Health, Mathematics, Physical Education, Science, Social Science
Annie LARSEN
Biotechnology, Dance, Design Technology, Digital Technology, English, French, Mathematics, Science, Social Science, Te Reo Maori
Jemma LEECE
French
Anna LEE-SANDERSON
Music
Selina LI
Visual Arts
Holly LINES
Dance, Physical Education
Vanessa LISTON
Digital Technology, English, Food and Nutrition, Mathematics, Music, Social Science
Meg MACDONELL
Food and Nutrition, Health
Jenna MACK
Visual Arts
Charlotte MARSHALL
Science, Social Science
Alison MCCABE
Design and Visual Communication

Molly MCCULLOUGH
Dance
Emmalee MCLAREN
Digital Technology
Amelia MCLORINAN
Biotechnology, Spanish
Hayley MEYBURG
Design Technology, French, Health, Music, Science
Emilie MINCHIN
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Visual Arts
Charna POTROZ
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Sam READE
Dance
Kataraina RIO
Physical Education
Olivia RUSSELL
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Hinei SCHAFER
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Seohee SHIN
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Mathematics, Spanish
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Jess TAIT
Digital Technology, Science



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Technology
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Biotechnology, Visual Arts
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Spanish
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Food and Nutrition, Social
Science
Stephanie WATSON
Digital Technology, Drama,
English, French, Textiles
Technology
Ruby WEBB-SAGARIN
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Physical Education
Jasmine WHITE
Literacy
Mia WHITE-TUUGA
Physical Education
Nicole WHITTAKER
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Social Science
Aimee WITEHIRA
Visual Arts
Yumin WOOVisual Arts
Millie WRIGHT
Textiles Technology
Camilla WYNTER
Biotechnology
Jenny ZHOU
French

YEAR 10 OVERALL DILIGENCE

Hannah AGAR
Mikayla ALCOCK
Lillie-mae AMSTAD
Lucy ATKINSON
Tanya BAGGA
Brooke BAKER
Asha BHAKTA
Ishbel BLACK
Jess CAMDEN
Abby CARVER
Rachel CAVE
Gabriella COLLINS
Sophie CONAGLEN
Abi CONNELLY
Georgia COOMBER
Lucy COOPER
Naya DIAL
Emma DOBBIE
Maddy DOUDS-SMITH
Bree DRINKWATER
Emma FOREMAN
Emma FREW
Emma GILLIVER
Emma GILMOUR
Olivia GREINER
Minh Tam HALDANE
Pare'z HANSCOMBE-STOKES
Mackenzie HANSEN
Holly HORO
Cait HOWARD

Sumana HURBUNS
Libby IREMONGER
Mercy JONES
Ava JULIAN
Emma KEHELY
Taylor KOBOSKI
Priyanka KUMAR
Katie MAGNUSSEN
Nika MALEK
Danielle MCLEOD
Taylor MITCHELL
Becky MOLES
Tida NARCISO
Grace NEWLAND
Elana NICHOLAS
Julia PADRUTT
Cloe PETERSON
Jade PONGA
Shitong QIAO
Selena RENAU
Ella ROGERS
Daysharne ROSS
Laraib SAEED
Ella SANGER
Isabel SANSFIELD
Emma SARTEN
Vamika SATRASALA
Rosario SILVA SAINZ
Ella SIMPSON
Katie SLATER
Julie SPELLMAN
Lara THOMSON
Zoe TURNER
Amber WINCH
Jenna YATEMAN

YEAR 10 SUBJECT PRIZES

Mikayla ALCOCK
Mathematics
Lillie-mae MSTAD
Mathematics
Lucy ATKINSON
Business Studies, Design
and Visual Communication,
Physical Education, Sports
Education
Gemma AVERY
Sports Education
Tanya BAGGA
Science Extension
Sammie BEAN
Science, Sports Education,
Social Science
Asha BHAKTA
English, Science, Social
Science
Sophia BIRDSALL
Physical Education
Tayla BISHELL
Literacy
Malia BRODERICK
Health
Alice BUBLITZ
Mathematics, Science,
Social Science
Jess CAMDEN
Science
Abby CARVER
Design Technology
Zoe CLOUGH
Digital Technology
Gabriella COLLINS
Science

Abi CONNELLY
French
Olivia COOK
Te Reo Maori
Lucy COOPER
Physical Education, Social
Science
Aleisha CROOK
French, Health
Eva DICKSON
Physical Education, Sports
Education
Emma DOBBIE
Mathematics Extension
Maddy DOUDS-SMITH
Health, Physical Education
Bree DRINKWATER
Health
Lucy ELLIOTT
Mathematics, Physical
Education, Sports Education
Drew FRASER
Mathematics
Emma GILLIVER
Social Science
Olivia GREINER
Physical Education, Sports
Education, Social Science
Extension
Minh Tam HALDANE
English, Health,
Mathematics, Science
Angelina HAMILTON
Spanish
Pare'z HANSCOMBE-STOKES
Drama, Science
Eva HILLIAM
Sports Education
Holly HORO
Animal and Plant Science,
Business Studies, Health,
Physical Education
Sumana HURBUNS
Mathematics, Sports
Education
Miya ISHIHARA
Science
Mercy JONES
English Extension,
Mathematics Extension,
Music, Physical Education,
Science Extension, Spanish,
Social Science Extension
Ava JULIAN
Business Studies
Emma KEHELY
Physical Education
Teagan KNOFFLOCK
Visual Arts
Taylor KOBOSKI
Design and Visual
Communication, English
Charlotte LAMB
Visual Arts
Emma LISTON
Physical Education
Carys LUKE
Mathematics, Visual Arts
Katie MAGNUSSEN
Business Studies, English
Haileigh MCLAREN
Mathematics
Danielle MCLEOD
Health

Taylor MITCHELL
English, Food and Nutrition,
Physical Education, Science
Rebecca MOLES
Business Studies, English,
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Social Science, Visual Arts
Madee MORROW
Dance
Tida NARCISO
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Drama, English, Health,
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Mathematics
Willow RAHUI-BROWN
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Health, Mathematics
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Ariana SHEWRY
Physical Education, Social
Science
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Drama, English, Science,
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Lara THOMSON
Design Technology, English,
Health, Physical Education,
Science, Social Science
Zoe TURNER
Design and Visual
Communication, Science,
Social Science
Amber WINCH
Textiles Technology, Visual
Arts
Jenna YATEMAN
Business Studies

YEAR 9 TOP OVERALL SCHOLAR AWARDS 2018

Adivi AGARWAL
Stephanie BEARDMORE
Ella COATES
Sara DAHER
Chloe GOODKIND
Annie LARSEN
Holly STODDART
Lily STODDART

YEAR 9 SPECIAL PRIZES

MacKenzieKANE
Top Overall Awhina Award
Hayley MEYBURG
The Ian Menzies Memorial
Prize for Year 9 Music
Emma MACKIE
The Lumley Cup for Year 9
Music
Anna LEE-SANDERSON
The Port Nicholson Band
Trust Cup for Brass
Sukena SHAH
The Junior Cup for Year 9
Speech Competition
Jessica GOULDSBURY
The Magazine Prize for
Creative Writing
Neika THOMSON
The Magazine Prize -
Runner Up

Ella COATES
The Helen Riley Cup for
Year 9 Drama
Sara DAHER
The Taranaki Mathematics
Association Prize
Lily STODDART
The Taranaki Mathematics
Association Prize
Kadee BUNN
The 9PR 2010 Cup for
Most Improved Year 9
Mathematics
Jorja DONALD
The Whakamua Prize for
Oral Maori
Lily STODDART
The Courtney Mugeridge
Cup for General Excellence
in Year 9

YEAR 10 TOP OVERALL SCHOLAR AWARDS 2018

Abigail CONNELLY
Breeanna DRINKWATER
Holly HORO
Mercy JONES
Rebecca MOLES
Grace NEWLAND
Ella SIMPSON

YEAR 10 SPECIAL PRIZES

Brooke BAKER
Top Overall Awhina Award
Emma FOREMAN
The Marion Ruscoe
Memorial Tray for Practical
Cookery
Julie SPELLMAN
The Jean Sowry Memorial
Prize for Practical Sewing
Naya DIAL
The Magazine Prize for
Short Story
Ella SIMPSON
The Ian Menzies Memorial
Prize for Junior Band
Emma FREW
The Karen Fox Cup for
Junior Orchestra
Mercy JONES
The Rachel Olsen Cup for
Year 10 Music Cup
Mercy JONES
The Taranaki Mathematics
Association Prize
Tyla HADLAND
The Ngaire Riley Cup for
Year 10 Drama
Brooke HYLAND
The Prentice Cup for Year
10 Speech Competition Cup

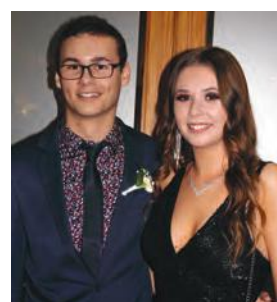
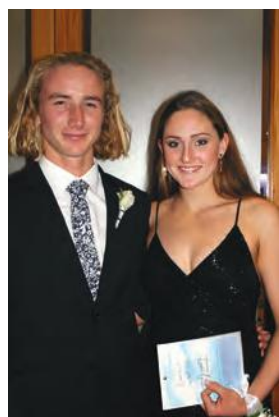
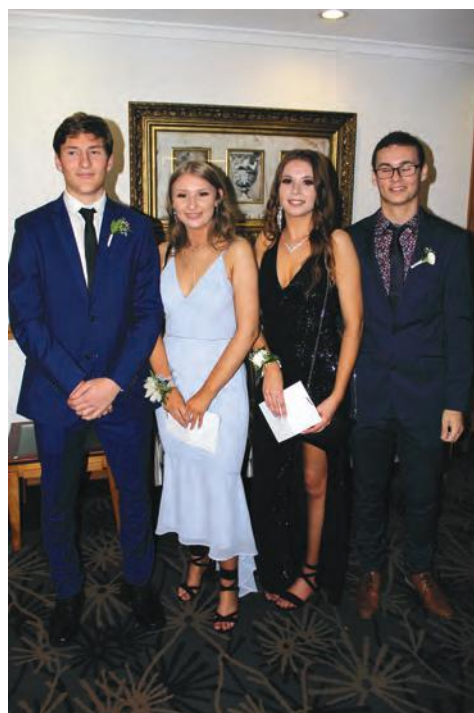
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The Helen Thompson Prize
Carys LUKE
The Taranaki Mathematics
Association Prize
Anastasia (Tasia) TOMURI
The Whakamua Prize for
Oral Maori
Daysharne ROSS
The Oonagh Ogle Memorial
Cup awarded to a Year
10 student who has a
good attitude and is hard
working.
Mercy JONES
The Paige Mugeridge Cup
for General Excellence in
Year 10 for Mathematics


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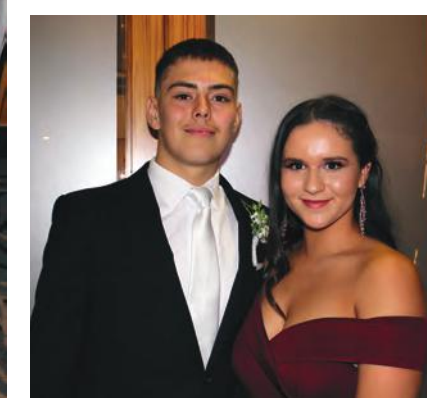
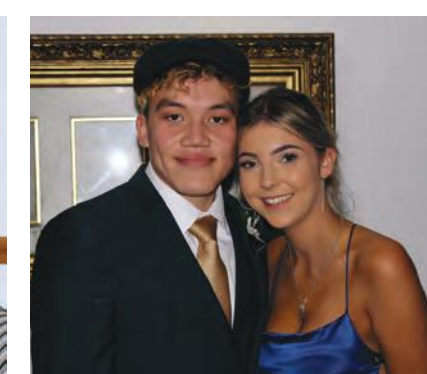
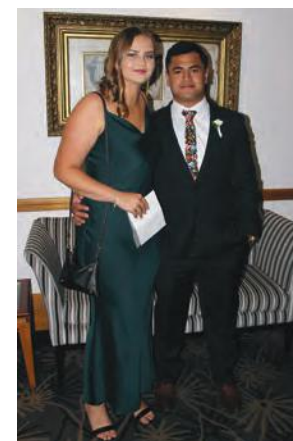


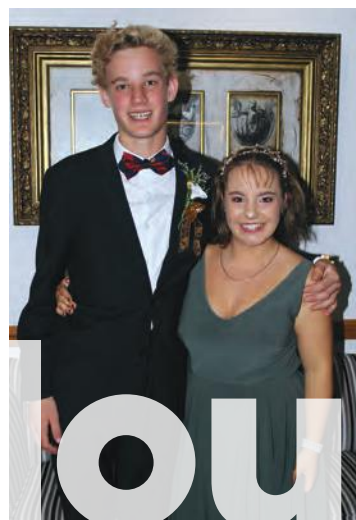
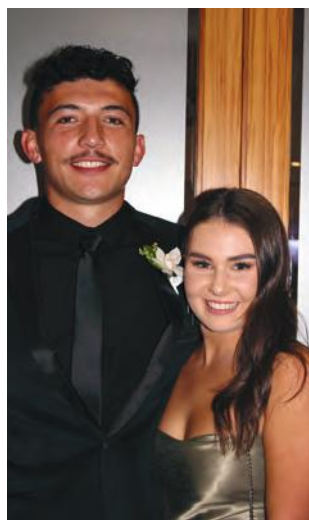
THE 2019 BALL

Walking down the hallway of the Plymouth International with dry ice swirling around our high heels (that we clearly needed a bit more practice wearing), staring down through the tunnel draped in fairy lights framing our beautiful neon sign writing, 'On Cloud Nine' I knew we had created something quite special that our wonderful Year 13s were able to experience. The School Ball is something that couldn't resist being talked about from the first day we arrived as Year 13s and I'm sure the memories created will be reminisced for many years to come.

After quite a few messy brainstormers of all the fantastic themes we could choose from, we narrowed it down to something we believe was unique and elegant. With our 'On Cloud Nine' theme we were able to bring beautiful, dreamy props together with the feeling of bliss as the "on cloud nine" saying goes. Through many crazy working bees, we transformed the room with white ceiling draping, hanging clouds, a giant silvery moon to sit in, nooks full of paper cranes and glittery stars and our favourite feature - the neon sign at the entrance. The evening was so magical being surrounded in the lights and clouds where everyone boogied the night away, flooded the photo booth and gorged on the gelato being served.

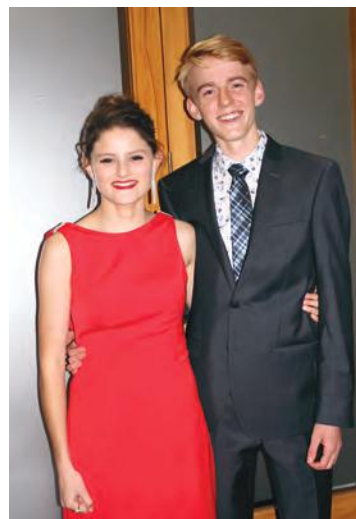
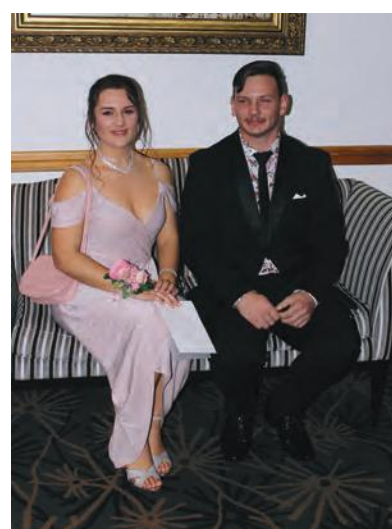
Awards for the night were Belle of the Ball (Hui-Ling Fong), Beau of the Ball (Lachie White), best dressed couple (Bella Rothwell & date) and cutest couple (Cassie Heather & date). Personally, one of my favourite moments was being able to meet and greet all the beautiful Year 13 girls and their partners at the entrance. You all looked absolutely stunning and it was so heartwarming to see

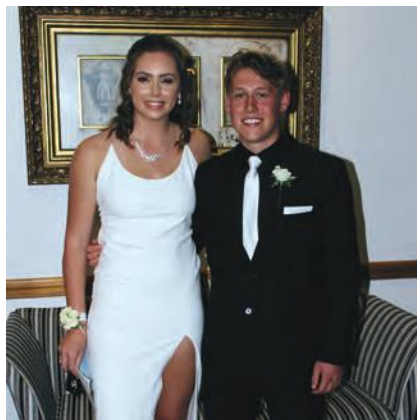
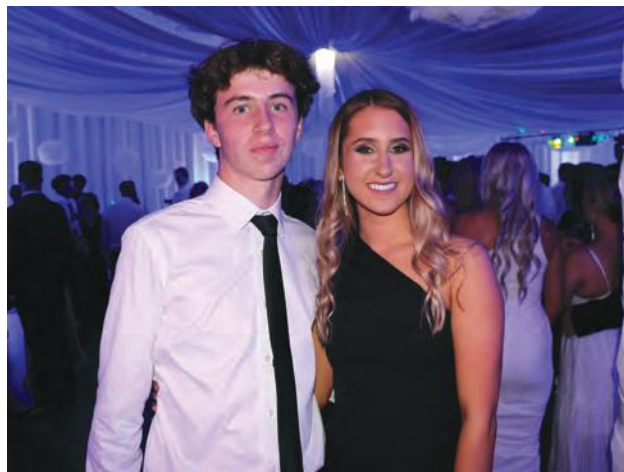
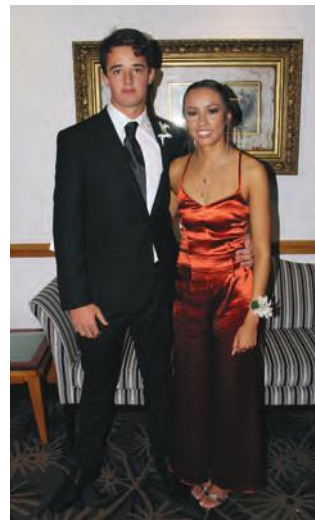
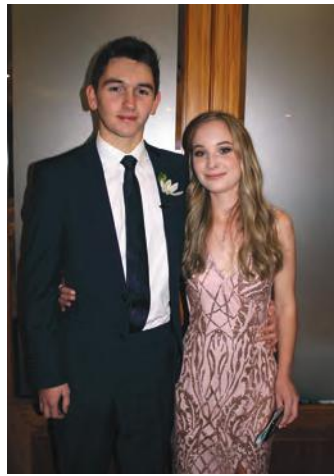




you loving the night! We couldn't have made the wonderful night possible without our amazing ball committee. The months of planning and preparation you all put into this was so appreciated. It was such a huge commitment that required a lot of perseverance, hard work and passion, painting, fluffing clouds, decorating, ticket designs, prop collecting, building and the mighty setting up and taking down the ball itself. I seriously couldn't have had the pleasure to work with a more wicked bunch of girls. It was truly something special to witness, with the hard work we had all put in being so worth it. It can't go without saying the biggest thank you to all the staff and parents who generously gave their time, resources and helping hands to us as well. What a fantastic celebration it was of our time at New Plymouth Girls' High with our special friends!

Ella Wood, Year 13







AOTEAHOUSE

Alex Paterson and Hannah Fisher, Year 13

Aotea's what? RED HOT!! OOOAAA AOTEA!

Being Aotea Waka Huia Leader has been an honor, bringing bucket loads of excitement and color into my last year at NPGHS. Aotea took on all challenges with team work, determination and a fire to succeed whilst most importantly having a whole load of fun along the way.

We had an awesome start to the year, taking the win in Swimming Sports. It was an exciting day full of sun, smiles and Waka Huia spirit. A big thank you to Hannah Fisher (Deputy Leader) and everyone who played their role in making the day a success, with beautifully painted banners, a spectacular synchronizing swimming team and a whole load of eager Aotea girls getting in the pool we couldn't have asked for more.

Athletics Day was another stunner day! A sea of red dominated the track in Cheerleading costumes, and we were able to take a second win. All the Aotea Year 13s truly united together, cheering girls on and helping lead the chants to victory. We couldn't have succeeded without such strong team involvement and great sporting attitude. I was so glad to see all the girls enjoy the day and give everything a go! A big shout of to our

Waka Huia mascot, Lyana Wilson for her entertaining run in a cow cheerleading costume.

House plays was the biggest mission this year, I think all of the other Waka Huia Leaders deserve a round of applause for how much hard work was put in. Aotea had such an incredible cast from all year levels, and it was a highlight being able to work with them to create a winning production.

Not too far away is the Fun Run and a new edition to Waka Huia competitions, Waka Huia Singing! We hope to continue the winning streak and look forward to ending the term with such fun competitions.

I am so proud of all the girls in Aotea, and working with everyone has been a once in a life time experience. It was awesome to see everyone take on unfamiliar challenges and ideas with such open arms and see all the year levels get closer. Many memories have been created in the Waka that will be cherished for many years. We definitely couldn't have been so successful without the passion and spirit of all the girls in Aotea. THANK YOU!!



AOTEA

KURAHAUPOHOUSE

Ashleigh Bunning &
Alanah McLeod, Year 13

What an absolute crazy journey it has been this year! Kurahaupo has battled its way through Swimming Sports, Athletics, Waka Huia plays, the Fun Run and Waka Huia singing. We have had such a large number of girls getting involved with all of our Waka Huia events, leading to some amazing results and achievements throughout the year!

Swimming Sports was the start of Kurahaupo's journey for 2019... and what a good start it was! We finished overall in second place, closely following Aotea. This was an awesome achievement and a true reflection of all of the Kurahaupo girls who got in the pool and swam their hardest! A shout-out also goes to the extremely dedicated group of girls who were involved in our synchronised swimming team. They came to multiple practices in their own time in order to have our performance ready. We ended up finishing second place for our synchro routine – so their hard work definitely paid off, you girls rock!

Athletics was our next challenge, where we relied heavily on participation levels to get as many points as we could! Kurahaupo members most certainly didn't disappoint, with another well deserved second place finish at the end of the day. It was so good to see the stands at the TET

stadium in Inglewood almost empty most of the time, as so many girls were giving the track & field events a go!

Our last Waka Huia event to date was Waka Huia plays. We had an amazing team of script writers, actors, extras and backstage crew who all helped us put together a 'Gum shoe detective' twist on the story of Cinderella, where the criteria even asked us to include a 'birth'!! Unfortunately, there were a few major technical difficulties that occurred during our play, but we were so grateful to have the amazing group of actors who continued to perform despite the technical issues and did Kurahaupo proud!

Overall, being Waka Huia Leaders has been an incredibly rewarding, yet a challenging experience. We are so proud of Kurahaupo for embracing the new Waka Huia spirit and for giving everything a go. 2019 has been a banger of a year and from your Kurahaupo Waka Huia leaders – we wish Kurahaupo & your future leaders all the best for the upcoming years and hope that you keep on bringing that S-U-C-C-E-S-S in, go hard!!!





TAINUI HOUSE

Jasmin Carr and
Lauren Giddy, Year 13

What an awesome year it has been for the green machine. Although overall points may not reflect this, the success within our Tainui Waka Huia has been amazing. Swimming Sports was Tainui's first challenge as a Waka, a chance to get involved and have some fun down at the pool. Although this was all super fun and exciting, there were nine girls who held the greatest pressure. The pressure of continuing Tainui's synchronized swimming winning streak. After many early morning practices in the freezing cold school pool and long trips to the aquatic center we managed to create a routine that we could all be extremely proud of. The dedication to this routine from all members of our synchro team was vital and having 9 girls as keen to win as us leaders was exactly what we needed! Because of this, Tainui managed to take the win and continue the winning streak for synchro. Tainui also managed to take out the win in the pool entrance, thanks to our awesome bunch of Year 13s. However, despite winning these two major events, this did not secure us an overall win for the day. We had multiple wins in our event races by our speedy swimmers and large amounts of participation in our non-competitive races which helped us get closer to the top. Bringing home, a second in the house chant and tire tube relay, we managed to finish third overall.

Next was Athletics (Track and Field) with a chance for all our runners to show off their secret talents and bring home the gold for Tainui. Athletics was filled with encouragement and support for everyone in our house. We saw many people run their hearts out on the track and give their all into their shotput, discus and javelin throws, others reaching new heights in the high jump and stretching out as far as possible in the long jump. At the end of the day Tainui finished last overall, this was a bit disheartening for us but we knew we could still bring it back for the fun run and house plays. House plays was an experience that pushed both Lauren and I right out of our comfort zones. Having to create a play based on a Cinderella Horror was a challenge and was frustrating at times. We did manage to produce a play for the school to enjoy and again placed third.

This year has been a huge rollercoaster for us as leaders, many new initiatives were brought in this year which were so rewarding but challenging at times. We focused strongly on building relationships between all year levels within our waka and did this by running multiple Waka Huia assemblies each term. We also created a Tainui committee with 2 representatives from each year level to share and discuss future Waka ideas. Leading Tainui this year has had its ups and downs but an experience we are so grateful for. Not only has it been extremely rewarding but the things we have learnt will stay with us forever. A huge thanks to our 2019 green machine members and especially our Year 13s for everything you added to our Waka Huia, it would not have been possible to achieve what we did without you all. To the future Tainui Waka Huia leaders, all the best and we know you will be great!



TOKOMARU HOUSE

Holly Sutherland & Charlie Godwin, Year 13

As Macklemore once wisely sung, "Today we're feeling like gold," but as we begun to grow within our Waka we started to understand that it wasn't just a day where we felt like gold but an entire year!

To all of my Toko honey's out there, I would like to thank you for this amazing roller coaster of a year and although we were faced with many challenges along the way I would like to congratulate you for always having your hearts full of gold and making mine and Charlie job easy peasy lemon squeezy.

We kick started this year like any other, feeling on top of the world (both literally and physically) as we were carried into our last swimming sports ever on the top of handmade podium. We knew then how incredible this year was going to be. We soaked up the sun, swum our little hearts out and chanted like there was no tomorrow. Shout out to all of our dedicated girls who were involved in Synchronized swimming this year, those 7 o'clock wake up calls were really worth it. We have never been so proud in our life's!

We then hit the track where we tried our best as we ran, jumped and threw and all we wanted to do was beat red, green and blue. We still can't believe we didn't get extra points for our creativity during the mascot sprint off.

Waka Huia plays were next on the agenda. We were asked to direct and carry out a play about Cinderella but the twist was that it was Aotearoa edition. So we chunked on the gummies, swandri, grabbed our favourite kiwi treats and got a cheeky silver medal that we will always wear with pride!

Still to come this year is our beloved Fun Run where we are aiming to come back on top for a consecutive year and new to NPGHS is Wakahuia singing, where we are pulling out our most angelic voices especially for this event.

A massive thank you to all of the Year 13s this year who have trusted and supported us every day. You guys are the real MVP's and where ever your travels take you next year we wish you the best of luck and hope you treasure the memories you have made within the best WakaHuia!

Finally, one more huge thank you to our biggest support person- Mr Byrne. Without you and your endless amounts of support I don't think we would have had as much success without you and we forgive you for not quite making it onto the stage for WakaHuia plays!

Lots of love.





FUN RUN

2019

WAKA HUIA TEAMS EVENTS (Staff members taken out of the placings – student's places adjusted accordingly)

1st TOKOMARU
4th Zoe Mace
5th Kushla Siemonek
6th Bree Drinkwater

2nd KURAHAUPO
1st Eve Barry
7th Jodi Carver
8th Abby Carver

3rd AOTEA
9th Taylor Mitchell
11th Emma Frew
13th Jess Camden

4th TAINUI
2nd Georgia Bricknall
3rd Dana Phelan
16th Grace Foreman

WAKA HUIA COMP RESULTS

BEST CHANT
1st Tokomaru 8 points
2nd Aotea 6 points
3rd Tainui 4 points
4th Kurahaupo 2 points

WAKA HUIA COLOUR
1st Aotea 8 points
2nd Tainui 6 points
3rd Tokomaru 4 points
4th Kurahaupo 2 points

WAKA HUIA COSTUME
1st Tokomaru 8 points
2nd Tainui 6 points
3rd Aotea 4 points
4th Kurahaupo 2 points

WAKA HUIA TEAMS EVENT
(6 runners)
1st Tokomaru 8 points
2nd Kurahaupo 6 points
3rd Aotea 4 points
4th Tainui 2 points

FINAL POINTS OVERALL
1st Tokomaru 28 points
2nd Aotea 22 points
3rd Tainui 18 points
4th Kurahaupo 12 points



YEAR LEVEL PLACE GETTERS

YEAR 9				
PLACE	NAME	KAWAI HUIA	OVERALL PLACE	TIME
1st	Jodi Carver	KCN	7th	22:27
2nd	Sage Piegenga	SJA	20th	23:29
3rd	Amanda Hoogetboom	ACH	28th	25:13

YEAR 10				
PLACE	NAME	KAWAI HUIA	OVERALL PLACE	TIME
1st	Madeleine Kinnell	GMC	10th	22:44
2nd	Renee Donovan	GRO	16th	23:24
3rd	Grace Foreman	MPU	17th	23:25

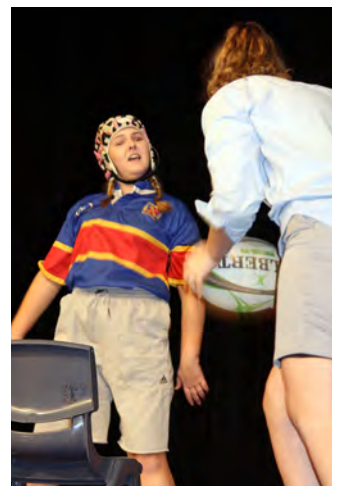
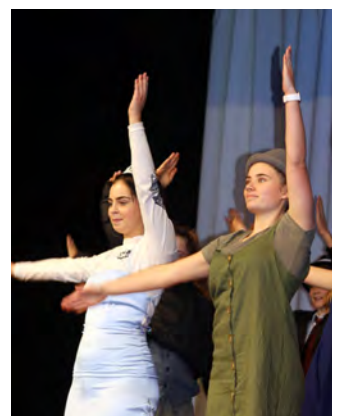
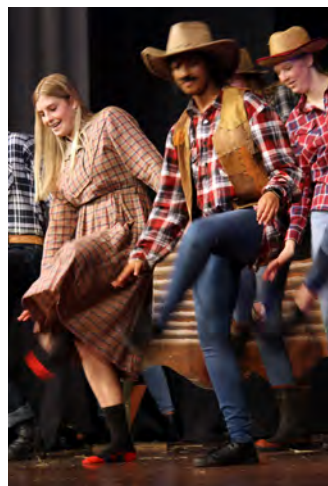
YEAR 11				
PLACE	NAME	KAWAI HUIA	OVERALL PLACE	TIME
1st	Zoe Mace	AMC	4th	20:43
2nd	Bree Drinkwater	JLM	6th	22:26
3rd	Abby Carver	JLM	8th	22:36

YEAR 12				
PLACE	NAME	KAWAI HUIA	OVERALL PLACE	TIME
1st	Eve Barry	MBC	1st	19:30
2nd	Sarah Valentine	KGR	12th	23:04
3rd	Jess Camden	TCO	13th	23:08

YEAR 13				
PLACE	NAME	KAWAI HUIA	OVERALL PLACE	TIME
1st	Georgia Bricknall	HHO	2nd	20:25
2nd	Dana Phelan	DLO	3rd	20:40
3rd	Kushla Siemonek	EPE	5th	21:47



HOUSE PLAYS



SCOTLANDS HOSTEL

#iloveboarding

Kia Ora Koutou, Konichiwha, Hallo, Anyoung, Ni hao, Welcome to this snippet of celebration as I reflect on the year gone by at Scotlands. We often use the term 'home away from home'. This year has been a little different. My heart's desire has been to build on where we've come from and create a space where students feel that fresh sense of belonging.

A great time to begin with would have to be National Boarding week, August 2019. With a couple terms behind us already, I confidently introduced fun ways to enjoy our space and place. Boarding week is always about celebrating! I wanted to reflect on how students feel about boarding and what they enjoy the most. I was a little nervous about the possible responses. However, to my surprise this idea was met with a flurry of wonderful comments.

Tell me why, #ienjoyboarding:

- It allows me to have sleepovers with my best friends everyday
- Your home work gets done
- Meeting new people
- Learning about new cultures
- It is a 'home away from home'
- Independence
- I get to sleep in because we are close to school
- A good education
- The socials
- Getting away from parents
- Because it is near to school
- I get to study English more
- Lots of free time to do stuff
- Free from family stress
- I love the friendly positive staff
- Butter chicken and meat balls
- Having the boys visit
- Weekly visits to McDonalds



National Boarding week also included our most talked about activity to date, Justin's Kitchen Rules. Each of our three houses have an opportunity to convince the judges why their week of planning, preparing, cooking and serving us dinner, should win them the title of Justin Kitchen Rules 2019. It was a tough race, but Douglas took it out with creative expression of Greece. The tzatziki was to die for.

The fun times did not stop there. However, a different kind of fun adorned our home this year, one that we are not so familiar with. Mrs Mansell, one of our supervisors, gave birth to a baby boy. The girls got to watch with such love and intrigue as each trimester came and went before Jesse was born in to our rather large family already. We also

welcomed two new staff members, Mrs Dames and Mrs Penwarden as we said good bye to Rosie Balsom and Mrs Mansell.

During the year we welcomed seven short term students from Otsuma Nakano High School in Japan. Five girls from South Korea have also joined us. Alongside our students I also invited three GAP students to Scotlands. Gabby Garon from Vancouver Island, Canada, Nine Lu from China and Antonia Barckhausen from Germany. These ladies quickly became part of our staff adding skills and experience to their portfolio's whilst helping us care and supervise our girls. Each person here at Scotlands either International or New Zealand born carries a uniqueness and a culture creating opportunities for us to



learn from one another.

One of my absolute highlights would have to be our International dinners. This is a time when students from countries represented at the hostel, get to express their homeland treasures via food. A menu is carefully planned, and food is always beautifully prepared and presented by our girls and Justin our chef. We have a variety of young ladies who choose to board but also those who must board. A student once commented, "my parents made me board because they want me to have a good education". Whether students chose or are strongly encouraged by their parents makes no difference to me. I love my job and creating opportunities for each young woman to have an '#iloveboarding' moment whilst they are with us. I would love girls to find that sense of belonging and learn to cultivate long life friendships during their boarding years. I am committed to building a place of nourishment, mind, body and soul, a place where our girls feel valued, where they can trust us and others and feel safe.

In closing I'd like to leave you with this dream: My dream is to have a 'house' where we are not afraid to rebuild. Naturally maintenance occurs to fix what's broken or leaking. But that's life in any home. However, this year our home has taken on a few extra knocks and sometimes I wonder what next. Then I realise, we are building a different house from the one we have previously lived in. Society has changed the landscape and we are forced to live within it. So, rather than settle for what we have and worry about 'what next', lets dream together. My dream is to reside in a palace – a palace where each girl finds her princess moment and learns to love it here. I declare 2020 to be a year of abundant resources, positive experiences and happy hearts.

Have a blessed Christmas everyone and bring on the new year – 2020.

Marina Walsh,
Scotlands Hostel Manager



SCOTLANDS HOSTEL HEAD GIRL

“WELL-OILED MACHINE”

In 2019, as Head and Deputy Head Girl’s of Scotlands Hostel, we have worked as a well-oiled machine, by the end anyway, with lots of laughs and giggles in between. Highlights of the year were when we were able to host a Scotlands Hostel, Francis Douglas social, meal swaps with our brother school, New Plymouth Boys’ High School, a competition with Sacred Heart Hostel, and finally the always fun day girls vs boarders events. The social allowed the girls to have a night that they could dance away giving them a well-deserved break from the stress of school. The day girls vs. boarders events such as swimming sports relay and the running relay at athletics are a fun competition, even if we didn’t win we still enjoyed taking part, having the

boarders shout at the top of their lungs chanting for us to win the race is always a fun experience. The meal swaps with our brother school was a success also, with the girls always excited to talk to their friends and swap stories at the end of the night. We had the pleasure of having a little competition with Sacred Heart Hostel, allowing the girls to make some new friends living in a similar environment to them sharing common ground. We wanted to say thanks to Mrs Walsh and Mrs Wright for all the help they have offered us along the way, supporting us in our roles and always guiding us along the right path. We would also like to thank all of the Year 13s who’ve helped us throughout the year, whenever we needed a helping hand with any activities or events planned.

The hostel will forever and always be a home away from home for us. Its a family filled with all different people from completely different walks of life, which is what makes it so interesting. For any future leaders we encourage you to believe in yourself and trust yourself because you might surprise yourself.

Emma Carver and Sabine Volker, Year 13



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Back Row: Rebekah Peters, Kataraina Rio, Jenna Mack, Rilee Austin, Savannah Clement, Montana Zammit, Lyneer Wilson, Jada Barnes, Jai Handley-Fisher, Hannah Smith
6th Row: Leah Fagan, Kiara Liening, Jemma Brears, Kaea Lawson-Phillips, Mayo Oyachi, Maya Petch, Freya Sklenars, Katie Kemp, Izabelle Keegan, Abby Carver, Heidi Austin, Kiara Flutey, Tess Randle, Samantha Liggett-Bowring
5th Row: Leah Te Huia-Warren, Danielle Peters, Sarah Valentine, Charlee Smith, Tori Tanga, Trinity Tanga, Bailee Jackson, Tanya Haseltine, Sian Dimond, Ruby Helms, Bianka Eggink, Finn Lovell, Kushla Siemonek, Anastasia Tomuri, Emily McLean
4th Row: Lena Yokomatsu, Poppy Downs-Holden, Katelyn Hughes, Rebecca Duggan, Mikayla Bester, Mackenzie Smith, Holly Horo, Ruby Waho, Courtney Barnes, Chihan Zhang, Tyler Wiseman, Ramari Wineera, Marcell Putaranui, Aliarne Lobb
3rd Row: Justin Whalley, Theresa Kerr, Natalie Foss, Moana Matariki, Olivia Manson, Stevie-Maree McKenzie, Mikaiya Devey, Ella Clarke, Geneth Washer, Sammie Bean, Brylee Winter, Emma Cathie, Chloe Brown, Rachael Aplin, Cimone Wright
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Absent: Emma Alcock, Ella Collins, Mandrie Du Preez, Sarah Hwang, Minkyung Kwon, Katrina Stead, Heidi Pease, Laura Curtis, Zola Thomas, Mikayla Alcock, Maddisyn Innes-Gray, Evita Makiaho, Wikitoria Armstrong, Nikeal Hapi, Leah Rawlinson, Ngakura Ngatai Toopi, Talitah Pusal



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VISUAL ARTS

“ART IS NOT WHAT YOU SEE, BUT WHAT YOU MAKE OTHERS SEE.” Edgar Degas

The Visual Arts & Art History department has been a vibrant assortment of art making combined with the history of artists and their ideas this year which have made for rich conversation and creativity. With our active Facebook and Instagram including Artist Lunchtime talks, Student/Teacher Visual Arts exhibition and our Wellington Visual Arts/DVC trip students have been actively engaged in creativity. Every student has an element of ‘creativity’, no matter how big or small; it is a component within the ‘mixture of life’ that you need in any job.

Year 9 Visual Arts commits towards ‘Celebration’ in bit size pieces with camera-less photography by making a photogram in a darkroom. Year 10 Visual Arts celebrated Personal-Self and a sense of place. Senior programmes ranged from Photography, Design and Sculpture to Painting and Printmaking. A dynamic range of art practice fills the four Visual Arts classrooms as students engage on finding pathways to extend and enrich their personal ideas. Various technologies and software are used as a tool to deliver an outcome.

‘Travel the world’ is something we encourage all our students to embrace one day and through the study of Art History, visits to art institutions will be more ‘richer’. Who travels the world and does not enter those breath-taking spaces? Level 2 Art History students are saturated in the Neo-Classical French Art period. Level 3 Art History students on the other hand, were studying a diverse range of artworks (positioned predominantly within Europe); Early Modernism or Early Renaissance (Italian).

Success: Many students achieved success in last year’s Visual Arts NCEA external examinations. We received nine Scholarships in Visual Arts Photography and one in Design. These Scholarships continue to reaffirm that our programme in place are providing students with the opportunity to reach to the highest levels nationally. We celebrated having Luna Arie-Madriz’s Printmaking portfolio in the Top Art Exhibition that travelled as part of a national exhibition. Another highlight was Natasha Stadnik being selected as a finalist for the Secondary School Art Wallace Art Awards. Her painting was part of an exhibition at the Par Homestead on Queen

St in Auckland. This is the most prestige Visual Arts awards in New Zealand for High School students.

Student Involvement: Arts Week celebrated students getting involved and participating in Pavement Art, Wearable Arts and the ever-popular Avant Garde Hair Art. Thirty senior Visual Arts and Art History students travelled to Wellington for two days on a combined Visual Arts and Graphics (DVC) trip to view exhibitions at Wellington City Gallery, Weta Workshop and the Dowse Museum in Lower Hutt. The visit also extended to Massey University Design School and Victoria University. Congratulations to all the Visual Arts students for the incredible portfolio diversity that you created and presented to us; your teachers, your whanau and the wider school community. We are super proud! It was pleasing this year to have so many students on the Visual Arts Committee led by our Visual Arts Leader Stella Steer. Many thanks Stella and to all the students involved in the Visual Arts Committee including those that gained a Visual Arts badge.



My appreciation: An enormous thank you must extend to my team, Bridget Wright, Katie Smith, Tanya Mercer, Megan Maton and Juliet Farquhar for your loyalty, support, professionalism and enthusiasm towards Visual Arts and Art History. Your loyalty and generosity of time towards the department I am so appreciative of. We fare welled Mrs Victoria Forsyth at the end of Term 2 to take up a position at Opunake High School. Victoria’s contribution in Photography & Design was so much appreciated.

Remember “Creativity takes courage” – Henri Matisse.

Kirsty Grieve, HoD Visual Arts/ Art History



2019 has proved to be yet another fantastic year. It started off with four Year 10s (Gwyneth Aish, Jess Tait, Sarah Pearce and Jana Heise) participating in a WOMAD songwriting workshop where their song was performed at the Bowl and kicked off the WOMAD festival! Then it was the always brilliant Taranaki Orchestra Day where 100 players (37 from NPGHS) combined from High Schools across Taranaki to form a massed orchestra for the day. This is always an excellent day and we look forward to next year.

Then it was Smokefree Rockquest where half the contestants were from NPGHS! Brilliant representation and all the acts were awesome. Congratulations to all the participants but especially to the following place-getters and award recipients: Naya Dial (1st Solo/Duo), Paris Liu and Cloe Peterson (2nd Solo/Duo), Paris Liu (Best Vocalist), Hannah Collinson (Best Lyrics), Billie Wheeler (1st Band “Olympus Jeopardy”).

Later was the Chamber Music Contest where NPGHS also dominated in the groups and the awards. Congratulations to all the groups involved for some truly beautiful playing. Isabelle Roberts, Kim De Vantier, Clara Hadlow, Dunja Colic, Mercy Jones, Amanda Wu, Zoe McCall, Tayla Manning, and Eleanor Grieve all gained Highly Commended and the Isabelle, Kim and Clara won the KBB Award for best group using woodwind, brass or percussion.

The Big Sing occurred where Jubilate were selected as one of the top 12 choirs in the Lower North Island

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Region to compete in Whanganui at the Big Sing Cadenza and gained a Distinction award. This was a fabulous trip away and was the result of much intensive rehearsal but totally worth it!

We also had students gaining recognition at national level with Clayr Asia, Ella Simpson and Anna Lee-Sanderson all getting into the NZ Secondary Schools’ Brass Band and Liv Burns was in the New Zealand Youth Symphonic Winds. Year 10 Music students Gwyneth Aish, Jess Tait, Sarah Pearce and Hayley Meyburg were finalists in the national contest run by ‘Play it Strange’ called the “Who Loves Who” competition where their version of Jamie McDell’s ‘Crash’ made it onto the 2019 Who Loves Who Album!

The Concert Band and Jazz Band headed off to Hamilton to the Waikato Bands’ Festival, gaining Bronze and Silver respectively. This is always a fabulous trip!

The Who’s Huia Showcase held at Boys’ High featured some amazing performers like Paris Cooper, Eleanor Grieve, the Ukuladies, Concert Band, and Shelby Plowright as well as a bunch of brilliant acts from NPBHS. This was a fantastic display of talent.

The orchestra also played a great really fun concert for an audience of preschoolers and our own Waimarie students. The music was interactive and fun with costumes, sound effects and fun entertainment for all. Other groups busy making music included Harmony Singers, String Group and the Junior Jazz Band.



We are a thriving department thanks to an excellent attitude from our NPGHS girls who give it their all and love sharing music!

Juliet Woller, HoD Music

2019 has, as always, been a busy year for the Drama department. The department staff included Mrs Lisa Simpson as HOD, ably supported by the wonderful Mrs Michelle Puckeridge from the English Department and Mrs Abigail McCrae from the Dance Department as teachers of drama to year 9 students. It has been a privilege for this terrific trio to be able to provide challenging and exciting learning experiences for our students. A highlight of the year was the news that 2018 student Tessa Keenan was awarded Top Scholar in Drama as a result of her performance in the New Zealand Scholarship exam. It was a privilege to attend the ceremony in Parliament where top students from around the country received their awards and had the chance to meet Prime Minister Jacinda Ardern. We also congratulate Raev Moyenne who achieved Scholarship Drama in the same exam. It is exciting and rewarding to know we hold our head up with the best of New Zealand's young performers.

The Shakespeare Festival in Term 1 featured three student directed pieces: an evocative Titus Andronicus directed by Chenae Phillips (Year 13), as well as two pieces from The Taming of the Shrew, co-directed by Georgia Bunn and Sarah Mulder (Year 12), and Cassie Heather and Tuscany King (Year 13). Mrs Simpson directed two groups, one of whom performed the opening scene from King Lear and the other featuring the comic Malvolio from Twelfth Night. Sarah and Georgia won the student directed 5-minute section at the regional festival and performed at the National Shakespeare Festival held over Queen's Birthday weekend in Wellington. Mikayla Bester (Year 11) was selected as the Taranaki Direct Entry to the National Schools Shakespeare Production, held at the beginning of October. She was joined there by Sarah Mulder who was also selected for this event from the National Festival.

Class productions were again the highlight of the year for many students. Year 13 students performed the first two acts from Top Girls by Caryl Churchill. This play features women from throughout history at a dinner party in the first act, with the second being set in an employment agency for women in the 1980s. The Year 12 class performed Under Milk Wood by Dylan Thomas. The students created the delightful and quirky inhabitants of a fictional Welsh fishing village called Llaeggub. The Year 11 classes performed Spilt Milk by New Zealand playwright Claire Ahuriri. This is a play about a play script, and what happens when coffee is split and all the dialogue and characters are washed onto the margins of the script and must find their way back. The Year 10 classes energetically and enthusiastically performed two short plays; Out of your Mind and Word Play. These performances included nightmare vaccination scenes, a heavy metal orchestra, skydiving, zombies, and mass simultaneous birth. As you can see we don't really do normal!

All the class productions and performances have been lively, showing wonderful ensemble work. It is always a huge effort to produce a play or complete an internal



Isabel Simpson flown upwards on behind the scenes tour of NPOS production of Priscilla.



Katie Magnussen Year11 trying flying harness on a behind the scenes tour of NPOS production of Priscilla.



Nicole Heaysman as a makeup model on the NPOS behind the scenes tour of Priscilla.

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assessment and we are always pleased with the commitment, hard work and team spirit displayed by our students. As well, all classes have been supported by a very warm and vocal audience of family and friends who have really made a positive difference to the experience of live acting for the students.



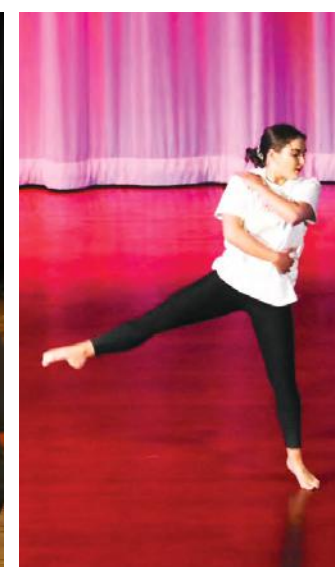
NPGHS students Brianna Camden (Top in Biology) and Tessa Keenan (Top in Drama) at NZ Top Scholars awards with Prime Minister Jacinda Ardern.

We believe it is important for students to see as much theatre as possible, and this year New Plymouth has been well served by high calibre performances this year. Year 11, 12 and 13 students went to New Plymouth Operatic Society's production of Priscilla and enjoyed a behind-the-scenes tour and workshops. Senior students had the opportunity to see Lisa Brickell's wonderfully physical and moving Mockingbird at 4th Wall Theatre thanks to Arts on Tour. Year 12 students took advantage of Cue Theatre's season of The Importance of Being Earnest to check out the scenes they themselves performed in class. It was also great to see our students involved in several local community theatre productions, both on stage and behind the scenes.

Special thanks to the Level 3 class of 2019, led by Allie McKenzie, who have been stalwart supporters of Drama in the school this year.

Also, much deserving of thanks is the Groundstaff, Andy, Jim, Brian, and Ian who tirelessly get set pieces and staging out for us, set it up and then break it down again after each production, as well as making set items, costume racks and props for us when required. Their energy, kindness and skill have been much appreciated.

Mrs Lisa Simpson, HOD Drama



DANCE

2019 has been a fabulous year of Dance at New Plymouth Girls High School. A highlight was the Night of Dance held on the 21st of August – a huge success. This was an entirely student led project showcasing the outstanding talents and choreography of the senior dance classes and year 10 dance students. The standard of dance was impressive with girls combining their gymnastic skills, strong technique and confident stage presence to show off their choreography. Themes ranged from the impact of cellphone use on society to body image. The different genres showcased made for an interesting evening eg/ Ballet, Tap, Hip Hop, Contemporary, Sasa and Theatre Dance.

The girls were also able to hone their contemporary dance skills with professional dancers at the workshop run by the NZ Dance Company earlier in the year. Students found this very valuable as it gave them an insight into the hard work, preparation and level of fitness needed to be a professional dancer. Our Inclusive Dance class has been something completely new for me, I have enjoyed every lesson



and learnt so much from the students and the amazing teacher aides who attend this class.

As the incoming Dance teacher, I have been delighted to return to New Plymouth with my family, having attended NPGHS as a student. Special thanks to Nicole Heaysman, our Dance leader, who has been a tremendous help to me, represented the subject with pride and has organized lunchtime dance workshops for the students.

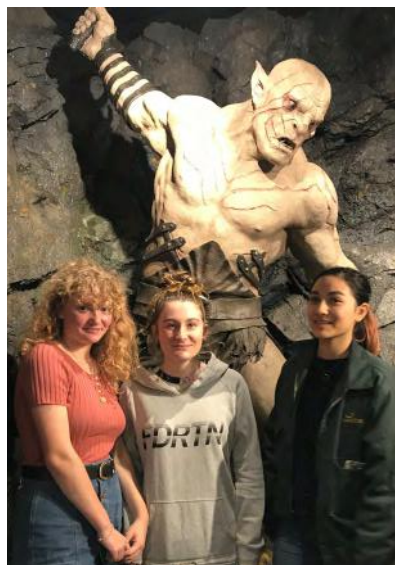
With such wonderful dance students this year, I am looking forward to the future at New Plymouth Girls' High School in the Dance Department.

Abby McCrae, TIC Dance

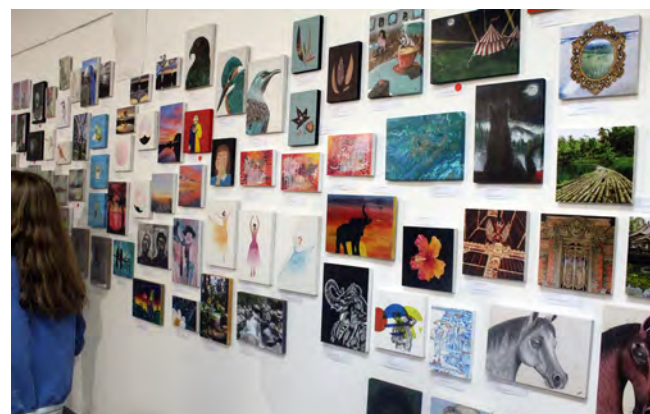
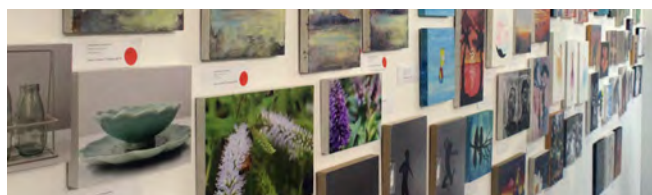


ARTS WEEK





STUDENT EXHIBITION & WELLINGTON ART/DVC TRIP



New programmes we endeavour to deliver in 2020:

- The NZ Pre-Police Programme run by WITT and in conjunction with NZ Police.
- The implementation of the "White Shirts" Programme in conjunction with PIHMS. The purpose of this programme is to give students who have an interest in pursuing a career in the Hospitality Industry, a realistic insight into all the career pathways in this field.
- To support and continue to develop the Taranaki Pipeline – an initiative set up by the NPDC to encourage students into exciting career prospects within the Construction industry.
- The implementation of a Career Ambassador programme to support and mentor Y9 & Y10 in exploring different career pathways.



Career Development Education is a priority at NPGHS and 2019 has been another very positive and busy year providing career development opportunities for students at all levels. Career education is provided in a variety of settings that include STAR (Secondary Tertiary Alignment Resource), Gateway, Trades Academy, 3 + 2, Red Shirts. We also have the Whyora programme for Maori students (Health Career Focus) and Putaiao (Science Expo), which are both funded by the Taranaki District Health Board.

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The Careers Department focuses on:

- Supporting businesses in making connections with future employees
- Ensuring our students develop a clear understanding of what it is to be work-ready
- Students developing an understanding about the range of employment options available to them
- Providing students with clear pathway direction so they are making the right choices (regarding future planning)

In summary I would like to acknowledge all the dedication and hard work of our career development team - Mrs Lofton-Brook, Whaea Kimiora Taite and Ms Young, who work tirelessly behind the scenes to provide so many wonderful opportunities outside, and within the class room setting for our students to explore and evaluate their career pathway.

The Careers Team wishes all leavers successful and satisfying futures. We all acknowledge that the success we experience is very much due to the very positive support for Careers activities from our Principal, Ms Kerr, Senior Management, Heads of Departments, Deans and Subject Teachers. Career development for students encompasses all that is offered at NPGHS and with this approach together, we are able to achieve positive career development progress for our students. We look forward to assisting all those returning in 2020 with their Career development education and planning for the years ahead.

Health Career Development for Maori students: Whyora (Health Career Focus) for Years 11 – 13 and Putaiao (Science Expo) for Years 9 and 10, are opportunities made available to our Maori students, to encourage them to look at careers within the Health and Science sectors. The Whyora programme and attending Putaiao (Science Expo) have been beneficial to our students and helps them to explore the career options available within the sectors. Students on the Whyora programme, that have gone on to tertiary education, benefit from the Whyora Team being a part of their support team while they are studying. NPGHS has been involved with this programme for the past seven years.

Brett Zimmerman, HoD Careers

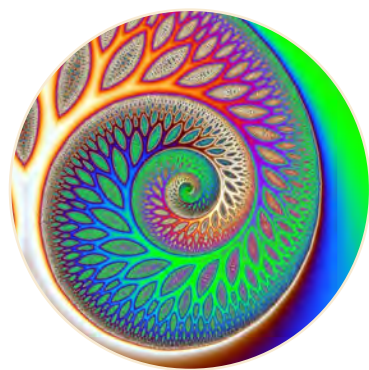


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MATHEMATICS

The study of mathematics, like the Nile, begins in minuteness but ends in magnificence. Charles Caleb Coton

Mathematics is all around us and helps us understand the world better. To live in a mathematically-driven world and not know mathematics is like walking through an art gallery with your eyes shut. Learning and recognising the importance of mathematics can help you appreciate things that you would not otherwise notice about the world. In reality, maths is everywhere!



Mathematics teaches us problem-solving skills. It helps us think analytically and have better reasoning abilities. Analytical thinking refers to the ability to think critically about the world around us. Reasoning is our ability to think logically about a situation. Analytical and reasoning skills are important because they help us solve problems and look for solutions. This has never been more important than it is today considering the world we live in.

Mathematics is used in practically every career in some way. Obviously, mathematicians and scientists rely on mathematical principles to do the most basic aspects of their work such as test hypotheses. Even operating a cash register requires that one understands basic arithmetic. People working in a factory must

be able to do mental arithmetic to keep track of the parts on the assembly line and must, in some cases, manipulate fabrication software utilising geometric properties (such as the dimensions of a part) in order to build their products. Really, every job requires maths because you must know how to interpret your pay & balance your budget.

We have had another great year welcoming Mrs Bendikson's baby boy into our whanau and wishing her well during her maternity leave. We were lucky to secure Mrs Harris to cover Mrs Bendikson's classes as she is an experienced and passionate teacher who has settled well into the department.

Our staff continue to be actively involved in the Taranaki Mathematics Association (TMA) both on the administrative side and in attending meetings, organising professional learning or delivering presentations. Mrs Sandra Parry stepped down as President of the TMA in March but still assisted Sacred Heart Girls' College in organising the 2019 Mathematics Spectacular. Miss Jackie Crawford continues to be the current TMA secretary and has ensured that all communication is smooth and efficient. This will be even more important moving forward as Taranaki has been awarded the contract of organising the biennial New Zealand Association of Mathematics Teachers' conference. As a Department, we are very diligent at attending networking meetings and professional learning opportunities and very much look forward to having the NZAMT conference on our doorstep in 2021.

We were very pleased to have 3 Scholarship in Mathematics – 2

in Statistics and 1 in Calculus which was achieved by a Year 12 student, Breanna Camden. With no Scholarships the previous year this was especially pleasing. Special thanks must still go to Mrs Helen Hofmans and Mr Andrew Bone for the huge amount of extra time and effort they put into preparing these students, often during before or after school classes as well as in the school holidays. Our NCEA results were again pleasing and the Numeracy pass rate for our students hit 92.3% at Year 11, 97% at Yr12 and 98% at Yr13. This is a reflection of the dedication and hard work of both the teachers and the students. A special thank you must go to Ms Lynda Fromings for all the work she has done to help these students achieve their Numeracy Unit Standards.

Congratulations to the whole department for their enthusiasm, dedication and commitment. They are an amazing team and it is a pleasure to work alongside them. Special thanks must go to Mr Andrew Bone and Mrs Megan Bendikson, now Mrs Tanya Harris, who in their roles as Assistant HoD's have been an immense source of support and encouragement for me. The whole team is a collaborative and collegial group of professionals who always have the students' best interests at heart. They are a very generous and tireless team who always go the extra mile. This year in particular has seen every teacher commit to using DMIC (Developing Mathematical Inquiry Communities) in their classroom and we are nearly one year into our three-year journey. We hope to see improvements in student engagement, collaboration and communication of their mathematical ideas. Watch this space...

Mathematics + Science Badge Recipients These students have undertaken a variety of extra-curricular activities over the year that have a Mathematical or Scientific focus. These girls have completed at least four hours of effort, in at least three activities (some have put in considerably more hours than this minimum).

Year 9 **Mahrukh Baig, Freya Coates, Leah Smith**

Year 11 **Tanya Bagga, Abi Connolly, Emma Frew, Holly Horo, Mercy Jones, Vaela Mendoza, Tida Narciso, Grace Newland, Elana Nicholas, Vamika Satrasala, Zoe Turner, Amber Winch, Hana Yim**

Year 12 **Syna Bindra, Amy Simmers**

Year 13 **Chloe Barker, Breanna Camden, Skyler Ellington, Magdali Feldtmann, Jessica Frost, Melissa Loveridge, Grace Van de Velden, Sabine Volker**

COMPETITIONS & EVENTS

Methanex Mathematics Spectacular 2019

After considerable training and pitted against many other teams from across Taranaki, two Yr9 and two Yr10 teams took part in the Maths Spectacular Quiz. This is half an hour of mathematical logic and problem solving. All the teams did themselves proud and we have high hopes for a placing in 2020.

Many thanks to all the students who contributed work for the exhibition and the students in our quiz teams. Special thanks must go to Mr Faulkner for his commitment in the training of the quiz teams

Maths & Science Week August 2019

The New Plymouth Girls' High School Maths and Science Week was held in week 6. This was the major event of the year for the Maths and Science committee as it involved significant planning, organising and carrying out of the activities. The purpose of Maths and Science Week is to explore aspects of Maths and Science that are not generally covered in a traditional classroom. It allows students to look at STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics) from a different perspective and increases interest in the field. Activities this year including designing a marble roller coaster, making (and eating) ice cream, a forensic science "who dunnit", a Waka Huia version of "The Chase" with very special guests as The Chaser and to top it all off the A-Maths-ing Race where students had to answer questions to get a letter and then crack the code to unlock the box. Maths & Science Week 2019 was definite success, which was made possible by Breanna Camden our dedicated Academic Leader and her faithful student committee.

Mathematics Competitions

This year some of our outstanding students have gained significant results from a variety of competitions. The benefits of entering these competitions are that students can: test their general mathematics knowledge against students from all over New Zealand; receive individual feedback on each question; track their progress over the years they enter and receive recognition for their efforts and achievements. Below are the top results of our students from a number of national competitions. Even if a student did not make the list below we encourage participation for enjoyments sake. Every student will at least receive a certificate of participation.

Otago University Junior Mathematics

This competition is usually tackled by those with a passion for problem solving in Years 9 to 11. To feature in the top 100 or 200 in New Zealand in a particular year groups is a significant achievement. Emilia Brown - Top 200 in New Zealand (Year 9)

CASIO & Victoria University Senior Mathematics

This competition attracts the very best young mathematicians across the country. Doing well in this paper can lead to an invitation to participate in higher level competitions such as the Maths Olympiad. Placing in the top 100 or 200 from the mix of Year 12 and 13 participants is a significant achievement. **Breanna Camden** (Y13) – Top 100 in New Zealand **Amy Simmers** (Year 12) – Top 200 in New Zealand

We congratulate all students for their efforts & achievements. To all our senior students, we wish you every success in the upcoming NCEA examinations.

Sandra Parry, HoD Mathematics

Australasian Mathematics Competition (AMC)

The Australian Mathematics competition is the original and largest of its kind in the world, with approximately 400,000 competitors. The competition consists of multiple choice questions involving problem solving.

Year 9 Distinction

Yuri Jeong

Year 9 Credit

Mahrukh Baig, Leah Smith

Year 10 Credit

Anna Kang

Year 11 Credit

Aleisha Crook

Year 11 Proficiency

Jess Camden, Emma Frew,

Holly Horo, Hana Yim

Year 12 Distinction

Amy Simmers

Year 12 Participation

Syna Bindra

Year 13 Distinction

Breanna Camden

ICAS Mathematics

Year 9 Distinction

Grace Jeong

Year 9 Credit

Mahrukh Baig

Year 9 Merit

Leah Smith

Year 9 Participation

Freya Coates

Year 10 Participation

Anna Kang

Year 11 Participation

Emma Frew, Holly Horo

Year 12 Credit

Amy Simmers

Year 13 Credit

Breanna Camden

ANSWER: 35 triangles



Look closely at this figure, how many triangles can you see? (Answer at bottom of page)

2019 has been another settled year for the Science Department and our focus has been on embedding our senior curriculum, reviewing junior programmes and implementing our 2019 strategic plan. We started the year fully staffed and were pleased to welcome back Mrs Donna Ainsworth and Mrs Kimberly Hanover in part-time positions covering classes for Mrs Gemma Towler who stepped into the role as our schools Specialist Classroom Teacher while Mrs Barbara Bennett was on leave. We also welcomed Mrs Sarah Roberts to our department. Sarah picked up a science class from Mrs Claire Hodson which enabled Claire to move into one of the schools Year 9 Dean positions.

During 2019 the Science Department has continued to support our students learning of science with our "Tuesday tutorials", which is part of our department's strategic plan to help raise student's achievement. A range of science staff attend the tutorials which are open to all students during lunchtime. Science students can attend these tutorials for homework help, revision and one-on-one tuition. The support shown by staff has been wonderful and I thank all involved for giving up their lunch hour once a week to assist students.

SCIENCE

We have been fortunate to be the recipients of a generous donation from the L. A. Alexander Trust. The funds were used to purchase Pasco data logging equipment. The trust also continues to support the employment of a student to assist with horticulture/agriculture activities during the year.

The Science Department has had students involved in the WITT Taranaki Science and Technology Fair. We managed to enter a good number of high quality projects with several of our student earning significant prizes. I would like to thank Mr Athol Hockey for his time and effort in organising this event.

We had several students attend the 2019 New Zealand University summer camps which are held in January each year. There have been a significant number of students applying for the various 2020 positions which are always an amazing opportunity as they open the world of science and scientific research up to our students in a way that complements what we aim to achieve in school.

Breanna Camden was selected to attend The Elaine P Snowden Astronomy School which is a 5-day astronomy camp in Christchurch and Tekapo. Students attending the camp meet other like-minded people who share their passion for astronomy and astrophysics. The school includes astronomy classes, workshops, and seeing the largest optical telescope in New Zealand. Breanna was also selected as one of ten students from the region to attend the SWAPA Astronomy Conference in New Plymouth earlier this year.

This year we selected Arwyn Whaanga (Year 12) to represent our school at the Foundation for International Space Education in Houston Texas. We are very privileged to be able to send a student to Houston each year. The selection process is rigorous, and the candidates are always selected from our top academics.

We entered two teams in the first ever NZ Young Scientist Tournament in Wellington. We had a Year 11 team consisting of Abi Connelly, Haileigh McLaren and Vamika Satrasala. Our Year 10 team was made up of Sara Daher, Holly Stoddart and Lily Stoddart, with Emma Frew, Tida Narciso and Elana Nicholas acting as researchers and supporters for the teams. Both of our teams placed mid-field in the competition and the opportunity to present and defend their team's practical scientific investigations and research against a range of New Zealand secondary schools was a fantastic experience. I must commend our students on their efforts and sportsmanship. I would like to thank Mr Andrew Chubb, Mr Athol Hockey and Mr Warwick Barker who all worked closely with the teams in preparation for this event. We have a focused and determined team ready for the 2020 challenge.



Towards the end of 2018, Mr Athol Hockey was successful in an application for a grant through Venture Taranaki's "Curious Minds" for funding from the Ministry of Business, Innovation and Employment for a school based Participatory Science Project titled "Sustainable energy generation for use in electric vehicles". The funding was used to purchase and install solar panels and two wind turbines of different designs on the Tohonohono marae. These different electrical generators are being monitored daily by science students. Breanna Camden and Jessica Frost used the installation for a scientific investigation which was entered in a WITT Taranaki Science and Technology Fair. The project titled "Watt About the Weather", was very successful and earned the girls the Best in Fair award, along with several other significant prizes. Running in parallel to the electricity generation project, Mr Athol Hockey has also been working with students designing and building electric vehicles for the Evolocity regional and National competition. Following the completion of an initial prototype, two competitive electric vehicles were produced. Amber Winch, Vamika Satrasala, Vaela Mendoza, Elana Nicholas, Zoe Turner and Hana Yim competed with these vehicles in the Evolocity challenge earlier this year where one of the vehicles earned an innovation award and was invited to the national event. This group of students also entered their prototype electric vehicle in the WITT Taranaki

Science and Technology Fair, winning First Prize in the Technological Development, Years 11-13 with their project titled "Sustainable Electric Car from Scrap". With time it is our plan that the electrical generators and the electric vehicles will become integrated into our teaching programmes and that future students will become involved in both monitoring the generators and the design and building of electric vehicles. Athol has also applied for a 10kW solar array with monitoring equipment to the value of \$20,000.00 through Genesis Energy's school-gen initiative. I wish him well for his application and thank Athol for the time and effort that he has put into pioneering and leading this project.

Our Science leader for 2019 was Breanna Camden. I would like to thank her for all the work that she has done to promote science throughout the year. I observed large numbers of students participating in the ICAS Science Quiz and the lunchtime events during science week, all organised by Breanna and her support team-great job! Breanna has also provided opportunities for many students to earn their Mathematics & Science Badge, which is an award that students work towards throughout the year by participating in a variety of extra-curricular events offered by both the Mathematics & Science Departments.

The purpose of this award is to:

- Promote involvement in Science and Math based activities within the school
- Increase the profile of Science and Math in the school.
- Make Science & Math activities more accessible to all people and levels.
- Encourage students with an interest in these areas to pursue STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics) subjects and counteract the large gender imbalance in these industries

I would like to offer my sincere thanks and appreciation to Mr Tony Gerber, Mrs Lisa Chubb, Mr Andrew Chubb and Mr Warwick Barker for their hard work and commitment to the leadership of this department during 2019. I would also like to thank all the science teachers for their continued high level of professionalism, support and enthusiasm. I am always very impressed by the level of commitment shown by all members of the department towards our students learning outcomes; you all go way beyond what is necessary. A special mention must also be made of Mrs Jenny Wansbrough our Laboratory Technician and her support person Mrs Dokhy Ayoubi for the "extra mile" they are always prepared to go in assisting with the smooth running of the department.

We look forward to the future with anticipation and excitement.

Brett McFarlane, HoD Science

EVOLOCITY ELECTRIC VEHICLE

A team of girls made the decision to develop & build an electric vehicle for entry into the Evolocity Electric vehicle competition. This is a nation-wide schools programme which engages teams of students in designing & building an electric vehicle using an electric motor componentry kit to allow members to develop skills in engineering, electronics, teamwork etc.

The team consisted of Amber Winch, Vamika Satrasala, Vaela Mendoza, Elana Nicholas, Zoe Turner and Hana Yim. Our aim was to build an electric vehicle from scrap parts so we collected metal scrap from the schools metal recycling desks and old bikes. Eventually we settled on a trolley and forks cut from 20inch children's bikes. After a lot of experimenting & welding, a vehicle was completed for the Science fair. This vehicle however had major flaws in steering & stability so the trolley was abandoned and a new frame was built which complied with the Evolocity regulations. This vehicle was powered by a 1000w hub motor and 48V lithium batteries It was named "Cyclops".

At the same time, Rivet engineering built an aluminium frame for our standard 350W motor. This was completed and tested three weeks before going to Hamilton for the regional competition. This



car was powered by Sealed lead acid batteries and named "Koopo King".

On 21 September we went to the Hamilton Cart Sport club to compete in the regional finals of the Evolocity competition.

The two cars competed in the following events, Drag race – 80m sprint - Cyclops was the fastest car on the day. Street circuit – between cones in a set pattern. Gymkhana – collecting and posting batons between buckets. Economy run – furthest distance on a given amount of energy.

All members had a great time and at the end of the day "cyclops" was awarded the "most innovative engineering" award because it was the only vehicle that could reverse!

We will compete with "Cyclops" in the national finals on 24 November in Hamilton.

Thanks to the following people for their kind assistance during the development.

- Rivet engineering - Building the aluminium car
- Ken Agar (Melo Yelo) - Electronics expertise & electric motor advice and guidance
- Heather Ross - Hub Motor and batteries for cyclops
- First Gas - Financial help in the form of a donation
- Powerco for loaning us their Hyundai Ioniq EV for the trip.
- Peter Hoffmann - Making a new steering rack for Cyclops.
- Venture Taranaki - financial help as a "Curious Minds" project.

Athol Hockey – Teacher and mentor



Breanna Camden and Jessica Frost



Best in Fair and WITT Trophy



Jessica Gouldsbury

TARANAKI SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY FAIR

T2019 had a record amount of investigation entries in the WITT Taranaki Science & Technology fair. A number of these won significant prizes & awards including the Best in Fair. Awards & prize-winners are listed below.

Breanna Camden & Jessica Frost

- Best in Fair and WITT Trophy
- LogiCamms: New Zealand Trophy for the Best Project in Years 11 - 13
- First Prize: Scientific Investigation Years 11-13, "Watt about the weather?"
- Massey University Special Award: Demonstrating the best solution to a significant global issue.
- NIWA environment prize: Best environmental projects based on climate, freshwater or marine issues
- Independent Petroleum Laboratories: Outstanding Experimental Technique

Amber Winch & Zoe Turner

- First Prize Technological Development, Years 11-13: "Sustainable Electric Car from Scrap"
- NPDC prize: Most innovative projects that contribute towards achieving zero waste for the region
- LogiCamms: Best use of Engineering in a Year 11-13 project.
- Major Prize: Beca Tertiary Scholarship

Abi Connelly & Elana Nicholas

- Major Prize Science & Technology Fair Committee Tertiary Scholarship-Scientific Investigation Years 11-13 "Chicken bones"

Holly Dixon

- Second Prize: Observational Drawing, Year 9
- Merit: Photographic Section, Year 9
- Merit: Scientific Investigation, Year 9 "Shades of blue"

Emma Frew

- Major Prize: Mason Charitable Trust Tertiary Scholarship Scientific Investigation "Focused Fire"

Jessica Gouldsbury

- First Prize Research Project Years 9 & 10: "Utilisation of biogas"

Ella Hall

- First Prize: Observational Drawing, Year 9
- Merit: Scientific Investigation, Year 9 "Get a handle on this!"

Holly & Lily Stoddart, Cloe Goodkind, Sara Daher

- First Prize Year 10 Quiz

Lottie Moffatt

- First Prize (Equal) Advertising Poster, Year 9

Holly Stoddart

- Third Prize Scientific Investigation, Year 10 "Yeast your eyes on this"

Millie Wright

- Merit: Advertising Poster, Year 10
- Second Prize Photographic Section, Year 10

Well done to all the students and teachers involved for these excellent results.

Athol Hockey (NPGHS Science Fair Coordinator)

At the end of 2018 after applying to the Venture Taranaki "Curious Minds" we were granted a small sum of money in order to carry out the "Sustainable Electric Vehicle Project". This a collaborative pilot project involving students, parents, teachers and local communities to investigate innovative and environmentally sustainable energy generation for use in electric vehicles and evaluate the success of these methods in a school based setting which can be used to inform any future full-scale implementation in the Tohonohono Marae situated in the school grounds.

The installation of the electrical generation faculty of the project was commissioned at the start of term 1 and was completed during the April holidays. It consists of a 200W solar panel, a vertical wind turbine and a horizontal wind turbine. These three units are generating electricity which is being stored in large batteries for future use. This generation installation is also being used to recharge the Evolocity electric cars' batteries. A further 1kW of solar panels was later installed on the roof of the Tohonohono to generate electricity which will be fed back into the grid to supplement the use of electricity in the Marae.

The electricity generation installation has been set up as an educational resource for all students to access for studies in environmental sustainability. It generated 10kWh energy in the first two weeks of operation. The facility allows students to

ELECTRICAL GENERATION & SUSTAINABLE VEHICLES

continually monitor this generation and develop investigations around different aspects of sustainability and electricity generation. This was the focus of an investigation by Breanna Camden and Jessica Frost entered in the Witt Taranaki Science Fair.

At present there are 6 students who are tied to the electric vehicle & generation project. They are Amber Winch, Vamika Satrasala, Vaela Mendoza, Elana Nicholas, Zoe Turner, Hana Yim & the Science club lead Breanna Camden pictured next to the generation facility.

This project relies heavily on the sponsorship & support of local businesses & communities. We would like to express our sincere gratitude to the following people, businesses and institutions :

- Alan Winch, Steve Scott and the team at Rivet engineering, for the preparation and making of the two wind turbine towers and building one of the Evolocity electric vehicles.
- Steve and Josh Gallichan of Egmont Industrial Supplies limited for the donation of the tubes and iron for the wind turbine towers
- Heather Ross for electric bike parts.
- Ken Agar of E2 Bikes for ongoing advice, assistance and guidance in making the electric vehicles,
- Michael Fenton of Open Polytechnic for educational advice invaluable assistance in educational advice and application proposals.
- Plug n Play for supplying the Solar panels, turbines and electrical components at reasonable costs
- Mike Hein of Computer Sense for his knowledge, assistance and donation of 1kW of solar panels.
- Powerco for the donation of a inverter for the 1kW solar panel array
- NPGHS Ground staff for all erecting the turbine poles.

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DESIGN & VISUAL COMMUNICATION

“IT IS ALWAYS GREAT TO SEE STUDENTS DEVELOP THEIR OWN DESIGN STYLE”.

I will start with covering the Level 3 DVC. Our focus this year was on the 3.30 Initiate Design Ideas through exploration. This external Achievement Standard has a different way in which to generate inspirational shape and form as a basis of design. It always challenging to approach the creative process and divergent thinking in a different manner but it can be also rewarding as each student work unfolds. Later in the first term most students used their exploration work to influence and inspire their Spatial design work. In addition, the exploration work extended into a product- chair design. Many of this cohort I have taught for the past 3-4 years and I wish you well in your future endeavours including those who are going on to study the different aspects of the design realms. At the end of Term 1 I took a group of students over to a Zero Carbon Emissions Design day hosted by Venture Taranaki and Taranaki Regional Council. Those who participated were Breanna Camden, Bec Simpson, Ella Wood, Amy Simmers and Nikita Taiapa. It was an enjoyable day which looked at this region's needs for the not too distant future. Earlier in the year our DVC & Visual Arts students visited the design schools at both Massey and Victoria Universities in Wellington. As an integral part of the trip a visit to Weta workshops was a highlight. In early September a recent former DVC student visited one lunchtime to speak to our students about spatial design at Massey Wellington.

In Level 2 DVC it is always great to see students develop their own design style. We commenced the year with a focus on design eras and design movements. Many students choosing modernism, others Art Deco, Art Nouveau and Deconstructivism. These design choices were used and applied to both the spatial art gallery

and furniture design internal assignments. The students individual and final design for their art galleries were meticulously drawn up in architectural form as mechanical perspectives. This is a great way to architecturally showcase a 3D spatial design.

Level1 DVC has continued in a similar fashion to previous years with the study of a designer first. This sets a precedent for the chosen designer and their respective influence on both the Lighting Solution and I-Site building design assignments. The student work is presented using a range of 2D and 3D sketches, thumbnails, close-up sketches, exploded parts drawings and technical and supporting annotations. It is at this level student design work becomes a visual narrative, a story which reflects the students creative voice and that their own design style starts to emerge and develop as their own.

In Junior DVC we saw the implementation of more digital sketching with the use of digital drawing tablets to sketch and to draw not only in freehand but also in one-point perspective. In Year 10 DVC we followed a similar line looking at various designers and applying some of their influence on their own design work. A range of projects or assignments saw learning and creative pursuits cover product design, a combined spatial and landscape project. Later, saw us work on some formal drawing around scales, floor plans and 3D formal drawing in preparation for modelling. In the Year 9 DVC programme the focus has been to build and encourage creative thinking and sketching skills as well as covering a product design of a twenty first century watch and a design of a favourite room as part of spatial design.

Robert Young,
HOD Technology

DIGITAL TECHNOLOGY

2019 has been a year of change in this area. There is a new digital technologies curriculum that is to be implemented by 2020 and we have been very busy making changes to our digital technology programmes. The new curriculum focuses are on the developing digital design outcomes and computational thinking. The significance of digital technologies in schools is becoming more apparent as today's learners leave school to work in a digital world and employment statistics continue to show an increase in demand for digital skills.

The Year 13 students undertook and independent project to generate a digital media outcome. This has resulted in varied projects such as digital network signage, video production and website design, PHP and a webserver.

In Year 12, they have been busy focusing on learning about creating a network, the setup and implementation of a media server to host and serve files, generated design and print production and prototyping board games and card games.

Year 11 started this by deconstructing a computer and rebuilding it. They also needed to install a chosen operating system, install appropriate software for their needs and were required to test the machines function. The students have also been designing and developing live websites for school-based communities and have been 3d modelling using

Blender and 3D prototyping (printing) wearables.

Year 10 have been studying a broad range of subjects which have started with 3D sculpting of mythological creatures and characters. They then developed websites by coding from scratch with HTML and CSS. This was followed on by an introduction to 2D animation in After Effects in which they generated animations promoting our school values. As in introduction to programming hardware, they have experienced programming micro boards for various functions and lastly worked collaboratively on a construction project in Minecraft.

Year 9 students undertake digital technologies as one of the core Technology subjects. This 'taster' course runs for approximately 10 weeks and provides students with the opportunity to develop their skills. This year they have been learning about correct procedures and conventions associated with file management, basic networking, IP addresses, tools and skills in Adobe Illustrator with 2D character design and a simple AI (artificial intelligence) by creating a chatbot.

I would like to acknowledge the immense support from of the two IT Technicians, Mr. Kurt Brookes and Mr. Doug Gelling for their on-going support of students and the Digital Technologies Department.

Nick Bouterey,
TiC Digital Technology





Hospitality Cooking Class

HOME ECONOMICS AND TEXTILES TECHNOLOGY



Another year has flown by in the Home Economics Department. It started with the wonderful news of Amy Morris, Year 13, 2018, gaining Scholarship in Technology for her studies in Textiles Technology. Thank you to Mrs Colleen Horne for all the work she undertook teaching and preparing Amy for scholarship. Congratulations to Amy on her outstanding achievement.

During May, Mrs Leah Preston departed on Maternity Leave for the pending arrival of her son, Lewis Barry Preston in June. Congratulation to Leah and Keith on Lewis's safe arrival into their family. We welcomed Ms Sarah Robert's who joined the department taking over Mrs Preston's classes.



Year 9 Food & Nutrition



Amber Winch

Students have been incredibly busy in the department with wafting food aromas and fabulous textile creations. Food & Nutrition students focus on the well-being of individuals, families and society in New Zealand and how the consumption of food affects them. With the rise in dietary related diseases, especially obesity in NZ, strategies to enhance food choices following the Food & Nutrition Guidelines for New Zealanders are reinforced by the practical application of preparing, cooking and serving of foods following safe, hygienic practices in their groups. Students eat together as a whanau in their groups, with tables set to reinforce



Sydney Williams



Olivia Sharpe

the importance of eating together. Year 9 students have had the opportunity to use an e-learning workbook which has been trialled this year. The Determinants of Health underpin the curriculum for the family and society at Years 12 and 13. Strategies to bring about positive changes and their overall impact on society are investigated. With the rise in food poverty, sustainable food practices in relation to environmental, economic and social Determinants of Health are challenged.

During Term 2, the Level Three Food & Nutrition students undertook health promotion activities with all Y10 students. The focus was young people making and consuming a nutritious breakfast before coming to school. They delivered a very informative presentation to the year level which covered the benefits of eating breakfast, low cost nutritional breakfast choices and the reading of food labels when selecting breakfast foods. A variety of other activities were organised including making delicious samples of new foods for the Breakfast Club.

Textiles Technology students developed skills, knowledge & creativity through practical work. At each Level it is project based. From Level 1 onwards a high degree of research, testing & trialling, key stake holder feedback, designing, making & evaluating aiming for accuracy and independence. From Level 2, students formulate their own briefs, develop outcomes, consult stakeholders, skilfully and efficiently implement procedures and undertake effective development to make, trial, create and evaluate prototypes. Sustainable practices and economic use of resources and time need to be managed.

The success for the students throughout the year could not have been possible without the conscientious, committed and dedicated staff of Mrs Colleen Horne, Ms Sarah Roberts and Mr Brett Zimmerman, ensuring their students reached their potential and gained success. They gave up endless intervals and lunchtimes to work with students completing project and assessment work. My sincere thanks to you all for making it an excellent year.

Karilyn Findlay,
HoD. Home Economics

GEOGRAPHY As we all know, Geography is one of the most relevant & significant subjects for the future of the planet. Geographers study issues from both holistic & future problem-solving perspectives based on knowledge & collaboration. Our classroom teaching & learning reflect these perspectives at school.

The Level One classes continued to investigate the issues created when people interact & use the environment, both locally (Waiwhakaiho River) & overseas (The Great Barrier Reef, Queensland). 20 students travelled to Cairns to explore the Great Barrier Reef for a week in July. This trip is relevant and important as the students see & experience what they have been learning in the classroom & therefore it gives them more understanding & perspective regarding the geography of the area being studied. We hope to continue to offer this trip in the future. Changes to the Level One course included the removal of the population standard from the examination & allowed students the freedom to choose a country & study the workings of the United Nations. This was well received. We had two large classes this year and a high percentage of the Level One students were accelerated to complete the Geography Skills standard at Level Two.

Level Two class continued to explore local residential patterns & some issues that people have faced. This class was small in number but were a very motivated group who understood that a collaborative approach to learning can have benefits for all. We continue to look at ways to improve this course. Next year the early indications are that numbers are growing as students are understanding that Social Science is an important area to study in the Senior school.

Level Three class continued to study development, including recreational, along the New Plymouth coastline this year. We were very fortunate to have support of student learning & understanding with a visit to Pukeariiki, including guest speakers Pat Greenfield & Michael Kennaugh (the author of Back to Front – a book on the history of the Coastal Walkway). The class also explored issues in Europe & a model EU meeting was held. This meant students were able to understand how discussion forums are facilitated & managed in a formal manner. As the trip to Phuket was not possible in 2019, we turned our attention to tourism in Rotorua. This was an amazing class this year. Students were supportive of each other and motivated to focus in class & have some fun with learning. We wish them all the best for their future study & careers.

Teachers continue to review and reflect on classroom practice. Issues include acceleration of students which facilitates IEP (individual education plans) that suit the students' needs between the courses, levels and standards offered in the Social Studies Department. The well-being of all involved in teaching & learning has been a focus for the Department. This year, the number of standards & credits has been reviewed & indeed changed. We have offered fewer standards in the external examinations for Year 12 & 13 students in most subjects (due to time required to complete answers to a higher quality).

We look back on the year with optimism as the external examinations loom. We hope the students' grades reflect the effort they have put in this year. I would like to thank Mrs. Coleman for her valuable input into Level 1 and 2 Geography.

SOCIAL SCIENCES

2019 HAS BEEN A YEAR OF CHANGE AND REFLECTION AS WE LOOK TO IMPROVE THE LEARNING OUTCOMES FOR OUR STUDENTS.

TOURISM

Continues to explore future pathways for students to follow. Tourism is continuing to be one of our leading export earners and so NPGHS continues to offer Tourism to the Senior students. We focus on skills required in the Tourism industry, using Unit Standards as assessment tools. Some of our students will combine their studies in Tourism with Vocational Pathways and we share a healthy collaborative relationship with the Tourism & Careers Departments. We continue to offer the New Zealand Certificate in Tourism, facilitated by the School of Tourism. At this stage, five Level 3 students will be completing the certificate which is a culmination of two years' work. This year we welcomed Mr. Richard Meikle to the Tourism team & his input has been greatly appreciated.



It has been an interesting year as we continue to develop programmes for students working at different levels of learning which include those students that attend external courses outside of school. These courses provide vital nourishment for students & can give them valuable direction regarding future pathways in Tourism.

In Year 12 we recommenced the trip to Waitomo and students enjoyed exploring the caves and black water rafting. This trip gives students the understanding of how tourism works in the real world & what challenges there are for a business centered around tourism. They have a better understanding of what a tourist is and what their needs are.

Our Year 13 Tourism class continued to work with Te Atiawa in a collaborative learning approach for part of the year. This class had the privilege of visiting local significant sites for Maori around North Taranaki including Koru Pa at Oakura. We were fortunate to have two guides from Te Atiawa who were able to facilitate the learning and understanding of sites that are of significance. Taranaki is experiencing ever increasing levels of tourism and related infrastructure development which should and will include culturally significant tourist attractions and activities developed, facilitated and managed by local Iwi.

I would like to thank Jeff Sanders and Richard Meikle for their valuable input into course development focused on our learners. A lot of work goes into developing resources and ongoing marking in this fully internal Unit Standard course.

Eddie Brown, HoD Social Science

GREAT BARRIER REEF

The 2019 Great Barrier Reef trip was one to remember! Twenty Level 1 geography students went to Cairns, Australia, for the week of a lifetime learning about the reef, the ecosystems that it supports, and how we can use it more sustainably so that future generations can see the incredible sights that we did. Fitzroy Island could have stepped right off a postcard. There were pristine white sand beaches and palm trees full of cockatoos, and just below the surface of the ocean was the reef. We went for our first snorkel here, and saw three turtles, countless fish, and a stingray. We had the chance to record the type and colour of the coral that we saw to help the GBRMPA to monitor coral bleaching, and learned about the zoning system which regulates the many uses of the reef.

We spent the next two days on a boat and stayed overnight on the water. The snorkeling was even better on the open ocean, and we saw huge pillars and arches of multicoloured coral, turtles, sharks, stingrays, and a Maori wrasse which was over a metre long! We found both Nemo and Dory along with millions of weird and wonderful fish. We sunbathed on top deck, scuba dived to the sea floor, and watched the sunset from the spa pool. That was our last time on the reef, but our adventure wasn't over yet – the next day we went to seminars at James Cook University on marine biology, sustainability and venomous creatures.

We went to a research area and saw many of these creatures for ourselves, including jellyfish, lungfish and the extremely poisonous stonefish. On our last full day in sunny Cairns we visited the charming and colourful village of Kuranda, and took the Skyrail over the rainforest on the way back down. We went on a boat ride with crocodiles, wandered around an enclosure with kangaroos, got up close and personal with a cassowary and held snakes and koalas. We returned home with new knowledge, unseasonal tans, and huge smiles on our faces.

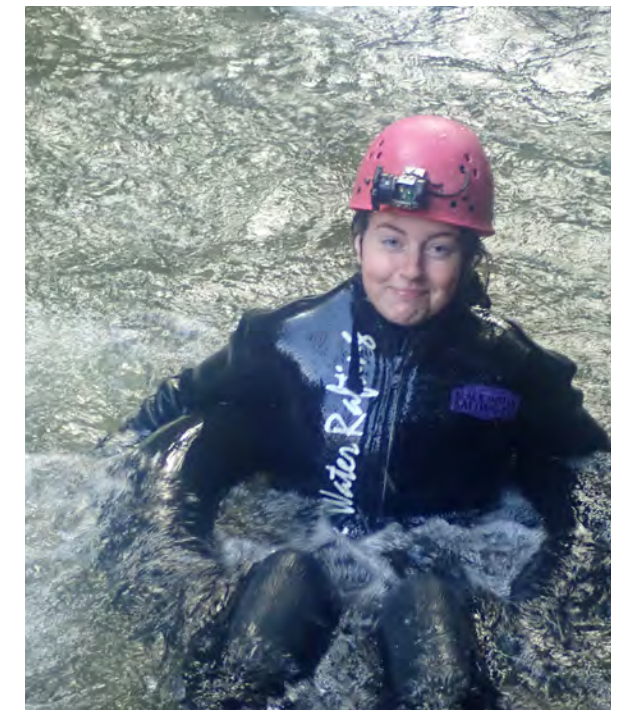


WAITOMO TRIP

This year Level 2 Tourism classes had the opportunity to visit the Waitomo caves and participate in a range of activities. At 6 am on the 17th of May all those participating meet at school to head up to Waitomo. We were split into two groups, heading in different directions. Firstly, my group completed the Black water rafting through the caves, where we learnt about the history of the caves and went through some pretty tight spaces. While we were completing this the second group was in the Waitomo museum learning about

the history of tourism in Waitomo, and then got to walk through the glow worm caves. Once we were done we swapped over so each group got to experience the thrill of the black water rafting and the magic of the glow worms in the walk-through caves. This is a trip I don't think I would have done if it wasn't for Level 2 Tourism, so if this opportunity comes your way I suggest you take it as it was such an eye opening and thrilling experience.

Molly Lourie, Year 12



BUSINESS STUDIES

2019 has seen a year of big changes for the Business Studies Department at NPGHS. With the departure of Karen Morine who was a dedicated Head of Department for many years it was time for the rest of us to step up and fill some big shoes. Karen is sorely missed with her organisational skills, her commitment to ensuring the very best for her students and her leadership of the department which she trusted in her staff to maintain her high standards. Thank you, Karen, for helping shape the department and those who continue to work in it. The school was fortunate to appoint Chevonne Hendrickse from WITT to replace Karen; a welcome addition to the department.

ACCOUNTING

Our focus in Accounting is to ensure students are well equipped for the business world. It has been a busy year and it was really pleasing to see students achieving their academic goals in Accounting across the year levels. The Year 13 Accounting students spent a day at Massey University learning how to analyse a company to decide if they would advise someone to purchase shares in that entity. They spent a lot of time investigating Comvita Ltd.'s annual report and learnt some valuable skills. Seven of our Year 13 Scholarship students also went to Waikato University for their Scholarship Preparation Day. These opportunities gave the students a chance to gain a taste of university life and were very educational. The Year 12 students became familiar with Xero Accounting software and intensively researched accounts receivable and inventory management systems. It was good to once again have two Year 11

Accounting classes this year. All students could create and read financial statements by the end of the year. Good luck to all the students sitting NCEA exams and we look forward to being able to celebrate your successes next year.

Congratulations to the following:
Accounting Scholarship:
Amy Morris, Lauryn Ewing
Accounting Outstanding
Scholarship: **Anahita Piri**

Business studies has continued to be a popular subject option amongst Year 10 students at NPGHS with 5 full classes. At Year 10 we aim to offer a smorgasbord of our subjects giving the students an opportunity to have a taste of the options that are available to them in Year 11. Enterprise is always being a popular topic where our students get to collaborate with their classmates, using their creative skills to produce a product to sell at market day as well as developing their financial skills, marketing knowledge and showcasing leadership potential. The Year 10 Market day is always highly anticipated by the student and the staff at Girls' High as the products on sale are of great variety and made to a high standard.

In Year 11 Business studies we take a step up from Year 10 and



focus more on small business and how factors inside and outside of the business can affect the success of that business. This year we were lucky enough to have former NPGHS student Zoe Flower from Emmalou Macaron and Coffee House give up some of her precious time to come and talk to our students about her business and how she has worked so hard to make it a growing success. Thank you, Zoe, the girls really appreciated the time you gave to them. The Year 11 class also run their own Market Day and with the product they bring to the market they also produce a professional business plan that enables them to develop many skills including team work, researching, financial management, project management and communication skills. These are valuable skills to take beyond school.



ECONOMICS

We have been very busy in Economics. The year 11's got off to a good start understanding the ins and outs of micro-economics - learning how the market works as well as what happens when the government gets involved, for example with taxes and subsidies. They have also analysed a business of their choice, looking specifically at how production decisions are interrelated.

The Level 2 students have been on a huge learning curve this year and now have a decent understanding of Macro Economics. For example, they have looked at things like what inflation is (prices rising throughout the economy) and why we need it to improve our standards of living, why a weaker NZ dollar is quite good for New Zealand (and us) and how all the theory matches up with what is happening right now in the Taranaki economy.

Level 3 has linked Economic theory with real life and human behaviour, such as looking at the economics behind legalising recreational cannabis, they have participated in Economic simulation games (drinking copious cups of juice and running around the classroom with tennis balls) to better understand Micro Economic theory, and can now work out what is what is best for society (economically speaking) and what can be done when things haven't turned out quite that way (such as in the case of Monopolies). 2019 has been a great year, with a fabulous bunch of students. Roll on 2020.

Congratulations to the following:
Economics Scholarship:
Amy Morris
Economics Outstanding
Scholarship:
Anahita Piri

Myken Hurley,
TiC Business Studies

ENTERPRISE STUDIES

Year 12 Enterprise is another progression in the Enterprise stages with students running a business for the whole of the school year. In conjunction with the nationally run Young Enterprise Scheme students must complete many challenges to be eligible to win a Regional Award and then go on to compete at Nationals against teams from all over New Zealand. Over the course of this year the students who have been participating in Enterprise have had to complete a Product Validation video, submit a business plan to Accounting firm BDO, pitch their product idea to judges at WITT, complete marketing and sales challenges as well as participate in the selling of their product.

It is a busy year with much to pack in but with many positives and rewards to gain from all that hard work and with many groups being rewarded with the following prizes:

Doggy Daily Delights
\$200 Seed Funding

Let's Get Saucy
\$250 Enhancing Rural
Communities Awards

Petite Cha
\$200 BDO Business Plan Award
\$200 Challenge 3 Promotion
Regional Winners and National
2nd Place Winner
TGM Social Media & Marketing
Award - Social Media & Marketing
session

Petite Cha + Let's Get Saucy
Trade Fair Challenge Winners
and the opportunity for a stall at
the Business Showcase at the
Taranaki Chamber of Commerce.

Tanya Haseltine (Petite Cha)
Attendee at the Enterprise in
Action Weekend in Wellington.



CREATIVE WRITING

ZELDA

My life is over. That is the first thought that comes into my head every single morning. I wonder if I will live? I wonder if I will ever go back to my old life? But this is the uncertainty every single Jew has to face in the Belzec concentration camp. It made no sense to go on any further since both of my parents were already dead, shot by an unforgiving German soldier in their own home. Now, I sit here on the dusty, sandy ground and when I see a German officer near me, I want to run. My whole life flashes in front of me. The only good that is coming from it is that I can see my sweet little sister, Zelda.

Let me take you to the beginning. It was a magical day six-years ago on Thursday the 23rd of March 1935 when my beautiful sister was born. She was angelic. Her name, Zelda, means blessing and happiness. That is exactly what she still brings me. She is my blessing, my happiness. Zelda has dark chestnut-brown hair, kind green eyes, olive skin and a distinct birthmark on her left cheek in the shape of a fish. My favourite memory of her was when we were playing out in the snow, in the backyard of our small home. Her blue winter coat reached her ankles and she was waddling out of the house like a penguin. I'd never forget her big toothless smile, where you could just see a glimpse of her permanent teeth coming through. I knew then that we would have a bond forever.

Then the war came.

It was publicised in the newspaper but I never thought that it could reach us all the way in our little town of Sopot, Poland. We were far from the violence but being a Jew, there was no place we could run to. They would find us, hunt us down, and take us away. My whole family had been issued with a star. It was a symbol to indicate that we were Jewish. A way to point us out in the crowd, a way to humiliate us.

My family and I had always lived simple and gentle lives, I couldn't begin to think that there was something wrong with me.

One morning, as I was getting ready for school, out of my little frosted window I saw several trucks coming into our street, Andrza. I didn't think much of it. Surely the war couldn't reach us here, I thought? I heard deafening knocks on the door. They were powerful. You could tell that they weren't done by a delicate woman, or a respectable man but by someone who meant business. My mother, Frieda, opened the door. That was my last memory of her. She was shot right through her heart. We were all stunned. My father, Henrik, in a panic ordered Zelda and I to hide. He waved behind his back, just violently enough so that the soldier wouldn't know that we were still there. We ran quietly down the spiral of the stairs into the basement. I looked around and saw two empty potato sacks. Zelda and I climbed into those. My heart was beating loudly and almost felt as if it would change places and go into my throat. I heard loud noises upstairs. There was screaming, banging and then it came to a pin drop silence. I was crouched in the sack for an hour at least but I needed to go to the toilet. I looked over my shoulder and saw Zelda looking at me. Her face was wet from crying and I told her, "Let's go and look for Father." She reluctantly agreed and followed me up the stairs in dismay.

I looked around in our chaotic house. The white fabric sofa had been turned onto its side and our family portrait was hanging on an angle. There was no sign of Father. I glanced in the bedrooms, kitchen and washroom. He wasn't there. What was I going to do next? How was I going to survive? My father was gone, my mother was dead and my little sister and I were the only ones left. My fear was that

they had taken him away into one of those camps forever.

The next day I didn't go to school. There was no school left to go to. I was now orphaned and had to take on the responsibility of a young child. I felt lost and scared. How was I going to take care of Zelda on my own? I could barely look after myself. Zelda was in the corner, sleeping under her bed on the cold, cruel floor. She was pretending to sleep but I knew that her mind was full of questions, just like mine. Zelda asked me ever so softly amongst the turmoil, "Do you know where Father is?" I replied and said, "No, now go to sleep." I couldn't tell her where he actually was. She was too young. I needed to protect Zelda's innocence.

Sopot was beautiful during the winter. It had frozen lakes, snow on the pathways and even during the freezing times, it still looked beautiful. After the war had started, all I saw was the ash-black darkness around the whole city. Most public places, like the park, had been taken over by the Germans to put their feet up and have a rest after a long day of murder. I wanted to help, I wanted to make a difference but being a Jew, I couldn't go out there. It was too dangerous.

That very evening, we were rationing our food and making sure that we had enough to last ourselves for the minimum of a week. It wasn't much at all. A few biscuits, cabbages and rice. I knew we had to make it work. I wish that we could have gone out to get my favourite sausage, Kielbasa, like we used to with our parents but that star was the death of us. That god-damned star had ruined our lives.

I lit the fire to boil the water and cook our rice. It wasn't a plentiful serving but we managed. I gave Zelda the bigger portion, she needed it more than I did. She was

young, she had potential to grow and even make it out of this war, but who knew? The white puffed-up rice reminded me of the soft, warm memories with our parents, although I knew I could never get those back anymore. As she was taking her first bite of the tasteless meal, a German soldier barged into our home, kicking our half-broken door off its hinges. He had no mercy. Grabbing Zelda by her little foot, he dragged her along the floor. I was next. I resisted his muscular body as hard as I could but I was forced to let go of my grip against the table. The only thing that I could think about was Zelda. My precious Zelda. I couldn't survive without her.

Now I am here at Belzec, the concentration camp. Even with all these people around me, I still feel as if I am the only person on earth. There is no one to talk to as everyone has their own problems. People have lost their children, homes, husbands, families, there is no end to what we have lost. I don't cry anymore, tears are just a sign of my lost hopes and dreams. A sign that I won't ever get to see Zelda again. I can't believe that we have been separated. I knew that my turn was coming up next to go into that cloudy place out of which nobody ever came. What was the point of living anymore? It felt as if all routes led to my death.

As I take my final weary steps inside, I can still hear Zelda's sweet, innocent voice playing in my head on repeat. Oh, I wish I could see her once more. I get shoved by the other lost souls in the same position as me but I still only hear Zelda's voice. Her voice gets louder and louder but I know she isn't there. I stand in there, in silence and as I get ready to take my last final breath, I see Zelda. Was she there the whole time? How is this happening? I see the birthmark on her cheek. I hear her say, "Eli, Eli, Eli, I mi..."

Syna Bindra, Year 12

MAKING DREAMS REALITY.

Voices are all she heard echoing through her head. She forgot when the voices started exactly but now it was all she knew. During her days, all she would hear was "Don't let out a word, not even a peep or sound." She didn't know why they wanted control, why they wanted to keep hidden or why they wanted her to hurt herself. She had given up the fight long ago and allowed the voices to move in, becoming a roommate to her brain as they took over and consume her every thought. She was a flame, well used to be. Now the flame was long out. The lingering smell of smoke left to console her anxiety.

Friends and family, oblivious of her internal fight. Despite how much she wanted to tell them about the voices and expose her truth, she couldn't. She had tried before, but her lips physically couldn't form the words "I need help, help me." Instead the roommate voices took control, echoed and versed "I'm fine, I'm fine, I'm fine." Every day without fail she would rise from the sleepless, misery filled night. That no longer held any solitude, like it once had. She would check, examine and pick at her smile in the mirror, like a doctor to a patient. So that it wouldn't have any cracks or faults that could cause question or concern. She would walk out the door facing the new day with it plastered across her face, hiding the tired, emotionless, cold exterior.

It had become too easy for the berating voices. They would harass her thoughts throughout the night and infiltrate her mind during the day. She would cover the excruciating pain they caused with laughter but it could change to stone cold silence in a matter of seconds, as if the laughter had never existed in the first place.

Her arms were laced, lined and lathered with train track scars, reminding her of how she wasn't worth it, how she could die, how she could cease to exist and no one would care.

One would care though, she knew she was cared for and loved by Death, because he was calling her more and more each day "Come to me My Love, so we can be together again." He helped her devise the perfect plan, the perfect way. So

that she could finally be with him, her beloved.

Some would say that depressed people... suicidal people. Just haven't found the right job, person or purpose. They were wrong. She had a purpose. Death. She had a person. Death and he was beckoning.

Ropes, pen, paper and dress. The date was set in stone, a week was all she had. Time was ticking. She wrote her note, to the two who loved her the most. She packed away her room and made it easy to move her things, with the boxes already lining her closet. Some brimming to the top and some half full, but they all had childhood memories trying to burst out and take her back to when everything was okay. Knot tying became second nature. Up, over, around, down and through, her mind relayed the information.

Tick, tick, tick. Times up. Her goodnights were said for the final time and she went to bed like usual. Well that's what they thought. Instead of crawling into bed waiting for the darkness to pass, waiting for dawn's first light to crack through her blinds, she got into her nice dress, that her Mother loved so dearly. Fabric clinging to her figure, encasing her tightly in a hug, almost asking if she was ready, if she still really wanted to do this. She pushed the feeling away certain with her choice, she sealed the envelope with the tear stained note, much like her fate. Everything was neat and perfect. Following the instructions that had been relaying her mind. Up, over, around, down and through, tying the best knot she had done yet. Perfect for the occasion. She fixed it to the beams of the ceiling and then she took a deep breath. Inhale, Exhale. She stood on the stool careful not to make too much noise. Another deep inhale and exhale. She pushed the stool from beneath her away. It was done. Death finally embraced her, closing his arms around her tightly, she finally felt at peace for the first time in years. She knew that this decision, as difficult as it was, was right for her.

To Mum and Dad,

I'm sorry, so very sorry. I'm

sorry for the pain this caused. I'm sorry for putting you through this. I had to make the pain and suffering go away. I have been thinking about this for a while, I have done my research. I know the consequences. I don't care what you do but I would rather not have a big funeral, I don't deserve it. You were both amazing parents and you both did everything right.

It was me who did it all wrong. I hope you will both find peace in the fact that I am no longer in pain and that you don't grieve for too long.

Tell my friends that I love them. I wasn't their fault nor was it yours for not noticing. I kept it hidden, wrapped up as not to burden you with my problems. It just became easier to say that I was fine.

I had plenty to live for, I had family and friends, I just couldn't do it anymore. I was sick of the voices within my mind walls telling me that nothing I could do would be enough. I was selfish, killing yourself is selfish because you only think of what you need to do to make the pain go away. Please remember the good memories of us all together and not of this scene you have witnessed.

Nothing you could say would have changed my mind.

I chose to wear my necklace of hope.

Love from your daughter.

They say that once you die that's it. But it's lies. I watched from above as my peers and teachers placed white flowers, long hand written letters and lit candles around my locker. It was like every cliché mural scene in a movie where a student dies, only this time it's not a movie it's real life. I overheard people as they talked about me, like they knew me, like they were my best friend. Amazed at how many suddenly felt the need to say they cared about me, not that I cared though. Whoever committed suicide was selfish, truthfully, I hadn't intended to be. Whoever committed suicide was seeking attention, but I wasn't seeking attention, I had been seeking an escape from my never-ending misery, from my own personal hell.

Don't they say to make your dreams reality?

Julie Spellman, Year 11

THE PAIN OF SOMETHING YOU DREAM

I slowly reach for my device to put the dreadful noise at rest. My ears zone out. My brain hurts, as it knows what is coming next at 4.45am, Monday morning and I open my eyes as though I am waking from the dead. My legs fight through my warm duvet trying to find their way out into the cold air. My shiver hits me hard, all warmth in my body disappears in a split second as I am standing up next to my pre-packed swim bag, .3 metres away from my cosy bed, where I would rather be 5 minutes later I find myself in my togs raring to go. Wrapped in layers of fluffy cotton, I start to feel warm again. I pull my lime green bag over my shoulders, which both feel broken just knowing they have an endless amount of chlorinated water to pull my sleepy body through. This dreadful feeling is inescapable.

Silence. Silence fills my head as words reach my lips but are unable to roll of my tongue so drift back into my silent mind. It is too early to hold a conversation. I watch the car keys slot into the ignition as my father powers up his big white machine. Travelling at the speed which felt like a snail's pace, the big black balls reverse backwards out of our lit-up garage. Sitting in the passenger seat I gaze into darkness and just sit and wait. We pick up speed now, I took at the digital screen located in the middle of the two front seats. My eyelids flutter as I have not adjusted to the bright light again. Slowly my vision focuses and a big '52km/h' flashes across my eyes.

Time passes and by now we pull into the entrance of the pool. My happy place, but on Monday mornings the place I dread the most! I remove myself quickly from the vehicle as I see the time. 5.28am. We start in 2 minutes. I race through the sliding doors, they open for me as though I am a famous celebrity walking down the red carpet. Making my way down the cold, hard concrete steps I start to multi task. Stretching my arms, I throw my bag hoping it reaches the table. Grazing across the concrete it makes its way there and I proceed to stretch my legs and the rest of my non-woken body. Once I finish warming myself up, my feet lead me back to the table where I reach into my bag to feel my cap and goggles. I pull them out and take each layer of warmth off my body until I am left in my togs, open to the cold. Walking over to the pool, my cap slides itself over my greasy hair which is tied up in a bun, my goggles wrap themselves around my bright blue cap and cover my eyes. I bend down on the block cramming my lanky legs together and push myself up and boost myself over the edge of the pool. My hands made their way to the surface of the water, my body glides in after. Rushing down my neck I feel the cold water which reaches my toes in the speed of lightning. My heart races. It is time for action!

Olivia Russell, Year 10

PASSWORD, YUKI

Scanning...beep. "\$3.50 please." I say, deadpan. The man, wearing a surgical mask and hat covering his eyes mumbles a thank you and shuffles towards the door, followed by that familiar jingling bell as he exits. Sometimes, I wonder about the customers. Who they are. Maybe it stems from trust issues, but it provides great inspiration for my character designs. Laying out my sketchbook, the dim light above me flickers on and off like a child choosing between chocolate and vanilla ice cream. Soon, my hand begins translating my perceptions into drawings, and thirty minutes later the man with the mask is now another aspect of my imagination.

A notification appears and my phone glows softly, a dog whimpering for attention. "Asami will take the night shift. You may go,Yuki." The text from my manager reads. Packing up my briefcase and stepping out the entrance of the small convenience store, a crisp breeze caresses my cheeks. Tokyo's iridescent city lights engulf my body, their fingertips pulling me into the busy nightlife. Dad wouldn't be home yet, challenging me to get to my room before he stumbles in, flooding the apartment with the stench of booze.

Password by THREE1989 begins playing in my earphones, muffling the conversations, cars, and ads of varying languages as I walk towards the subway. 1-2-3-4, 1-2-3-4, shoes clicking on the concrete with each step. The train labelled Line 30 pulls to my feet

as I enter the underground. "Thank you. Enjoy your trip!" The robotic voice delivers as my back slumps into a seat. I'm now 17, and although it's been over five years since my mother and brother's passing, I still talk to my brother. He still holds my hand while skipping, and joins me on the train. He never ages, and overtime his memory has slightly worn and yellowed like paper. But he's there. Today, he has a lollipop lightly leveraging the inside of his cheek. He smiles and waves as I step off the subway, waiting for next time.

Glancing down at my watch, the time reads 11:47pm. I can still beat my dad. The tiring trudge up the stairs to our apartment encourages me to stop at the vending machine, and I dig through my pockets for loose change. A small cup of ramen is pushed out, warmly inviting my hands. Realising I've wasted time, I frantically feel for my key and push open the door, throwing my backpack to the floor of my room as I enter. After eating the noodles, I allow myself to fall back into the embrace of my bed, staring at the ceiling. The door to the apartment slams open, heavy footsteps and groggy laughter following. I hit play on the old walkman atop my bedside table, securing the headphones over my ears. As I start to doze off, a single, small, salty tear runs down my cheek while my mother's voice singing Password drifts through the speakers.

Ruby Webb-Sagarin, Year 10

PROCRASTINATION

With gritty eyes and a jumping pulse, a brain bussing parallelograms, pendulums, and Pythagoras, I waited in the line of apprehension. A long night spent stuffing my chicken cavity head to achieve and save face. Procrastination and Instagram had dominated my spare time sufficiently and pleasantly. The consequences were about to hit me, I could feel it in my sweaty palms. The bunch of nervousness moved forward and dispersed in the room like dandelion seeds in a breeze. My familiar spot beckoned and comforted me as I sat and fumbled through my stationary. The chatter was shushed, and a cold silence fell over the room, disabling my breath. The fear of failure tingled in my toes and shot up each leg to linger in my stomach. The word "Begin" signalled to turn over my paper to reveal and determine the outcome of several regretfully wasted evenings.

My lack of effort was instantly made conspicuous through the amount of recognition occurring

in my frontal cortex. The symbols displayed before me seemed foreign and unintelligible. Regardless of my blank mind, I made a first attempt, desperate to recall its explanation. Glancing briefly at the ticking time bomb on the wall, I was shocked to discover 20 minutes had already escaped. My eyes darted around the room, attempting to reassure myself others were nervous too, but by the tranquil look on their faces, I figured my situation was unique. I remembered the previous night, lounging in my fluffy beanbag, phone in hand and a cat vibrating in my lap. As much as I despised my procrastination that night, I longed to be back in that beanbag's embrace. Guilt rose in my throat, to let my parents and teachers down would fill my life with overbearing disappointment, the thought of it made my eyes well with tears. I jolted myself back to reality and began to scribble, my hands trembling like the legs of a new-born calf. I watched another formula I neglected to study was left behind. Worry and

panic had engulfed me, and I realised the restriction it put on my focus. In order, to achieve to the best of my ability, I knew I had to gather myself together. My chest expanded, and I let the tension roll out of my shoulders with the air I let out of my lungs. I inhaled again, clearing the desk of my mind, then sighing, I begin to read. Studying each word carefully, I ensured the question was clear in my head before I answered. I held tightly onto this tranquillity.

Eventually, I reached the final question, a question I could pass with ease. I jotted my answer and lifted is my pen from the page. The moment I finished with simultaneous to a familiar ring that bounced off the walls of our room, signalling for our work to be collected in. With a long soothing breath, my eyelids fell to touch. A pleasant feeling tickled under my ribs, as I knew that despite the past week, I had done my best work for today, and that was all that mattered.

Molly McCullough, Year 10

COMPARING CASUALTIES

It is a constant battle
One I feel I'll never win.
You can't see the scars I have
Because they're all hidden

I start to let them peek through
And then you say how yours just grew
You say well you say at least
Thinking I'm fighting a lesser beast
You think this because I don't voice my battles
like some others do
I don't diminish others battles... unlike you.
Everyone's problems are relevant to them
They are not something for you to condemn

The pages of my heart poured out to you
How can you not see what it is that you do?
You write over them in your big red ink
You do so without even stopping to think
I confess to you what's troubling me
And this is the friend that you be
The friend who has to always have it worse
The friend who must speak the last verse
The friend who sees their problems as superior

The friend who isn't a friend
Is it just me that you do this to?
If I can't trust you with all of this then who?
Who will hold my hand as I tend to my cuts and
bruises?
Who will be by my side when life wins and I am
the one that loses?
Who will help me fight this battle?

Don't say well don't say at least
I am not fighting a lesser beast
My beast is my own and that is enough
There is no reason for me to fake being tough
There is no need to compare and contrast
If it continues this friendship won't last

Because.

It is a constant battle.
One I feel I'll never win.
You can't see the scars I have.
Because you made me hide them.

Grace Jourdain, Year 12

ENGLISH

"THINK BEFORE YOU SPEAK. READ BEFORE YOU THINK." FRAN LEBOWITZ

HIGHLIGHTS

The Taranaki Literary Quiz was a fun and successful day for NPGHS; bringing home the trophy for first place. The Literary Quiz winners were: Grace Newland (captain), Vamika Satrasala, Emma Kehely, Ella Simpson, and Emma Rose Mackie. The girls had to read the 10 books that were short-listed for the 2019 NZ Young Adult Fiction and Non-Fiction awards. Thanks to Maureen Leggett for her support and to Jill Crewe for her organisation.

The Ronald Hugh Morrieson Literary Awards held Writing Workshops for students in Taranaki and it was a privilege to attend.

VISITING POET

We were fortunate enough to have Glenn Colquhoun present to our Year 11 students. His first book, The Art of Walking Upright, won the Montana New Zealand Book Awards Jessie Mackay Award for Best First Book of Poetry. Playing God was published in December 2002. The work received the Montana Award for Poetry and the Montana Readers' Choice Award at the 2003 Montana New Zealand Book Awards. He was the first poet to be awarded the Readers' Choice Award in a readers vote. In 2004, Colquhoun received the country's largest literary award, the Prize in Modern Letters.

His poetry reading to us was very entertaining and lively and challenged the girls to consider poetry as an oral tradition as much as a written form.

POP-UP GLOBE

We took a keen group of 20 girls to the Pop-UP Globe's matinee production of Hamlet at the TSB Showplace. This play has been described as the most towering achievement in the dramatic canon. Hamlet combined all the swashbuckling action of a revenge tragedy with profound and poetic questions about the nature of life and death

ACHIEVEMENTS

We had some very pleasing results in the ICAS Writing and English examinations and were especially proud of Mercy Jones who gained Distinction in the ICAS English for Year 11.

We were very pleased to see the following girls' writing published in Re-Draft: Kate Atkinson (Highly Commended), Elena Hadlow, Isabella Hadlow, and Myah Kemsley.

Breanna Camden, Kaylee Frost, Jessica Frost and Adriana Aida Che Ismail gained a Scholarship for English in 2018 and we are very proud of their achievements!

The Y11 speech winners (joint first place) were Lucy Cooper (Negative effects of alcohol on teenagers) and Aliarne Lobb

(Paid paternity leave) and third place was Brooke Hyland (Why men should have periods!).

Year 12 speech winners were, first place - Savithi Gunasinghe (Stress as a competition), second place - Grace Jourdain (Importance of Te Reo) and third place - Dania El Haddawi (Pressure).

Vamika Satrasala, Asha Bhakta, Tanya Bagga and Adriana Che Ismail participated in the Regional Race Unity Speech Awards, which was held at The New Plymouth District Council. It was initiated, in support of Race Relations Day, to encourage our young people to reflect about race relations and strategies that could be put in place to create a more inclusive society. Varmika was chosen to attend the semi Finals in Auckland.

019 was another exciting and busy year for the Languages department. The Taranaki Languages Immersion Day was hosted by New Plymouth Boys' High this year and was a great success. The cooking workshops, language sessions, Japanese tea ceremony and salsa dancing were enjoyed by students and staff from 5 Taranaki high schools. A huge thank you to NPBHS for organising it this year, and to all the volunteers who offered their time and skills to make it a great day for Taranaki language students.

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The Languages department also hosted a group of 18 students from our exchange school San Nicolas de Myra in Chile. 8 girls became part of our school for 4 weeks and joined in lessons with their host sisters. As part of the

exchange they also went on some day trips and a 3-day excursion to Wellington to see the sights. Thank you to all the staff who kindly welcomed the exchange students into their lessons, the staff who worked hard behind the scenes and helped organise the paperwork, Miss Helen Mumby for giving up 2 days of her holiday to help collect the group from Auckland and of course the host families. We could have not done this without the help and support of the kiwi families who hosted an exchange student, and the positive comments we received were a glowing testimony to the continuing success of the exchange.

Yomi Williams, HoD Languages



The students at New Plymouth Girls' High School are lucky enough to be part of a diverse tapestry of many cultures and nationalities. This year we have students from Germany, Japan, South Korea, Kiribati, USA, Malaysia, Chile, Samoa, Taiwan, India, China, Malaysia, Vanuatu and Papua New Guinea. Our acknowledgment of other cultures is something that is an ongoing privilege, both for students and staff at our school. Cultural diversity is an integral part of our school culture and contributes to its richness.

Technology has been embraced as we use it more and more in our teaching programmes and bring students on board with it. We continue to use the International Blog as our online face and are now pleased to have an International students' Facebook page. Here, you can catch up with the various activities and events the students have been involved in. To find the link to the blog go the New Plymouth Girls' High website and go to the International tab at the top of the page. Find us on Facebook at NPGHS International.

During Term 3 we had 10 Japanese Otsuma students attend our school at the Year 10 level. They were welcomed in addition to six students and their three teachers from Dongguan in China. The Chinese students were here for four weeks. They all enjoyed their time in New Zealand meeting new friends and host families and sightseeing with them. There were also trips to Puke Ariki museum and the Len Lye Centre, a harakeke weaving session in Waitara and a welcome to the region by our very own Mayor Holdom. We had to say goodbye all too soon and at the farewell, we were treated to a Japanese nursery rhyme and a Chinese dance which the whole school in China performs daily. We enjoyed hosting these students and appreciate the treasures they bring to our school.

We have a wonderful group of young women who are moving on towards higher education and taking their first steps in adult life. Valuable skills were gained in this school community by supporting them through a process of entering a new country and culture.

ESOL

We have five students leaving this year onto further education both in New Zealand and their home countries. One highlight was the International week which included henna painting, a photo booth and a successful International assembly.

The ESOL department is made up of Ami Kindler, Teacher in Charge of ESOL, Kerry Macdonald, International Dean and Junior programme teacher, working together with Kerrie Wootton, International students' coordinator and Simone Wright, homestay coordinator. A huge thank you goes to all these wonderful people who make things run smoothly. In addition, thanks goes to the teaching and ancillary staff whose faces our International students see day to day in the classroom. We look forward to 2020 and all the new and exciting ideas and faces it will bring.

Ami Kindler, HoD ESOL



PHYSICAL EDUCATION



A big thank you to our dedicated staff who continue to put a lot of time into our students academically and extra-curricular wise in the PE department.

Mrs Cleaver continues to oversee school sport and its promotion within the school. Ms Stewart continues to develop our school tennis programme and helped train a dedicated group of students wanting to train during the early hours before school. She also oversees the school risk management programme and must field numerous questions and calls relating to EOTC safety to ensure we all arrive back safely from the many activities busy schools like our get involved in.

This year we welcomed on board a new member to the Department Mr Noack from Germany. He has taught some Social Science including Physical Education lessons. Mr Noack previously taught at Francis Douglas and his main interest is wind surfing. Last year we said farewell to long time department

member Mr Cleaver who has retired but we still see him for relief duties. Thank you to Mrs Gillum Green for her amazing organisation of the school's major sport events and her behind the scenes funding work with various sport charity bodies. She regularly takes the school running groups and has built up a large team of keen runners. Thank you to Mrs Yates, who has settled well into the Girls' High environment and it didn't take long for her and Mrs KGG to form a formidable comedy pair in their office. And Thank you to Ms Fleming for teaching a Year 9 class this year and the adventure racing tasks she undertakes.

The ground staff continue to do an exceptional job supporting our programmes and preparing areas for any physical activity required, thank you. Also thank you to the office staff for their support and infrastructure to implement our programmes. Through the support of BOT, management and the community we will continue to encourage our students to be active, fit and enjoy the wonderful environment we live in called Taranaki.

Brendan Dickson
HoD Physical Education



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HEALTH

"He orange ngakau, He pikinga waiora. Positive feelings in your heart, will raise your sense of self worth."

2019 has been another fabulous year in the Health Department. Our Senior Health classes have continued to flourish with fantastic numbers at Level 1, 2, and 3, and we now offer an internal 'Hauora' Health course across all senior levels to cater for a range of abilities within our subject area. The course content covered at senior level challenges our students to be critical thinkers, and develop skills and knowledge that will assist them in making health enhancing decisions in a range of situations.

We have some exciting changes and developments happening for our Year 9 and 10 Junior programmes in 2020, ensuring students are equipped with the skills they need to deal with the many pressures they are faced with in today's world. Mental health, pressures of online activity and social media, sexuality, peer pressure and bullying are just some of the integral topics at the forefront of our teaching and learning programme. The one hour we get with our junior students each week tends to be jammed packed full of insightful information and engaging activities.

It was wonderful to commence the year having learned of some exceptional NCEA External Exam Results gained by 2018's Level 1, Level 2 and Level 3 students. Just recently our Level 2 Health students once again created some amazing short movie clips focussed on improving an aspect of mental health and well-being

in our school, and these have been shared throughout the school thanks the permission of those who made them. The school values of Respect, Responsibility and positive Relationships have been evident in health lessons, and students have covered a wide range of topics to allow health enhancing decisions to be made.

Term Two and Three saw a few changes in the department. Both Mrs Bayens and myself Mrs Verry (nee Murphy) returned after being away on maternity leave. We can't thank Miss Emma Doherty and Mrs Angela Whitehead enough for doing such a fantastic job in our absence. Our students are lucky to have teachers who are passionate about Health and well-being.

The Health teaching team of Mrs Maggie Verry, Mrs Suzanne Bradburn, Ms Karen Eliason, Mrs Lauren Bayens, Miss Emma Doherty, Mrs Angela Whitehead and Mrs Bridget Fleming have thoroughly enjoyed teaching Health Education to all year levels throughout the year. We would like to wish all students the best of luck with your up and coming NCEA exams.

To our Level 3 students who are leaving us, whether it be to university, into the workforce, or for a gap year – take care, we wish you all the best! And to all those students returning to us in 2020, have a wonderful break and we will see you soon.

Maggie Verry, HoD Health



OUTDOOR EDUCATION

Outdoor Education gives our girls unique opportunities to challenge themselves physically and mentally while building confidence, relationships, and leadership in a diverse range of environments throughout New Zealand. 2018 was a year of extreme weather, which makes for muddier mud runs and roaring rivers, perfect for playing in. At the end of 2018 Year 9 and Year 10 students had a few new options to choose from, day trips included working with horses, stand-up paddle boarding, surfing, climbing and

more. Adventures further afield included Raglan and Waitomo and Rotorua Adventure which included Rafting, Mountain-biking in the Redwoods and a visit to Te Puia as well as the Luge. Tongariro trip which involved caving and the crossing. The river trip on the mighty Whanganui river and Tramp taking in the Pouakai Crossing staying at Holly and Pouakai huts was favoured by those wanting to exercise a bit more muscle.

Year 9 camp this year at Te Wera was a great success with almost

all Year 9 students attending. The new students made the most of this opportunity making new friends and getting to know the teachers. It provided a taste of the adventures to be had in the outdoors, and a chance to gain new skills and challenge themselves both individually and as a group. Highlights enjoyed by staff and students alike included the notorious nightline, a gloriously gloopy mud run, the water-slide and the great food prepared by Mrs Cleaver and the team. Outdoor Education Leaders Jody Rawlinson and Isla Vink with the assistance of Year 13 Peer Support students ran many skill and confidence building games and challenges, and displayed strong leadership.

TSB TOPEC continues to provide exceptional support for New Plymouth Girls' High, this year providing week long courses for 40 Year 9 and 30 Year 10 students as well as the Year 11 Sports Science Class. This year's activities included river safety skills, rafting, climbing, bush craft, and ropes courses and for the Year 11s Caving. Everyone who completes these weeks leaves a little tired, much more confident and resilient as well as having new friends and a great experience to look back on.

Ten Year 12 and 13 students attended the [HOEC] Sir Edmund Hillary Outdoor Pursuits Centre in Tongariro. They took part in a 5-day Adventure Challenge Leadership programme including a wide range of activities. Leadership confidence and problem solving was developed during the week as the girls explored the Okupata caves and the Tongariro National Park.

None of the Outdoor Education activities outlined would be possible without the expertise, time, commitment, and enthusiasm provided by members of the Outdoor Education Committee, staff and Peer Supporters. This year special thanks goes out to Jeff Cleaver who has retired. His contribution to the life of our camps over the years has been huge. Thanks again.

Grant Robinson, TiC Outdoor Education





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AWHINA

LEARNING SUPPORT SERVICES

2019 has been an exciting year for both our Awhina staff & students. At the end of 2018 we relocated Awhina to C block and we changed our name from Awhina House to the Awhina Learning Centre (A.L.C.). It was sad to watch the lovely old Awhina House being moved off the school grounds, but are delighted that it has been transferred to an out of town section and is now being renovated by a family.

We are enjoying the tranquillity of C block. Having two sizable classrooms gives us the space to have areas for small groups as well as classes working side by side. The kitchen is adequate for small cooking groups and we can practice our gardening skills in the gardens in the front of C1. We look forward to Awhina being part of the New Plymouth Girls' High School's 5-10-year building plan and to the centre being redeveloped so that it becomes a modern, purpose-built technology hub which supports the school's move towards 21st century learning.

Our varied programmes for our junior students range from Reading Plus and Power Up to individualised and small group programmes organised by Joan McLellan, our Awhina Learning Centre teacher. She creates effective individualised programmes to develop literacy and numeracy skills as well as life-skills based programmes which incorporate meaningful community experiences.

Our senior SPEC students have all gained more than 12 NCEA credits with some students gaining over 20 NCEA credits. These credits are gained by successfully completing Instant unit standard assessments. We have also trialled a new provider Kura Solutions this year, in addition to the provider, Instant.

The number of our senior students who have been approved by NZQA for Special Assessment Conditions (S.A.C.) for the NCEA examinations has increased from 38 to 52 students this year. This increase is mainly due to the series of Lucid computer tests that we use for testing students who may have reading, writing or processing difficulties and who may, therefore, be entitled to S.A.C. support. These tests are also now used at all levels to ascertain whether students have dyslexic tendencies.

Earlier this year we were very fortunate in employing Keren Bolger as a new learning assistant. She has joined our highly competent and effective team of learning assistants which now includes Keren Bolger, Sharon Church, Chris Goldsworthy, Deepti Khanolkar, Glenda Kerr, Kirsten Probyn and Jenny Saunders.

To all the Awhina Learning Centre team, thank you for hard work and for your dedication and commitment to our students and to our team. Thank you to our girls for being a pleasure to work with. In closing, my grateful thanks to our Line Manager, Ms Kerry Macdonald for always being there with wise advice and for her ongoing support of our staff and our students. Best wishes to all for 2020. It is going to be a great year! Kia kaha.

Shirley McVicar, HoD Awhina Learning Centre



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WAIMARIE

KEEN TO LIVE LIFE TO THE FULL, COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT CONTINUES TO BE A PIVOTAL PART OF OUR APPROACH.

Waimarie has continued to provide two programs that operate alongside each other to cater to the different needs of the students based in the unit and also combine together to create a unified cohort. These holistic programs are designed to meet the students sensory, physical, emotional and intellectual needs, while at the same time providing an essential life-skills focus. We are immensely proud of the well-rounded education being delivered. Parents are often amazed at what we can achieve and tell us they see the positive outcomes transferring into the home.

Many of our students also engage successfully with mainstream school classes. Visual Arts, Dance, Maths and PE staff have accommodated our students enthusiastically and we are very appreciative of their inclusive approach. Likewise, the encouragement received from the staff and Y13 students when we participate in school events is confidence boosting for our students. We have continued to develop our much loved and student led 'Inclusive Dance' class with great support from the Dance teacher Abby McRae and Learning Assistant Sharon Church. Another highlight came from the music department students and HoD Juliet Woller gifting us with a series of brilliant lunchtime performances in the unit. Having Hirono, a Japanese international student capably volunteering in the unit every week was also a real privilege. We will miss her greatly.

Keen to live life to the full, community engagement continues to be a pivotal part of our approach. We have had a blast with our rich and varied learning outside of the classroom. We would like to acknowledge Riding for the Disabled, Sport Taranaki Moveables, Sailability Taranaki, Pukeariki, NPGHS Careers Department, WITT Star Course 'Skills for Living', NP Potters Club, NZ Chamber Music, Special Olympics NZ, TAFT, Todd Energy Aquatic Centre, Giles Chocolatier and Spotswood College Learning Support for providing highly valued opportunities and facilities for people with disabilities.

Our students are remarkable young people who continue to inspire us every day with their resilience, trust, hard-case humour and zest for life. It has been fantastic to welcome two new students into the Waimarie unit this year. Faith and Joseph are both steadily revealing their potential and abilities. Faith's laugh is contagious, and Joseph's curiosity is exciting to watch. Taryn has amazed us with her tenacity. Marla has matured and learnt so much about herself. Michelle's willingness to give everything 100% is motivational. Simone has blown us away with her new communication skills. Helaina

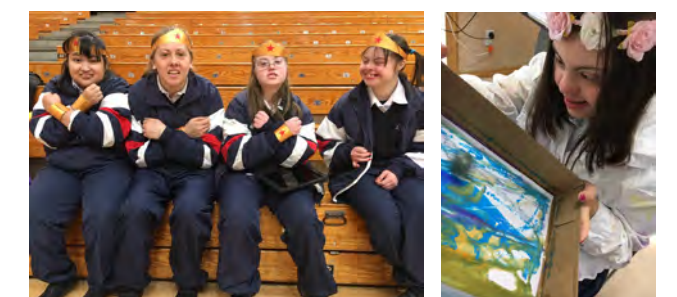


brings Dance and Music sessions to life. Our Toucan Taranaki adult students, Victoria, Jessie, Wendy, Tom and Courtney keep things fresh each day and add to the diversity of our group.

We welcomed two new part time teachers to the mix this year, Gail Walton and Julianne Swanepoel. Their expertise and genuine care for the students has been a real asset for the whole team. The Waimarie Learning Assistant team is outstanding. They are resilient, solutions focused, creative, hardworking, empathetic people who actively teach and provide outstanding care for these awesome but vulnerable young people. Their support for each other as colleagues has been heartwarming also. The department has a strong learning culture with ongoing professional development a real strength and source of pride. Having a sense of fun and humour is also vital. Our vibrant Mexican Fiesta was proof of that!

Kerry MacDonald, our Deputy Principal has been a pillar of strength for us this year. Her generosity towards and compassion for both staff and students is unwavering. Kerry's in-depth understanding of our Waimarie Kuapapa has been hugely appreciated.

Sarah Sampson, HoD Waimarie



CRICKET 1ST XI



1ST XI |

Back Row: Pippa Birdsall, Danni Poulsen-Cook, Jorja Death, Emma Frew, Jessie Hollard, Helen Foreman (Manager)
Front Row: Holly Stoddart, Madeleine Kinnell, Ella Smith, Grace Foreman, Caitlin Marshall

The NPGHS 1st XI Cricket team had an enjoyable year. We have a very young talented team which is looking promising for the future. There have been many highlights in the cricket season, playing in the Junior Secondary Schools Division 3, the yearly exchange against Wanganui Collegiate, as well as the Gillette Venus Cup Festival Day. Unfortunately, Jessie Hollard injured herself and was out for the season which was a real loss for the team.

We won our exchange against Wanganui Collegiate by 5 wickets. Wanganui Collegiate batted first with 110/6, Grace Foreman the top wicket-taker taking 3 wickets, Jorja Death and Caitlin Marshall each taking 1 wicket. NPGHS batted second 114/5, Grace Foreman the top run-scorer 51 not out, well supported by Alana Juffermans 12 not out.

The Gillette Venus Cup Festival Day to qualify for Nationals was held in March at Vogeltown Park.

We won our first two games against Inglewood High School and Hawera High School. Our first game against Inglewood High School we won by 15 runs, we batted first scoring 108/3 with Jorja Death the top run-scorer 34 runs. Inglewood HS only reaching 93/5 with Alana Juffermans taking 2 wickets. Our second game against Hawera High School we won by 9 wickets. Hawera High School batted first 117/3, NPGHS comfortably reaching the total with Jorja Death top run-scorer 33 not out. Unfortunately, we lost in the final to a mature and experienced Sacred Heart Girls College team. Sacred Heart batted first 161/4 with the wickets shared. NPGHS 92/3 falling short with Grace Foreman top run-scorer 45 not out. The Festival Day had some great cricket and even though we didn't win the final our young team played really well with some great performances.

Thanks to our cricket coach Christina Proffit for the time she put into our team and our team manager Helen Foreman. Also thanks to Mrs Gillum-Green for her support and help this season.

Grace Foreman, Year 10



NISS & NZSS SWIMMING

In September, NPGHS sent a team of six swimmers to compete at the New Zealand Secondary School Swimming competition held in Hamilton. Jayde Elemam, Olivia Russell, Billie Parker, Issy Barker, Sophie Muggeridge and Becki Sharrock made up our NP Girls' High team. It was a very competitive meet with some fast competition from around New Zealand high schools. We all managed to swim well and achieve personal best times which we were happy with. Becki swam a great 50m butterfly race and placed 13th. Jayde and Sophie both swam well and gained personal best times in this event also. Issy, Billie and Olivia competed in the 200m breaststroke which was a very close race between them, they placed 20th, 21st, 22nd respectively. As well as our individual races, we competed in three different relay events and placed 11th, 14th and 17th which was a good result for such a small team. A big thanks to Mrs Gillum-Green for your support and looking after us while trying hard to understand all our swim talk. Thanks also to Prudence Elemam for your support and our coaches, Gerusio Matonse and Sue Southgate.

Olivia Russell & Billie Parker, Year 10



NZSS |

Back Row: Billie Parker, Olivia Russell, Jayde Elemam
Front Row: Isobel Barker, Sophie Muggeridge, Becki Sharrock
Absent: Prudence Elemam (Manager)



CANOE POLO

My favourite thing about playing Canoe Polo is seeing other people's reactions when I attempt to explain exactly what it is! Basically, it's Basketball, in a team of 5 and with a volleyball, while wearing helmets, sitting in kayaks with paddles, and with football goals suspended above the air at either end of the pool or lake. It's an insane mix of different sports, that somehow, all come together to form a completely unique and slightly crazy game, which is set to be an Olympic sport in Tokyo 2020!

This year, we had eight amazing Girls' High Canoe Polo teams who took part in the NPCPA League in terms one & two. I think it's fair to say we all had a pretty fun and successful time! At the end of Term One, 'The OG's' placed 2nd overall in the B Grade, just behind 'Mako Mayhem' from Boys' High. Congratulations also to the 'Heffalumps', who came 5th in the A Grade, and 'Rua' who placed 5th in Grade C. In term two, 'Frebreeze' came 3rd overall in the B Grade, behind two Boys' High teams.

Thanks to all the other players, supporters, teachers and organisers, who all make this awesome sport possible! We all had an epic season and can't wait to get back on the water next year!

Grace Newland, Year 11



Back Row: Grace Newland, Rosario Silva, Madeline Douds-Smith, Taylor Koboski
3rd Row: Gabriella Collins, Selena Rawiri, Alexandra Mckenzie, Sophie Conaglen, Aria Farrant, Mackenzie Hansen, Emma Gilmour
2nd Row: Caitlyn Sewell-Monod De Froideville, Bella Rothwell, Abigail Darke, Amber Winch, Jill Zwart, Emily Lord
Front Row: Nicole Whittaker, Katie Annand, Stella Munro-Wall, Samantha Reade, Carys Luke, Jenna Yateman, Ruby Webb-Sagarin





SWIMMING SPORTS

CHAMPIONS

SENIOR: Claudia Kelly
RUNNER-UP: Lucy North
INTERMEDIATE: Emma North
RUNNER-UP: Lara Ehler
JUNIOR: Becki Sharrock
RUNNER-UP: Issy Barker

RECORDS BROKEN

Senior Girls 100yds Freestyle
Claudia Kelly 55.62
Senior Girls 200yds Freestyle
Claudia Kelly 1:57.78
Senior Girls 2lengths Butterfly
Claudia Kelly 38.45
Senior Girls 100yds Backstroke
Claudia Kelly 1:02.92
Senior Girls Individual Medley
Lucy North 1:27.24
Intermediate Girls 100yd Backstroke
Emma North 1:03.25

WAKA HUIA RESULTS

CHANT:

1st Aotea
2nd Tainui
3rd Kurahaupo
4th Tokomaru

ENTRY TO THE POOL:

1st Tainui
2nd Tokomaru
3rd Kurahaupo
4th Aotea

TUBE RELAY:

1st Kurahaupo
2nd Tainui
3rd Tokomaru
4th Aotea

SYNCHRONIZED SWIMMING:

1st Tainui
2nd Kurahaupo
3rd Aotea
4th Tokomaru

BANNER:

1st Aotea
2nd Tokomaru
3rd Tainui
4th Kurahaupo

RELAYS:

Y9 1st Aotea
2nd Tokomaru
3rd Tainui
4th Kura

Y10 1st Tokomaru
2nd Tainui
3rd Aotea
4th Kurahaupo

Senior 1st Aotea
2nd Tokomaru
3rd Kurahaupo
4th Tainui

FINAL WAKA HUIA RESULTS:

1st Aotea 1168pts
2nd Kurahaupo 1013pt
3rd Tainui 965pts
4th Tokomaru 559pts

DAY GIRLS vs BOARDERS:

1st Day Girls

STAFF vs YEAR 13:

1st Yr 13

KAWAI HUIA GROUP RELAYS:

Junior 1st 10NBO
2nd 10WST
3rd 10GMC
4th 10AHC

Senior 1st 11WBA
2nd 11LMC
3rd 13ABN
4th 11JLM



VOLLEYBALL

Once again it has been a busy & successful year for NPGHS Volleyball programme. Our athletes continue to achieve locally and at the highest level of the sport. Late last year our Junior Team won the Junior North Island Title in Auckland at the biggest junior competition NZ holds every year. The core of this team make up the base of our senior team this year.

Our Premier Senior Indoor Volleyball team attended the week long NZ Senior National Tournament as a top 10 favourite in the 96 team competition. Our seeding is outstanding after a couple of very good years performing in Division I at the NZ Secondary Schools Senior Volleyball Championship. Overall, our mainly young team building on the base of our 2018 Junior North Island Championship title performed really well. Lead by our experienced senior players, Alex and Bronwyn we were very close to making a quarter final, overall we can look back at a very successful senior season of Indoor Volleyball.

Well done to the other Senior B team members Brylee, Emily, Alison, Asha, Gemma, Shontae and Philantha who played in regionals and competed well to come 3rd in the Taranaki regional series. Our school team/s continues to be rated highly among NZ's best secondary school programmes. The Premier Senior Indoor Volleyball farewells our captain Alex, vice captain Bron and Ashleigh. All the best to you all as you move on next year.

Our Senior programme finished the year again as Taranaki Club Champions and Regional senior champions alongside some

great interschool battles with Mt Maunganui and Bethlehem College. We won all our sport exchanges and enjoyed many hours in vans travelling to play the best the country has to offer. Premier Team: Alex Paterson, Cass Pringle, Emma Dowling, Eva Dickson, Bronwyn Riddle, Ashleigh Bunning, Brooke Puletaha, Lucy Thornhill, Gemma Avery, Brylee Winter, Lily Hoffman and Eva Dickson. Congratulations to the following teams competing Friday nights: NPGHS BB - 1st Junior Girls. NPGHS Smokin Threes - 1st Senior Girls. NPGHS Net Rippers - 3rd Senior Girls.

JUNIOR VOLLEYBALL

Wow! After a massive trialling process we choose two teams from the 90 plus junior athletes that showed up. Unfortunately, we could only select 10 and we are excited about the future potential of this squad. Our Junior A is made up of some athletes who finished 1st in Div 1 at last years North Island Champs.

This years Junior A team is training really well and the athletes are starting to show great potential. We have been impressed with the Junior's that have been consistently attending practices and playing in the scrimmage sessions. The basic skill level of the squad has improved markedly and they are playing an exciting brand of Volleyball.

This team will be playing in Mount Maunganui at the end of the year in the North Island Championships. Bella Thornhill, Alison McCabe, Olivia Russell, Lily Hoffman, Leah Smith, Grace Brough, Laura Curtis, Asha Raven, Aitana Dingle. This team have already claimed the TSSSA title this year and look

forward to defending our Taranaki Regional title. The future looks bright!

TSSSA INDOOR VOLLEYBALL

We entered 2 Junior Teams into TSSSA this year and our development team gained a 1st in Div 2 after a close playoff with Hawera. Well done Leah, Bella, Maia, Mya, Lotte and Pani. Thanks to Mrs Yates for coaching this group throughout the day. Our Junior A team won Div 1 (for the 9th year running) and now focus on gaining the Taranaki 1 seed for junior north island champs.

TSSSA BEACH VOLLEYBALL

2019 TSSSA Beach Volleyball Champs held at Ngamotu achieved some great results from both senior and junior pairs. This day will be remembered for the crazy beach set up with the courts being flooded most the day due to a high tide. We won every title on offer. Our squad won the Junior and Senior 4's, the Junior and Senior Pairs title. Awesome day had by all and some great results!

BEACH VOLLEYBALL

Our beach programme has seen large numbers of girls playing socially at lunchtime and many enjoying the chance to play this exciting sport. We now have a beach pit to train in all conditions and currently our beach players are training towards a series of junior competitions over the summer along side some seniors focussed on the main beach senior tour circuit around NZ. Well done Alex and Emma for a 5th place at the NZ Senior Secondary School champs. Eva & Brooke were 3rd at the Y11 & under secondary school champs at the Mount earlier on in the year.



TSSSA / BEACH

Back Row: Brylee Winter, Eva Dickson, Alison McCabe, Emma Dowling, Asha Raven
2nd Row: Brooke Puletaha, Bronwyn Riddle, Alex Paterson, Lucy Thornhill
Front Row: Lily Hoffman, Philantha Rabis, Hazel Hart, Leah Smith, Macarena Munoz Hermosilla

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENTS

Bronwyn and Alex continue to be talent ID and selected to attend the trial for NZ indoor squads. Both were selected and played for Taranaki Open womens team. Well done to the following selected into the U17 Taranaki team: Brooke, Lucy, Philantha, Alison, Asha, Cass, Lily and Eva. They attended the NZ Provincial champs in Wellington.

More success with Brooke, Eva and Cass selection into the Junior North Island Tournament team and Eva named the MVP at the Junior event.

The New Zealand under-17 Youth Beach Volleyball team consisting of NPGHS Eva Dickson secured Bronze U16 at one of the 4 beach competitions she attended during a NZ beach tour of California in June, playing at the home of Beach Volleyball and site for the 2028 Olympics.

Cass Pringle was selected into a NZ U19 development team heading to the Australian Institute of Sport in Canberra for a week of play. Cass is a talented setter and its great her skills being recognised at a higher level.

Eva Dickson was also selected into the NZ U17 youth indoor team to tour & play in Australia. Eva has had to balance her studies around playing both indoor & beach for NZ this year.

Olivia Macdonald helped with the seniors at Nationals and she continues to travel the world trying to gain points to qualify for the Tokyo Olympics in Beach Volleyball.

We look forward to more great results next year and developing a new batch of keen Volleyballers.

Mr D (TIC / Coach Jnr & Snr Volleyball)

TSSSA JUNIOR VOLLEYBALL REPORT

On the Saturday 16th February, NPGHS took a few Junior Volleyball teams down to Ngamotu beach, consisting of two or four people in each team. Many 12 minute games were played throughout the day, which made the day go fast. Every person that played had heaps of fun, and it was a bonus that it was a super hot & sunny. To top it off, some of us cooled off with a refreshing swim in the ocean.

Alison McCabe, Year 10.

TSSSA JUNIOR VOLLEYBALL

On 11th September, the NPGHS Junior A Volleyball team arrived at the TSB stadium to play 3 games during the day. After 3 terms of practises it was good to see how our hard work payed off, as we ended the day as the winning Junior Girls' Volleyball team.

Alison McCabe, Year 10.



PREMIER

Back Row: Lucy Thornhill, Bronwyn Riddle, Brooke Puletaha, Mr Dickson (Coach)
Front Row: Emma Dowling, Eva Dickson, Alex Paterson, Brylee Winter, Lily Hoffman



JUNIOR A

Back Row: Alison McCabe, Laura Curtis, Aitana Dingle, Mr Dickson (Coach)
Front Row: Leah Smith, Olivia Russell, Lily Hoffman, Asha Raven, Grace Brough



NZSS JUNIOR A 2018

Back Row: Alison McCabe, Brooke Puletaha, Lucy Thornhill, Mr Dickson (Coach)
Front Row: Grace Brough, Emma Liston, Eva Dickson (Captain), Asha Raven, Lily Hoffman
Absent: Gemma Avery, Cassidy Pringle

ATHLETICS TRACK & FIELD

Another brilliantly fine day for our Track & Field sports on Tuesday 20 February at the first-class facility at Jubilee Park in Inglewood. Once again, the Waka Huia Captains did a wonderful job with the awesome display of colour and amazing team spirit.

Although there were no records broken, there was a good display of competitive spirit within the various events. Both our Senior and Junior champions, Aleasha Williams and Tsehai Viliamu had close battles for their respective titles with only

two points separating them from the runners-up, Dana Phelan (Sen) and Renee Donovan (Jun). Lucy Elliott won the Intermediate title by a comfortable margin.

The relays as usual, produced the loudest cheers. The staff took out line honours over our Year 13's as did the Day Girls over the Boarders.

Thanks to all the volunteers on the day – these events are not possible without your help

Karen Gillum-Green
TiC Athletics

SCHOOL CHAMPIONS

Senior	Aleasha Williams
Runner-up	Dana Phelan
Intermediate	Lucy Elliott
Runner-up	Hope Ah Chong
Junior	Tsehai Viliamu
Runner-up	Renee Donovan

KAWAI HUIA RELAYS

Senior (Y11, Y12 & Y13)	
1st	11WBA
2nd	13ABN
3rd	11-13TSM
4th	13EPE

Intermediate (Y10)	
1st	10ACH
2nd	10LLA
3rd	10EBR
4th	10GMC

Junior (Yr9)	
1st	9AHC
2nd	9GRO
3rd	9AWH
4th	9ANN

Staff vs Yr 13's	
1st	Yr13

Boarders vs Day Girls	
1st	Day Girls

WAKA HUIA POINTS

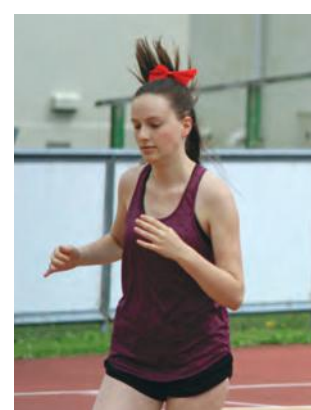
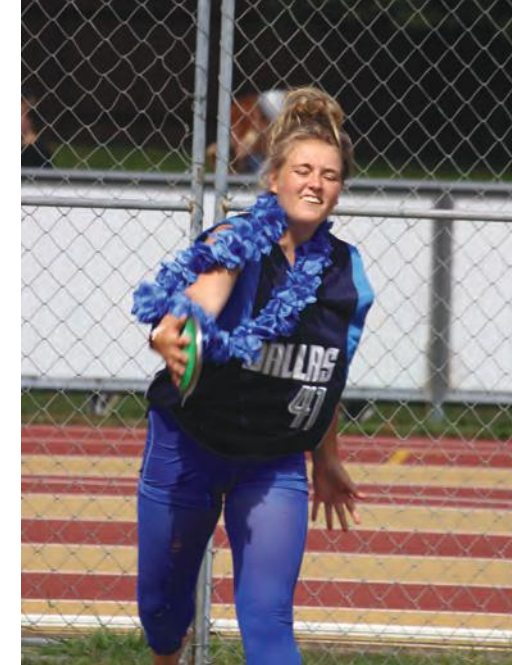
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Kurahaupo	1075pts
Tokomaru	1051pts
Tainui	866pts
Waka Huia Chant	1st All Waka Huia

WAKA HUIA RELAYS

Senior (Y11, Y12 & Y13)	
1st	Tainui
2nd	Aotea
3rd	Tokomaru
4th	Kurahaupo

Intermediate (Y10)	
1st	Kurahaupo
2nd	Tokomaru
3rd	Aotea
4th	Tainui

Junior (Yr9)	
1st	Aotea
2nd	Kurahaupo
3rd	Tainui
4th	Tokomaru



ATHLETICS

TSSSA
TRACK & FIELD

Our girls were well represented at the TSSSA Track & Field championships on March 14, winning 19 titles, 20 second placings and 19 third placings!

Hazel Hart showed her versatility winning the junior girls long jump and high jump and coming third in the 100m. Tsehai Viliamu had a successful outing in the throws, winning the junior girls discus and placed second in the shot put and javelin. Renee Donovan and Grace Foreman both kept the NPGHS flag flying in their respective track competitions.

In the Intermediate grade, Lucy Elliott dominated her track events, winning the 400m, and demonstrating her hurdling prowess when winning both the 80m hurdles and 300m hurdles. Sophia Birdsall and Briar Osborne had a great contest for second in the 100m, with Sophie just edging out Briar. But the placings were reversed in the 200m, with Briar crossing the line ahead for second. In the jumps, Miya Ishihara took out second place in both the long and triple jump.

Dana Phelan showed a clean set heels, winning the senior girls 400m and 800m. Alyssa Nolly has an impressive outing, winning the 100m hurdles and coming second in the 300m hurdles. Our two race walkers, Laura Kehely and Holly Sutherland, finished second and third respectively in a discipline that requires considerable skill. Tayla Crawford was very successful in the throws events, winning the shot put and discus, and taking out third in the javelin. Success also came for Paige Neilson, winning the hammer and coming second behind team-mate Tayla. We don't often see many steeplechase runners, but this year, Jess Camden did our school credit with a second place in the 2km steeplechase. She rounded the day off with a third in the 1500m.

Thank you to Kerry Yates for being team manager and to the girls who made the effort to get themselves to the stadium and stay around to support the team.

Karen Gillum-Green, TiC Athletics



TSSSA TRACK & FIELD
CHAMPIONSHIPS

On a showery day in Term 1, the TSSSA Track & Field day was held at TET Stadium in Inglewood. There were many events throughout the day from shotput, to high jump, to race walking. NPGHS had some great results throughout the events.

For Track events, in the Junior Girls 100m, NPGHS did very well with Lauren Abrams placing 1st and Hazel Hart coming in 3rd. In the 300m, both Junior girl, Renee Donovan and Intermediate girl, Lucy Elliott came in at 1st place. Dana Phelan came in 1st in the Senior girls 400m, she also placed 1st in the Senior girls 800m. Maya Irving came 1st in the 3000m for Senior girls. NPGHS took out 1st for the Junior and Intermediate 100m relays.

Fantastic results were also achieved in the Field events. Tsehei Viliamu came 1st in the Junior Discus. In the Intermediate girl's discus, NPGHS took out the top 3. Hope Ah Chong won the Intermediate girls shot put. Samantha Frowde won the Junior girls javelin event. Paige Neilson won the Senior girls hammer throw. Hazel Hart won both Junior girls long jump, and high jump and Skylar Ellington won the Senior girls high jump. So, some excellent results for NPGHS!

Overall it was a very successful and fun filled day with NPGHS girls coming away with something to smile about. Some girls went on to represent Taranaki after this event for the North Island champs.

Lottie Moffat, Year 9

TSSSA / NZSS

Back Row: Laura Kehely, Sophia Birdsall, Miya Ishihara, Holly Sutherland, Tsehai Viliamu Walton
2nd Row: Emily Werder, Paige Neilson, Alesha Williams, Charlie Godwin, Lauren Tewhata, Skyler Ellington, Mikaiya Devey, Karen Gillum-Green (Coach)
Front Row: Jessica Camden, Grace Foreman, Violette Johnson, Dana Phelan, Alyssa Nolly, Abby Carver, Caeley Hattle
Absent: Lauren Abrams, Renee Donovan, Samantha Frowde, Kaylee Hunger, Charlotte Moffat, Mereana Phillips, Marissa Solomon, Jaide Webby, Hope Ah Chong, Lucy Elliott, Briar Osborne, Anagrace Poching, Aimee Witehira, Tayla Crawford, Summa Elemam, Maya Irving-Mann, Jacinda McCallum, Talitah Pusal

NISS & NZSS
TRACK & FIELD

NISS RESULTS

Lucy Elliott		
2nd	300m hurdles	PB
3rd	4x100m relay	
8th	400m	PB
Sophia Birdsall		
3rd	4x100m relay	
Paige Neilson		
11th	Hammer	PB

NORTH ISLAND
TRACK & FIELD
CHAMPIONSHIPS

Thirteen athletes from New Plymouth Girls' High School were amongst the 50-strong team who represented Taranaki Secondary School Track & Field at the North Island Secondary Schools Track & Field championships held in sunny Tauranga on April 4 – 6. The girls were: Lauren Abrams, Sophia Birdsall, Renee Donovan, Lucy Elliott, Kayley Hunger, Miya Ishihara, Violette Johnson, Laura Kehely, Paige Neilson, Dana Phelan, Holly Sutherland, Tsehai Viliamu and Jaide Webby.

The competition at this level is fierce and our girls did well with many making it through to finals. Jaide Webby cleared 1.40m for 8th place in the junior girls' high jump.

Miya Ishihara leapt out to 10.72m for fourth place in the intermediate girls' triple jump. Lucy Elliott had a superb competition, coming second in the intermediate girls' 300m in a personal best time of 46.73 and was eighth in the 400m final, also in a personal best time of 61.65

In the senior girls' grade, Dana Phelan came 8th in the 400m (63.13), our walkers Laura Kehely (12:01.20) and Holly Sutherland (12:12.53) finish 5th and 6th respectively. And Paige Neilson threw a personal best distance in the hammer of 33.40m for 11th place.

I was fortunate to be a team manager for this team, and I was very proud of our girls. Their behaviour was excellent and they were a real credit to our school.

Karen Gillum-Green
TIC Athletics

NZSS Track & Field and Road Race were held December 2018 in Dunedin at the Caledonian Ground. There was only a small number of students that competed over the three days. It was a great experience to be competing in Dunedin against some of the best New Zealand age-group athletes.

Even though none of us gained a medal we were all still happy with our performances. All of the hard training really showed with some great times and personal bests in their chosen events. Everyone encouraged and supported each other during races making it a fun and enjoyable event.

A big thank you to Mrs Gillum-Green for her organization and coaching as we couldn't perform the best we did without your help. Also, a big thank you to Raylene Nolly for coming down and taking care of us girls.

Grace Foreman, Year 10

NZSS RESULTS

JUNIOR GIRLS

Jahmelia Martin	100m 6th in heat
Lucy Elliot	Long Jump 16th in Heat
	400m 2nd in heat
	400m 7th in Semis
	80m hurdles 1st in heat
	80m hurdles 6th in Semis
	800m 7th in heat
Grace Foreman	Road Race 11th in Year 9

SENIOR GIRLS

Jessica Brimelow	200m 6th in heat
Lilah Gilgenberg	400m 6th in heat
	Road Race 41st
Dana Phelan	800m 6th in heat
	Road Race 35st
	Road Race 11th
	Road Race 48th
Maya Irving	100m hurdles 5th in heat
Holly Sutherland	Race Walk 4th in open
Alyssa Nolly	
Laura Kehely	

RELAYS

4x100m – 8th in heat	Alyssa Nolly
	Dana Phelan
	Lucy Elliot
	Jahmelia Martin
4x400m – 13th overall	Lucy Elliot
	Lilah Gilgenberg
	Maya Irving
	Dana Phelan

NPGHS CROSS COUNTRY

Yr 9 Girls

1st	Kaylee Hunger	13:25
2nd	Lottie Moffit	13:37
3rd	Renee Donovan	13:51

Junior Girls

1st	Abby Carver	12:33
2nd	Mercy Jones	12:57
3rd	Grace Foreman	13:07

Senior Girls

1st	Emma Carver	12:33
2nd	Dana Phelan	13:42
3rd	Eve Barry	13:49

NZSS CROSS COUNTRY

Our NPGHS cross country team had a very memorable weekend away for NZSS Cross Country in Timaru. The excited and nervous team had a day full of pump music, sleepy drives, and excited anticipation. We walked the course, getting tips and tricks for the race. Mrs. Gillum Green and Nikkie Carver (parent along) provided a delicious dinner. After

some evening yoga and a team meeting, we got a solid night's sleep.

The June morning dawned frigid and full of feeling. Rain threatened, but the weather was looking decent enough. The Year 9 race started with a cracking pace. They completed the 3-kilometer course in 12-13 minutes. Lottie Moffat ran her best race of the

season, coming in 13th. Kaylee Hunger and Renee Donovan completed the 3-person team well with results of 44th and 48th respectively.

The Junior race saw another wave of runners sending it around the course, trying not to slip on the tight corners. Abby Carver lead the NPGHS team, coming in 13th. Grace Foreman (19th) and Mercy Jones (24th) followed. They were stoked to come 3rd in the 3-person team event.

As the largest of the three races, the seniors ran a 4-kilometer course. Emma Carver (48th) followed by Dana Phelan and Emma Gilliver were the fastest runners in the senior category. Overall, it was a great day of races. We all enjoyed cheering our teammates on and representing NPGHS.

The pool party on Saturday night is often a highlight. It was a good opportunity to socialize with other runners from around the country while relaxing in the hot pools or enjoying the water slides.

Regional relays happened on Sunday. Our Taranaki Junior A team came in 6th place. NZSS Cross Country is a great event for competing against each other and other NZ runners. We were inspired and are excited to have this big event held in Hawera next year!

Mercy Jones, Year 11



TSSSA / NZSS

Back Row: Alyssa Nolly, Emma Gilliver, Emma Carver, Zoe Mace, Abby Carver

2nd Row: Sarah Valintine, Hannah Tipene, Becky Kowalewski, Breeanna Drinkwater, Mercy Jones, Holly Sutherland, Karen Gillum-Green (Coach)

Front Row: Sasha Al Dazhani, Caeley Hattle, Grace Foreman, Jessica Wingate, Dana Phelan, Madeleine Kinnell, Renae Pratt

Absent: Kara Baker, Jodi Carver, Renee Donovan, Kaylee Hunger

NETBALL

What a big year for Netball in 2019. For those of you who are avid netball fans the highlight, I am sure was the Silver Ferns winning the Netball World Cup. What an inspiring group of athletes and an amazing turn around by a dedicated coach. It is on that note that I wish to thank all the coaches, umpires, supporters and administrators who assist us with netball at NPGHS. We could not provide the opportunities we do for all our young players without your help. It can sometimes be a thankless task however I know the students and the staff appreciate your valuable input. We hope to see many of you returning next year in some shape or form.

As per every year it seems that netball starts earlier and earlier and it is always a huge task to get the trials done and organised in time. This year we had a total of 28 teams, which is 4 up from last year so it is great to see so many more girls keen to represent their school on the netball courts. Thank you to everyone who helped with the running of the trials, from the volunteer selectors, girls who helped umpire and the students who organised the players on the day.

With that many teams it takes a large effort to ensure they are all kitted out ready to go for their first games and a big thank you must go to our Sports Co-ordinator Kerry Yates for the fantastic job she did to ensure all the girls and teams had the required gear on time. It is also no easy task to collect this number of dresses, jackets, bibs and balls back in at the end of the season, so thank you Kerry for the efficient way you have organised this task this year.

As is with most sports, finding enough volunteers to give up their time to officiate the game is always an issue. Here at NPGHS we are lucky enough to have a large group of young students who are willing to learn and grow their skills as netball umpires. In that regard I must thank two important people who helped

ensure we got as many teams as possible to umpire every Saturday, no mean feat with 28 teams, who on occasion had double up rounds. Firstly, to Karen Eliason for taking the umpires club and coaching the girls throughout the season, I know the girls appreciate all your efforts, so thank you. Liahna (Boo) Smith who had the tireless task of allocating the umpires to games every week, not an easy job with many of our young umpires also playing netball as well, you have done an amazing job Boo and we thank you.

CONGRATULATIONS to the following umpires who received badges and awards during the 2019 season.

Tasia Tomuri	Centre Badge
Jorja Donald	Centre Badge
Sarah Valintine	NNZ Zone Award

Once again NPGHS was well represented with many players named in their respective representative teams. (See next page for names).

CONGRATULATIONS to the following teams who were successful after a full season of netball:

NPGHS Premier	4th Premier One
	7th Place Lower North Island
	Secondary School Regionals
NPGHS Int A1	2nd Up TSSSA Year 9 Grade
NPGHS Bandis	1st Youth Section 1
NPGHS Little Rippers	1st Youth Section 2
NPGHS Mystics	1st Youth Social Section 2

Well done girls! You have had a wonderful year and the school is very proud of your results.

Again, THANK YOU, THANK YOU to all our coaches and managers. Your support has been a huge factor in the success of our teams. WE hope you are all keen to come back again next year.

Leigh Laurence, Netball Administrator



TARANAKI NETBALL REPRESENTATIVES

U15A Team

Mataaria Rei
Lauren Tewhata
Macy Brookes
Grace Brough
Holly Lines
Miya Ishihara

U15 Development

Courtney Barnes
Kataraina Rio
Laura Curtis
Eliala Tapea
Aitana Dingle
Olivia Russell

Y9A Team

Emily Ferreira-Lima
Jordan Reynolds

Y9 Development

Jill Zwart
Isabelle Keegan
Maia Stewart-Cranson
Katie Kemp
Caro Olliver
Anika Fowell

U17 Team

Paige Neilson
Cassidy Pringle
Brooke Puletaha
Liahna Smith
Willow Rahui-Brown

U17 Development

Sammie Bean
Hunter Elliot
Sarah Valentine

U19 Team

Isla Vink
Lauren Giddy
Angela Chubb
Tayla Crawford

Netball Taranaki Senior Rep of 2019

Isla Vink

PREMIER A1 NETBALL

What a Netball Season it was!! There were many up and downs over the season due to a constant array of injuries. Due to winning Premier 2 Grade in 2018 we started this season off in premier 1 grade. One of our goals was to stay up in this grade, which we successfully did.

Premier 1 brought great competition and we had many great games including a couple of awesome wins. It was a challenging competition against experienced local players.

Following trials, 5 new players were welcomed into the team. Paige Neilson recovered from her injury and was also welcomed back.

All season we worked hard in order to attend the Lower Norths Secondary Schools netball competition. The relief this year of the competition being held indoors at the ANZ stadium in Wellington.

In the lead up to the Lower North Islands there were many unfortunate injuries that made us wonder if we could even get to this competition. We were down 3 players leaving us with 9 players. Luckily, we were able to pull an extra player up and therefore 3 reserves.

A total of 9 games over a course of 5 days, and we were under no illusion that this was going to be a tough week.

Day 1: We played Wairoa and Paraparaumu College. Getting a win in these two games gave us hope for the rest of the week.

Day 2: We had two close games losing to Aotea College by 1 and Queen Margaret by 3.

Day 3: More tough losses, meaning we just missed out of top 8 and our goal of making nationals again this year. Dreams were smashed.... however, a moment that we won't forget is when we were told we had made the top 8 due to a point re-calculation. With this news hope was again restored and everyone lifted their heads high for the final day. The disbelief and joy on the girls faces was amazing... we got a second chance to make the NZ Nationals.

Day 4: We were all mentally and physically drained and we just didn't have enough gas left in the tank to win the following games. Our bodies were in



PREMIER

Back Row: Angela Chubb, Brooke Puletaha, Tayla Crawford, Paige Neilson
2nd Row: Leigh Laurence, Liahna Smith, Isla Vink, Lauren Giddy, Josie Cleaver
Front Row: Isabella Wood, Miya Ishihara, Willow Rahui-Brown, Georgia Ackroyd

intense pain with feet covered with blisters and bruised muscles...It was tough out there with tough competition and tough and determined players. Our final placing was 7th.

Throughout that week everyone showed great determination and team spirit. Even though we were so drained we knew we had great support from each other and that support enabled us to get through each day. Huge shout out to the Coaches and support crew.

Playing Premier 1 Grade Netball in Taranaki was an incredible experience and demonstrated that we had the ability and determination to be playing at that league. However, there is still always room for improvement. And I wish the team well for the next year.

As well as the team players, the support from the parents on the sideline and of course the support and direction of our coaches boosted our play. The amount of work that our coaches put into our team and the behind the scene work helped us to get to where we were as a team. All the best to the team next year and to the following teams that represent New Plymouth Girls' High School.

Isla Vink, Year 13



SENIOR A1

Back Row: Sophie Cleaver (Coach), Anastasia Tomuri, Lauren Tewhata, Aitana Dingle, Olivia Russell, Hunter Elliott
Front Row: Sarah Valentine, Emma Dowsing, Marara Murray, Brylee Winter, Courtney Barnes



INTERMEDIATE A1

Back Row: Danni Poulsen-Cook, Stephanie Beardmore, Grace Brough, Liahna Smith (Coach)
Front Row: Kataraina Rio, Latalia Ridland-Enoka, Macy Brookes, Eliala Tapea, Holly Lines



JUNIOR A1

Back Row: Lauren Abrams, Jarla Ansley, Jordan Reynolds, Mya Mitchell
Front Row: Anika Fowell, Katie Kemp, Caro Olliver



SENIOR A1 NETBALL

This season was challenging for the Senior A Netball team with several injuries and players moving up from different teams. At the beginning of the season we started strong and continued to build from that. As well as building our skill level we could build strong relationships within the team. We were lucky enough to be able to play in a few school exchanges against Hamilton Girls' and Palmerston North Girls' High School. These games showed us that netball against school girls is different to the competition we had on a Saturday morning, playing in Grade 1. As challenging as Grade 1 was for us, being the youngest in our grade and playing against some very talented and experienced players, we grew stronger and better together. Although we did not take many wins throughout our season we picked up many skills and most importantly we learnt how to play as a team.

None of this would have been possible if we didn't have a great manager and coach like we did this season with Julie and Sophie, so we thank them for all their hard work, time, effort and energy they put in to our team this season.

Marara Murray, Year 11

HOCKEY



This year, we were fortunate to have seven fully subscribed hockey teams. These teams were two Boarders "social" teams managed by Molly Lourie (senior) and Blanka Eggink (junior), U15 Junior-B team coached by Kevin Byrne, U15 Junior -A team coached by Simon Johnstone 3rd XI coached by Athol Hockey. The 2nd XI was coached by Nico Zwerg and managed by Deb Black.

The 1st XI who represented the school in many interschool exchange games as well as overseas travelling teams and the National tournament was coached by Andrew Darke, Ana Spurdle and Karen Sorensen, and managed by Russell Atkinson. Their outstanding dedication to hard work and time devoted to the hockey teams by the coaching and managing staff is much appreciated. This year the 1st XI training squad again played under the umbrella of the NPOB club.

The 1st XI, 2nd XI and Junior-A competed in the Premier grade. The Junior B, XI, 3rd XI and boarder's teams competed in the Championship grade. The 1st XI also competed in the Taranaki Premier Women's competition. This year the Taranaki Schools competition was dominated by NPGHS. In the Premium Grade there were NPGHS teams and Sacred Heart Girls College. This was too few teams for a balanced competition.

In the Championship grade there were ten teams: Stratford High School Girls', Opunake High School Girls', Taranaki Diocesan School for Girls', Hawera High School Girls, Sacred Heart Girls' College (NP) 2nd XI, Sacred Heart Girls' College Junior XI, New Plymouth Girls' High School 3rd XI, New Plymouth Girls' High School Junior B, New Plymouth Girls' High School Boarders A, New Plymouth Girls' High School Boarders B. None of the NPGHS teams qualified to play in the finals.

There were also a few the annual school exchanges vs, Whanganui Girls High, Whanganui Collegiate, Palmerston North Girls' High and Hamilton Girls High School. This

year we hosted two teams from St Georges College, Argentina,

two teams from the Methodist Ladies tour group in Perth and one from New South Wales. The extra games against international teams gives us very good team practice and the players enjoy hosting these visiting teams.

This year the 2nd XI competed in the 2nd XI Chris Arthur cup in Stratford. The team was managed by Deb Black and coached by Kevin Byrne, assisted by Antonia Barckhausen, a gap student from Germany. Antonia is with us until July 2020. This was excellent experience for the players even though we were up against the 2nd XI teams from several top schools around the country. We ended up 12th out of 14 teams after winning the crucial crossover game vs Papatoetoe High School.

The 1st XI Hockey team competed in the Federation Cup/Marie Fry tournament in Auckland. In this competition we were fortunate to have a Mili Bianchedi as a team member from Chile. This is the premier tournament with 32 teams from both the North & South Island. They had mixed results but at the end they qualified in 5th position in the Marie Fry competition (21st in NZ) to remain in the premier tournament in 2020. They played in pool F and won key matches which kept them in the top eight of the Marie Fry Cup tournament. A key game that went to shootouts was successfully defended by Natalia Roughton 3-0. Results as follows:

1. Pool play vs PNGHS. Draw 1-1. Goals - Kate Atkinson
2. Pool play vs St. Cuthbert's College Loss 0-7
3. Pool play vs Burnside High School. Loss 0-1
4. Maree Fry vs St Matthews Collegiate. Win 2-2 (3-0 SO). Goals: Ella Rogers (2) Shootout Goals Lucy Atkinson, Holly Riddick, Mili Bianchedi.
5. Marie Fry Q-final vs Villa Maria Loss: 0 -7
6. 21-24 playoff - vs Hillcrest High School. Win 6-0. Goals - Lucy Atkinson (2), Holly Riddick (2), Ella Rogers (2)

7. 21-22 playoff vs Burnside High School. Win 1-1(2-1 SO). Goals - Holly Riddick Shootout Mili Bianchedi, Kate Atkinson.

The final game of the season was the annual game against the New South Wales development team from Australia, which we lost 4-5 in a very good display of team hockey, considering that we were short of key team members who were away at the u15 Provincial tournament.

In the local School league, the 1st XI beat Sacred Heart to win the premier grade. XI team were placed and the White team was placed 3rd. The Junior A team ended up 4th in the four-team competition. Since they were mainly Year 9 & 10 students, they were playing against more skilled and experienced players.

TARANAKI REPS

Under 18

Elisha Black
Sarah Cooksley
Georgia Coomber
Sumana Hurbuns
Nikayla Legge
Charlie Luke
Holly Riddick

Under 15

Mesha Legge,
Kiera Johnstone,
Aalyah Crofsky,
Caitlyn Sewell-Monod,
Angela Spurdle,
Nicole Kowaleski,
Alana-Ann Sharp,
Milla Albon,
Maddy Kinell

I'd like to personally thank Simon for his dedication towards the hockey at New Plymouth Girls high both as an umpire and the coach of the Junior-A team.

Kate Atkinson and Natalia Roughton represented Central Hockey in the U18 Regional Tournament in Wellington and won the tournament for the third year running.

A sincere thanks to Andrew Darke for the CMK sponsorship of a new playing strip and warm-up tops for the Premier grade teams.

Hopefully the hockey at NPGHS will continue to grow in strength and numbers.

Athol Hockey, TIC Hockey

1ST XI HOCKEY

This year the 1st XI was a team that included a wide and varied range of ages, including a number of Year 9s and 10s.

We were captained by the courageous Kate Atkinson, who lead strongly on and off the field with her mastery of drag flicking, tireless effort and hours of time creating motivational material for the team.

Kate was supported by Charlie Luke (Vice captain), Lacey Preece and Abby Darke in the leadership group.

Our pre-season tournament was held in Rotorua, where we won the Rotorua Hockey Secondary School Invitational Tournament. A fantastic team building weekend and a great start to the year.

The team competed locally in the Taranaki Women's competition throughout the season under the banner of New Plymouth Old Girls'. For a school side to lose two games in an entire club season was a remarkable achievement that will be the new benchmark for the school. We are the holders of the Premier Women's Challenge Shield.

Interschool College games were played against Whanganui Collegiate 4-1 win, St Georges (Argentina) 7-0 win, Palmerston North Girls' High 2-0 win, Hamilton Girls' High 1-0 win and Whanganui High School 3-1 win.

These games provided some good competition for the 1st XI in preparation for the National Tournament at the end of the season and a very positive achievement to remain unbeaten in 2019 school College matches.

The 1st XI Tournament Team of 18 players were selected predominantly from the main squad, and due to the high calibre of players this year was again not an easy decision for the selectors. With the inclusion of Maggie Feldtman as a second goalie and our Chilean National Mili Bianchedi.

The team selected for the national secondary schools competition was: Kate Atkinson, Charlie Luke, Lacey Preece, Abby Darke, Anna Coomber, Jody Rawlinson, Maggie Feldtman, Sarah Cooksley, Holly Riddick, Natalia Roughton, Lucy Atkinson, Georgia Coomber, Ella Rogers, Sumana Hurbuns, Mili Bianchedi, Angela Spurdle, Aalyah Crofskey and Nicole Kowalewski. Non Travelling reserves: Elisha Black and Madeleine Kinnell. Over the week we



1 XI Back Row: Madeleine Kinnell, Lucy Atkinson, Nicole Kowalewski, Holly Riddick, Jody Rawlinson, Anna Coomber, Georgia Coomber
2nd Row: Magdali Feldtmann, Elisha Black, Abigail Darke, Sarah Cooksley, Ella Rogers, Natalia Roughton, Andrew Darke (Coach)
Front Row: Aalyah Crofskey, Sumana Hurbuns, Charlie Luke, Kate Atkinson, Milagros Gago, Lacey Preece, Angela Spurdle

played 7 games that resulted in NPGHS being placed 5th in the Marie Fry Tournament, which was a step up in our national rankings.

The highlight was to play the eventual winners St Cuthberts in pool play, this team was star studded and included a current black stick and several new Zealand age group players. An awesome experience was had and memorable moments included tackles made by our Year 10 dynamic duo on said international Katie Doar.

The 2019 Hockey 1st XI was a fantastic bunch of young women extremely motivated to both playing to the best of their ability and enjoying the fun of the whole experience of top level hockey.

We acknowledge the fantastic technical edge that Ana Spurdle brings on and off field, the endless work behind the scenes from our managers and a very big thank you to Karen Sorenson who has coached with us for the last four years and has provided us with some very special moments that will not be forgotten.

Special mentions go to our outstanding goal keeper Natalia Roughton, who was consistently outstanding all season and made the national winning Central side alongside Kate Atkinson. Also Ella Rogers who always contributed off the field and performed superbly at tournament top scoring with 4 goals.

SEASON STATISTICS

Top goal scorers Kate Atkinson - 18, Charlie Luke - 15
Holly Riddick -12, Abby Darke - 12
Games Played 29, Won 22, Drawn 2, Lost 5
Goals for - 97. Goals against - 41

JUNIOR A

Back Row: Madeleine Kinnell, Jessica Gouldsbury, Milla Albon, Nicole Kowalewski, Natasha Gouldsbury, Simon Johnstone (Coach)
Front Row: Chloe Bland, Madison Paris, Caitlyn Sewell-Monod De Froideville, Imogen Paris, Leila Annane





BASKETBALL

Basketball is the second highest participation sport at New Plymouth Girls' High School which aligns with the current national trend where basketball is now the second most-participated secondary school sport. With this national trend it is hoped that numbers will continue to grow over the next few years especially at the junior level at NPGHS. This year we had four junior A teams competing in the senior women's grade along with our Senior A and Premier teams. Friday night offered another league for those less serious players who just wanted to play with their friends. This increase in basketball numbers is encouraging and the future looks bright.

Last year we were unable to field a Premier team which was disappointing. This year we decided to change the structure at senior level in the hope that we could quickly build a base of senior players all competing and vying to be in the team that went to Nationals. The majority of the players in these two teams were Y11 so it was pleasing to see that both teams were competitive in their respective grades and managed to get to play-offs. Next year we will reassess the senior structure dependent on numbers playing at senior level. A huge thank you must go to all coaches at all levels who selflessly turn up to practices and games on cold winter nights. Add to that those who travel with their teams to Hawera or Stratford for night games and this makes for a very big commitment. The school is forever thankful for your contribution and goodwill. We still need more coaches from our school community and hope that if you are reading this and you know of someone who is a keen basketballer or ex player and you think they might be keen – please tap them on the shoulder and ask them. Coaching can be very rewarding. It is hard and it is tiring and at times it



JUNIOR A | Back Row: Jorja Death, Olivia Slack, Mataaria Rei, Macy Brookes
2nd Row: Mark Birdsall (Coach), Opal Hardy-Pearce, Lauren Tewhata, Sophie Wilkinson, Tony Eldershaw (Coach)
Front Row: Pippa Birdsall, Maya Norgate, Jorja Eldershaw, Renae Pratt

**“JUST PLAY. HAVE FUN.
ENJOY THE GAME.”** MICHAEL JORDAN

seems thankless but the rewards far outweigh the negatives. To our managers and referees again, a huge thank you for your time and willingness to support our basketball programme.

It is important that we thank several key people who ensure Basketball continues to run smoothly. Kerry Yates is our Assistant Basketball Administrator who does an excellent job ensuring our teams are kitted out in the required uniforms, draws are posted, coaches informed – just to name a few of her many tasks. Kerry completes all tasks with attention to detail - thanks Kerry for your hard work.

A big thank you to Jeff Cleaver and Maurice Gilmour who took responsibility for the senior programme endeavoring to get it back up and running in 2019. A thankless task but a task well done. We were back to two senior teams this year which is promising.

To Tony Eldershaw, Mark Birdsall, Harriet Hardy, Rihari Brown, Kate Lines and Liahna Smith for passing on their coaching skills to our juniors this year. The girls appreciate the time you give to them and their sport and the school is most appreciative of your support.

Enjoy your summer break, keep up the fitness with some summer fun activities and we look forward to seeing you all back in 2019.

SENIOR BASKETBALL

The NPGHS Senior A Basketball team had a very tough season this year. We faced many obstacles along the way especially injuries and illness. With a very young and inexperienced team we accepted the challenge of competing in tough competitions as we

knew it was going to prepare us better for tournament. We had two exchanges this year, Palmerston North and Hamilton Girls' High Schools. We won against Palmerston North and had a very tough game against Hamilton, where we learnt a lot about what we needed to do better to improve on our game prior to our qualifying tournament. As we couldn't field a team in 2018 having a team competing at tournament was an achievement in itself. We were all very excited to attend this tournament as for many it was their first time competing at such a high level. As a team we had the goal of wanting to qualify for nationals but we knew it was going to take a lot of hard work and we were all ready to put 100% effort in. At this tournament we won 2 games, one against Palmerston North Girls High School 83-61 and the other against Wellington Girls' College 73-39. Unfortunately, we faced the top two teams from our zone which left us missing out on nationals by one placing. We finished third overall in the local Premier Women's Basketball league which was an achievement for us. This team was filled with a great bunch of girls and when we weren't competing, we all got on well off the court.

I thoroughly enjoyed my final Basketball season playing alongside these girls and I am excited to see their progress as I believe they all have the capability to go far in the years to come. I would like to thank them all for their positive mindset, hard work and their commitment throughout the season. Thank you to the parents for the constant support throughout the year.



SENIOR A | Olivia Greiner, Tayla Crawford, Sophia Birdsall, Emma Gilmour

Many thanks to our coach Mr Cleaver, for believing in us and teaching us a lot along the way. I'd like to also thank our Manager Linda Giddy for supporting us and helping throughout the year and assistant coach Maurice Gilmour for his support at tournament. I wish the Year 13 girls, Angela, Kate, Myah, and Nadya all the best for next year. Thank you all for your involvement during this season.

Lauren Giddy, Year 13

2019 SUCCESSES

Senior A

7th at Central Regional Tournaments and 3rd place in Women's Premier

Junior A

2nd Regional Secondary School Junior Tournament

NP U15 Gold

Jorja Death
Pippa Birdsall
Jorja Eldershaw

NP U15 Blue

Maddison Katene
Sophie Wilkinson
Maia Stewart-Cranson
Olivia Slack

NP U17 Gold

Lucy Elliot
Marara Murray
Elle Williams
Drew Fraser
Lauren Tewhata

NP U17 Blue

Sophia Birdsall
Macy Brookes
Emma Gilmour
Renae Pratt
Llewelyn Fellow
Opal Hardy

Taranaki U15 A

Jorja Death

Taranaki U15B

Sophie Wilkinson
Jorja Eldershaw
Pippa Birdsall

Taranaki U17

Lucy Elliot
Drew Fraser
Lauren Tewhata
Elle Williams

Taranaki U19

Lauren Giddy
Angela Chubb



FOOTBALL

1ST XI FOOTBALL

In 2019 we had a squad of 22 players for our 1st XI team. With many new players to the team, the NPGHS 1st XI football team returned to the local Women's League after being in the Central Federation league for the past two years. This league had a good range of teams for the girls to play. The first game of the season was up against the 2018 Women's League winners and proved a shock for a number of our younger players, with the NPGHS team having a heavy loss. The lessons learnt from this game would prove instrumental for the rest of the season. In the latter half of the season we could play this team again and the score was completely different. NPGHS was victorious, having turned the result completely around, showing how much they had learnt and grown over the season. The girls played their hearts out in this league and came away at the end of the season runners up to the unbeaten league winner.

From this squad a group of 16 players were selected to attend the final tournament of our season, National Premier Tournament. This was an outstanding week spent in Christchurch, where we experienced every extreme weather condition that could occur over a week. Complaints of why players had to use up luggage space for thermals resonated over the first 2 days as we played in wonderful warm conditions. The end of the week proved the reason for the need, as temperatures plummeted and our final game had us all experience some of the most challenging temperatures and conditions for football that we will all remember. Aside from the weather the experience was enlightening for all, with many players experiencing playing on turf for the first time. This proved challenging at times, coming up against teams who regularly play on turf.

With regards the football itself, we experienced one of the tightest pools at the tournament, the strength of which can be seen by the 2 teams that were knocked out (us and Auckland Diocesan) came up against each other in the final of the Trevor Osten Memorial Trophy. This was to be a rematch of a draw that occurred in our pool (played on grass). We were fortunate to play on the turf in our final game, avoiding the muddy pitches, however with an Auckland team who



had New Zealand Representatives and was used to turf this would be our undoing. Losing the final 5-0 and coming 18th in New Zealand. This result did not reflect the game, with NPGHS pressing very hard in the first 20 minutes and looking to be the better team, however fatigue and the cold took its toll. For such an inexperienced team to gain such good results they can be very proud and we look forward to the tournament in Taupo in 2020.

This year we say goodbye to four Year 13s who were in the 1st XI squad; Chloe Barker, Skyler Ellington, Grace van de Velden and Georgia Bricknall. Special mention needs to go to Georgia who captained the 1st XI team in 2019. She is a player who gave it her all on and off the field. Georgia is an outstanding leader. She led from the back, always ensuring that everyone was looked after, safe and happy on and off the field.

Huge thanks need to go to Leighton Dearden, the coach of the 1st XI squad. Special mention does need to be given to his wife and daughter, who have allowed him to give up his free time to volunteer in this role. Leighton gives his all to coaching, not just the football aspect, but also ensuring the girls leave us at the end of their schooling with life skills that will aid them in managing themselves in the future.

Lisa Chubb, TiC/Manager



For the Football season for 2019, we were entered into the local Taranaki competition Sunday Women's League. After some challenging games we ended up coming 2nd in the competition. Unfortunately, I had to join to team late due to other sporting commitments, however I was lucky enough to watch a few games where I felt that we had a really strong group of football loving girls. Then when I managed to start playing, I found myself enjoying being back playing football, with so much fun and learning happening at trainings.

One of the highlights this season was the game where we were fortunate enough to play at Pukekura Park. We played the best game of our season so far, gaining a 3-0 win over a very good Rangers side. Eva scored two goals and Tessa scored a goal from an impressive free kick. Saskia also deserves a mention, with a very impressive game at centre mid.

Our last game of the season was a standout, where we played Moturoa, who were the winners of the league. In some of the strongest winds I've ever played in, we found ourselves coming away with a 1-0 loss, which was a huge improvement compared to the 11-0 loss at the start of the season. There was a massive defensive effort from all the girls with our backline playing so well. Tsehai also pulled off some outstanding saves in goal!

Throughout the season we also had some traditional winter exchanges. Wanganui was a real test for our team, they were a physical side and a few of our mistakes lead to us conceding a few goals. However, with some great hustle from the girls, we found ourselves lifting in the second half where we came away with a 6-2 win. Eve Barry had a fantastic game scoring a hat trick and being key to our comeback. As well as an impressive two goals from Brooke and one goal from Emma. Our next exchange was against Palmerston North on a beautiful Taranaki day, however they were a very good side and we came away with a 3-1 loss. Amy Simmers had an outstanding game in goal and pulled off some awesome saves. Credit to Caitlin who scored an amazing goal.

In Hamilton with BurgerFuel in our bellies and a good night sleep we were ready for the challenge. We

found ourselves coming up against a decent Hamilton side and won 3-0. There was a huge difference from where we started to where we ended up during the season, everyone had improved and we found ourselves ready to head to nationals!

This year our Football nationals were in Christchurch. We all dressed up in our senior uniforms to board, we had the most beautiful flight with stunning view of Mount Taranaki and the stunning Mount Ruapehu and Mount Ngauruhoe in the distance. We arrived to the most beautiful day in Christchurch where we were all ready to start our big week ahead. On the Monday we played our hardest game of the competition and came away with a 4-0 loss. Otumotetai had a very strong attacking play and were great athletes. We went



back to our accommodation to rest up for the game in the afternoon. Auckland Dio was the competition for the afternoon. Unfortunately, due to some miscommunication we were down 2-0 at half time. However, at the half time break we knew we could come back from this and with two brilliant goals from Skyler we found ourselves coming away with a 2-2 draw. We continued this energy into Tuesday morning's game where we found ourselves on unfamiliar territory, a turf. Although the goalies probably weren't big fans, our outfield players enjoyed the smoothness and game flow the turf allowed.

Wellington East were the morning competition and unfortunately due to missing some of our own opportunities by centimetres we found ourselves coming away with a 2-0 loss. We would be playing off in the bottom sixteen competition. Our new goal of winning the bottom

sixteen was set.

In the afternoon with some food in our bellies and fire in our heart ready to win we played so well! Coming away with a 3-0 win our St Hilda's with another superb goal from Skyler Ellington. As well as Paris Liu and Eva Hilliam scoring their first nationals goals! We were buzzing and were ready for the games ahead. Credit to Grace and Sam for some superb defending!

On the Wednesday we were down to one game a day. We played a decent Queen Margaret side in some wet & windy conditions. Fortunately we won 5-2 with five different goal scorers; Ruby Hales, Eve Barry, Eva Hilliam, Caitlin Bowles and Emma Kehely. We would now be playing off for 17th to 20th. We were ready for the challenge on Thursday, although we went down 1-0, some pure heart was shown by the team and we came from behind to win 3-1 against Burnside, with two brilliant goals from Skyler Ellington and a goal from Eva Hilliam. There was also some outstanding defensive play and amazing saves from the goal keepers.

On Friday, where we found ourselves playing off for the Trevor Osten Memorial trophy against Auckland Dio who we played earlier in the week. However, it wasn't our game and we lost 5-0. This meant we were runners up in the Trevor Osten Memorial trophy competition. We finished 18th overall. It was a super successful week for the girls and I'm so proud of them. The team makes my heart burst with pride especially because we had nine girls playing in their first nationals.

We wouldn't have had such a successful season if it wasn't for Leighton and Mrs Chubb. Leighton, thanks for being a dedicated and supportive coach of five years. You are a huge reason why the football memories will stay with me forever and why I have enjoyed playing football so much over the past five years. Although Leighton will probably be glad I'm going so I can no longer disagree with him about our football volleyball games. Mrs Chubb, you've been there for me all the way through and have been fantastic to work alongside. Thanks for being such a caring football mum to all of us girls. Your behind the scenes work definitely doesn't go unnoticed. Thanks for everything!

Georgia Bricknell, Year 13



SENIOR NZSS | Back Row: Tessa Barry, Skyler Ellington, Amelia Simmers, Eva Hilliam, Leighton Dearden (Coach)
Front Row: Samantha Harris, Emma Kehely, Eve Barry, Grace Van De Velden, Paris Liu

FUTSAL

NZSS NATIONALS

18 talented players were selected to represent the school at the NZ Secondary Schools Futsal Nationals which were held in Wellington. The junior team, captained by Sophie Riddick, finished 5th in New Zealand. The senior team, captained by Eve Barry, was also placed 5th in New Zealand.

This year our Junior team were lucky enough to play as a team in the Taranaki Futsal league prior to the tournament, and this competition helped develop the players knowledge of the game, so that they were better prepared at nationals. Hutt Valley High School was first up and early goals scored by Caitlin Bowles and Ruby Hales got the team on the front foot, and a 4-1 victory was a great start. Saint Kents were up next, and this was a tough challenge for the girls. After some good defending in the early stages of the game, the girls conceded a few quick goals and at half time the girls were 5-2 down. The second half was a bit of a blow out and the game finished 12-2 to St Kents. The third game for the day was against Wellington East. At half time the score was locked 2-2 and could have gone either way. Two unlucky goals in the final quarter meant the girls had a heart breaking 4-2 loss. The girls were still in good spirits and on day two the girls came up against Auckland Dio. The score was again locked up at half time, and unfortunately two late goals were conceded, and the game ended 0-2. The final game was against Marlborough Girls. A combination of frustration and tiredness meant the girls were not able to play their best, with the game ended up as a 4-0 loss. Although the results didn't go the team's way, the girls learnt a lot and had a great time playing against some talented teams.

The Senior team had some new faces this year and the young side were keen to do their best at the tournament. Wellington East were first up on day 1. The girls started strongly, with Eve Barry and Skyler Ellington playing well. Some early goals got the team on the front foot, and a 5-1 victory was a great start to the tournament. St Peters (Palmerston North) were next up, and the girls produced an outstanding performance. They dominated from the outset and won 8-0. The first cross over game was against Queen Margaret College, and again our girls pushed forward early and were 2-0 up in first few minutes. The game ended as a 6-0 win, and the team progressed to the quarter finals. Kings College was their next encounter in the quarter final and the girls came up against a well-structured team, who defended well against our attacking plays. A goal against the run of play put our girls behind and unfortunately two further goals late in the game sealed the victory for Kings. The last game was against Marian College, playing off for 5th. The girls battled hard and won 1-0, with Skyler sneaking home a goal in the second half. 5th in New Zealand was another great achievement.

A HUGE thank you must go to Leighton Dearden for his endless hours dedicated to Futsal at New Plymouth Girls' High School and to Mr Andrew Chubb for the administration of Futsal.



TSSSA | Back Row: Miya Ishihara, Lauren Tewhata, Willow Rahui-Brown
Front Row: Montana Zammit, Llewelyn Fellows, Marara Murray, Kataraina Rio, Olivia-May Kahui Hill
Absent: Lisa Graham (Manager), Joey Graham (Coach), Tamati Neho (Coach), Waimarama Armstrong, Michaela Deegan, Charlise Graham, Jahnae Graham, Taryn Martin, Skylar McFetridge

TOUCH RUGBY

The highlight for our Touch team this season was getting the opportunity to compete at New Zealand Secondary Schools in December for Touch Nationals. We have variety of different year levels from the youngest player in our team being Year 9 and the oldest being Year 13! We are working very hard at progressing our skills to have a good shot at, for most of us our first national experience. None of this would be possible if we didn't have the support from our management team and our coaches Lis, Joe and Tamati and the parents who were supporting us to get to NZSS. I have been privileged to play for Girls' High for two years now and I look forward to the development of touch and becoming a stronger player.

Willow Rahui-Brown, Year 11

TSSSA ROAD RELAY

It was a bright sunny day on October 21st and the weather cleared up and everyone was ready to run in the annual TSSSA Road Relay, held at Brookland's Park. NPGHS entered seven teams this year. The teams consisted of four runners, who were each to complete the approximately 2.5km course in turn. Team NPGHS 1 took out the Junior girl's competition by getting first place with an accumulated time of 37:50 minutes. The team consisted of Grace Foreman, Lottie Moffat, Renee Donovan and Kaylee Hunger. The fastest junior girl to complete the course was Grace Foreman with a time of 8:55. NPGHS cleaned up the Senior girl's competition by getting 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place. NPGHS 4 won with a total time of 36:18 minutes. This team consisted of Abby Carver, Emma Carver, Maya Irving and Dana Phelan.

The fastest senior girl to complete the course was Abby Carver, with a time of 8:18. Well done to everyone who raced!

Bree Drinkwater, Year 11

AROUND THE LAKES RELAY

NPGHS running squad competed in the Whanganui Around the Lake Relay. The teams consisted of four girls and split off into junior groups and senior groups. The run was around the lake plus an extra section of road run which was 2km. The girls had to run the course in the fastest time possible and depending on what time they got was where they were ranked. All our girls had a very successful time.

Ella Sanger, Year 12



RUNNING SQUAD | Back Row: Isobel Barker, Emma Gilliver, Zoe Mace, Grace Foreman, Caeley Hattle
2nd Row: Nicole Kowalewski, Jessica Frost, Becky Kowalewski, Breeanna Drinkwater, Sarah Cooksley, Hannah Tipene, Mercy Jones, Billie Parker, Karen Gillum-Green (Coach)
3rd Row: Talia Vevers, Kiara Flutey, Sarah Valentine, Laura Kehely, Tuscany King, Lily Bridger, Rebecca Moles, Abby Carver
Front Row: Sasha Al Dazhani, Jessica Camden, Dana Phelan (Vice-Captain), Charlie Godwin (Captain), Jessica Wingate (Vice-Captain), Hotly Sutherland (Captain), Sophie Sheaf-Morrison, Renae Pratt



TENNIS



TARANAKI REPS

Senior A	Ella Rogers
Under 14	Alex Macesic
Juniors	Taylor Mitchell
Under 16	Lucy Atkinson
	Caitlin Haylock
	Nicole Kowalewski
Nicole Kowalewski Top ranked Under 14 girl in Taranaki	



TSSSA | Back Row: Savannah Clement, Kate Atkinson, Ella Rogers, Wendy Stewart (Coach)
Front Row: Lucy Atkinson, Alexandra Macesic, Caitlin Haylock, Nicole Kowalewski, Grace Newland

The tennis season hit off with fresh Year 9 faces keen to play tennis for the school. A different format for the TSSSA competition had nine of our players travel to Hawera Lawn Tennis Club and take on many Taranaki schools. Our team played both girls and boys, of a similar grading to ourselves. Our top 3 seeded players, Ella Rogers, Taylor Mitchell and Nicole Kowalewski played singles matches against players ranked higher than themselves. Both Nicole and Taylor had a win and a loss. The remaining girls played doubles. Caitlin Haylock and Anna Hutterd won their way through to the final but lost out to another boys' combination. Lucy Atkinson and Alex Macesic had two wins and then lost to Caitlin and Anna. Lottie Moffat and Grace Newland had a win in their three matches. What made it a great day, was the opportunity to play more than one match and to watch some top-class tennis matches.

Eight girls travelled to Wanganui to play in the sports exchange. Once again, many of the girls played against boys of a similar grade to themselves. Six of the girls who played in the TSSSA competition, were joined by Kate Atkinson and Savannah Clement. Singles wins were important to our overall result and with Taylor, Nicole, Lucy and Alex winning, we went into the doubles tied 4 all. Our girls then won 3 of the 4 doubles matches to sneak a win 7 matches to 5.

Our next trip was to Palmerston North to take on PNGHS in our sports exchange. Unfortunately, Ella was overseas, and we knew the rest of our team of 6 had to step up and player higher ranked opponents. Taylor had just moved up a grade but still played a person two grades higher than her. She

acquitted herself extremely well and unfortunately, lost in three sets. Lucy scored our only singles win and in fact our only win of the exchange. I hope our girls enjoyed the opportunity to play different players and now know the effort and training needed to improve and strive to reach a higher grading.

During Term 1, I ran some social tennis games and beginner coaching sessions, with help from Alex and Nicole. We had a consistent group of 6-8 players turn up and learn some tennis skills and game strategies. My thanks to Alex and Nicole for their input and commitment.

Near the end of Term 1, our school championships got underway. In the junior competition Nicole met Alex in the final. Nicole was 5-4 up in the first set and unfortunately, Alex had to retire hurt, injuring her thumb. The senior championship had a good calibre of players but the time constraints on some players meant that Taylor defaulted to Caitlin in the semi-finals. Ella played Caitlin in the final and was pushed by Caitlin before winning 6-4 6-3. Congratulations to all participants. It is a great opportunity to play against peers of your own age. This ended Caitlin's five years of tennis at GHS. Her commitment to tennis has been exemplary and I would like to thank her and wish her all the very best as she moves on to newer opportunities. Similarly, Kate has played for school off and on throughout her five years and I wish her all the very best too.

I would like to thank Jaime Simpson for providing some early morning trainings for a squad of players and I encourage other players to take up this opportunity in 2020.

Finally, I would like to wish all tennis players a good start to the new season. Power down your serves, place your shots and get your feet moving! I look forward to seeing all prospective tennis players at the beginning of 2020.

Yours in tennis,
Ms Stewart

SQUASH

2019 was an incredible year for New Plymouth Girls' High squash. Our weekly Wednesday training sessions kicked off again in term one, with a large amount of girls returning again from 2018. We have had a handful of new players join this year as well. The team experienced some new tournaments, nationals being one and the Hawera High school exchange being another.

Last year the team had a goal to get to the New Zealand Secondary Schools squash tournament in Palmerston North. This year we successfully sent a team to the tournament, the first time Girls' High had sent a team since 2005. This year the tournament was in Tauranga, and we took a strong team of 6 to compete. The team was Brianna See (captain), Emma Foreman, Gabrielle Bevins, Grace Foreman, Carys Luke and Bridget Masters. The team was seeded 13th out of 20 teams and managed to retain the seeding throughout the tournament, emerging at 13th. Brianna See gained the Girls' Fair Play award, which was awarded to a boy and girl who showed respect and gratitude against all opponents, referees and staff within the tournament. This tournament was an amazing opportunity for our team to grow as squash players and as competitors.

"THE GROWTH OF SQUASH WITHIN OUR SCHOOL HAS BEEN INCREDIBLE"

Some of our girl's also competed in the Taranaki Secondary School annual squash tournament held at Kawaroa Park squash club. Emma Foreman won the Girls A graded division, Grace Foreman won the Girls B



TSSSA / NZSS | Back Row: Grace Foreman, Bridget Masters, Emma Foreman, Helen Foreman (Manager)
Front Row: Carys Luke, Brianna See, Elyn Clayr Asia

graded division and Clayr Asia won the ungraded division. This was a brilliant result, one of the best results we have experienced in years.

Next year we endeavor to continue the training sessions and compete in TSSSA. We also hope that new experiences such as the Hawera exchange and nationals can continue be used as a platform for our squash players to grow and learn. However, our team would not be able to compete and train without the following people. Mrs Gillum-Green for continually supporting us, banking our fundraising money and also entering us for our competitions. Marlene and John Foreman for coaching us and answering all of our questions. Miss Mumby for organizing our trip to Tauranga, being a brilliant TIC and generally being an amazing supporter and friend. Thank you also to everyone who bought a raffle ticket, came to our quiz or bought some baking. To Boys' High School, thank you again for letting us utilize the squash courts on their premises.

For the past 3 years it has been my pleasure to organize and captain the New Plymouth Girls' High squash team. The growth of squash within our school has been incredible and I hope it continues to grow as a sport and in popularity. It is with great fulfillment that I hand over the captaincy over to Emma Foreman, with her co-captain being Grace Foreman.

Brianna See, Year 13

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BADMINTON



TSSA | Back Row: Rubab Shah, Wei Qian Ong, Chante De Villiers, Emma Mackie, Jennifer Joe
Front Row: Joey Shen, Aleisha Crook, Elyn Clayr Asia, Jenny Zhou, Selina Li
Absent: Doreen Miller (Manager), Hirono Abe, Kiara Liening, Miu Malcolm, Yumin Woo, Alyssa Lee, Hirona Kito



We have a large group of very keen girls who play badminton at our After-School Club in the stadium each Monday during terms 2 and 3, and at lunch time each Wednesday.

Eight of our girls competed in the TSSA competition in June – Clayr Asia took 2nd place in the Senior Girls' Singles, and Clayr and Wei Qian Ong came second in the Senior Girls' Doubles. In the Junior section Joey Shen took first place in Singles, and Joey and Jennifer Joe came second in Doubles. An additional eight girls played in the novice section.

Our top badminton team of Clayr Asia, Joey Shen, Jennifer Joe, Wei Qian Ong, and Chante de Villiers competed in the NZSS Badminton Competition in Porirua in September. We played in Division Two and in the first tie defeated Hutt Valley by 300 – 281 points after winning 8 games each, a very close tie. We then defeated Waitaki 2, 6 – 0, lost to Burnside 6 – 7, lost to St Oran's 1, 2 – 4, and defeated Manurewa High School 4 – 2. In our semi-final we defeated Waitaki Girls' High 1, 5 – 1, and lost in our final game to Hutt Valley High School 6 – 7 in another very close tie. The girls thoroughly enjoy this four-day competition and make many good friends from all over New Zealand.

To raise funds for the NZSS competitions we held a Quiz Night at Crowded House which was very well attended and successful, and we thank Crowded House for their amazing support in running the quiz and supplying prizes on the night. Thanks also to the other businesses who donated prizes – your support is very much appreciated.

The girls and I are grateful for the amazing support of Karen Gillum-Green in organizing our travel and accommodation, obtaining funding, supplying her private vehicle for transport, and for being 100% involved in all aspects of the tournament. Thank you so much Karen, we do appreciate all you do.

Badminton is becoming increasingly popular at NPGHS over the years, and we welcome new players at any time. With dedication and training anyone can rise to the top of this very enjoyable game.

Doreen Miller, Badminton Manager

SAILING



2019 has been a pretty awesome year! We have welcomed many talented new girls into the team. This season we were lucky enough to have Hilary Hohaia join our team to coach us. Not only is Hilary a sailing guru, she's also an ex-student of NPGHS, so we're really lucky to have her. Throughout the year, with the help of Hilary, we have focused on training and learning the basics of teams sailing, in the hope we will be able to attend many different regattas next year.

Earlier this year, a New Plymouth Teams Sailing regatta was held that we attended. It involved competing against other schools from around New Plymouth. Our team managed to take out first place, which is an amazing achievement – especially since the majority of the girls had never competed in a regatta before. I'm so proud of this team and what we've accomplished in such a short time. I'm looking forward to us having another fun and successful season!

Amber Curtis, Year 12



HILLARY OUTDOORS LEADERSHIP CAMP

Hillary Outdoors Leadership Camp is a week-long course that aims to build confidence and challenge students to push themselves out of their comfort zone. This is done through team building activities in the beautiful Tongariro National Park.

On our trip, one of the activities we did was skiing. This gave us more confidence with ourselves, and the new experience built up our resilience and our ability to keep pushing our limits. It was such a fun day and taught us many lifelong skills.

Other activities included abseiling and caving. They taught us the importance of communication and creating trust in high pressure situations. Navigating our own way

through the cave and learning how to tie very complex knots tested our patience however by the end of the week we understood that by working together would create the most desirable outcome.

The main challenge of the course was our expedition. We tramped off track up a steep ridgeline towards the top of Mount Tongariro. The adventure of carrying our own supplies and navigating our own path with a map taught us valuable practical skills that would help with any outdoor activity we would wish to do in the future. The difficult incline up to the North Crater and sleeping one cold, hard snow pushed our mental and physical limits. We learnt to work as a team and cater to everyone's strengths making it a truly memorable experience that we'll never forget.

Overall the camp opened many doors. We discovered new things about ourselves and formed long lasting friendships. It was truly an inspiring and life-changing experience.



HILLARY CHALLENGE

On the 29th of April, the New Plymouth Girls' and Boy's High School Hillary team of Ella Wood, Georgia Bricknall, Jody Rawlinson, Melanie Bishop, Brayden Sharp, Heath Parks, Zac Drinkwater and Lachie White began the 2018 Torpedo 7 Hillary Challenge Final held in Tongariro.

Known as the toughest secondary school event in New Zealand, Hillary Challenge is a 5-day event consisting of the top 12 teams from all around the country. We trained as a larger squad over the summer that took us to epic parts of New Zealand through races and expedition trainings in our build up, before the final 8 were chosen just weeks before the event. After months of training we arrived at Tongariro nervous and excited to get going.

Days 1 and 2 saw teams rotating through 12 challenges, each an hour long. These included things such as orienteering on Kayaks, building shelters, and heaving a 50-kg block of concrete around, under and above an obstacle course. We felt we'd had a mixed day 1 and 2 with some activities done well and others not so great, so we were nervous to discover that, our main competitors, Whangarei, had had a fantastic first few days and were leading us by a massive 182-point margin. It was a grind to even think of closing that gap.

Days 3 and 4 consisted of a two-day Rogaine, where teams collect as many checkpoints as possible from the 72 on the map given, travelling by foot with large packs and gear to camp out that night. This year the terrain took us, for the first time in event history, around the land by the centre itself as well as up around the peaks of Ruapehu. We pushed super hard for these two days knowing we had to get an edge over Whangarei. Heath and Lachie's excellent route choice meant we had an ambitious but achievable route to complete. Stunning weather made it even more epic. Crossing the finish line of the Rogaine exhausted after 16.5 hours of pack running we'd covered more ground than any other team. Relieved to take our packs off and hug supporters and family, we began to prepare for the last



day, the multi-sport race.

This was a non-stop 50km multisport race of rafting, bush running and mountain biking through rain and mud.

Though the construction of our raft was sub-par, leaving us 8 minutes behind Whangarei after the first leg, in 6th place. The cheering of our supporters and grit helped us to push to the end, gaining minutes each leg, finishing in first place, coming in 11 minutes ahead of second place, Whangarei. Had we done enough to come out on top?

At prize giving we discovered we had, beating Whangarei by just 31 points when third place - Waimea College, was a further 329 points behind, bringing NPB/GHS to a total of 11 wins over the 18 years. We had left everything out there and were stoked to have pulled it off after all our hard work.



Back Row: Zac Drinkwater, Heath Parkes, Lachie White
Front Row: Georgia Bricknall, Jody Rawlinson, Melanie Bishop, Isabella Wood

The Hillary Challenge will truly be an event none of us will ever forget. Hillary changed what our perception of hard was and taught us who we wanted to be as people.

We'd like to say a massive thank you to our amazing coach Mr Hewlett, who inspired us all and has been such an enthusiastic, organised and 'pun legend' of a coach, making Hillary a journey we'll never forget. Special thanks to all the other year 12 and 13s who were part of the squad in the build up to Hillary, especially Emma Carver and Jack Mitchel, together we all shared some awesome adventures and moments together! Thanks also to all the parents, teachers and supporters who helped us no matter the weather or state we were in! Finally, a huge thanks to all the following sponsors who made it possible, we couldn't have done it without you.

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Melanie Bishop, Year 12



GET-2-GO

On the last week of term four in 2018, a team consisting of Mercy Jones, Becky Moles, Julia Padrutt, Taylor Mitchell, Robbie White, Scott McDonald, Lachlan Moles and Ben Kemsley from NPGHS/ NPBHS left to compete at the National Get-2-Go Adventure Racing championship on Great Barrier Island. This is a six-day event that involves Orienteering/Rogaining, kayaking, problem-solving, climbing/high ropes and running. After months of training and fundraising, we left for Auckland on Saturday and had a fun night relaxing on the beachfront before an early start the next morning. On Sunday, we headed over to Great Barrier Island on the ferry with 11 other teams, and saw dolphins on the way, then settled into the Hillary Outdoors Pursuit Centre at Orama before completing a multisport race that afternoon. During this, we ran up and around the nearby hills holding a rope, before kayaking out to an Island in Karaka bay on a raft we had built. For the next two days, we did initiatives, which are hour-long problem-solving challenges that tested our ability to work together as a team. These included paddle boarding, high ropes, kayaking, Rogaining and other fun activities, and some were all-in challenges where we versed all the other teams at once, while others were against just 1 other team.

Wednesday and Thursday were expedition days, which involved 6-8 hours of running/ trekking over the island and some activities on the water. On Wednesday, we began with a kayak to Port Fitzroy on a raft we had made from a double sea kayak, two sat on top kayaks, bamboo and lashes. Then came a long trek over Mt Hobson with some awesome views, before another kayak and a short run

to the finish. After sleeping in tents at Okiwi school with the other teams, the second day of expedition began with a small Rogaine on nearby farmland and then we were straight into a large Rogaine around the Port Fitzroy/Orama area. During this Rogaine, we got to see some beautiful views, ran out of water for the last two hours, and completed mini water activities along the way. That evening, we performed a skit which featured Becky singing the Ricky Baker song. Friday was our final day on the island but before it was time to leave, we did a quick activity running around Orama where everyone completed a task, such as

"SWIMMING AROUND A BUOY, CARRYING A TYRE UP A HILL OR BALANCING ON ONE LEG WITH YOUR EYES CLOSED".

At prizegiving later that day, we were stoked to find out that we had come third behind Waimea and Whangarei, especially considering that one of our team members had an injury and couldn't compete on Thursday, which had cost us a few points. Our team member Mercy Jones was also named in the NZ junior Adventure racing 'Dream Team' for 2018, which is an awesome achievement.

On our ride home on the ferry we saw whales and more dolphins and then said goodbye to everyone and it was time to enjoy the summer holidays! From yellow relish sandwiches, dingle biscuits and Ben's truffles to chaffing, kitchen duties



and dominos, Get 2 Go 2018 was an awesome experience that taught us a lot about ourselves and the importance of teamwork and friendship. We would like to say a massive thank you to Jackie and Claire for supporting us throughout the week and all the family and friends who helped us get there, as well as Hillary Outdoors for hosting the event.

Taylor Mitchell, Year 11



Get-2-Go 2019 turned out very successful for NPGHS. This event was held out at Lake Rotomanu and is open to all Year 9 & 10 students. The weather managed to hold off for us and we had an amazing turnout, with 19 teams registered from Taranaki and Whanganui schools. We had quite a few teams compete from NPGHS and NPBHS and one of our mixed teams that consists of Annie Larsen, Caeley Hattle, Sophie Riddick, Hannah Tipene and Charlie Bridges, Ryan Jury, Nicholas Dunnet, Ed Shearer managed to pull through with first place! They will be going to the national event at Great Barrier island in December. It was so amazing to see so many students getting out and involved, even for a couple of laughs. In this race there were 4 different rotations... Orienteering, kayaking, problem solving, and mountain biking. For each rotation we had an hour to complete it. The team with the most points by the end of the day wins. It was super fun to train and prepare ourselves for this race. All the girls that competed can be extremely proud of themselves. It's an experience I'll never forget.

Hannah Tipene, Year 10



GET 2 GO | Back Row: Lily Stoddart, Ellie Dinnison, Grace Foreman, Amelia Wright, Kiara Flutey, Caeley Hattle, Ella-Maire Treacy-Wolnik
2nd Row: Laura Curtis, Sian Dimond, Sara Daher, Hannah Tipene, Asha Raven, Billie Parker, Lonay Johnston, Simon Berndt (Manager)
Front Row: Ashley Kieselbach, Sophie Riddick, Renae Pratt, Holly Stoddart, Chloe Goodkind, Charlotte Sarten, Nicole Whittaker



SPRIT OF ADVENTURE



The NPGHS Toe Rags set sail on the Spirit of Adventure, voyage 780A in hopes of winning the Spirit's Year 10 Trophy Voyage on Monday the 29th on June, embarking on one of the most incredible journeys EVER. On day one although all 4 teams were ready to dig in, we had to learn the routine and some sailing techniques. We played our very first game for points towards the cup, which was the name game, where we had to remember the names of as many of the other girls on the ship as possible. We emerged victorious, adding a good few points to our score. Our first day of sailing carried us 24 miles from Princess Wharf to Tamaki Strait, where we dropped our anchor for the night.

Day two began at 6 with the first shivering morning swim, where we jumped off the side of the boat into the icy morning water, before scrambling back out and getting changed, ready

to start our morning chores. After breakfast we learned some sailing knots for a competition, and our win got us some sweet points for the leader-board. This was followed by another points-oriented challenge where we competed in deck games, trying to gain as many points as possible. After our stress-filled games, we got to jump off the very front of the bowsprit into the water below, and needless to say, the anxiety at the very tip was well worth the adrenaline rush. The Spirit carried us 20 miles on the second day, anchoring in Carey Bay.

Day three was a doozy! After a dip, our morning was a mad scramble to finish breakfast and inflate our life rafts before paddling to our first land destination; Waiheke Island. Once we'd hauled our rafts onto the sand, we set off into the wilderness that is Waiheke, stopping along the way to marvel at ancient gun pits. We then paddled back to the Spirit after

our exhausting hike, resisting the urge to leave Mr Berndt stranded on the island. Once we were back on deck, we were instructed to change into our togs, as another challenge was approaching. We huddled together in anticipation, excited to hear what we'd be doing, and to our amusement, our challenge was a little old thing called the yardie swing. We had to get as many people from the team to swing from the yardie into the water, with points being added per person. Of course, we managed to hustle the whole team into giving the stunt a shot, but this first encounter with the swing only set off a chain of events that would see it and I in a violent contest to get the better of each other. See, my expertise in this area wasn't up to par, and time after time, I would swing only to drop into a shameful full-body flop into the water below, and in the end, never managed to out-wit the thing. We finished having travelled 26 miles from Carey Bay to Onetangi bay, and our adventure was coming

scarily close to ending.

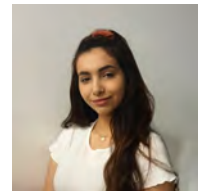
Day four started at 4 in the morning for Danni and me, sitting in the wheelhouse patrolling the seas, alert for danger, well, as alert as you can be that early. We once again jumped into the beautifully glacial morning sea, before getting set to paddle out to Motuihe Island. We paddled along and reached the island, where we had some beach games, consisting of tug-of-war among other things, ending in a sandcastle building competition. We built Mount Taranaki out of sand, making sure to include the Pouakai Ranges, Parihaka and of course, Stratford. We were challenged to a life raft race to see who could reach the boat fastest, with points being awarded. We finished the race second and got changed again for an afternoon swim, where I once again encountered the dreaded swing. I managed to fit in 6 swings (give or take) in the time we had, once again managing to look like an idiot every single time. We finished

our day 10 miles out of Onetangi Bay at Motuihe Island.

Day five, our last day aboard the Spirit began with the coldest morning swim yet, before changing and getting into our first of many challenges that day. Once we'd completed these, we were able to chill and have a splash around before packing up our gear, ready to head home. Once we'd packed up the boat, we headed onto the deck for one last challenge, the flag ceremony and chant. We had spent a considerable amount of time creating a flag for the NPGHS Toe Rags and hoisted her up alongside the NZ flag, before hearing the scores. We finished the journey in a close second, and although the whole trip was based around the trophy, I realised that during the whole five days, winning the trophy wasn't even a worry that had crossed my mind.

Sarah Daher, Year 10

YEAR 13 QUOTES



Jojo Abuharbid
ight imma head out



Georgia Ackroyd
Wasn't worth the move



Destinee Hill
I came for the cafe butter chicken wraps



Kate Atkinson
It's hock o'clock



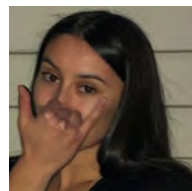
Samantha Baker
I think I talk a lot. Do I talk a lot? I think I talk a lot.



Jess Wingate
I took a sheet of formula into the Measurement test and no one ever noticed



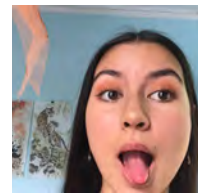
Breanna Camden
When something goes wrong in your life, just yell "PLOT TWIST!" and move on



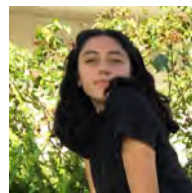
Jocasta Demetriou
Yeah I'm still the same size from year nine, but I can charf more than all of yous



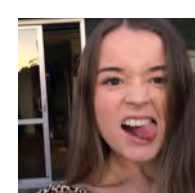
Caitlyn Moeller
Don't let Ciara's dad take you to Domino's



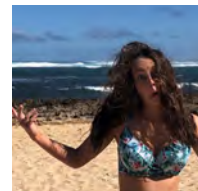
Kim De Vantier
Australians pronounce "No" as "Naeoughue". Am I one of them? You'll never knaeoughue.



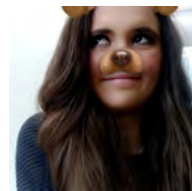
Eva Fleming-Gordon
Nah, not feeling it



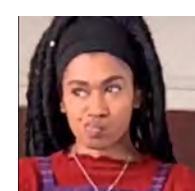
Ciara Parkes
Imagine going to school for 13years and still getting called Sierra



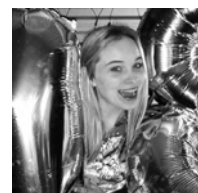
Hannah Fisher
what's for dinner



Nathika Gouws
You may tell a tale that takes up residence in someone's soul, becomes their blood and self and purpose.



Letisha Pukaikia
I don't even like any of y'all but whatever bye racism



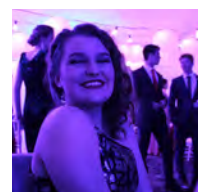
Jordyn Gifford
"Well, I'm not usually one for speeches. SO, GOODBYE."



Sophie Grigg
Hold on, let me put my glasses on



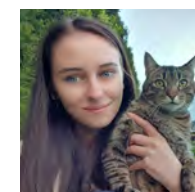
Isabelle Roberts
10/10 would not recommend NCEA



Ellie Grieve
"So wait, an actor is saying his lines and out of nowhere he just starts singing?" "...yes"



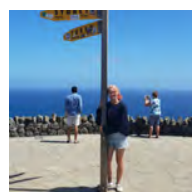
Emma Hahn
If it can make you happy then it's something important



Olivia Van Burgsteden
Olivia & Olly. 2019. Oil on canvas



Ellie Hall
Do one for me, I'm not at school

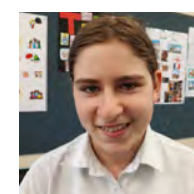


Cassie Heather
When life gives you lemons just throw them at people :)

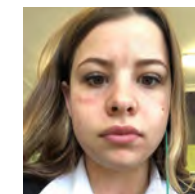


Lyana Wilson
My snap score may be over 1 million but thats less than the amount of breakdowns I've had this year

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Tianna Murfitt
shoot for the moon hippopotamus pants



Martina Bevan
I've had more stress rashes during Year 13 than my whole life



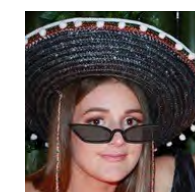
Ashleigh Bunning
The Office, season 7, episode 19, --minute 14:45



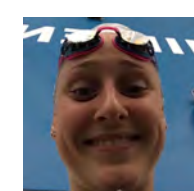
Liana Mischewski
If I spent as much time doing school work as I did crying, I'd be dux



Emma Carver
The only thing smaller than my potential are my fingernails.



Maddie Clayton-Smith
Some people say I look like Kaitlyn ... but I don't see it



Lucy North
I'm able to swim for 2 hours, 8 times a week..... yet I was drowning in school work for 5 years straight.



Dunja Colic
noun [Donê-yah]



Anna Coomber
The roof is not my son but I will raise it



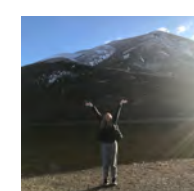
Alex Paterson
Sorry I missed another class sir, I had to take my restricted again



Skyler Ellington
Do crabs think fish are swimming



Nadya Donaldson
No, I'm not 13.



Bronwyn Riddle
You think your life is hard? try being a 6'3 year 13 wearing size 13 nikes... MEN'S size 13 nikes



Keana Fox
Who cares if school doesn't teach us how to raise a family or get a job. At least I can find the area of a triangle!



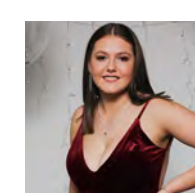
Sarah Lewis
It's ok if you fall apart sometimes. Tacos fall apart and we still love them.



Bec Simpson
I get called Bec about 50% of the time...



Jemma Garcia
I'm not actually funny, I'm just really mean and people think I'm joking



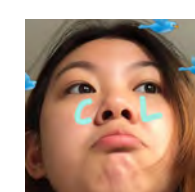
Kyra Jensen
there's 104 days of summer vacation and school won't come along to end it



Ngakura Toopi
Do the mahi or back to square tahi



Amelia Hutton
Graduated, but still on my learners



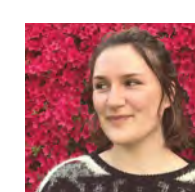
Joe Yie Lai
aight imma head out of high school



Isla Vink
Itsssss Allriiiiight

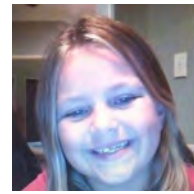


Claudia Kelly
Year nine me would be extremely disappointed with how this all turned out.



Tamrin Schoultz
I don't always have time to study but when I do I still don't.

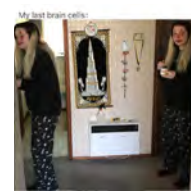
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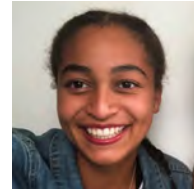
Kate Lines
hey, I made it



Jessica Li
All this forehead and I still can't remember anything



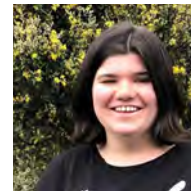
Natasha Stadnik
(doing everything wrong) Like that?
-Dionysus, The Frogs by Aristophanes



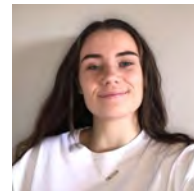
Oceane Mbou
As Kylie Jenner once said: riSe aNd shINe...



Jacinda McCallum
13•Naki
•Beach•East End•Friends
• Getting my daily dose of vitamin sea
• sc ~cindamastin•



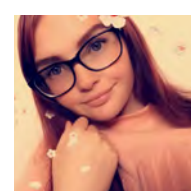
Lisa Syme
The good thing about being a pessimist is that I'm either always right or pleasantly surprised.



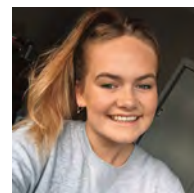
Alanah McLeod
Yes, I know my sister and I look alike



Hannah Merrey
It's okay if you don't like me, not everyone has good taste.



Paycha Tylee
You may get through high school without getting in trouble about your skirt or you might be me and get totally in trouble but let me tell you no matter what it will be okay in the end



Kaylee Montgomery
can someone please write a quote for me, I'm not at school today



Rhiannon Moon
I experienced my mid-life crisis 30 years too early



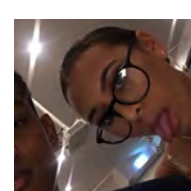
Chloe Williams
when people say only white people come from south africa



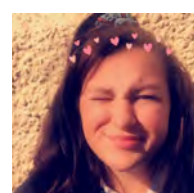
Jaymee Mora
"I'm Beyoncé, always." - Michael Scott



Talitah Pusal
Well, it's been fun.



Wai Armstrong
Spent 5 years in this place and still couldn't graduate



Courtney Neil
If she's amazing, she won't be easy. If she's easy, she won't be amazing. If she's worth it, you won't give up. If you give up, you're not worthy. ... Truth is, everybody is going to hurt you; you just gotta find the ones worth suffering for



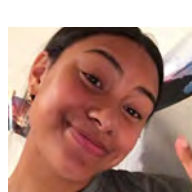
Tessa Rothwell
Happiness is the best makeup



Chloe Barker
I'd like to thank the school for teaching me that China is not in Africa



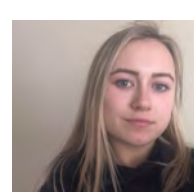
Jody Rawlinson
The only compliments worth receiving are from 40 year old men on Omegle



Asi Havea
My only regret is not taking a swing at some people when I should've. Also: I confess, I told people I'm head girl... my bad x



Nicole Bellringer
Thankyou talkers



Georgia Robertson
I would like to thank whoever invented copy and paste



Emma Sleep
"Next year's goals you ask? My last name says it all" - Emma Sleep



Hannah Brimelow
Sobbing in the shower on ex-change → Therapy

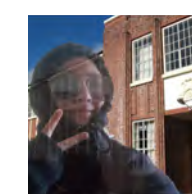
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Stella Steer
Turns out you don't have to go to class to be an honours student



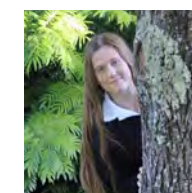
Adriana Aida Che Ismail
Prepare for trouble...



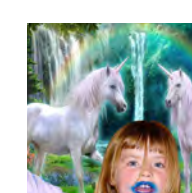
Xin Xin Chen
peace out



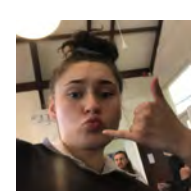
Ruby Thomas
It's okay if you don't like me, not everyone has good taste.



Angela Chubb
You have brains in your head. You have feet in your shoes. You can steer yourself in any direction you choose." —Dr. Seuss.



Abby Darke
It has been a Darke 5 years but now I'm finally free ;)



Alani Ratu
Where's my money Uncle Maaka



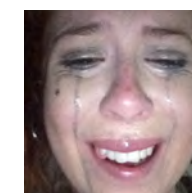
Paris Cooper
I'm the reason the cafes not in debt... you're WELCOME



Monique Demetriou
Catch me at Tegels, see you bandis never



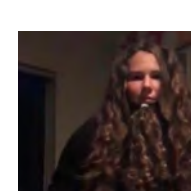
Beth Tvrdeich
13 years later and I still don't know what a noun is...



Mikaiya Devey
i didn't just go to every first XV game i went to every trial



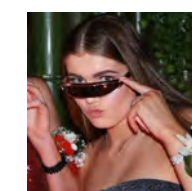
Kaea Dickson
This was pretty painful but not as painful as 13 years of school



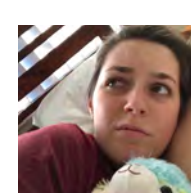
Jasmin Carr
yOu'Re a wiZaRD haRRy



Ella Wood
Yo Georgia! It's just the best time to be alive!



Kaitlyn Fitz Patrick
Some people say I look like Maddie... but I don't see it



Tahlia Barr
'No! Do not try! Do or do not, there is no try' - Yoda



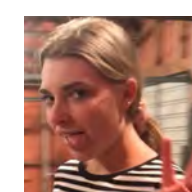
Kayla Gayton
Get an RB



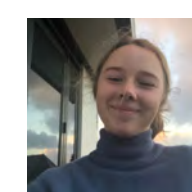
Lauren Giddy
Why go to the ball when you can go to A&E instead



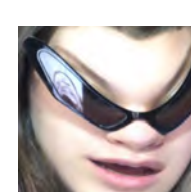
Georgia Bricknall
Yo Ella! What's the time?



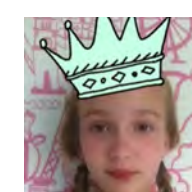
Clara Hadlow
sexc train is leaving the station



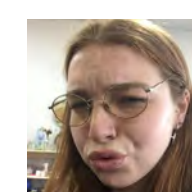
Caitlin Haylock
Melissa, stop trying to make *Anywho* happen! It's not going to happen!



Annalise Brown
i used to be jealous of Harry Potter because he could talk to snakes but it turns out I've been doing it for years



Nicole Heaysman
I can memorise an entire musical but still don't know the bell times



Emily Hyland
passed school with my last 3 brain cells

YEAR 13 QUOTES



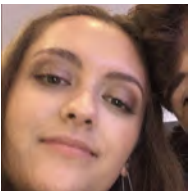
Maya Irving
NCEA isn't easy
but at least I am



Elora Manktelow
Remember you
are someone's
reason to smile.
Because you are
a joke.



Magdali Feldtmann
They say...
"Maggi's always in
the correct uniform
and always looking
UP"



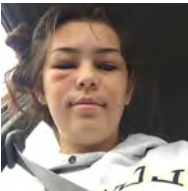
Shilah Klenner
my life is a joke



Portia Roper
If idiots could fly,
this place would
be an airport



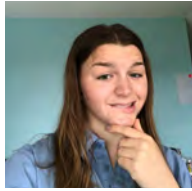
Jessica Frost
I've learnt two things
in my life, I forgot the
first thing, but the
second was that I
need to start writing
things down.



Phenix Marshall
well high school
musical is very
unrealistic



Taryn Martin
All the boys I liked
still have one more
year of school left,
don't you worry
boys I'll be waiting.



Charlie Godwin
erop der
Fachhéichschoul



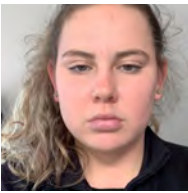
Allie McKenzie
I say "IDK" a lot
but trust me, I be
knowin



Myah McQuay
Thanks google
without you I
would not be
graduating



Olivia Grogan
Never stop trying,
never stop
believeng and
never give up



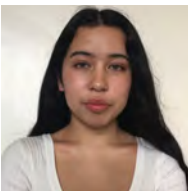
Xania Miller
My mum said she
wouldn't buy a year
book if I used this
photo.



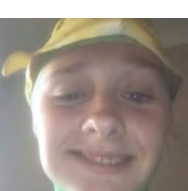
Evie Mogford
Look, if I could run
across the beach
into my own arms,
I would.



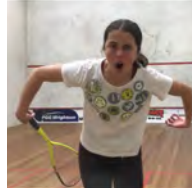
Bella Rothwell
I'm actually iron
deficit anaemic
soooo... I can't do
that without
getting dizzy



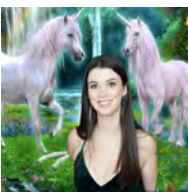
Avery Palmer
:]



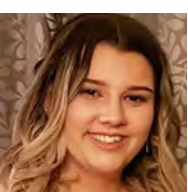
Lacey Preece
wOt arE yOU
doiNg iN mY
sWAp



Brianna See
I had to put my
grades up for
adoption because I
couldn't rise them



Ruby Tippet
2015tiprub



Shanae Wooller
If you're not doing
what you love, you're
wasting your time.
Well I guess I just
wasted a bit of my
time



Samantha Skurr
No, I am not
Jessica Jansen,
I'm Samantha



Sabine Volker
"I really need to
study" *continues
to watch Netflix*

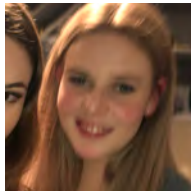


Grace Carroll
Idk what hurt
more my black
eye or struggling
through year 13



Hunter Stembridge
heard you like
bad girls...lucky
for you i'm bad at
everything x

CLASS OF 2019



Tasha Downie
Past 5 years were
a blur



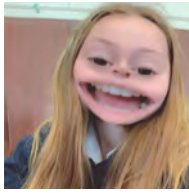
Michelle Hurring
To all the teachers
that never taught
me a thing: Stranger
Things Season 2,
Episode 5, 35.08



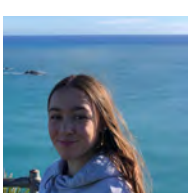
Brylee Jenkins
"Is mayonnaise an
instrument?!"



Hui Ling Fong
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Katherine Hoyle
Tomorrows not the
due date so today's
not the do date



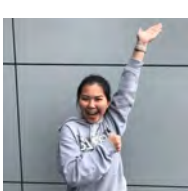
Jess Kingi
No the weather is
not different down
here



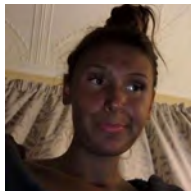
Lilah Gilgenberg



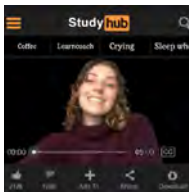
Jessica Jansen
No, I am not
Samantha Skurr,
I'm Jess



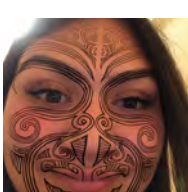
Kelly Lorth
... and make it
double!
Melissa Loveridge
Anywho



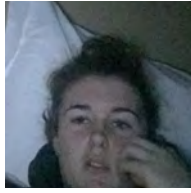
Rebecca Grant
I never did any
homework, I was
too busy tanning



Emma Johns
Nooo don't give me
a not achieved I'm
so sexy aha



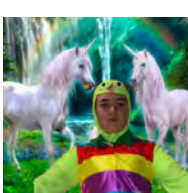
Eve Mar-Edwards
I only stayed for my
time capsule



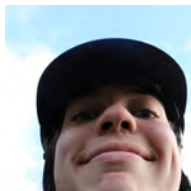
Tayla Grylls
The only thing I'm
gonna miss is the
caramel slice



Tuscany King
"What makes you
different, what makes
you stand out from
the rest. That is your
strength something
others can't take away
because it's a part of you
don't treat it bad, cherish
it x." -original quote by
Tus.K



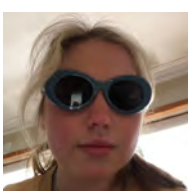
Charlie Luke
Life is a party and
I'm the piñata



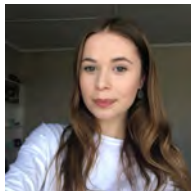
Ruby Ruakere
I got told off in year
9 for being on my
phone. I've never
been on my phone
since



Rebecca McKinstry
They only put
me in the smart
class cause I wore
glasses



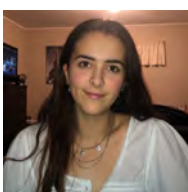
Rylee Meredith
I graduated so i'm
like smart now,
right?



Dayna Shaw
Left sorting this out
till the last minute
like everything else
these past 5 years



Chenae Phillips
I was born for
politics I have great
hair and I love lying



Aleesha Offen
great things take
time, that's why i'm
always late



Izzie Simpson
... So do I!



Chloe Ratu-Hasler
Cool, cool, cool,
cool, cool. No
doubt, no doubt, no
doubt.



Karena Amor Rosal
Day 1825: Still
waiting for puberty
to hit me :)]

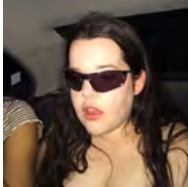
YEAR 13 QUOTES



Holly Sutherland
Holly is
H.O.T.T.O.G.O



Nikita Taiapa
I'll see you again
in court when I'm
your lawyer



Eva Wooler
can't see the haters



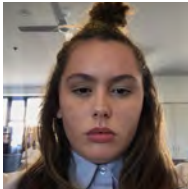
Sarah Tattersall
"cAn i tOucH yoUr
hAir?" - everyone



Moana Te Ua
High school was
soup and I was a
fork



Melissa Loveridge
Anywho



Alissa Tui
Try having your
last name after a
Beer company "Tui"

Shaylee Hodge it's been fun

Becky Farr Don't be ashamed of who you are, that's your parents job

Emma Krutz If I got a credit for every mental break down I would have passed level 3
on the first week

Olivia Eiffe My boyfriend likes bad girls, luckily I'm bad at everything

Grace Van de Velden The flat earth society has members all AROUND the globe

Alesha Williams Leaving school early, but searching for Miss Grey like...



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Pelham, Eliala Tapeaga, Tsehai Viliamu
Walton, Brooke Eliason, Charlise Graham,
Ellie Wilson-Crane

2nd Row: Michaela Clapham, Maya Norgate, Lauren Tewhata, Mataaria Rei,
Macy Brookes, McKenna Munro-Neal, Grace Brough
Front Row: Caitlin Marshall, Sophie Riddick, Nicole Avery, Caitlin Bowles, Tiana
Wright, Alaina Maltby, Payton Hooper



TSSA INDOOR BOWLS

Back Row: Taira Stirling, Natasha
Gouldsbury, Nicole Bellringer,
Jasmine White, Mackenzie Third, Des
Phillips (Coach)

Front Row: Simone Bellringer, Emma Slingsby, Jade Hassall, Jessica
Gouldsbury, Ashlee Zehnder
Absent: Ashley Borck, Chontel Burrows Skipper, Hannah Taylor, Lily Thomas



TSSA ORIENTEERING

Back Row: Rebecca Moles, Gemma Hollway,
Emma Carver, Tuscany King, Isabella Wood
2nd Row: Mercy Jones, Billie Parker, Kate
Atkinson, Rebecca Simpson, Hannah Tipene,
Jessica Frost

Front Row: Jessica Camden, Makayla Wells, Isobel Barker, Grace Foreman,
Amelia Wright, Georgia Bricknall, Renae Pratt



TSSA ROGAINE

Back Row: Asha Bhakta, Emma Carver, Jessica Frost,
Isabella Wood, Mercy Jones, Tuscany King
2nd Row: Billie Parker, Kate Atkinson, Isla Vink,
Rebecca Simpson, Hannah Tipene

Front Row: Renae Pratt, Georgia Bricknall, Breanna Camden, Grace Foreman,
Caeley Hattle, Makayla Wells



TSSA SAILING

Back Row: Isabelle Lecher, Ruby Kennedy, Laura
Francis, Elana Nicholas
Front Row: Breanna Camden, Amber Curtis, Emma
Dobbie



TSSA / NISS SNOWBOARDING SKIING

Back Row: Nani Viner, Izabel Evans
Front Row: Kiara Flutey, Llewelyn
Fellows, Ashley Kieselbach



**NETBALL
SENIOR A2** | Back Row: Selena Rawiri, Mikaiya Devey, Georgia Bunn, Paige Neilson (Coach)
Front Row: Nikeal Hapi, Lyana Wilson, Arnika Prentis



**NETBALL
INTERMEDIATE A2** | Back Row: Billie Parker, Laura Curtis, Maya Norgate
2nd Row: Angela Chubb (Coach), Jemma Brears, Jorja Donald, Georgia Ackroyd (Coach)
Front Row: Caeley Hattle, Shyla Ngapera, Asha Raven, Hannah Tipene, Jenna Mack



**NETBALL
INTERMEDIATE A3** | Back Row: McKenna Munro-Neal, Arnika Prentis, Emilie Minchin
Front Row: Zoe Wells, Dior Munro-Smith, Rian Wilson, Kadee Bunn, Leah Adams



**NETBALL
JUNIOR A2** | Back Row: Ella Wood (Coach), Eleanor Keith, Ruby Helms, Isla Vink (Coach)
Front Row: Alaina Maltby, Emily Ferreira Lima, Maia Stewart-Cranson, Jazelle Peters, Tiana Wright



**NETBALL
JUNIOR A BLUE** | Back Row: Paige Catlin-Maybury, Kate Hilliam, Ella O'Sullivan
Front Row: Aliya Edwards, Dakota Limmer, Anika Jensen



**NETBALL
JUNIOR A RED** | Back Row: Jada Barnes, Izabelle Keegan, Myah Sadler, Olivia Russell (Coach)
Front Row: Sara Jury, Jarhlia Salisbury, Lexus Bishop



**NETBALL
JUNIOR A WHITE** | Back Row: Felicity Cleaver, Emily Werder, Keisha McAlister-Bourke, Samantha Baker (Coach)
Front Row: Savannah Clement, Ruby Henwood, Violette Johnson



**BASKETBALL
SENIOR
PREMIER** | Back Row: Lauren Tewhata, Elle Williams, Angela Chubb
2nd Row: Linda Giddy (Manager), Liahna Smith, Kate Lines, Jeff Cleaver (Coach)
Front Row: Emma Gilmour, Marara Murray, Lauren Giddy, Sophia Birdsall, Myah McQuay



**BASKETBALL
10A** | Back Row: Macy Brookes, Opal Hardy-Pearce, Olivia Slack, Mataaria Rei, Maya Norgate
Front Row: Holly Lines, Charlotte Reid, Lauren Tewhata, Eliala Tapeaga, Renae Pratt



**BASKETBALL
10B** | Back Row: Dior Munro-Smith, Holly Fleming-Gordon, Meg MacDonell, Kate Lines
Front Row: Anna Kang, Amy Grey, Anna Lee-Sanderson, Devon Walker, Nikita McInnes



**BASKETBALL
9A** | Back Row: Mark Birdsall (Coach), Jorja Eldershaw, Jaide Webby, Sophie Wilkinson, Savannah Clement, Tony Eldershaw (Coach)
Front Row: Sara Jury, Lauren Abrams, Jorja Death, Pippa Birdsall, Olivia-May Kahui Hill



**BASKETBALL
9B** | Back Row: Alexandra Macesic, Matua Rihari Brown (Coach), Jarla Ansley
Front Row: Kate Brooke, Jamie Pihama-Jeffrey, Emily Ferreira Lima, Talia VEVERS, Lexus Bishop



RUGBY 1ST XI

Back Row: Arnika Prentis, Malia Broderick, Finn Lovell, Kelsyn McCook, Silovate Netani
2nd Row: Gemma Gardner-Harrison, Paige Neilson, Sammie Bean, Pearls Leota, Hope Ah Chong, Keeva Hintz, Brendan Hintz (Coach)
Front Row: Ariana Shewry, Montana Zammit, Briar Osborne, Alesha Williams, Rocki Robinson, Aingel-Lee Ruakere, Grace Carroll



RUGBY 7'S U19

Back Row: Finn Lovell, Gemma Gardner-Harrison, Malia Broderick
2nd Row: Hope Ah Chong, Keeva Hintz, Paige Neilson, Brendan Hintz (Coach)
Front Row: Rocki Robinson, Kelsyn McCook, Alesha Williams, Briar Osborne, Montana Zammit
Absent: Karen Neilson (Manager), Mark Neilson (Coach)



HOCKEY BOARDERS B

Back Row: Ashley Kieselbach, Heidi Austin, Devon Walker
2nd Row: Bianka Eggink, Sian Dimond, Ruby Helms, Charlee Smith
Front Row: Hannah Smith, Maya Petch, Kiara Flutey, Emily McLean, Jenna Mack



FOOTBALL 2ND XI

Back Row: Saskia Pelham, Jamie Pihama-Jeffrey, Brooke Eliason, Briar Jensen-Voullaire, Chloe Barker
2nd Row: Molly Ambrose, Caitlin Bowles, Emily Lord, Andrew Chubb
Front Row: Sophie Riddick, Charlotte Edwards, Tsehai Viliamu Walton, Tenisha Murfitt, Uralaliyanage Savithi Gunasinghe



RUGBY LEAGUE 1ST XIII

Back Row: Clarissa Percival, Santana Cameron, Pearls Leota, Damon Wipiti, Tielah-Jade Wipiti
Front Row: Shyla Ngapera, Jurni Timu, Hope Ah Chong, Mataaria Rei, Aingel-Lee Ruakere
Absent: Taylor Griffiths, Tapahia-Rose Ormsby-Turner, Azzariah-Jade Taiawa-McKay, Tori Tanga, Trinity Tanga, Faith Taula



HOCKEY 2ND XI

Back Row: Kushla Siemonek, Katherine Hoyle, Nikayla Legge
2nd Row: Jonas Conrad (Coach), Jessica Frost, Grace Fisher, Deb Black (Manager), Nico Zwerg (Coach)
Front Row: Magdali Feldtmann, Sumana Hurbuns, Elisha Black, Milagros Gago, Caitlin Haylock



FUTSAL SENIOR RED

Back Row: Eva Hilliam, Chloe Barker
Front Row: Samantha Harris, Molly Ambrose, Uralaliyanage Savithi Gunasinghe



FUTSAL SENIOR NAVY

Back Row: Grace Van De Velden, Tessa Barry
Front Row: Paris Liu, Amelia Simmers, Eve Barry



HOCKEY 3RD XI

Back Row: Dunja Colic, Sarah Tattersall, Alissa Tui, Emelie Nyman-King, Athol Hockey
Front Row: Jordyn Gifford, Paige Stokes, Clara Hadlow, Eliza Rockell, Charna Potroz



HOCKEY BOARDERS A

Back Row: Emma Cathie, Chloe Brown, Moana Matariki Timakata, Ella Clarke, Brylee Winter, Ruby Waho
Front Row: Tanya Haseltine, Bailee Jackson, Nikeal Hapi, Molly Lourie, Ramari Wineera



YOUNG ENTERPRISE DOGGY DAILY DELIGHTS

Back Row: Liahna Smith, Brylee Winter, Leigh Laurence
Front Row: Bailee Jackson, Emma Dowsing, Molly Lourie



YOUNG ENTERPRISE LETS GET SAUCEY

Kiera Williamson, Jordyn Bracken, Kayla Steele, Leigh Laurence



YOUNG ENTERPRISE PETIET CHA

Tanya Haseltine, Moana Matariki Timakata, Leigh Laurence



YOUNG ENTERPRISE TAKE IT - BAKE IT

Aljeah Gutang, Danielle Snowden, Leigh Laurence



CHAMBER MUSIC

Back Row: Sophie Sheaf-Morrison, Mercy Jones, Anna Lee-Sanderson, Zoe McCall
2nd Row: Eleanor Grieve, Abigail Connelly, Kim De Vantier, Katherine Sheaf-Morrison, Elyn Clayr Asia
Front Row: Clara Hadlow, Ella Simpson, Felisa Chian, Dunja Colic



CONCERT BAND

Back Row: Mercy Jones, Breeanna Drinkwater, Anna Lee-Sanderson, Clara Hadlow
2nd Row: Shanra Miles-Bryce, Ella Simpson, Rebecca Simpson, Kim De Vantier, Emma Frew
Front Row: Emma Mackie, Eleanor Grieve, Dunja Colic, Zoe McCall, Elyn Clayr Asia, Asha Bhakta



HARMONY CHOIR

Back Row: Katherine Sheaf-Morrison, Grace Newland, Megan Frank, Sophie Sheaf-Morrison
2nd Row: Ruby Kennedy, Emma Frew, Jade Ponga, Jill Zwart, Hayley Meyburg
Front Row: Tida Narciso, Elana Nicholas, Naya Dial, Nuha Hayat



JAZZ BAND

Mercy Jones, Rebecca Simpson, Eleanor Grieve, Vamika Satrasala



JUBILATE CHOIR

Back Row: Abigail Connelly, Grace Foreman, Arwyn Whaanga, Renae Pratt
3rd Row: Elana Nicholas, Naya Dial, Danielle Nieuwoudt, Asha Bhakta, Emma Mackie
2nd Row: Rebecca Duggan, Emma Frew, Jade Ponga, Jill Zwart, Aaliyah Reade, Hayley Meyburg, Sara Daher
Front Row: Chloe Pattison, Zoe McCall, Jessica Jansen, Eleanor Grieve, Jezza Vivian, Hannah Fisher, Hannah Collinson



ORCHESTRA

Back Row: Arwyn Whaanga, Zoe McCall, Emma Mackie, Gwyneth Aish, Leah Smith, Nicole Kowalewski, Emma Kehely, Elana Nicholas
3rd Row: Eve Barry, Dunja Colic, Ruby Kennedy, Mercy Jones, Breeanna Drinkwater, Hayley Meyburg, Sian Dimond, Grace Jourdain, Asha Bhakta
2nd Row: Kate Atkinson, Anna Lee-Sanderson, Emma Frew, Jade Ponga, Amber Winch, Ella Simpson, Shanra Miles-Bryce, Minh Tam Haldane, Tessa Barry, Rebecca Simpson
Front Row: Abigail Connelly, Tida Narciso, Stephanie Watson, Breanna Camden, Elyn Clayr Asia, Hannah Collinson, Kiara Flutey, Vamika Satrasala, Sophie Sheaf-Morrison



PERCUSSION GROUP

Back Row: Jessica Jansen, Emma Kehely
Front Row: Eleanor Grieve, Laura Kehely, Sabine Volker



ROCKQUEST

Back Row: Abigail Connelly, Emma Kehely, Ella Simpson, Natalia Roughton, Naya Dial
Front Row: Arwyn Whaanga, Hannah Collinson, Zoe McCall



UKULADIES

Back Row: Tanya Bagga, Abigail Connelly, Sophie Sheaf-Morrison, Akascha Harvey
3rd Row: Grace Newland, Mackenzie Third, Philantha Rabis, Katie Magnussen, Emma Kehely, Lily Bridger, Arwyn Whaanga
2nd Row: Dania El-Haddawi, Breeanna Drinkwater, Hayley Meyburg, Natalia Roughton, Ella Simpson, Jill Zwart, Sian Dimond, Ruby Kennedy
Front Row: Emma Dobbie, Mercy Jones, Hannah Collinson, Grace Jourdain, Eleanor Grieve, Lucy Brown, Eva Dunlop



KAPA HAKA

Back Row: Makayla Wells, Daysharne Ross, Jordyn Bracken, Nature-Tearoha Henry-Southey, Grace Jourdain, Sian Dimond
Front Row: Jocasta Demetriou, Sophie Sheaf-Morrison, Claudia Hamilton-Posthuma, Alix Lambert, Monique Demetriou



9AAN | Back Row: Anika Fowell, Rose Chadwick, Chloe Foote, Tiana Wright
3rd Row: Nicole Avery, Ellie Wilson-Crane, Chontel Burrows Skipper, Zoe Marriner, Hinerau Wilson-Kemp
2nd Row: Ella Drought, Michaela Clapham, Mereana Phillips, Jorja Death, Holley Robinson, Briar Jensen-Voullaire, Mrs Asra Anjum (Teacher)
Front Row: Chloe Bland, Hannah Taylor, Briarna Adams-Cowan, Grace Bailey, Sienna Priest, Hannah McAvoy, Alisha Cheav
Absent: Lauren Abrams, Maia Stewart-Cranson, Tessa Wallace, Amelia Watemburg Young



9AWH | Back Row: Tara-Niamh O'Keefe, Morgan Copland, Ahungarangi Goff, Aisya Irwan Nizam, Corrina Atkinson, Tania Peng
3rd Row: Jasmine James, Xanthe Hawksley, Chloe Crofskey, Kate Brooke, Havana Verstraten-Parekura, Ella O'Sullivan, Leah Fagan
2nd Row: Michaela Deegan, Sophie Bowling, Hazel Hart, Jaide Webby, Libby Clegg, Eva Dunlop, Mrs Angela Whitehead (Teacher)
Front Row: Julia Put, Leah McFarlane, Jacinda Shimmin, Sarah Taing, Bethany McKibbin, Jahnae Graham, Jade Bunn
Absent: Madison Katene



9BWR | Back Row: Trinity Collins, Jade Magee, Aaliyah Quintus, Nahvaya Robb, Brianna Fache, Caitlin Simmers
2nd Row: Veniana Vakadula, Phoebe Cumming, Talia Vevers, Samsara Falaniko, Madelene Sorensen, Pippa Birdsall, Georgia Smith
Front Row: Charlize Strachan, Aria Eldershaw, Giana Pakau, Abby Hutton, Macey Titter, Carley Wisneski
Absent: Jade Baker, Mrs Bridget Wright (Teacher)



9AHC | Back Row: Taira Stirling, Alaya Pickering Casey, Mackenzie Third, Saskia Pelham
3rd Row: Claudia Hanscombe-Leathers, Ashlee Clemance, Emily Werder, Madison Baird, Emma Brimelow, Shaanin Harema, Jordan Landman
2nd Row: Tsehai Viliamu Walton, Eleanor Keith, Shanae Cameron, Savannah Hintz, Marissa Solomon, Georgia McKinstry-Marshall, Mr Athol Hockey (Teacher)
Front Row: Helen Lim, Jarhlia Salisbury, Becki Sharrock, Claudia Scruby, Emma Slingsby, Shianne Klenner, Kiera Johnstone
Absent: Olivia-May Kahui Hill, Serrin Kronfeld



9BMI | Back Row: Christina-Jane Collins, Imogen Paris, Rhylee Fenton, Aylah Fletcher
3rd Row: Sara Jury, Katie Kemp, Ella Wheeler, Holly Roberts, Sarah Laurenson, Violette Johnson, Jade Cox
2nd Row: Kate Hilliam, Elyse Clarke, Jordan Reynolds, Keisha Old, Laura Sarten, Caja Hancock, Ms Bronya Mischefski (Teacher)
Front Row: Caitlin Marshall, Jazmyn Hoyte, Pama Tipene, Sophie Jarman, Payton Hooper, Janaye Sullivan, Trixie Thomas
Absent: Kayla Burns, Kymberlee Cloninger, Trelise Cook, Bree Mace



9CHD | Back Row: Eliot Webby, Mya Smith, Emily Ferreira Lima, Charlotte Edwards
3rd Row: Ashley Borck, Armani Kira-Robinson, Samantha Frowde, Shana Houppapa, Millie Wilson, Dakota Limmer
2nd Row: Rylee Bunn, Felicity Cleaver, Jamie Pihama-Jeffrey, Lei Lani Keoghan, Izabelle Keegan, Sarah Hwang, Mrs Claire Hodson (Teacher)
Front Row: Grier Gibson, Saelym Nunn, Holly Dixon, Greer Cochran, Kara Baker, Shayla Mehrstens-Terrill, Iza Todd
Absent: Kaelee Johnston, Alexandra Macesic, Jaimee Osborne



9GRO | Back Row: Kaylee Hunger, Jai Handley-Fisher, Sarah Hyland, Mesha Legge
3rd Row: Ella Atkinson, Aliya Edwards, Sophie Bovett, Minkyung Kwon, Ashlee Ellis, Devon Rapira, Pearl Lauderdale-Smith
2nd Row: Bayer Newman, Jazelle Peters, Renee Donovan, Jurni Timu, Molly Gichard, Danielle Nieuwoudt, Helaina Taal, Skylar McFetridge
Front Row: Tea Kemp, Alla Berge, Jenna Prideaux, Anika Jensen, Maya Shlosberg, Caro Olliver, Lyrelle Leishman
Absent: Bailee Leppien, Charli Moss



9JSA | Back Row: Kiera Bailey, Makayla Wells, Bree Wills-Stachurski, Savannah Clement, Milla Albon, Ruby Henwood
3rd Row: Jahla Stonnell, Casey Mathias, Jarla Ansley, Avahlon Te Tau, Ruby Hooper, Emma Hatch, Millie Denson
2nd Row: Sharna Ngapera, Katie Kirkpatrick, Sophie Wilkinson, Riley Dallas, Sarah Gibbs, Katie Stevenson, Mr Jeffrey Sanders (Teacher)
Front Row: Robyn Thorpe, Anastasya Little, Lexus Bishop, Renee Campbell-Walker, Ella Bolger, Cailin Ward, Tori Kaye
Absent: Ava Johnson



9SJA | Back Row: Hannah Smith, Tsz Yi Wang, Kayshan King, Fengyi Song
3rd Row: Abby Parker, Tess Randle, Katrina Stead, Megan Frank, Maia Tuuta-De-Thierry, Ella Collins
2nd Row: Lucy Leach, Sage Piebenga, Alexandra Innes, Amanda Haire, Leah Te Huia-Warren, Victoria Midgley, Ms Sally Ann James (Teacher)
Front Row: Alodie Pickering-Bruce, Emma Alcock, Macy Lobb, Alaina Matlby, Antonia Jury-Wilson, Ashlyn Partridge, Shania Thomas
Absent: Amani Colgan, Vadaesha Laurie



9HMU | Back Row: Yi Qian Song, Alana Juffermans, Leticia Hadlow, Rebecca Jones
3rd Row: Ella Wade, Jorja Eldershaw, Anna Flynn, Laura Francis, Leah Smith, Drew Hoskin, Mahrukh Baig
2nd Row: Ella Hall, Ruby Helms, Rowan Emans, Madinina Nordin, Amy Lockett, Bella Thornhill, Miss Helen Mumby (Teacher)
Front Row: Freya Coates, Katherine Sheaf-Morrison, Lily Thomas, Rebecca Thomson, Amber Rennie, Paige Catlin-Maybury, Leila Annane
Absent: Nicole Kowalewski, Charlotte Moffat, Madison Strachan



9KCN | Back Row: Brooke Jorgensen, Lucy Brown, Felisa Chian, Sophie Sheaf-Morrison, Isabella Hopkinson
3rd Row: Jada Barnes, Yara Daher, Lenora Sagen, Mandrie Du Preez, Lily Bridger, Maya Petch, Emily McLean, Maia Sulzberger
2nd Row: Ruby Hales, Myah Sadler, Emilia Brown, Jill Zwart, Ellie Barnes, Ruby Kennedy, Mya Mitchell, Ms Karen Conybeer (Teacher)
Front Row: Jodi Carver, Isla Smale, Akascha Harvey, Me'a Singh, Victoria Payne, Tia Hawkins, Supapit Buranajaroenkit, Malaika Saeed



10ACH | Back Row: Clare Andersen, Madelin Kindler, Dayna Deacon, Angelina Atkins
3rd Row: Kaylin Partridge, Zoe Burkitt, Dior Munro-Smith, Kacy Meijer, Estelle Johnston, Charlise Graham, Emmalee McLaren
2nd Row: Marissa Pryce, Caitlyn Sewell-Monod De Froideville, Macy Brookes, Opal Hardy-Pearce, Holly Fleming-Gordon, Kaea Lawson-Phillips, Mr Andrew Chubb (Teacher)
Front Row: Shannon Atkinson, Alice Westbury, Isabella Willson, Jenna Mack, Zoe Wells, Amy Grey, Sophie Riddick
Absent: Olivia Bevege, Jenny Moataamilo, Azzalea Wetini



10EBR | Back Row: Milla George, Ainsley Siemonek, Lily Fonoti, Aleisha Harkness
3rd Row: Sriena Olsen, Natasha Gouldsbury, Sarah Hawkes, Mykiah Sawtell, Zola Thomas, Shyla Ngapera, Holly Lines
2nd Row: Heidi Austin, Tracey Priest, Lauren Tewhata, Caitlin Bowles, Neve Cudby, Jemma Brears, Mr Eddie Brown (Teacher)
Front Row: Ashley Kieselbach, Mizuki Inaba, Jesse Gibbons, Rhiarn Roper, Jodie Cave, Jana Heise Elvy, Joey Shen
Absent: Grace Brough, Melina Collett, Delaney Groenewald, Tiaho Harkness, Brooke O'Halloran, Namisha Singh



10GMC | Back Row: Jennifer Joe, Stephanie Watson, Caeley Hattle, Jenny Zhou, Chloe Goodkind, Amy Parr
3rd Row: Harmony Morris, Emma Mackie, Ella Coates, Sara Daher, Jessica Tait, Gemma Hollway, Lily Stoddart
2nd Row: Kiara Flutey, Annie Larsen, Vanessa Liston, Alison McCabe, Lonay Johnston, Finn Lovell, Mrs Gillian McNeil (Teacher)
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Absent: Isabelle Lecher, Emilie Minchin



10LLA | Back Row: Jessica Gouldsbury, Rian Wilson, Briar Osborne, Kailani Paraha
3rd Row: Jenna Henderson, Jasmine White, Kyann Budgen, Chontae Campbell-Walker, Tayla Churchill
2nd Row: Ashlee Humphries, Katelyn Hughes, Laura Curtis, Santana Cameron, Danni Poulsen-Cook, Eden Hill, Miss Leigh Laurence (Teacher)
Front Row: Katelyn Birchall, Malissa Xu, Ella Hickford, Manami Takagi, Jade Hassall, Shanelle Candy, Jessica Harper
Absent: Miah Burgess, Renee McKinnon



10EDO | Back Row: Grace Murrell, Hayley Manu, Charna Potroz, Mya Primrose
3rd Row: Olivia Jones, Ally Fox, Asja Fairbrother, Aroha Stirling, Ella Mora, Lucy McCallum
2nd Row: Lily Hoffman, Charlotte Reid, Elyse Ardern, Caitlyn Thompson, Poppy Downs-Holden, Josie Pepperell, Miss Emma Doherty (Teacher)
Front Row: Nikita McInnes, Brooke Hoskins-Lefevre, Alyssa Edmonds, Jasmine Velvin, Kenzie Wilson, Samantha Reade, Erryn Feehan
Absent: Emma-Jane Anderson, Lily Hanover, Caroline Osten, Hannah Stevens



10GTO | Back Row: Yumin Woo, Isabella Armes, Latalia Ridland-Enoka, Tapahia-Rose Ormsby-Turner
3rd Row: Haim Jeong, Jorja Donald, Polly Wetere, Liv Reid, Harmony Te Waaka
2nd Row: Asha Raven, Natalie Foss, MacKenzie Kane, Olivia Slack, Baylee Newton, Meg MacDonell, Mrs Gemma Towler (Teacher)
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Absent: Anna Lee-Sanderson, Shakania Pahau-Fenton, Gazalah Sadiq, La-Rischa Vermeulen



10MBE | Back Row: Aalyah Crofskey, Jemma Leece, Rebecca Wingate, Shikera Lucas, Akeisha Hinz, Emma Lehdorf
3rd Row: Tlisa Galley, Abigail Lelean, Kadee Bunn, Kayla Frechtling, Jessica Wells, Kelsy Smith, Tori Tanga
2nd Row: Summer Wells, Sophie Boag, Una Jo Garner, Mataaria Rei, Maya Norgate, Brooke Eliason, Mrs Megan Bendikson (Teacher)
Front Row: Mcaellar Shaw, Tessa Georgeson, Ashlee Zehnder, Maia Belchamber, Ami Suzuki, Emma Plumtree, Neika Thomson
Absent: Jemma Prangley



10MPU | Back Row: Eremita Bakiae, Grace Foreman, Becci Phillips, Kirsty Simpson, Camilla Wynter, Hinei Schafer
3rd Row: Tylarae Taituha, Kiantae Ngeru-King, Aimee Witehira, Loretta Hunt, Eliala Tapega, Jackie Callander, Risato Tamura
2nd Row: Keisha Ingley-Brown, Emily Lord, McKenna Munro-Neal, Emma North, Olivia Russell, Miu Malcolm, Brodie Abbott, Mrs Michelle Puckeridge (Teacher)
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Absent: Molly Dunbar



10WST | Back Row: Ruby Webb-Sagarin, Sukena Shah, Ellie Dinnison, Seohee Shin, Molly McCullough, Julianne Revfeim
3rd Row: Isabel Davies, Maiya Good, Isla Thomson, Stephanie Beardmore, Charlotte Marshall, Amelia Wright, Laticia West
2nd Row: Sian Dimond, Billie Parker, Elly Struthers, Hayley Meyburg, Gwyneth Aish, Amelia McLorinan
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Absent: Aitana Dingle, Angela Spurdle, Eliza Thomson



11ENO | Back Row: Nuha Hayat, Tara Newman, Maddison Greenhalgh, Faith Taula, Mya Cassidy, Sumana Hurbuns, Lauren Hoyle
2nd Row: Sophia Birdsall, Victoria Higginson, Lilly Freiri Von Eberstein, Minh Tam Haldane, Natarsha Seed, Molly Baker, Mackenzie Hansen, Mr Erik Noack (Teacher)
Front Row: Tida Narciso, Emily Brown, Layla Hoeta, Lyneer Wilson, Rocki Robinson, Olivia Cook, Samantha Lendib
Absent: Te Aomarama Abraham-Toa, Jayana Campbell, Samantha Judd, Alysha Pickering Casey, Taisha Pratt, Isabella Tauri



10NBO | Back Row: Ngatalia Whittaker, Rilee Austin, Heidi Pease, Isabelle Quay
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2nd Row: Brooke Rollo, Sophie Mugeridge, Briar Blank Harrison, Hannah Tipene, Alazae Johnson Tonga Awhikau, Rebecca Duggan, Danelle Chinembiri, Mr Nickolas Bouterrey (Teacher)
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Absent: Amber Jordan, Amber Steel, Mia White-Tuuga



11AMC | Back Row: Samantha Newton, Gabriella Collins, Aliarne Lobb, Danielle Peters, Brook Corbett
3rd Row: Brooke Hyland, Morgan Warren, Cloe Peterson, Isabelle Taylor, Olivia Johnson, Gemma Avery, Victoria Watkins, Zoe Mace
2nd Row: Sophie Conaglen, Azzariah-Jade Taiawa-McKay, Hannah Dallas, Lucy Thornhill, Sammie Bean, Tatiana Brewer, Kate Slingsby, Mrs Abigail McCrae (Teacher)
Front Row: Casey Lamb, Carli Paterson, Paris Liu, Rosario Silva, Serenity Patu, Taylor Griffiths, Priyanka Kumar, Josie Blair



11JCR | Back Row: Atawhai Reweti-Eynon, Brooke Baker, Tia Aston, Tayla Bishell, Charlotte Lamb, Pare'z Hanscombe-Stokes
3rd Row: Lucy Wheeler, Tyla Hadland, Philantha Rabis, Tenisha Murfitt, Kate Bright, Alexis Wilson, Charlee Smith
2nd Row: Ella Casey, Lauren Allsebrook, Alice Bubblitz, Scarlett Old, Lucy Cooper, Jessie Hollard, Mrs Jill Crewe (Teacher)
Front Row: Alyssa-Jewel Webby, Caitlin Sole, Emma Warren, Olivia Hadland, Paige Hayes, Danielle McLeod, Libby Iremonger
Absent: Kristina Broughton, Madee Morrow



11JLM | Back Row: Vamika Satrasala, Abby Carver, Wei Qian Ong, Isabel Sarsfield, Rebecca Moles, Hana Yim
3rd Row: Elana Nicholas, Katelyn Wooller, Vaela Mendoza, Mercy Jones, Olivia Greiner, Georgia Coomber, Shakyla Wilson
2nd Row: Emma Kehely, Julia Padruitt, Breeanna Drinkwater, Ella Simpson, Eva Dickson, Emma Liston, Holly Horo, Miss Judith Lamb [Teacher]
Front Row: Emma Dobbie, Tanya Bagga, Abigail Connelly, Nika Malek, Ava Julian, Aleisha Crook, Brianna Birchall
Absent: Lucy Atkinson, Taylor Mitchell, Grace Newland



11LFR | Back Row: Imogen Taylor, Laraib Saeed, Ishbel Black, Angel-Lee Ruakere
3rd Row: Isabella Crofskey, Aurora Sanchez-Barrell, Courtney Barnes, Aimee Tee, Bianca Eggink
2nd Row: Ella Sanger, Mikayla Bester, Lucy Elliott, Cassidy Pringle, Amber Winch, Lara Thomson, Ms Lynda Fromings [Teacher]
Front Row: Paige Stokes, Rebekah Peters, Eden Samuel, Elsie Raharuhi, Shitong Qiao, Lillie-mae Amstad, Jahnaka McIntyre
Absent: Courtney Bisset-Yandle, Tina Campbell, Anagrace Poching, Tapai Saena



11TCO | Back Row: Georgia Leeder, Jessica Camden, Nicole Laugesen, Jasmine Burgess, Rachel Cave, Jenna Yateman
3rd Row: Jasminelee Hope, Ros Dunlop, Julie Spellman, Katie Slater, Teegan Partridge, Sophie Edwards-Paul, Jorden Edmonds
2nd Row: Malia Broderick, Eva Schuetze, Thea McCurdy, Emily Pettigrew, Gemma Gardner-Harrison, Katie Magnussen, Miss Tanya Corlett [Teacher]
Front Row: Eveline Van Schalkwyk, Zoe Clough, Naya Dial, Maddisyn Innes-Gray, Juliette de la Paix, Chelsea Flay, Haileigh McLaren
Absent: Faith Howell, Riko Iimura, Nicola Mathys



11KSM | Back Row: Taylor Koboski, Tyla Rennie, Willow Johnson, Jaetaami Fraser, Charlotte Watkins, Hannah Agar, Kelsyn McCook
2nd Row: Emma Foreman, Drew Fraser, Izabel Evans, Bridget Masters, Elle Williams, Dakota Hirini, Devon Wipatene
Front Row: Arizona Boddington, Carys Luke, Tessa Coombe, Poppy Johnson, Sophie Parker, Emma Sarten, Jayde Banks
Absent: Aakasha-Lee Keepa, Ariana Shewry



11SPN | Back Row: Jorja Neumann, Stevie Grantham, Rhiannon Kyle, Alyssa Lamb
3rd Row: Emma Gilmour, Lara Ehler, Teagan Knofflock, Antonia Vaafusu, Llewelyn Fellows
2nd Row: Madeline Douds-Smith, Aria Farrant, Coralee Kirkpatrick, Cait Howard, Emma Frew, Molly Ambrose, Chloe Cole-O'Carroll, Ms Sushila Pancha [Teacher]
Front Row: Brittany Hoskin, Mikayla Alcock, Paige Croot, Basma Al Dazhani, Mia Hales, Lily D'Ath, Alannah Nicholas
Absent: Emma Goldsworthy



11WBA | Back Row: Georgia Reid, Emma Gilliver, Asha Bhakta, Abigene Martin
3rd Row: Kiara Liening, Alison Trowbridge, Shelby Plowright, Zoe Turner, Selena Rawiri, Katelyn Haire, Jayde Elemam
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Front Row: Summer Fenton, Kyla Plasmeyer, Eliza Rockell, Lily Williams, Mayo Oyachi, Isabella Roebuck, Stephanie Winstanley
Absent: Ella Rogers, Angela Thomson



12BMC | Back Row: Maya Jackson, Josie Potroz, Hannah Collinson, Jasmine Saghafifar
3rd Row: Tayla Manning, Chante De Villiers, Poppy Campbell, Amelia Simmers, Darla Stroud-Bennett, Leah Rawlinson, Elena Hadlow
2nd Row: Holly Riddick, Natalia Roughton, Sarah Marriott, Sarah Cooksley, Melanie Bishop, Alexandra Hinton, Simone Hutchinson, Mr Brett McFarlane [Teacher]
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12DYO | Back Row: Tiana McNair, Brianna Thomas, Cha-Nel Jansen van Rensburg, Olivia Robertson, Caitlin Jackson
3rd Row: Eden Kingi-Hoeta, Tegan Wijnschenk, Caitlyn Lobb, Nikita Greiner, Esme Lonsdale, Ella Fletcher, Danahe Frennet Arce, Brody Ansley
2nd Row: Hannah Beets, Lydia Buchanan Brown, Catriona Beale, Isabella Borostyan, Leandre Eksteen, Amber Reardon, Gurleen Kaur
Front Row: Molly Lourie, Carley Pryce, Moana Matariki Timakata, Stevie-Maree McKenzie, Trinity Rang, Tessa Barry, Brooklyn Frederickson, Aleka De Souza-Wooding
Absent: Brooke Arbuckle, Wikitoria Armstrong, Arnika Prentis



12LMC | Back Row: Gabriela Luengo, Paysence Blackmore, Skylar Faaseu, Darnell Tiplady
3rd Row: Alex Fraser, Tori Cox, Teara Hosking, Jadah Ashby, Lena Yokomatsu, Sophie Finn, Laura Jones
2nd Row: Laura Kehely, Emma Cathie, Adele Besseling, Becky Kowalewski, Charlotte Poles Smith, Emma McIntosh, Mrs Leah McLean [Teacher]
Front Row: Kaezia Reade, Baileigh Wright, Caitlin Coe, Caitlin McHardy, Rebekah Wilkinson, Ellamae Parkinson, Scarlett Warner
Absent: Chloe Adams, Summa Elemam, Shedrina Lahis, Kahli Mackle, Joshdyne Rafal, Heidi Sorensen



12CHE | Back Row: Evita Makiaho, Shinae Stockwell, Tanya Haseltine, Maria Phillips-Nassif, Ruby Mirk, Rosie Nakuta, Kendall Golding
3rd Row: Maia Brunning, Bethany Hofstee, Kaelyn Giddy, Mackenzie Smith, Aaliyah Reade, Racheal Daley, Holly Airey-Madriz, Zoe McCall
2nd Row: Elisha Black, Kayla Steele, Faith Schimanski-Hunt, Genevieve Rookes, Ella Stuart, Zoe Coleman, Danielle Snowden, Mrs Chevonne Hendrickse [Teacher]
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12KGR | Back Row: Elyn Clayr Asia, Bailee Jackson, Isabella Hibell, Rubab Shah
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Absent: Shinaye Atkinson, Skye Durdle, Sarah Mulder, Paige Neilson, Bailey Sarten, Ane Taula, Tui Vinsen



12SHA | Back Row: Izzy Caldwell, Tegan Richards, Shyne Primrose, Yvonne Smith, Stella Ryan
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2nd Row: Maddison Gibbs, Preeya Lundy, Holly Kemsley, Brylee Winter, Penelope Sharrock-Maifea, Kate Fernando, Clare Pepperell, Dania El-Haddawi, Mrs Sandra Hawkins [Teacher]
Front Row: Amy Mitchell, Hirono Abe, Tyler Wiseman, Samantha Liggett-Bowring, Abby Holland, Nikayla Legge, Nicole Clarkson, Amber Curtis
Absent: Melanie Blanchard, Sian Gordon, Kiana Johnson



12YWI | Back Row: Shakira Murfitt, Georgia Rowland, Sophie Knapp, Samantha Harris
3rd Row: Kiera Williamson, Georgia Bunn, Jade Parsons, Kimberley Lembach, Iasha Hitchens, Ailis Lay, Ruby Waho
2nd Row: Taylah Sharp, Teriana Chadwick, Shanra Miles-Bryce, Geneth Washer, Julia Swanepoel, Jordyn Bracken, Ms Yomi Williams (Teacher)
Front Row: Savarna Radcliffe, Sophia Taylor, Ella Smith, Pearls Leota, Olivia Ryder, Mridula Bansal, Arisa Odagiri
Absent: Sophie Clegg, Alex Edwell, Hunter Elliott, Aljeah Gutang, Anna Hutterd, Kendall Kumm, Michelle Moataamilo, Silovate Netani



13BDI | Back Row: Talitah Pusal, Hannah Merrey, Kaylee Montgomery, Tamrin Schoultz, Tianna Murfitt, Ashleigh Bunning
3rd Row: Grace Van De Velden, Jaymee Mora, Karina Te Rangihaeata, Trinity Bridgeman, Meadow Stevenson, Brearna Herbert, Sarah Lewis
2nd Row: Ruby Thomas, Sereseini Boi, Kate Lines, Alesha Williams, Skyler Ellington, Jayla Berge, Mr Brendan Dickson (Teacher)
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Absent: Mikayla Mathys



13DLO | Back Row: Kirsten Tarrant, Aaliyah Anderson, Chloe Barker, Phenix Marshall-Brown, Olivia Eiffe, Shilah Klenner
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Absent: Jorjah Commerford, Dana Phelan, Mrs Dale Lofton-Brook (Teacher)



13ABN | Back Row: Karena Amor Rosal, Melissa Loveridge, Shaylee Hodge, Lisa Syme, Maya Irving-Mann, Clara Hadlow
3rd Row: Xin Xin Chen, Natasha Stadnik, Olivia Van Burgsteden, Jessica Frost, Jody Rawlinson, Chihan Zhang, Dunja Colic
2nd Row: Tahlia Barr, Kim De Vantier, Stella Steer, Isabel Simpson, Claudia Kelly, Rebecca Simpson, Lilah Gilgenberg, Mr Andrew Bone (Teacher)
Front Row: Adriana Che Ismail, Breanna Camden, Hannah Fisher, Kate Atkinson, Chun Li, Olivia Burns, Nadya Putri
Absent: Hannah Brimelow, Willow Smith



13BMA | Back Row: Ghuzlan Abuharbid, Josephine Burling, Lucy North, Eva Gordon, Grace Vevers, Olivia McGlone
2nd Row: Samantha Baker, Alex Paterson, Bronwyn Riddle, Isla Vink, Shana Corkill, Mr Barry Marnoch (Teacher)
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Absent: Georgia Ackroyd, Romy Bound, Keely Burnell, Michelle Dames, Hannah Fisher, Ellie Hall, Farima Momeni, Ciara Parkes, Monique Wigg



13EMT | Back Row: Olivia Grogan, Tessa Rothwell, Sophia Mogford, Emma Johns
3rd Row: Anna Coomber, Jemma Garcia, Nicole Heaysman, Moana Te Ua, Rebecca Farr, Bella Rothwell, Emma Carver
2nd Row: Alexandra Mckenzie, Madeline Clayton-Smith, Shanae Wooller, Paris Cooper, Angela Chubb, Abigail Darke, Ruby Tippet, Mrs Eileen Mott (Teacher)
Front Row: Freya Dodunski, Keana Fox, Jacinda McCallum, Alani Ratu, Oceane Mbou, Chloe Williams, Jessica Wingate
Absent: Caitlin Haylock, Elora Manktelow, Hunter Stemberge



13EPE | Back Row: Eva Wooller, Sydney Williams, Chenae Phillips, Michelle Hurring, Tasha Downie, Katana Price
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2nd Row: Jahmaleah Cooper, Ruby Ruakere, Charlotte Godwin, Macy Kisby-Way, Alissa Tui, Tuscan King, Ms Eugenie Petrove (Teacher)
Front Row: Hui Ling Fong, Chassis Newton, Tayla Grylls, Kushla Siemonek, Chloe Ratu-Hasler, Jessica Kingi, Grace Carroll
Absent: Grace Jackson-Cadavid, Laynie Jurd



13VFO | Back Row: Asha Simpson, Cassie Heather, Letisha Pukaikia, Nathika Faulds, Emma Krutz, Man-Yun Wu, Rhiannon Moon
2nd Row: Sophie Grigg, Amelia Hutton, Caitlyn Moeller, Lyana Wilson, Ngakura Ngatai Toopi, Madsen Bollond, Michelle Stokes, Miss Victoria Forbes (Teacher)
Front Row: Simone Bellringer, Destinee Hill, Chloe Pattison, Joe Yie Lai, Isabella Sampaio Motta, Eleanor Grieve, Kyra Jensen
Absent: Tayla Crawford, Courtney Neil, Rodah-Rose Rameka, Morgan Ryan, Ariari Tion, Paycha Tylee



13HHO | Back Row: Kelly Lorth, Brylee Jenkins, Kyra Ingram-Thomas, Avery Palmer
3rd Row: Elizabeth Tvrdeich, Charlie Luke, Samantha Skurr, Asipiesio Havea, Payton Buchanan-Hancock, Georgia Bricknall, Mari Harkness
2nd Row: Portia Roper, Eve Mar-Edwards, Rylee Meredith, Alexandra Ollington, Myah McQuay, Rebecca Grant, Mrs Helen Hofmans (Teacher)
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Absent: Beth Fenwick, Zavanna Moor, Shontae Newton-Ngarua, Nikita Taiapa, Elizabeth Telford, Jezza Vivian



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3rd Row: Marara Murray, Memphiss Hayward-Kingi, Daysharne Ross, Anastasia Tomuri, Keeva Hintz, Willow Rahui-Brown, Ramari Wineera
2nd Row: Natalya Ekdahl, Hope Ah Chong, Crystal Keith, Parris Mason, Brooke Puletaha, Jahsiah Phillips, Nature-Tearoha Henry-Southey, Mr Anthony Smith (Teacher)
Front Row: Claudia Hamilton-Posthuma, Pheobe Rapira, Kaija Hikaka, Monique Demetriou, Phoenix-Jade Davis, Osheana Tipine, Jocasta Demetriou
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