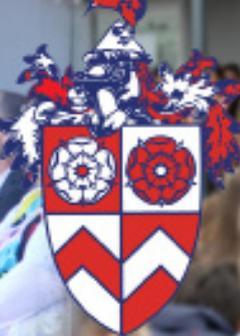


# Rosehill College News



## CELLPHONES & EARPHONES

These are not to be used in Tutor Group Time and lessons. Music is not an aid to concentrating on classwork and students can be easily distracted by going to sites and social media and messages which have nothing to do with the subject work.

## TUTOR GROUP TIME

A chance to catch up on homework. Tutor Group Teachers are mentoring at least 4 students each week.

Tutor Group Teachers have a planner and study timetable that can be given to students.

## DIGITAL TIME AT HOME

Students should have a period of time for work at home and also a period of time without access to devices. Constant hours of screentime is harmful to development of good learning skills.



## Election 2019

### Nominations.

Nominations close today for the Board of Trustees election.

### Voting.

Voting will take place from 29 May to 7 June. Voting papers will be forwarded to you to enable you to vote provided you are on the parent voting roll.

Please exercise your vote.

### Candidates meeting.

Takes place on Thursday 30 May in the staff room at the College. Parents are invited to hear the candidates speak at 7.00pm.

Together we create an environment for personal excellence

## From the Principal *Tena koutou katoa*

The combined primary and secondary schools' teacher unions, NZEI and PPTA, have notified a nationwide strike on Wednesday May 29. Rosehill College will be open, although normal lessons will not take place. Students will be assigned to groups to be in supervised in study for the day. Students attending school will meet in the Hall at 8.40am to be allocated to study groups. Their attendance will be marked each period, and normal school procedures and rules apply for the day. The canteen will not be open, and so students attending school that day must bring their own food for break times. The morning bus runs will take place, but if no students are brought to school on a particular bus, then that bus will not run in the afternoon.

Next Thursday 30 May, our Year 12 students will participate in a one day workshop, Loves me Not, This program is run alongside the NZ police and is designed to give young people the tools they need to recognise the qualities needed in a healthy relationship and when to recognise when a relationship isn't healthy. This is part of the Year 12 students' curriculum and normal school attendance is required.

All are invited to meet the candidates for the Board of Trustees elections. This will take place in the Staffroom on Thursday 30 May at 7.00pm.



Sue Blakely, Principal

## Being a board member.

In 2010 my eldest daughter started year 9 at Rosehill College and in June that year I became an elected member of the Rosehill BOT. Roll forward 9 years and I am still on the BOT. During this time I have worked along side three different groups of BOT member and although the individual people are different, they all people who care for the college and want to be involved.

You may hear that an ideal BOT will have an accountant, a lawyer, someone with property expertise, but from my experience people with passion to try to make Rosehill a better place and who truly care for all our students, are the members who make the greatest difference.

The strength of the BOT comes from having a wide variety of people, some specifically qualified in certain areas, but of equal importance, just parents of students who have first hand knowledge of what is happening in the school environment.

Nominations for the current BOT Election have now closed and you will soon be receiving voting papers in the mail.

The BOT that you elect will be responsible for many decisions over the next 3 years, which directly impact upon the College and your children.

I really urge everyone to take a few moments to read through the candidate statements that you will receive with the voting papers, maybe if possible, come to the "Meet the Candidate" evening on Thursday 30th May and most importantly ... VOTE.

As parents and caregivers, you can decide by taking the time to vote, the type of people that you want making decisions that will affect not only your children, but all the students, the staff and even the buildings of Rosehill College.

Regards  
Helen Williams  
Deputy Chair - BOT

## WOOL OR YARN NEEDED KIDZ FIRST & STARSHIP HOSPITAL

Wool or yarn of any type needed to knit and crochet baby blankets for Kidz First and Starship Hospital. If you have any floating around your home, please leave it at the front office of school.



## Dates to Remember

**Wednesday 29 May**

Strike Day

**Thursday 30 May**

Loves-Me-Not Programme for all year 12 students.

Meet the candidates for the BOT election, 7pm



## Interact Group

This week Demi the trainee assistance dog came to visit our group. Demi is looked after by our librarian Ms Helleur and her partner. We have watched Demi grow from a little puppy. This was a goodbye to Demi as she will soon be moving on to her professional specialist training so she can be partnered with someone who needs her. We were also very proud to be able to hand over a \$1,000 cheque to Assistance Dogs New Zealand.



## Moto X

### Tauranga Schools Motocross Championship 08/03/2019

Michael Tripodi Carter was able to finish off the day with an overall of 14th out of around 30 riders in the 125 competitive class. He rode a good first two races finishing in 9th in each moto. The track was in mint condition to start off the day but around lunchtime, the bad weather rolled in and the



track became a cluster of mud, bikes and broken riders. Michael started the final moto well in the top ten given the track conditions but had an unfortunate pile up with other riders on a section of rutted track which resulted in an 18th finish for the final race. Another excellent day on behalf of Tauranga boys high and Tech Park Motocross track Well done.

### Rotorua Schools Motocross Championship 29/03/2019

Michael finished the day at Rotorua with an overall of 25th out of 40. He rode a steady first two motos placing 15th in race one and 16th in race two but due to complications, Michael did not race the final moto resulting in a DNS. Overall it was another excellent day on behalf of the Rotorua motorcycle club.



## Basketball

The Rosehill Open Girls Basketball team played Pukekohe High School last week and won 34 - 29. The ladies had to fight hard for this win which was a great effort.

This week after some hard work at training they came away with another good win over Papatoetoe High School 78 - 4. Keep up the hard work ladies. Finally thanks to the supporters up stairs the team really enjoys your support

## Badminton

It was a theme of 3 this week in the 3rd week of competition with our Rosehill teams winning all 3 matches but it wasn't all smooth sailing.

Our A grade team had a tough challenge with Manurewa High School who also went to nationals last year. Dylan Naera had a tough game against Manurewa's number one with a close fought victory 21-19. He also won his doubles in even closer fashion winning 21-20.

Our B grade teams had two contrasting wins. Our B1 team was lead by a dominant performance by Ramandeep who won his singles 21-8 and his doubles 21-13 to secure the team win 4-2. Our B2 team came out of the gate fast and efficiently winning all 4 singles to secure the win. But Alfriston came back strong and with very little left in the tank, we lost both our doubles. David has continued to improve his game each week and leads the side well.

## Hillcrest Sports Exchange

A reminder that our Hillcrest High Sports Exchange is on Tuesday 18th June. This sports exchange is for selected teams only. We will be leaving Rosehill College at 7am and returning around 4:30pm. Bus fees are due Friday 7th June. If you have any questions please see Miss Hull in the sports center office.



## From the Careers Department

### Careers Expo, ASB Showgrounds, Greenlane Rd.

The Careers Expo at the ASB Showgrounds on Greenlane Rd comprises the widest range of exhibitors of any career focused Expo in New Zealand, consisting of employers, industry, tertiary providers, training institutes, government departments, and corporate New Zealand. This event provides young people a valuable opportunity to make important connections as they plan their careers. So don't miss out! Admission to the Expo is FREE to all visitors! Open all day Saturday from 10am till 3pm.



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

Taryn McIlroy McNeill  
Crisloria Pioiva  
Cam Rouse-Compain



## Rugby

Saturday, 18th May 2019, saw our 1st XV Rugby lads take on Papakura High in yet another tough game and the years of rivalry remaining strong.

We commend our boys in playing a good, hard and "clean" game. Not only did they give 110% on the field but they remained calm, mindful and respectful.

Congrats Lads on another well deserved victory and moreover for holding your heads high with pride for yourselves, your families and more importantly for keeping the Rosehill flag flying high with PRIDE.

Well done to all our boys as the tries are scored through TEAM WORK!

**Try Scorers:** Eliesa Ahokovi x 2, Joshua Mose, Reegan Wheeler, Martinez Takei'aho & Isi Taimikovi

**Conversions:** Jarrod Hill x 2 & Josiah Lander x 1

**Player of the Day:** Isi Taimikovi

**Next game:** 25th May @ Rosehill College vs Marcellin - Kick Off 12h00

### Thanks to our Sponsors:

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## Hockey

### 1st XI Girls

Our second game of the season we came away with a win of 7-0 against Waiuku College. Throughout the game we continued to push and were determined to keep the fight up. Our goal scorers were Hannah Smith scoring 2 goals, Grace Chalmers, Abbey Chalmers, Monet Elisak, Shayne Elisak and Chelsea Nicholas. You should all be proud of yourselves for a great game can't wait for the rest of the season! Come down to see our next game at 5pm on Wednesday against Tuakau!

## Sports fees

If your child is involved in sport here at Rosehill College it is likely they will have sports fees attached to their school account. The sport fee amount usually covers. College Sport competition entry, uniform rental, administration fees and occasionally transport.

Sport fees are charged to your child's school account with a due date. If you have any questions around your child's sports fees please contact director of sport [m.hull@rosehillcollege.school.nz](mailto:m.hull@rosehillcollege.school.nz). Sports fees can be paid through a weekly automatic payment but must be paid by the stated due date depending on the team.

## 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](mailto:firstname.lastname@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.



Hello,

The PwC Scholarship is extended to students who can demonstrate they can problem solve and have the ability to think outside the box. We are not only looking for Accounting students, we are keen to see those studying IT, Economics, Languages and Science to name a few. We look for alignment between choice of study and our business areas which include Assurance, Deals, Consulting, Tax – Corporate/Private Business and Legal.

### Who's Eligible?

We're looking for bright, talented, curious, hardworking problem solvers to join our Scholarship programme. To be eligible to apply:

- Applicants must be a New Zealand citizen or permanent resident
- Applicants should: Be a final year student at any secondary school in New Zealand
- Students are eligible for our scholarship programme as long as there is an alignment between their choice of study and our business areas, which include Assurance, Deals, Consulting, Tax – Corporate/Private Business and Legal

### Please note:

- Any eligible student can apply and, contrary to previous years, they do not need a letter of support from their school
- Any number of students are allowed to apply (providing they are eligible) to the Scholarship Programme; there is no cap in terms of applicant numbers per school

## Your future begins now

 Campaign opens 11 June 2019	 Campaign closes 31 July 2019	 Shortlisting 1 - 14 August 2019	 Interviews 19 August - 6 September 2019	 Winners announced 19 September 2019	 Winner events 23 - 27 September 2019
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Find out more and apply at [pwc.co.nz/scholarship](http://pwc.co.nz/scholarship) or get in touch with us at [pwc scholarship@nz.pwc.com](mailto:pwc scholarship@nz.pwc.com)

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# COUNTIES MANUKAU ROWING QUIZ NIGHT

## What's going on?

Get your team of 8 together for an evening of trivia

\$20 per person or \$160 per table

Nibbles provided for each table

Door Prizes, Raffles, Auctions  
Best Dressed Table + more!

Please support our Rowing Club - funds raised assist with maintenance of equipment for the upcoming season

TICKETS ON [WWW.EVENTBRITE.COM](http://WWW.EVENTBRITE.COM)

SEARCH COUNTIES MANUKAU ROWING CLUB

## Where is it?

DRURY SCHOOL HALL  
22 Young Crescent DRURY  
Saturday 29 June 2019  
7pm - doors open from 6:30pm

Beer, Wine + Non Alcoholic drinks for sale

## Who Can Come?

Everyone over the age of 18! Teams are limited to 8 members per table.

