From James Clarke, Acting Principal

We won't be distracted from our focus.

We are a team, focussed on academic goals, respectful of others' skills and effort, hard-working, enjoying play and always caring for ourselves and others.

Yesterday, today and on Monday my assembly address makes these points.

- Class learning time is being used in a focussed and determined way.
- The vast majority of students' actions are facing challenges, making discoveries and solving problems.
- Teachers love their jobs and are passionate about helping young people.
- Tutor Group Teachers, Heads of House, Counsellors and Nurses have been available over Lockdown and since then providing a wellbeing service so that students can concentrate on their work.
- We get on together, are kind and caring, responsibly take up opportunities that are offered and respectful of others by working with them not against them.
- The absolute majority of people are enjoying their friendships and kai and games.
- In this period of recovery we all have a lot more to do and gain.
- However the misbehaviour at break times is damaging our wonderful culture of focus on the schoolwork. It's dangerous and unsettling, illegal and nasty, ruinous of students learning and schooling, disrespectful and distracting, way out of proportion.
- We won't let this continue. It's got to stop. Violence is not in our culture. Consequences will be given.
- Be happy that you have great schooling and every chance of a wonderful life and career ahead of you.

NCEA Learning Recognition Credits

NZQA will record the achievement results from the internal assessments and the external exams and then add on 1 credit for every 5 that have been gained to maximum of 10 at Level 1 and 8 at Level 2 & 3. These Learning Recognition Credits will be shown separately on the student's Record of Learning. However, they will only be used if needed; that is if the student has a total between 70-80 credits then the Learning Recognition Credits will be used to get the student over the 'pass line.'

e.g. At Level 1, if a student achieved 65 credits then they will have 10 LR credits available to be added; but that would total 75 credits which is not a pass, so the LR credits would not be used. If a student achieved 72 credits then they will have 10 LR credits available and they would be added because that would give them a pass of 82 credits.

GOVERNMENT SCHOOL DONATION SCHEME

The Board of Trustees has sent out a survey to whanau to ask if we should continue participation in this Scheme.

HOMEWORK CENTRE

The Library every Wednesday from 3.30 - 5p.m.

TERM 2 REPORTS

Tutor Group Teachers are checking the reports for all students which identify what level of achievement each student is at and what work needs to be done in the future. These will be delivered to you by your students on the last day of this Term, Friday 3 July, and be available through the Parent Portal.

If you wish to make responses or comments to me, please do so j.clarke@rosehillcollege.school.nz

DAYS

Term 2	**Week 10**	**15 - 19 June**	**Days 5 - 3**	**Level 1**

We are a team.
We are focussed on goals of gaining qualifications and access to next level study and careers.
We are respectful of others' skills and effort.
We work and play hard but we care for ourselves and others.
We are determined not to tolerate abuse of our culture of work focus and good behaviour.

James Clarke,
Acting Principal Term 2

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

Ella Watson

Sarah Whitehead

Eden Wood

12 Social Studies - Papakura Food Bank Donations

DO you have a meal at least every other day with meat/fish/veggies equivalent?
DO you have at least 2 good pairs of shoes?
DO you have at least one set of clothes for a special occasion?
DO you have heating in your room?

If you answered YES to these questions then maybe you can help!

Times are tough due to the recent pandemic of COVID-19. Families have lost jobs, skipped meals and missed the essentials - some families are just getting by. Kids all over New Zealand are going without these things every day and we can help prevent that. In New Zealand, one in five Māori children (55,000) lived in households with less than 50% of the median disposable household income before housing costs are deducted. The rate is similar for Pacific children (30,200). These rates compare with about one in nine for European children (80,300). This is why we need your help to offer what we have to those in need. Our goal is to pay it forward by donating anything that could help a family in need for the Papakura food bank - all produce goes to fill a hungry tummy. We ask that you donate any non-perishable items such as canned fish, canned vegetables (green beans, corn, tomatoes), canned fruit, spreads (marmite, peanut butter), rice, pasta. Students from 12 Social Studies will be coming around during Tutor Group Time to collect all donations.

Māori and Pasifika Homework Centre

The Maori and Pasifika Homework Centre will be running in the School Library each Wednesday after school from 3.30pm to 5pm, until the end of the Term. Teachers from most subjects will be available to work with students on their individual needs. Food will be provided for students who are utilising this initiative.

Miro's Bites

Kia ora! Nau mai! Welcome back to Rosehill College Library!

You might have noticed something strange happening on one of the walls in the Library. We are building Miro's Forest of Knowledge and need your help! Come into the Library next week and design some leaves for our mighty Kauri trees. Your leaf could include artwork, words of wisdom, quotes or wishes. They will be used as part of our native forest landscape. We're really excited! Make sure you pop in to check out the progess.

Don't forget to keep up to date with Miro and the Library by following us on Instagram @rosehillcollegelibrary

Noho ora mai – *Stay well, look after yourself, goodbye*

The Rosehill College Library Team

Te Roopu Awhina

Would like to invite whanau to a hui in Moemoea, June 25th at 6 pm. We are also looking at using Zoom cast to also engage whanau.
Our agenda is to catch up with whanau wellbeing and discuss Post COVID 19 strategies to help support whanau who have been affected by COVID. In regards to the Zoom cast, this only lasts 40 minutes, so we will update you with the link to join the meeting.

Nau mai haere mai.
Any patai (questions) please send an email to Whaea Pare at p.matthews@rosehillcollege.school.nz or call 0278082511 / 09 295-0661 ext 866.

FOR SALE
Mouthguards are available from the Sports Office for $5.00. Please bring correct money.

GOOD LUCK
Good luck to our Mixed XI, Girls 1st XI and Boys 1st XI Hockey teams who have their first matches next week.

RUGBY
1st XV Preseason
Saturday 13th June - 10am kick-off
At Rosehill College - Against Strathallan

SPORTS PHOTOS
Sport Photos will be held on Thursday August 13 in the Hall. Prices to be confirmed, payment required on the day.

IT HAS BEGUN
It is with great excitement that I announce the start of winter sports. All our codes have been busy gathering and starting training. It has been great to see so many of our students rejoining their sport teams. A huge thank you to our coaches and managers who have resumed the season.

From the Careers Department

UniTalks

Lets talk about UniTalks. Another virtual experience for your young people to engage in, and an exciting opportunity for students with a passion in specific subject areas.
If you are a student who is serious about; working in the Health Sector, working with spaces and places, working with young tamariki or maybe you're just curious about these things and want to know a little more?
This could be the talk that sparks inspiration.

Arohanui,
Unitec Pathways College Team

UniTalks - Study your passion, save the World
What: Find out how studying your passion, can help save the World.
A talk from some of our expert lecturers.
When: July School Holidays
Time: 3.30pm
Criteria: for Year 11, 12 or 13 Secondary School Students
Dates: Study Nursing, Save the World - 9th July 2020
Study Landscape Architecture, Save the World - 8th July, 3.30pm
Study ECE, Save the World - 7th July, 3.30pm

The Talks will be given via zoom, and there will be time for live Q&A at the end. All students will receive a digital certificate of participation.

Unitec - Our free School Holiday Workshops are back.

2020 July School Holiday Workshops

- **Screen Bites (7th July)**
  Learn about jobs in film and television industry. Combine creative and technical skills in this hands-on workshop where we'll write, produce, shoot and edit a short project.
- **Introduction to Early Childhood (15th July)**
  Have fun with hands on play activities and learn how to interact with tamariki in Early Childhood Education.
- **Introduction to Acting (15th - 16th July) 2-day workshop**
  This workshop will provide you with an introduction to acting training including live performance skills and working in front of the camera.

More information

To book, you must be a Year 11, 12 or 13 Secondary School Student (or age equivalent).

The workshops are free, however in lieu of payment we ask that students bring a can of food (or non perishable food item) that we can donate to people in need.

All students will receive a certificate of participation.

Book here

AUT Upcoming event
Parents information Evening 2020

We'll be holding our Parents' Information Evening on Tuesday 30 June. This time it will be run as an online event - meaning there will be no need to navigate the Auckland traffic to get to us, and we can also welcome parents from across the country to easily join the event.

On the night, we'll be taking parents through the programme offerings and AUT student services. We'll be available during the webinar for parents to ask us questions and to gain more information so they can support their children entering tertiary study. We will also be providing a useful resource pack with everything they would need to know.

Register

The University of Auckland - Entrance requirement changes for 2021

Due to the impact of Covid-19 The University of Auckland will be changing the entry requirements to programmes for 2021. They will broaden entry pathways and place a stronger emphasis on student's Year 12 results. **Table A and B requirements have been removed (for the 2021 academic year.)**

Please see the website for further details of the University of Auckland 2021 University entrance for school leavers including information on alternate pathways such as UniBound and Tertiary Foundation Certificate.

Virtual Careers Expo

The New Zealand Virtual Careers Expo will be held on 18-19 June. The expo will enable students to explore future pathways via real time interactivity and engagement with more than 30 tertiary education providers from around New Zealand.

Students will enter into a virtual 'exhibition hall' and can browse through a wide range of tertiary providers, visit virtual stands and engage in live chats and webinars with representatives from each institution.

Students will need to register online to access the expo. The details of the event are as follows:

- Thursday 18 June 12–8 pm
- Friday 19 June 9–5 pm

You can find out more about the event below.
www.mediadesignschool.com/virtual-careers-expo

Unitec School Holiday Workshop

For students interested in **designing buildings**. Students will shape their thinking around design elements while learning in a fun and hands on environment.

Workshop: **Building Modelling and Design**
Date: Wednesday, 16th July 2020
Time: 10am - 2pm

Book here

Ngā Karahipi Uru Rākau – Forestry Scholarships

Applications for Ngā Karahipi Uru Rākau – Forestry Scholarships opened on 1 June 2020, for study beginning in the 2021 academic year. Eight scholarships are available encouraging Māori and women to study Bachelor of Forestry Science and Bachelor of Engineering (Hons) with a major in Forest Engineering at University of Canterbury. More information including application forms is available on the Te Uru Rākau website.