

**Newsletter #23 2017** 

**Tuesday 8th August** 

Week 1, Term 3



### Message from the **Principal**

Kia orana and welcome back to Term 3: a term that is set to be a very busy one. With only 37 teaching/learning days left before the

end of year practise examinations for senior students, every minute of every day will count. There has been a decline in attendance rates leading up to the end of Term 2, particularly for senior students, and this is now of concern. Parents & caregivers should expect questions to be asked if attendance remains an issue. Kia Toa e Kia Manuia,

Mrs Tania Morgan (Principal)

#### **NCEA FEES**

NCEA fees of \$67.00 are due on Thursday 24th August. Please ensure fees are paid on time to avoid the NZQA late penalty fee

#### Level 3 Media Trip

ur Level 3 Media Studies learners leave in three weeks! They were invited to attend and present a workshop at the 'Games for Learning conference hosted by the New Zealand Council for Educational Research (NZCER). The conference focuses on game potential in education, game design, and gameful thinking to encourage meaningful and resourceful learning. Alongside industry professionals and academics, the Level 3 class will

talk about how they have explored ideas around creativity, critical thinking and inclusion through gaming.



The students have spent many hours on the weekends and after school, working on their presentation and fundraising, to make this opportunity a reality. They are incredibly grateful to the community for their support and will continue to fundraise over the coming weeks.







# WHAT'S ON Week ending 11 August

MONDAY	Normal School Day
TUESDAY	Homework Club 3—4pm
WEDNESDAY	Breakfast club
THURSDAY	Year 12 & 13 Anau Assembly
FRIDAY	Bible Classes

#### **Breakfast Club**

ome and join in our free weekly breakfast each Wednesday morning from 8.15am —8.45am. Student Leaders 2017

#### **Learning Conversations**

ereora College will be having another learning conversation between parents/caregivers, students and anau teachers on Friday 25th August 2017 between 9am and 3pm. All parents/caregivers and their child(ren) are expected to attend this important event and are encouraged to make an appointment with the anau teacher as soon as possible. A review of goals set for the year, academic progress, concerns, highlights as well as future directions will be discussed. Progress reports will also be made available prior to the day.



### Te Maeva Nui 2017

e Maeva Nui 2017 was another success this year, with different coloured costumes and great performances who brought their all on stage.

We were also proud to stand by and watch the many students and staff from Tereora College who participated in this yearly festivity, as well as representing their islands/villages. A job well done to you all.



## Attendance rates to date for the year

 Year 9
 87%

 Year 10
 86%

 Year 11
 90%

 Year 12
 88%

 Year 13
 83%

Attendance overall to date from the start of the year

**87%** 

## Anau Shield after 2 events

Te Manga 8 points
Te Kou 5 points
Maungaroa 3 points
Ikurangi 6 points

#### **NCEA Tracking**

No. of excellence grades awarded:

Level 1 67
Level 2 71
Level 3 67

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# P.T.A. Meeting Wednesday 9 August 4.30pm College staffroom



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Thursday 24th August
\$67.00
per senior student

#### **Tereora College Rebuild**

T Staff from the Ministry of Education took a tour through the two new buildings last week to take a closer look at the IT planned works.

The lining of internal walls and ceilings are well underway and are nearing 40% completion. Installation of the aluminium windows and doors has also begun alongside the water-proofing and painting of the exterior blockwork. Plans are being put in place for the transitioning into the new spaces, ready for the start of the 2018 academic year.

Newsletters are emailed out each week to parents / caregivers and are available in hard-copy from the school office each week





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WEEK	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI
1 TE MANGA DUTY	7 Aug Academic Scripts Out Staff Meeting	8 SLT meeting 3pm HoF Meeting	9	10 Anau time Year 12 & 13 Assembly 3pm PRT Meeting	11 Break-Out groups English Faculty Bible Studies
2 TE KOU DUTY	14 3pm Faculty Meetings Progress reports open	15 SLT meeting 3pm HoA Meeting	16 PL Program Breakfast Club 3pm Meeting tbc	17 Anau time – NCEA talk Y11 Year 9 & 10 Assembly EOTC - hospitality Mufti Day 3	18 Break-Out groups The Academies Progress reports complete Term Return due to MOE 4
3 MAUNGAROA DUTY Non Interruption Fire Drill	3pm Anau Meeting Progress reports printed L2 HOS EOTC	22 SLT meeting 3pm HoF Meeting Last day to enter seniors into externals	23 PL Program — Breakfast Club 3pm Meeting tbc	24 Anau time–NCEA Talk Y11 NCEA fees due 3pm PRT Meeting	25 Learning Conversations with anau teacher
4 IKURANGI DUTY Non Interruption	28 3pm Faculty Meetings L3 Media Class in NZ L2 HOS EOTC	29 SLT meeting L3 Media Class in NZ 3pm HoA Meeting	30 PL Program Breakfast Club L3 Media Class in NZ 3pm Staff Meeting	31 Anau Assembly - Anau awards L3 Media Class in NZ	1 Sept Break-Out groups Counsellors/Admin L3 Media Class in NZ
5 TE MANGA DUTY International Literacy Week	4 3pm Anau Meeting L2 SPS Basketball 1st break Monash University students arrive 3	5 3pm HoF Meeting L2 SPS Basketball 1# break	6 PL Program Breakfast Club L2 SPS Basketball 1st break Literacy Day Dance Evening – stude out	7 ■Anau Academic Event L2 SPS Basketball 1# break Kia orana wear 3pm PRT Meeting	8 Bible Studies Break-Out groups Heads of Anau L3 SPL EOTC full day out
6 TE KOU DUTY Non Interruption	3pm Faculty Meetings	SLT meeting CI Maori Exam 3pm HoA Meeting	13 PL Program Breakfast Club CI Maori Exam L2 9 – 11am 3pm Meeting tbc 4	14 Anau Time Academic Scripts out CI Maori Exam L3 9 – 11am 5	15
7 MAUNGAROA DUTY Non Interruption	18 3pm Anau meeting	19 3pm HoF Meeting L2 Ultimate Frisbee P2/Int Student Leadership Applications open	20 PL Program Breakfast Club MCAT exam – Level 1 3pm Meeting tbc	21 Anau time EOTC – Hospitality 3pm PRT Meeting Mufti day 4	22 Full School Assembly Last Day for Monash University students
8 IKURANGI DUTY Non Interruption	25 3pm Faculty Meeting	26 SLT meeting 3pm HoA Meeting	27 PL Program Primary School Athletics NCEA Talk seniors – 8.20am 3pm Meeting tbc	28 Anau Assembly Athletics Preparation Academic Scripts out	Senior Exams Begin  4
9 TE MANGA DUTY	2 Oct End of Ye	3 ar Practice Exams – Fri (wk 8) – V	4 L2 Sports Leisure EOTC Ved (wk 9)	5 Anau Sports Event ATHLETICS	6 Community Service Day for students
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