



# Rosehill College News

## Junior Prizegivings and end of year arrangements

**Wednesday 12 December**

Parents and whanau are warmly invited to attend these prizegivings. On Wednesday, students will be given their end of year reports to take home.

Year 10 students will not have timetabled lessons. The Year 10 prizegiving will be at 9.15am and Year 10 students are dismissed at the conclusion of this at approximately 10.15am.

Year 9 students will attend their normal class for Day 1 period 1 & 2 and then the Year 9 prizegiving will be at 10.45am. Students will be dismissed at the conclusion at approximately 11.45am.

Murphy buses will collect students from school at the conclusion of the Year 9 prizegiving. AT Metro buses run at the normal time of 3.20pm.

## School Closed

Rosehill College will be closed from midday on Wednesday 12th December 2018. The Office will re-open 8.00am Wednesday 16th January 2019.

The Cashier's Office will close at 10.00am on the 12th December and will re-open at 8.00am on 29th January 2019.

## LOST PROPERTY

We have quite a selection of lost property for example: Pencil Cases, Keys, Glasses, Jewellery and clothing etc. Students can collect these items from the student office during interval and lunch times until the end of term. If these items are not collected by the end of term, they will be donated to a local charity.

## Dates to Remember

**Tuesday 11 December**  
Junior House Day

**Wednesday 12 December**  
Year 10 Prizegiving - 9.15am  
Year 9 Prizegiving - 10.45am  
End of Term 4

## From the Principal *Tena koutou katoa*

Congratulations to the Year 13 students whose time at Rosehill College was recognised at the Leavers' Ceremony on Monday evening. My thanks to Mrs Sharma and the Events Committee for the planning and organisation and to those senior and junior students who worked to make this a memorable occasion.



Having farewelled the Year 13 students, we have been welcoming next year's Year 9 students to the College for an orientation visit on the other days this week. This is part of the transition process to reduce anxiety about coming into a much larger school with different systems. Orientation continues when school starts next year.

Preparation is well underway for the Junior House Day on Tuesday. At this stage the forecast is for a sunny 23 degrees so students must ensure that they have sun screen, a hat and a water bottle.

Family members of our Year 9 and 10 students are warmly invited to attend next Wednesday's prize giving ceremonies.

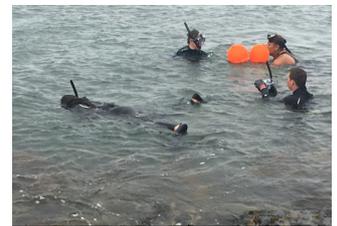
*Sue Blakely, Principal*

## Kaimoana Mihana

### Water Drowning Prevention Programme

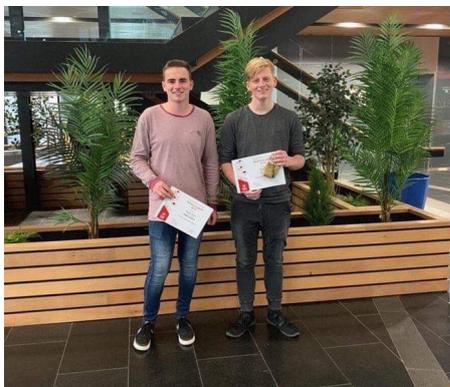
This term some Year 10 students from Te Tari Māori participated in a Water Drowning Prevention Programme run by Clayton Wikaira from Drowning Prevention Auckland. This initiative was to educate our rangatahi how to be safe in and out of the water. The programme was delivered through theory lessons in class as well as practical sessions at Massey Park Pool. These lessons provided a foundation of understanding for all students involved with the final session seeing these students journey to Whangaparaoa to Army Bay for an Open Water experience. The skills that they learnt in the practical sessions and the knowledge that they attained in theory classes provided the students with sound knowledge on how to be safe in the moana. Although we arrived to Whangaparaoa in what seemed to be relentless weather the end result was that students experienced diving for kaimoana kina and spent the day basking in the sunshine of Tamanuiterā at the end of the day.

Tēnā koe Tangaroa mo tōu koha ki a mātou.



## MIT Prizegiving

Manukau Institute of Technology held their prizegiving ceremony for the Trades Academy students on Tuesday evening. We have had several Year 12 students attending the one day a week Trades Academy this year and were pleased that two of our students gained awards. Congratulations to Dylan Lowe, who was named 'Top Student' in Carpentry and 'Top Student in Electrical' (Dylan's course was half year Carpentry and half year Electrical). Also congratulations to Kearne Smith who received the 'Diligent Student' award for Carpentry.



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

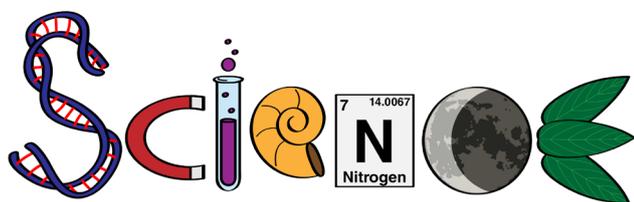
Daniel Brodrick	Margaret Peti
Nol Charoenwattana	Tiger Quinlan
Reuben Crawford	Tayla Ready
Kyle Day	Azaria Simpson
Chloe Groves	Chris Singh
Ethan Hill	Regan Statham
Kaide Homann	Alanis Strange
Adison Johnston	Tremaine Teare
KJ Maniapoto	Stylz Toto-Tawa
Kitahna Maxwell	Gezamae Tuhura-Herk
Kahn Maxwell	Laz-Lianr Vaeluaga
Joshua McCraith	

### Silver Award Recipients

Kira Bradburne	Ethan Lowe
Marama Chase	Hadley Maxwell
Ronan Cribb	Fiona McKinnon
Kyle Day	Ryan Michie
Blake Grayson	Christanne Noue
Kaiārahi Ippel	Mereana Rosieur
Gurneet Kaur	Haylee Tutuki
Leche Koole	Trizon Uatison
Jason Lee	

### Gold Award Recipients

Georgie Bell	Taryn McIlroy McNeill
Jezabelle Boyt	Alisha Patel
Pippa Broughton	Quaid Sage
Jenna Casterton	Parul Sharma
Sheila Cloete	Jasmin Sidhu
Kyle Day	Young Song
Ethan Frewin	Repeka Tauiliili
Scarlett Go	Julia Tu
Cooper Hart	Zellas Uatison
Olivia Harvey	



### Rosehill Junior Scientists have something to say ....

In Term 4 Year 9 Science students were working on their unit called The Pacific Ring of Fire. As part of this unit they worked in groups and prepared a community awareness website to inform our families how to prepare themselves in an event of natural disasters like an Earthquake, Volcano, or Tsunami. These are some of our top website created by Year 9 students:



Emma Johnson  
<https://tinyurl.com/yb6m4t4f>

Mathew Duffell, Olivia Pearce, and Brianna Baker  
<https://tinyurl.com/y932xwlo>

Christopher Thompson, Braiden Timothy, Oliver Ingram, and Caleb Tapp  
<https://tinyurl.com/ybbz2a7w>

Ethan Coles, Jayden Pennell, and Keegan de Klerk  
<https://tinyurl.com/y7oq4blu>

### Year 10's visiting Warkworth

At the same time the Year 10's have been doing astronomy projects. The top 10 winners and other highly recommended groups are given an opportunity to visit Radio Satellite Station at Warkworth on 7th December 2018.



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### New Zealand Secondary Schools Athletics

Ava Duggan competed in the 300m hurdles but didn't progress past the heats. In the 80m hurdles, she made the semis and finished with a great result of Top 16.

Paige Bell had an excellent campaign. She competed in the senior girls 400m and after going through the heats and semi-final, she finished a very commendable 5th. Top 5 in NZ in her first year as a Senior is an excellent result. She had goals of a PB (which was unlikely in the killer head winds!) or Top 5.

Taylor Bell had a straight final on Sunday. She had a small, but extremely competitive, field of five (with three of them all having faster PBs than Taylor). Taylor blew us all away, doing a massive PB (11.25 for 2km) and coming home with the silver medal! Georgia Ellison came 5th in the same race with a time of 12.37.

### Rugby

Congratulations to Lucas Hutton for making it into the Chiefs Under 17 Wider Training Squad! Lucas is a valued and respected member of our 1st XV Rugby team. We wish you all the best over summer for this team selection.

### Facebook

Like us on Facebook to be updated with news and information over summer.

<https://www.facebook.com/RosehillCollegeSport>

### Join us in 2019 - It's not too late!!!

Community coaches, managers and volunteers we are looking for a great pair or team to work with our committed and developed 1st XV Rugby team next year. We are also looking for any volunteer coaches who can assist with the younger grades e.g. U60kg, Under 15's for rugby.

Any community coaches/managers for football, hockey and netball are also more than welcome. We are grateful for any adult support we can get for our teams.

Trainings can work around your schedule, our Sports Department is here to assist with the admin side of things and are happy to have a chat with you if you think this is something you may be interested in doing next year. Coaching/managing can also be a shared role between people to make the work load lighter if need be. Please contact our Sports Department Meghan or Irene on 09 295 0661 ext 844 for more information.



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