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E te Whānau-whānui huri noa i te motu tēnā koutou katoa.

Tēnā koutou ae, he wā roa I te kitenga-a-kanohi atu i o koutou tamāhine – ka haere tonu ngā mihi ki to tātou Matua-Nui-i-te-Rangi mo ōna manaakitanga maha ki runga I tātou whenua ātaahua nei o Aotearoa.

It has indeed been a long term and once again thank you so much for your understanding and support in maintaining and sustaining all we have needed to do during, for most of us, Covid 19 Level 2, and for our whānau in Auckland, e whakaaro ana ki a koutou i pēhītia nei i te taurangi tuatoru o te mate uruta nei.

We are now enjoying the onset of spring and are pleased that curriculum work has progressed well across all year levels. With a strong delivery by staff of Manaaki sessions for seniors, we are now more optimistic about NCEA externals.

You will receive school reports, and for boarders, hostel reports for Years 7, 8 9 and 10. Benchmarking for Years 11, 12 and 13 will be reported in Term 4.



Spring in Full Bloom - Years 7 and 8

He Mihi

Board of Trustees

Horiana Smallman will be student representative on the Board of Trustees for the remainder of 2020. She succeeds Te Piataaio Borrell who has served us well and hopefully will continue her good work as she leaves us for higher education next year.

Ngā Mahi Tākaro

Netball for our Intermediate teams was curtailed because of Covid 19, but Junior and Senior school were able to enjoy their games, although under strict guidelines.

Heoi, ko te mea pai i puta atu te nuinga o rātou ki te omaoma haere.

Looking Ahead to Term 4

Labour Weekend Wānanga

Our wānanga for Seniors will take place from 6.00pm Thursday 22nd October to midday Monday 26th October.

Whānau who wish to help please let your daughters know.

Change to Summer Uniform

Uniform changes, i.e. brown roman sandals, will be worn without stockings. This will take place after Labour Weekend.

Heoi kia pai o koutou hararei.

Naku noa



Georgina Kingi
PRINCIPAL

CALENDAR 2020

Term 3

September

Friday 25th Last day of school for Term 3.
School finishes at 3.10pm.

Term 4

October

Uniform changes will take place AFTER LABOUR WEEKEND i.e. brown roman sandals will be worn without stockings.

Sunday 11th Boarders return to Hostel by 6.45pm.

Monday 12th School re-opens for Term 4 – all Day Students and Boarders.

Cross Country – Park Island Napier

Wednesday 14th Volleyball begins for Years 7 – 10 PGA Napier

Saturday 17th Academic PE Class – Mohaka Rafting

Thursday 22nd School finishes at 1.00pm for HB Anniversary Day and Labour Weekend.
SENIOR WANANGA BEGINS 6.00PM.

Friday 23rd HB ANNIVERSARY DAY

Monday 26th LABOUR DAY. Boarders to return to Hostel by 6.45pm

Tuesday 27th SCHOOL RE-OPENS FOR BOARDERS AND DAY STUDENTS

November

Monday 16th NCEA and UE begin.

Saturday 21st **1.00PM PRIZEGIVING**

SENIOR DINNER (EVENING) Venue to be confirmed

Sunday 22nd **10.00AM FINAL MASS – POROPOROAKI TO SCHOOL LEAVERS.**

December

Tuesday 1st LAST DAY OF SCHOOL FOR 2020 (Except for NCEA and UE students).

Wednesday 2nd BOARDERS TRAVEL HOME (Except for NCEA and UE students).

Tuesday 8th Last exam NCEA and UE.