



## WHAT'S ON

Week ending 19th  
May

MONDAY	Normal School Day
TUESDAY	Homework Club 3—4pm
WEDNESDAY	8.55am start for all students
THURSDAY	Homework Club 3—4pm
FRIDAY	Normal School Day

"FROM THE OCEAN TO YOUR TABLE"

OCEAN FRESH

RAROTONGA

COOK ISLANDS

## Investigating Sugar Tax and Immunization

**Y**ear 13 Biology students had the opportunity to interview Karen Tairea from the Ministry of Health this term as they investigate the socio-scientific issues of sugar tax and immunization.

As part of this topic, students got to choose a socio-scientific issue that interests them and needed to gather information about the biology, implications and opinions people or organisations hold about these issues. Karen provided students with a Cook Islands perspective on the two issues and answered student questions. She also referred students to key information that allowed students to deepen their research and understanding about these topics.

Mr Matt Easterbrook and the Year 13 Biology students were very grateful for the time and expertise Karen provided for the class.

## Homework Club

**O**ur weekly homework club will continue this term every Tuesday and Thursday from 3.00pm—4.00pm.

The computer suite and Media room will be available for students

needing a quiet space to study or wishing to carry out research.

Teachers

will be available to help support our students. All year levels are welcome to attend.



Our Tereora College website has a new look to it. For the latest up to date information please check out our site [www.tereora.edu.ck](http://www.tereora.edu.ck).

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

**E**-services available.

Top-ups, wi-fi vouchers & kia orana calling cards.



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Tamarua Marsters pictured with Tia-Rangi Henderson and Tamaiva Mateariki

## Hika Kia Orana App

**D**uring Term 1, a few of our student leaders as well as staff members were invited to attend the launch of Hika Kia Orana which is a new up and running app.

The app was created to combine language, culture and tourism all in one, and to connect the wider community with tourist operations.

Download the free app from [www.hikakiaorana.com](http://www.hikakiaorana.com) or visit the site for more information.

## Northern Group Trust

**A** number of students were the lucky recipients of grant funds presented to them through the Pa Enua Students' Educational Assistance Grant.

17 Level 1 students received an establishment grant of \$200 each to assist in their educational journey.

A further \$500 was made available to each of our 10 students who gained their Level 1 qualification in 2016; with a further \$700 presented to our Pa Enua students who gained an excellence endorsement in Level 1 in addition to students who had gained their Level 2 qualification.

This is a great initiative and was well received by all students.



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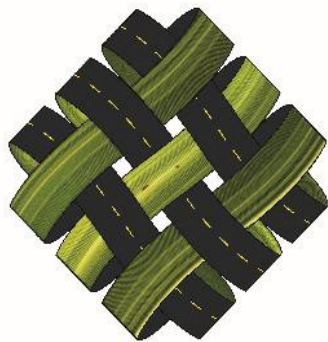
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COOK ISLANDS  
**ROAD SAFETY**  
COUNCIL

## Road Safety Message of the Week

### Passing

Passing another vehicle  
can be tricky.  
Whenever in doubt on  
whether you can safely  
pass, just don't try it.



## The Arts Break Out Group

**E**ach Friday morning prior to the start of school, teachers are involving themselves in break-out sessions which are facilitated by the departments / faculties.

The purpose of last Friday's breakout session was to expose staff to the diversity of teaching strategies and learning experiences within the four Performing Arts disciplines: Art, Music, Drama and Dance.

We wanted to trial using an integrated theme. As we watched our fellow colleagues experience practical activities, that mirror the challenges and tasks our students face in our lessons, it was certainly an eye opening experience for us as Department Heads.

The biggest challenge for us was structuring a 20 minute showcase of 4 Creative Disciplines that truly embodies Creative Arts. How do you do that? Well, it takes four passionate teachers and Vivaldi.

Ronnie Perkins—TiC  
Music

Te Manga  
teachers  
showing  
their creative  
side



above:  
Technology  
staff taking a  
tour through  
the new  
technology  
block



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