



# Rosehill College News



## From the Principal *Tena koutou katoa*

By now, most senior students will have had some internal assessments for their NCEA qualifications. All credits count and students should not adopt an attitude of waiting to achieve on the next assessment. Students should keep track of the number of credits gained out of the number attempted to help them monitor their progress towards gaining their qualifications.

Progress reports for all students will be sent home with students on Thursday next week.

The Kapa Haka Polyfest performance was recorded by Maori Television last Friday and can be viewed at <http://www.maoritelevision.com/haka/asb-polyfest-2018/groups/rosehill-college-te-kapa-haka-o-pukeroihi/200860#video-player> The students presented their performance to a whanau evening on Wednesday. Also on Wednesday, members of Kapa Haka were asked to perform the welcome at Auckland Airport for the Paralympians returning from Korea.

Thank you to our staff, senior students and our Year 10 students for another successful round of Year 10 Camps.

*Sue Blakely, Principal*



## Dates to Remember

**Monday 26 March**

Photo Exhibition starts

**Thursday 29 March**

Progress reports issued

**Friday 30 March**

Good Friday - school closed

**Monday 2 April**

Easter Monday - school closed

**Tuesday 3 April**

Easter Tuesday - school closed

**Thursday 5 April**

Parent/Student/Teacher Interviews - classes finish for all year levels at 1.40pm

**Monday 9 April**

Community Week starts

## Support Staff Vacancy

### Student Office Receptionist

Part-time permanent position, 35 hours per week. School term time only (40 weeks a year). The successful applicant must have:

- excellent communication and computer skills
- Excel and Word experience, KAMAR is an advantage
- ability to multi-task and enjoy working in a high pressure environment with staff, students and caregivers
- willingness and capacity to learn new tasks
- maintain strict confidentiality and keep calm under pressure

Applications close 4pm Monday 26 March 2018.

Please use the application form that can be found on our web-site at [www.rosehillcollege.school.nz](http://www.rosehillcollege.school.nz), under About Us/Vacancies. Please forward your CV, Cover letter and Rosehill College application form to [c.rudsits@rosehillcollege.school.nz](mailto:c.rudsits@rosehillcollege.school.nz).

**Note: applicants for the above position must have NZ residency or a valid NZ work visa and will be vetted by the police.**

## Parent/Student/Teacher Interviews for students in Years 9 and 10

Thank you to those who have made bookings (294 families, 1277 bookings so far) and a reminder for parents of junior students to book appointments for parent/student/teacher interviews.

These take place on Thursday 5 April from 2.30pm to 6.00pm. It is expected that students are present at the interviews, if possible. Murphy's buses will operate at 1.40pm and the AT Metro buses at the usual time of 3.20pm. Students are welcome to remain at school to study.

To book appointments, please go to [www.schoolinterviews.co.nz](http://www.schoolinterviews.co.nz) and use event code 7kja.

Appointment times are 5 minutes each and if you need longer to discuss your child's progress in a particular subject, please arrange a separate time to meet with the teacher concerned.

Please contact Philippa Kaiser on 295 0661 ext 871 or by email at [p.kaiser@rosehillcollege.school.nz](mailto:p.kaiser@rosehillcollege.school.nz) if you would like assistance in making bookings. See page 6 for instructions.

**Please note that ALL year levels will finish at 1.40pm.**



School is closed over Easter as follows:

**Good Friday - 30 March**

**Easter Monday - 2 April**

**Easter Tuesday - 3 April**



## Congratulations to Cooper Turner 9RNR

Cooper recently competed in the Melbourne GKR KARATE regionals winning Gold for Kata (a demonstration of blocks, kicks and punches in a set pattern) and Gold for Kumite (fighting his opponents). He was up against five other boys, all from Australia, and did New Zealand proud.

Well done Cooper!



**Public speaking** - spoken word, formal speech, te whai korero? The Maori Department and the English Department are looking for students wanting to give persuasive speech or oratory a go, and compete for a range of prizes. All year groups are invited. Build skills, and a life-changing confidence. Parents - encourage your child to get in touch with their teacher, as registrations close Monday 26 March. Competition night 9 April, in the staffroom - supper provided after 6 pm.



Contact [h.scott@rosehillcollege.school.nz](mailto:h.scott@rosehillcollege.school.nz) for more information.

## SCHOOL PRODUCTION SPONSORSHIP

'The Addams Family' musical will be performed by our students at the Off Broadway Theatre, 31 July to 4 August.

Our income comes from ticket sales, student fund-raising of \$3,000 and sponsorship. At this stage we have financial sponsorship from the Merton Trust and will apply for Local Arts Funding from the Auckland City Council. We would still need a further \$3,000 to cover our costs.

If you or your business could contribute towards that target we would be very grateful. Please contact the show's Producer James Clarke on 09-295-0694 or email [j.clarke@rosehillcollege.school.nz](mailto:j.clarke@rosehillcollege.school.nz).



## Help Keep Rosehill Tidy



Everyone needs to help to combat the litter epidemic whether it's inside or out. There is an increasing amount of garbage being dropped on the grounds instead of being placed in the large number of bins around the school.



We all want a beautiful school, so the Property, Grounds and Cleaner teams are trying tirelessly to do this but they can't do it alone. Help us by being part of the solution, not the problem.



**PUT IT IN THE BIN**



Each week, every Year 9 and 10 student is gauged against our school values by the teachers of English, Maths, Science, Social Studies and PE. Students who achieve the maximum possible marks for five weeks gain a Bronze Award. By gaining another five weeks of maximum values, students move from Bronze to Silver and so on.

The Manaakitanga awards indicate that these students are being consistently Respectful, Responsible and Caring - or in other words are showing Manaakitanga.

## Bronze Award Recipients

Flynn Adams	Melissa Main
Sophie Aitkenhead	Taylor Moxon
Humroz Basra	Roshan Naidu
Jagroop Buttar	Paige O'Reilly
Jessica Cleland	Dylan Cassidy Perry
Tatum Clotworthy	Holly Pryor
Kenzie Dempster	Geoff Ribu
Marissa Devi	Mannu Sachdev
Tiago Ferreira	Katie Shadbolt
Chloe Fitzpatrick	Shamiksha Sharmin
Kaitlin Gower	Jakob Silcock
Kayla Honan	Darshan Singh
Josh Hutton	Anita Vongkhamdy
Tyra Leitupo	Madeleine Wilson
Kate Logan	

## We're fundraising with entertainment

Discover thousands of valuable 2-for-1 and up to 50% off offers for many of the best restaurants, arts, attractions, hotels, travel, shopping and much, much more!



Just \$70 giving you over \$20,000 of value!

## Entertainment Book 2018 / 2019

Support Rosehill College and you'll be rewarded!

We are raising funds for our School and you can help. Order the NEW 2018 | 2019 Entertainment Book or Entertainment Digital Membership and you will receive hundreds of valuable offers for everything you love to do, and you will also be supporting our School. PLUS, order now to receive over \$200 of bonus Early Bird Offers (hurry, these sell out quickly).

**SUPPORT US NOW.**

Together we create an environment for personal excellence







## Counties Manukau U16 Sportswomen of the Year

Rosehill College is the proud to recognise the under 16 Sportswomen of the year, Paris Boyce-Bacon. This was a huge award to get as all the finalists were outstanding. Paris was very proud to be able say she was from Rosehill College.



## Athletics

Paige Bell won the bronze medal in the 4x400m at the NZ Track and Field Championships for the Auckland U18 team over the weekend. She ran a smoking 3rd leg (massive PB) bringing the Auckland team from 4th place to 1st place as she passed the baton to the final runner. Less than a metre separated 1st and 3rd in what was an outstanding race by the Auckland girls.

She also won the following at Counties Manukau Championships 2 weekends earlier:

- 1st U16 400m
- 1st U16 800m
- 1st U16 Shot Put
- 1st U16 Discus

She set records in all events!



## Equestrian

The following equestrian team riders competed as individuals in their respective disciplines at the recent Horse of the Year Show held in Hastings from Tues 13th to Sunday 18th March. This prestigious show is an International event with thousands of competitors from both the North Island and the South Island competing for top prizes.

### Emily Hastings and her pony "Glendale Nightlight"

- 6th: 'Open Partbred Welsh Ridden Pony of The Year'
- 2nd: Level 2 Pony Dressage 'Freestyle to music'
- 5th: Level 2 Dressage Overall Pony of The Year

### Emily Carter and "Amore"

- 2nd from 115 competitors 1.10m showjumping

### Eden Annabel and her pony "Linden Talisman"

- Showing section: 3rd 'Rising Star Show Pony of The Year'
- 4th 'Paced and Mannered Large Pony of The Year'

Many hours of training and hard work have gone in over the current competition season for these riders to achieve these results. Most disciplines require qualification throughout the competition season to enter.

Congratulations to these girls for achieving these well-earned results

Look forward to all Team members coming together to compete at the NISS Dressage Competition this Friday at St Peters College.



## Fundraise Factory

Thank you to Bo and her team from the Fundraise Factory for their sponsorship this term, contributing towards our Rosehill Raptors Basketball program [www.facebook.com/fundraisefactory](http://www.facebook.com/fundraisefactory)

## Junior water polo

### Junior One Day Tournament

Our junior team played 3 games on Saturday at Kings College.

Due to some players being unavailable and illness we had no subs for the day. Team members were Devon Lowe, Quinn Lawton, Jessica Cleland, Tom Parker, Oliver Ingram, Ryan Gaskill and Jessie Malcolm.

### First up we played Sacred Heart.

We got off to a great start with goals to Oliver, Quinn and Jessie to lead 3-0 at the end of the first-quarter. In the second-quarter we kept up the pressure and Quinn scored a really nice goal to lead 4-1 at half time. The team turned it on in the third quarter with excellent passing by Tom, defence by Jessica C and outstanding shooting by Ryan to lead 9-1 at the end of the third quarter. We finished strongly despite no subs and won 12 -1.

All played extremely well with Ryan Gaskill picking up 5 goals.

### The second game was against Kings College.

We were slow to get into the game and found ourselves behind early on in the game, despite some nice saves by Devon. Some great defence and passing by Tom saw Quinn score but we were down 2-1 after the first quarter.

We scored early in the second quarter with a great goal to Ryan. With some outstanding defence by Quinn and an excellent long pass down the pool by Devon, Ryan was able to find the back of the net again and we were ahead 3-2 at half time. Kings came back in the third quarter and scored 2 goals to lead 4-3 going into the final quarter. Jessie scored a great goal to tie things up. Kings scored again to take the lead with a minute and a half left. Oliver got one back to level the scores 5-5 with a minute to go. Kings scored immediately to lead 6-5 with 30s on the clock. With tired players we chased an equaliser with some all-out attack and shots at goal. Kings were able to convert our no defence and scored twice more in the final 15 seconds. The final score was not a reflection of how close this game was. Some tireless man on defence by Jessica C and Tom needs to be mentioned in what was a nail biting game.

### Our third game was against Glendowie.

We started well with Jessie winning the swim off and had some excellent shots on goal, but the Glendowie goalie was exceptional, making numerous great saves. Oliver was able to get one past her and with some excellent defence and saves in goal by Ryan we were ahead 1 -0 at quarter time.

Jessie M again secured the swim off and we battled hard in attack and defence. Nice defence by Devon, Jessica and Tom, saves by Oliver in goal and attack by Ryan, Jessie and Quinn and we were ahead 2-1 at half time. Despite it being their third game, with no subs the team were amazing making vital turnovers in defence and with a goal to Quinn lead 3-2 going into the final quarter. We controlled the game in the fourth quarter and with goals to Oliver and Ryan won 5-2.

All the team played extremely well throughout the day but special mention must go to Jessie Malcolm and Ryan Gaskill who were consistently outstanding and were tireless in defence and attack.



# OPEN DAY

Find out about our courses  
and enrol on the day!

24 March

Auckland  
South  
Campus

10:00am-2:00pm

## What to expect:

- Interactive games & prizes to be won
- Practical learning experience & masterclasses
- Student Recruitment Advisors & Careers Team on hand to assist with questions
- Information sharing about NZMA courses, free study options\*
- Enrol on the day!



Auckland South  
12 - 16 Gordon Rd,  
Otahuhu



**nzma**  
0800 222 432

[nzma.ac.nz](http://nzma.ac.nz)

\*Contact the NZMA team for more information



# OPEN DAY

24 March 2018

10am - 4pm • Devonport Naval Base

Limited parking available at Ngataranga Bay

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|------------|-----------------|--------------|------------------------------|
| Free entry | Boat rides      | Ship tours   | Helicopter displays          |
| Navy band  | Kids activities | Food & drink | Free shuttles to Navy Museum |

*Come along  
and meet  
your Navy!*

For more information,  
go to our Facebook page

@NZNavy



## COOLEST YEAR OF YOUR LIFE!

Study at a high school and experience the adventure of your life! Come to a free information meeting and meet previous students and staff.

Fencible Lounge, Howick Library  
25 Uxbridge Road, Howick, Auckland

**3 May 7 pm**

Sign up at [sts-highschool.com](http://sts-highschool.com)  
or at (03) 2140-751

**Welcome!**

[sts-highschool.com](http://sts-highschool.com) [@stsworldwide](https://www.instagram.com/stsworldwide) [ststravelschool](https://www.facebook.com/ststravelschool)

## DREAM IT, DO IT WITH YOUTHTOWN

# AGES 11-17 HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

**FREE**  
*Break-Away School Holiday Programmes*

Youth development workshops, creative activities, day trips, sports and much more!

**Locations:** Rosehill College  
Avondale Intermediate

**WEEK ONE:** Tuesday 17 - Friday 20 April  
**WEEK TWO:** Monday 23 - Tuesday 24 April  
Thursday 26 - Friday 27 April

**Time:** 9:30am - 4pm

**Bring:** Please bring a packed lunch, togs, towels and covered shoes.

**BOOK NOW** Online: [www.youthtown.org.nz](http://www.youthtown.org.nz)  
Phone: 0800 004 566 | Email: [Youth.Auckland@youthtown.org.nz](mailto:Youth.Auckland@youthtown.org.nz)







# AUCKLAND INFORMATION EVENINGS

Don't miss out on our **information evenings**. Find out what it's like to learn at Taratahi.

These evenings are a great opportunity for students to learn more about farming and discover if Taratahi is where they want to be.

Upcoming Information Evenings:

- March 26th Manukau Institute of Technology, NH Building, Gate 13, Otara, 5.30pm - 7.30pm
- March 27th A&P show grounds (downstairs room), Pukekohe, 5.30pm - 7.30pm

For more information and to secure your place please contact Kristy Reiche @ Taratahi:

**021 307 729**

E: [kristy.reiche@taratahi.ac.nz](mailto:kristy.reiche@taratahi.ac.nz)

W: [www.taratahi.ac.nz](http://www.taratahi.ac.nz)



Agricultural Training Centre

# FREE Learner Driver Licence Workshops

**Do you have a teenager looking to get their learner driver licence?**

Auckland Transport is running a series of FREE 2-day workshops for 16 to 24 year olds, to provide them with a better understanding of the road code and to help them sit their learner driver licence with greater confidence.

## Workshops for 2018

Each workshop runs over two days from 9.30am to 2.30pm and **you will need to attend both days.**

Date	Time	Location
16 April - 17 April 2018	9:30am - 2.30pm	Main Hall, Takapuna War Memorial Hall, 7 The Strand, <b>Takapuna</b>
19 April - 20 April 2018	9:30am - 2.30pm	Franklin The Centre, 12 Massey Avenue, <b>Pukekohe</b>
23 April - 24 April 2018	9:30am - 2.30pm	Puhinui Room, Manukau Civic Building, 33 Manukau Station Road, <b>Manukau</b>
26 April - 27 April 2018	9:30am - 2.30pm	Committee Room, Kelston Community Centre, 135 Awaroa Road, Sunnyvale, <b>Kelston</b>



For more information, please go to [AT.govt.nz/youngdrivers](http://AT.govt.nz/youngdrivers) or email Rosie Leota at [Rosie.Leota@at.govt.nz](mailto:Rosie.Leota@at.govt.nz)

**ST MARY'S  
CATHOLIC SCHOOL**

**GALA**

**SUNDAY 8 APRIL 2018**

**From 10.30am ~ 2.00pm**  
54 Clark Road, Papakura

Stalls • Raffles • Auction • Games • Crafts • Books  
Mystery envelopes • International Food • Coffee  
Face painting • Eftpos available • *and lots more!*



## Rosehill College

### Year 9 and 10 Parent/Student/Teacher Interviews – Parent Information

**Thursday 5 April 2018 (Term 1 Week 10)**

Dear Parents/Guardians of Students in Years 9 and 10,

We invite you to discuss your child's progress with her/his subject teachers between 2.30pm and 6.00pm on Thursday 5 April 2018.

School will finish **for all year levels** at 1.40 pm on this day.

#### **Making Appointments Online**

**This is what you can do to make appointments.**

1. Find out the names of your child/children's subject teachers
2. On the internet go to: [www.schoolinterviews.co.nz](http://www.schoolinterviews.co.nz)
3. Enter school event code: **7kjra**
4. Enter your full name, email address (if applicable) and student/s full name/s and id number/s (if known)
5. Hit "Go"
6. Select your child's/children's subjects from the left drop-box, then the teacher from the right drop-box
7. More subjects/teachers will appear as and when necessary – when finished hit "go".
8. Select the date and times you would like to have the interview/s
9. Please remember to leave 5 minutes between appointments so that you can get from one teacher to the next
10. Once you have confirmed the times by hitting the "Go" button, an email will be sent to your email address. If you do not have an email, you can either print off the times, or call the school and we can do so for you
11. If you require assistance to make bookings, please call the school on (09) 295 0661 on or after 3 August, or complete and return the slip on the following page and we will contact you.

#### **Unable to make appointments online**

If you are unable to make appointments online and would like us to help you do so, please complete the slip below and return it to the school and we will call you back.

#### **Unable to Attend**

If you are unable to attend, and would like to talk to your child's teachers, please telephone the College to give your child's name, your name and telephone number and/or your email address if applicable and the teachers concerned will call back to make their comments, or send you an email.

#### **Confirmation of appointments**

Bring the appointments confirmation with you on the afternoon of the interviews. A map of where teachers are located will be available in the Hall foyer.

We hope you will take this valuable opportunity to meet with subject teachers to discuss the progress that your child is making and measures that will assist that progress.

Yours sincerely

William Madgwick  
Associate Principal

