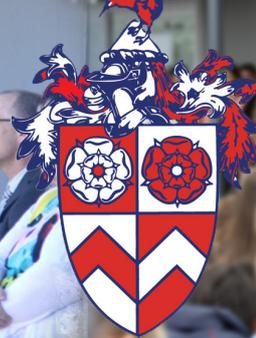




Rosehill College News



ASSESSMENTS MISSED BECAUSE OF 'WORK OVERLOAD'

Many of the credits not achieved are because students did not complete and/or submit the work. Often they have got themselves into a position of having a number of assessments due at a similar time (this is mostly so in Term 3) and they then make uninformed decisions about which won't be done.

There is a very real need for students to fill out a plan of when all assessments are due so that they can get them all finished.

HOMework / STUDY TIMETABLE DAILY STUDY TIMETABLE

Daily homework time is a good way to keep track of assessments that are coming up.

All students are to complete at least one assessment in each subject before the end of this term.



Dates to Remember

Monday 11 March

Year 10 Camp - Taikura
SmileCare Dental in all week

Wednesday 13 March

Year 10 Camp - Manutaki

Monday 18 March

Summer Tournament Week starts

Together we create an environment for personal excellence

From the Principal *Tena koutou katoa*

Our Year 10 camps at Waharau started this week with Atawhai and Kahurangi enjoying great weather. Thank you to all staff involved, both at Waharau and back at school, who make this opportunity possible. Next week Taikura, then Manutaki, will be at camp.



School Strike 4 Climate is taking place on Friday 15 March. The school remains open for instruction and classes will continue as normal. Our usual absence procedures will apply and parents/caregivers must notify the school of their student's absence if they do not attend school on that day, or any other day. Students can contribute through an open letter to the NZ Parliament which the NZ School Strike for Climate group has also launched: <https://our.actionstation.org.nz/petitions/climate-declaration-from-the-youth-of-aotearoa-2>

Sue Blakely, Prinaipal

Property Maintenance Officer Rosehill College

We are looking for someone to join our property team who is hard working, flexible, self-motivated, enthusiastic and enjoys working around teenagers. Carpentry or building maintenance experience are preferred. Good all round handyperson skills are essential. You will need a full clean driver's licence; a good level of physical fitness; be able to operate machinery and equipment; and have good communication skills. The role is 40 hours per week for 52 weeks per year. Responsibilities will include operation of the school boiler and swimming pool. Full training will be given. Applicants will be police vetted.

For a copy of the job description or to apply please visit <http://rosehillcollege.school.nz/rosehill-college/vacancies/> or contact Mrs Janet Herst on 09 2950695.

Applications close at 4pm Friday 15th March 2019.

Light it Orange for Shine

Today Rosehill College Year 13 students and staff wore orange in support of Light it Orange Week. More than \$160 was raised to support this worthy cause.

For too many Kiwis, home is not a place of safety. It's a place of fear and shame, hidden behind closed doors. You can help change this by shining a light on domestic violence this March.

Together let's light New Zealand orange and show victims we really care. Go to [lightitorange](http://lightitorange.org) for further information.



Drury Road Closure - Bus 7

This closure is going to be in place from Monday 11th March and is planned to be closed for two weeks. An email and text message with details regarding the closure was sent to those affected this morning. If you did not receive this please contact the College on 295 0661.

Attendance Procedure

If your student is absent from school please phone the Attendance Officer on:

FREE PHONE: **0800 RCAWAY (0800 722929)**
Or 295 0661 Ext 869 **at any time and leave a message**
Or EMAIL: **attendance@rosehillcollege.school.nz**

Receiving a text message notifying of an absence

- Please reply to the txt (this number cannot be saved on your mobile phone – **it is invalid after 7 days**)
- OR phone: 0800 RCAWAY (0800 722929)
- OR the parent/caregiver provides a note explaining absence.

Student to leave school during the day

- Please provide a note for your student to take to their Head of House
- Student is to obtain an 'Exit Permit' from their Head of House **before Tutor time.**

If a student is unwell during the course of the day

- They should go to the nurse.

If a student is late to school before tutor time finishes

- The student must go to their Tutor Teacher to sign in late.

If the student is late to school after tutor time

- The student **must sign in at the Student Office and**
- **Provide a note** from the parent/caregiver advising the reason for being late
- **OR** the parent/caregiver should phone the Attendance Officer on 295 0661 Ext 869 and leave a message.

Year 9 - 12 students may not leave the school grounds without permission – in case of a fire or emergency – we need to know where students are at all times.

Long Term Absence

Long Term Absence – Self Interest Leave of more than four days. If the student will be absent during term time for an extended period – please advise date of absence, return date and reason for absence by one of the following methods:

- Phone the Attendance Officer on 295 0661 ext 869 or 0800722929; or
- Send letter addressed to Principal, Rosehill College, P.O. Box 72546, Papakura, 2244; or
- Email – **attendance@rosehillcollege.school.nz**

Dropping off and picking up students

Would all parents and caregivers please avoid driving into the school's car park areas to drop off or pick up students before and after school, as it is unsafe to have cars driving through the grounds at those very busy times. Similarly, please don't stop or park on the yellow lines near our gates as traffic infringement notices may be issued. Drop students off or pick them up at some distance from the school – the short walk will be good for them!



Year 12 Biology Trip to Omana

Last Friday five classes of Year 12 students had their ecology research trip to Omana Beach to investigate the seashore life and gather data for their ecology investigation.

In a race to beat the incoming tide both the rocky and flatter sections of the beach were investigated and sample quadrats were made up the beach shore.

Despite there being a lot of sediment some good discoveries of species such as sea slugs and a variety of crabs were observed.



Thank you to the parent supporters who helped make the day a success.



PROCEDURES FOR VISITORS TO THE SCHOOL

If any member of the public, whether parent, caregiver, grandparent, tradesperson or supplier etc., wants to come into school to see either a member of staff or a student at the school, there are procedures that need to be followed. Please:

1. Make an appointment to see whoever it is you want to meet with. Teachers are generally best contacted by email to arrange an appointment. All the school email addresses are generic – **firstinitial.surname@rosehillcollege.school.nz**. If you are not sure of an email address please contact the main office on (09) 295 0661 extension 0 and they will help you.
2. When you come into school make sure you sign in at Reception, just inside the main front door.
3. Please ask for a visitor's sticker, if it is not given automatically, which you must wear at all times whilst you are on school grounds.
4. Remember to sign out when you leave.

Your support in this would be much appreciated.





Softball

Last week the boys Softball team competed in Division 2 of the School Softball (Senior) Tournament at Rosedale Park on the North Shore.

The boys had four games in total, taking out the title, beating teams from Kelston Boys, Otahuhu College, One Tree Hill and St Paul's.

Team members: Eddie Pomare, Logan Ulberg, Shontayne Huriwai, Taine Heke, Jordan Te Puni, Ethan Copeland, Calvin Copeland, Brooklyn Mariu-Apiata, Tipene Kennedy, Katene Huriwai.



Rugby Gala

Thank you to George and his team from Karaka Rugby Club for hosting the afternoon. We had around 60 students show up for the fun afternoon in the sun playing games, breaking off into teams and learning new challenging drills and skills.

We look forward to getting our rugby season underway. If you wish to play rugby for the school but have not yet signed up please see the staff in the Sports Centre Office.



Coaches and Managers Evening 2019

To all coaches and managers, we are having an evening meeting Monday 11th March 6:30pm. If you would like to attend or have been asked to attend please RSVP to Director of Sport Meghan at m.hull@rosehillcollege.school.nz. This is an opportunity for our coaches and managers of all codes to meet each other and plan the year ahead.

Good luck

Good luck to our rowers this weekend competing in the AON Regatta, to our three senior volleyball teams who are currently at the Auckland Championships at Bruce Pulman Arena and to our Counties Manukau swimmers who compete on Tuesday.

Talking Tall WORKSHOPS

Empowering Young Women Workshop

15-18 year old girls

We run confidence workshops to inspire, empower and encourage young women.

Talking Tall was born out of our own experiences, and wanting to create a fun and supportive environment, where we can share with young women the importance of self-worth, and identifying their own individual values.



JJ Fong
Actor



Rachel Whitelaw
GM ASB Securities



Kate Wilcox
Makeup Artist



Stacey Lim
Clinical Psychologist

Date: Sunday 31st March 19

Time: 10am-4pm

Location: 6 Queen Street, Papakura

For more information or to book head to www.talkingtall.co.nz
Email: talkingtallnz@gmail.com or Phone: 0272387000



**Rosehill Community
Family Fun Day**

**Saturday
9th March 2019**

10am until 2pm

Corners of Tatariki St, Edinburgh
Ave & Tairere Cres., Rosehill

Heaps of **free** activities,
including:

Face Painting

Sausage sizzle
Games

SPOT PRIZES

Free entertainment

Information stalls

**Aiming to build connections
within Rosehill area.**

