



# TE PAEPAE O AOTEA

*Kia eke atu ki Taupaenui o te tangata*

## Newsletter – 24 May 2024

Kia ora e te whānau

What an amazing week we have had at school. We started with 'The Ultimate Youth Experience' on Monday. Not only did we have 30 Year 11 students attend the event, but also quite a few of our students from Year 10-13 who are part of Empower Youth worked alongside STDC staff to organise this great event.

Tuesday saw 50 of our budding Netballers compete in the TSSSA event in New Plymouth. Despite the weather they had a great day out and played some good Netball. On Thursday it was our Year 7 and 8 students turn to test themselves on the sports field when they competed against Highlands Intermediate. It was a tough day at the office for many of our codes with Highlands coming away with the overall win. Our students equipped themselves well by showing perseverance, resilience and humility throughout the day. I know our teams are looking forward to the remaining exchanges this year.

Our winter sports teams have started and we continue to share their game times and venues on Facebook and our SchoolApp. Our students work hard to prepare themselves for these games and it is always great when they have members of the community come and support them. Our supporters who have turned out so far this year have been great at positively encouraging our students to do their best on the field. A massive thank you to all our coaches and managers for ensuring that our students can turn out every week and represent the school. We would not be able to put our teams on the field without your amazing support.

Hopefully you have checked out the write up on our social media platforms about the parliament trip on Wednesday. Thirty of our Year 12 and 13 students had the opportunity to go on this trip. One of the most amazing things about this trip was that it was all student led and organised. Well done to Kaia and the academic committee - you created a wonderful opportunity for your fellow students.

In between all this excitement this week, many of our Year 10 and 11 students sat their CAA assessments. [NCEA Co-requisite](#) | [NCEA \(education.govt.nz\)](#) These assessments are Numeracy, Writing and Reading and students need to pass them to gain NCEA Level 1. Students can sit them at NZQA allocated times of the year from Year 9 onwards. The next opportunity for our students is September. Students who do not pass this round and many of our Year 9 students, will sit the assessment at this time. Well done to all our students who prepared themselves well for these exams. We now have a wait until these results are released by NZQA. As soon as results are available, we will share with students and families.

If you have been keeping an eye on our Tuakana Teina schedule for this term you will know that we are in the middle of Waiata practice. Next week at 2pm on Friday, 31 May, each house will be performing their two Waiata for the school. Each house has been asked to do one Waiata in Te reo Māori and one in another language. It has been awesome to listen to our students practising. Each house has chosen a different international language and they are certainly challenging themselves in this space. It is impressive the respect that they are displaying for different cultures. Our competition next week is open to the community and we do hope that many of you can join us.

Our students were proud to support Pink Shirt Day this year. They managed to raise over \$600 from their non uniform day to send to the Mental Health Foundation. Importantly this day was also an opportunity to promote anti bullying and being an upstander. If you have not checked out the pink shirt website, please do as there are some great resources on this site [Home | Pink Shirt Day](#).

Thank you to everyone that has supported us by ensuring their child is in correct school uniform. It has been great to see the response of our students. Our students look sharp in their new uniform - we are so proud of them. It has been a real privilege for us to be able to support our students to get their uniform items so they can feel comfortable and proud. If you know anyone who still needs support to get this sorted, please encourage them to come and have a conversation with us.

With the colder weather approaching it is important that students have the correct uniform including school jackets. If they are really feeling the cold, please encourage them to wear a plain black/navy blue thermal under their shirt/polo.

We are continuing to remind students that the dairy and park are out of bounds between 9am – 3pm. If parents can also remind students that would be helpful. We also need to remind them that if they do need to leave school during the day for legitimate reasons, they need to sign in and out at the front office.

If you drive past our school, you will notice our signs are up for the Lion King Junior. Our team are working hard to prepare for this. Tickets are now available for purchase. It is going to be a great event. Please come and support our wonderful students.

Thank you all for your continued support of the school.

Ngā mihi  
Rachel Williams  
**Tumuaki**



## School Policies

The school has a subscription with SchoolDocs to maintain, update and review our policies. SchoolDocs provide us with a comprehensive core set of policies that are well researched and follow the Ministry of Education National Administration Guidelines. The policies and procedures are tailored to our school and we supply specific information such as our charter together with procedures for behaviour management, reporting to parents, etc.

SchoolDocs update, modify or create policies in response to changes in legislation or Ministry guidelines, significant events, reviews/requests from schools and regular reviewing from the SchoolDocs team.

We invite you to visit the site at <https://tepaepaeoaotea.schooldocs.co.nz>

## SchoolDocs login details

<b>Username</b>	tepaepaeoaotea
<b>Password</b>	excellence



Policies for review Term 2

- Appointment Procedure
- Equal Employment Opportunities
- Teacher Relief Cover
- Safety Checking
- Police Vetting for Non-Teachers
- Timetable

Please login to SchoolDocs at any time to read and give feedback on these policies.

## Tuakana Teina Time (Fridays 1.45pm – 3.00pm)

The wider school community is welcome to join us for events highlighted orange.

Term Two	
Week 1	Whole School Assembly – Friday, 3 May, TSB Hub
2	Round Three: Head Leaders Challenge
3	Waiata Practice
4	Waiata Practice
5	Inter-Awa Waiata Comp – Friday, 31 May, TSB Hub
6	Whole School Assembly – Friday, 7 June, TSB Hub
7	Colour Run
8	Round Four: Head Leaders Challenge
9	Matariki – Public Holiday Friday, 28 June
10	Whole School Assembly – Friday, 7 July, TSB Hub

Term Three	
Week 1	Whole School Assembly – Friday, 26 July, TSB Hub
2	Mathletics Quiz - Juniors Town v Country - Seniors
3	Kapa Haka Practice
4	Kapa Haka Practice
5	Kapa Haka Practice
6	Inter-Awa Kapa Haka Comp – Friday, 30 August, TSB Hub
7	Whole School Assembly – Friday, 6 September, TSB Hub
8	Study for Seniors Junior Quiz run by junior leaders
9	Town v Country - Juniors Senior - exams

Term Four	
Week 1	Whole School Assembly – Friday, 18 October, TSB Hub
2	Study for Seniors
3	End of Semester Two
4	STEM Challenge
5	Goofy Games
6	Tabloids
7	Camp meetings

Blue indicates Juniors Only weeks.

The tuakana–teina relationship, an integral part of traditional Māori society, provides a model for buddy systems. An older or more expert tuakana (brother, sister or cousin) helps and guides a younger or less expert teina (originally a younger sibling or cousin). In a learning environment that recognises the value of ako, the tuakana–teina roles may be reversed at any time. For example, the student who yesterday was the expert on te wā and explained the lunar calendar may need to learn from her classmate today about how manaakitanga (hospitality) is practiced by the local hapū.

[The concept of a tuakana–teina relationship / Aspects of planning / Teaching and learning te reo Māori / Curriculum guidelines / Home - Te reo Māori \(tki.org.nz\)](#)

## Te Paepae o Aotea Building Update from the Ministry



**Te Tāhuhu o  
te Mātauranga**  
Ministry of Education

On Tuesday, 5 May 2024, the Ministry of Education met with the Establishment Board of Trustees (EBOT) to discuss and commence the master planning process for the future redevelopment of Te Paepae o Aotea.

The next step is to engage the services of a master planning/lead design consultant who will work closely with the Ministry of Education and EBOT to develop a master plan and concept drawings.

We look forward to getting this project underway and will continue to provide regular updates to ensure the school and wider community remain informed of progress throughout each stage of the redevelopment project.



Our Social and Emotional Learning focus for this week.

This work is completed each morning in Whānau Hui.



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# NCEA ACCORD DAY STAFF ONLY

**Monday, 27 May 2024**



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## NEW CANTEEN HOURS

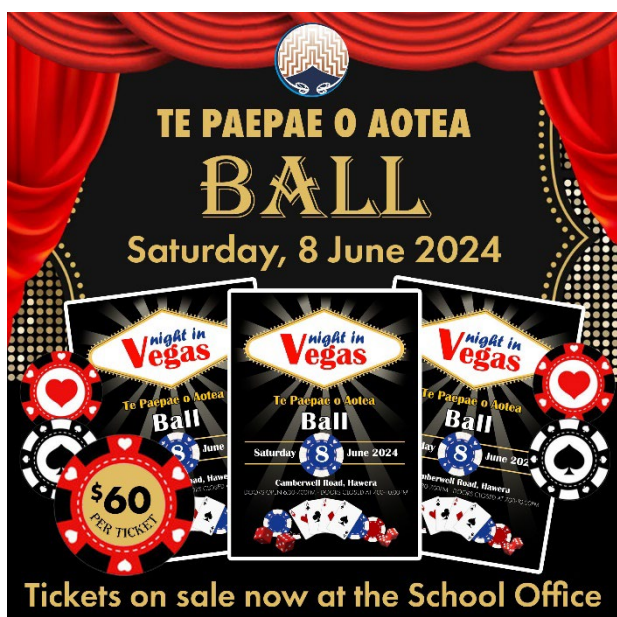
**MONDAY CLOSED**

**Tuesday-Thursday**

Open at Morning tea & Lunch

**Friday is now**

**Fundraiser Friday**



## Cell Phone Implications

Our front office staff are finding it difficult to locate students during break times if they need to leave school for appointments. Please communicate to your child before school if they have an appointment that day. Alternatively, please communicate your child's appointment time to the office outside of break times so they can get a message to their classroom.

Break times are **Morning tea 11.15am – 11.45am / Lunch 1.15pm – 1.45pm**

## Confiscated Cell Phones

**First time offence:** Student cell phones can be collected by students at the end of the day. If a student is leaving early during the day, the office will ring home to confirm the student is not returning later in the day before they will issue them their cell phone.

**Second and subsequent offences:** Student cell phones will need to be collected by a caregiver. If they are leaving early, a parent will still need to come to school to collect their phone.

## Attendance and Engagement

The Ministry of Education has released the following guide to help support parents and caregivers to have their children attend school and develop habits of regular attendance.

[Student attendance: Guide for parents and caregivers – Ministry of Education](#)

## School Ball

It is important to note that students are expected to attend school 80% or more to be eligible to attend school events, including the School Ball. Encourage your students to track their attendance through the parent portal using their school login and password. If you have any questions, please contact Rachel Williams (Principal) or Mahaki Akauola (Senior Pastoral Leader).

After School Senior Academic Support	
The following opportunities are available for students to seek extra support in their subjects during Term 2, 3.15-4.00pm	
Sciences	Tuesday – JBA Wednesday – GBA Friday – EPL/TWI
Mathematics	L2: Tuesday L1: Wednesday L3: Thursday
Photography Visual Arts	Monday Tuesday
Digital Technology	Thursday
English	Monday



# Te Paepae o Aotea Head Leader News

24 May 2024

## COMMUNITY LEADER

Emilia Scott



Kia Ora,

Last Friday we held a Pink Shirt Day. This was an absolute success! It was awesome seeing so many of our students coming to school dressed in pink showing support for this great cause. Pink Shirt Day is an annual event organised by the Mental Health Foundation of New Zealand and is all about working together to put a stop to bullying by promoting kindness and inclusiveness. To help spread this message, whanau hui time focussed students on how to create a kind and caring environment. Some of the things we thought about were the consequences of our words and actions toward others and if we see someone being bullied, how we can be upstanders rather than bystanders.

Another exciting event approaching quickly is our school Ball. This is a highlight for all our Year 12-13 students. Our Ball is being held 8 June at the TSB HUB. This year's theme is 'Night in Vegas'. Tickets went on sale this week, \$60 per ticket, head over to the office to purchase yours.

Ngā mihi  
Emilia Scott

## CULTURAL LEADER

Tamati Horo



Kia Ora everyone,

Last week we had our first practices for the Waiata competition. It was great to hear all awa getting together and coming up with song choices for the competition. It's also good to hear most people are participating and having a good time. One more week until the competition itself, so keep practicing and sharpen up those vocal cords. Good luck to all the awa, but, Up Kaupokonui!

Ngā mihi  
Tamati Horo

## ACADEMIC LEADER

Kaia Silva



Kia Ora

This week for 'Spotlight On' we have a piece about being a caregiver. Be sure to check that out.

This has been an exciting week for the academic committee. On Wednesday, we took a group of Year 12's and 13's down to Wellington to visit Parliament. The purpose of this trip was to see our government behind the scenes; to understand how our country is run. A lot of the students who attended are voting age or will be soon, so it's important to understand at least the basics of politics, since your vote could end up affecting our country. While in Parliament, we toured the building and saw all the different rooms shown on TV. We also met with some MP's and asked questions about their jobs. We sat in for Question time and watched debates between different members. Overall, it was a great opportunity and I hope that the students took something away from it. Our thanks to Mr Carl Bates MP who helped make this trip possible, Mr Elgar and Mr Mortensen for taking us on the trip and to Carlitos Morellon Anderson for bringing this idea forward so we could make it happen.

Ngā Mihi  
Kaia Silva

## SPORTS LEADER

Sha-meel Chengan



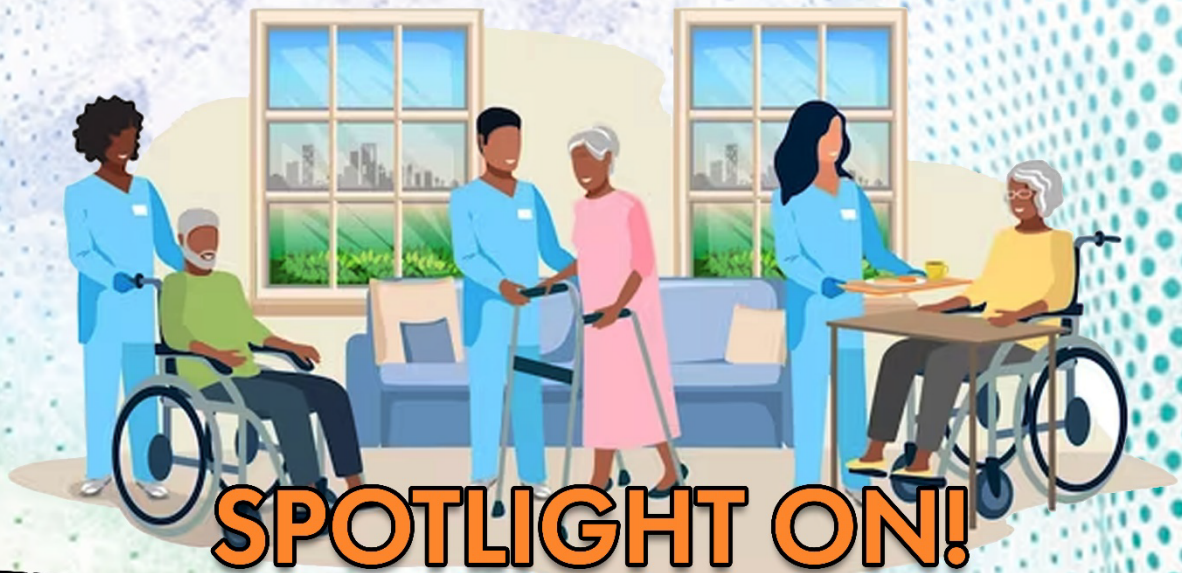
Kia Ora,

We're now in the flow of the new term and sports are finally under way. Pre-season is over and the seasons have begun. Well done to all the teams that have been playing in the last few weeks. I hope you're all getting used to being back out there. Good luck to all those playing this weekend or during the week. Play hard and give it your all.

LRA is also now under full effect with both junior and senior futsal being quite an attraction. Be on the lookout for the LRA calendar, listing all upcoming events. LRA is a good place to come and have fun with your peers, step out of your comfort zone and try something new, so please come along and be there for your awa.

Last thing from me, have a great weekend. Play hard. Enjoy.

Ngā mihi  
Sha-meel Chengan



# SPOTLIGHT ON! Health Caregiver

Allison Clark

## HEALTH CARE ASSISTANT AT TRINITY

### 1. Did you envision yourself in this career?

Yes, it was long term goal to assist people with special needs. I work mostly in a dementia unit in an aged care facility.

### 2. How did you end up in this position?

When my youngest child started school, I re-entered the work force starting as domestic staff in an aged care facility, assisting with the tea trolley and answering bells. I did nine years as a community support worker before returning to aged care facility care giving.

### 3. What would you say is the hardest part of this career?

To observe people deteriorating cognitively and in health and then when they pass from dementia and other age-related ailments.

### 4. What are some benefits of this job?

Meeting many people and hearing each resident's story of their life. They are very interesting to listen to. Also working in a multi-disciplinary team with my colleagues.

### 5. What would you rate your job?

I enjoy assisting people. I rate it out 9/10.

### 6. What is the range that you could earn in this career? (entry level vs experienced)

Beginner with no qualification, \$22.49 to Level 4 or 12 years experience, \$29.10.

### 7. What did the training entail?

Orientation, manual handling training every 12 months (learning to operate sling hoist, standing hoist, sara steady, transfers standing, bed bath transfers, using sliding sheets) and level papers through careerforce.

### 8. What skills help you in this job?

It takes someone special to do this role. You need to be patient, have empathy, be flexible in thinking, kind, calm, reliable and punctual.

### 9. What is your favourite aspect of this job?

Assisting people and listening to the residents' stories, also being of comfort and a listening ear.

### 10. In high school, what are some opportunities that could help put people ahead?

Be open minded to try various opportunities such as career days, any skill learning, first aid courses, peer support seminars anything that is on offer, give it a go. Be mindful of attendance, read and research. Get involved in leadership roles and community events. No matter how shy you are, challenge yourself.



# Student Success

## Ngā Manu Kōrero Speech Competition

### Junior Prepared Speech - Sir Turi Carroll

Indyka-Azaria Hill

3rd Place - Overall

### Senior Speech - Korimako

Tiama-Deziah Hill

1st Equal - Best Female

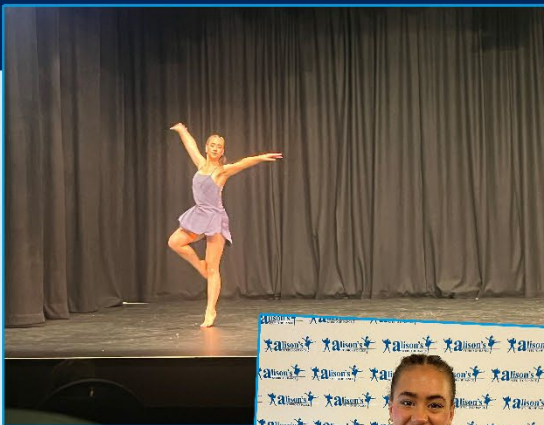
2nd Place - Impromptu

2nd Equal - Place Overall

Te Paepae o Aotea congratulates Indyka-Azaria Hill, Tiama-Deziah Hill and Tamamihiata Edwards who competed at the Ngā Manu Kōrero Speech competition held on Thursday 16 May in Whanganui.



## Julia Scott's Local Dancing Achievements



**1st Place  
Contemporary**

**1st Place  
Ballet**

**2nd Place  
Lyrical**



Te Paepae o Aotea congratulates Julia Scott on her successful weekend at a local dance competition. This was Julia's first competition in two years. Julia received an Encouragement Award for her ballet and choreographed her own contemporary dance.



**Speak UP  
STAND TOGETHER  
STOP BULLYING**  
KŌHĀRO MAI, KŌHĀRO ATU, MAUHO TĒ, MAUHO ORA  
FRIDAY 17 MAY 2024



lift each other up



On Friday, 17 May, Te Paepae o Aotea students came dressed in PINK to raise funds for the Mental Health Foundation. Together our students raised over \$650.

**Mental Health Foundation**  
mauri tū, mauri ora  
OF NEW ZEALAND





# Student Success



## Year 12-13 Students Visit Parliament

## Ryan Offered 3rd Cornet in NSSBB



Te Paepae o Aotea congratulates Ryan Finey who has been offered 3rd cornet in the National Secondary School Brass Band playing in Nelson this October. Ryan has been playing a brass instrument for the last five years and following his family's move to Taranaki in 2021, playing cornet in both the Junior and Senior Brass Bands. This year, Ryan joined Te Paepae o Aotea's band, again playing lead cornet in both the Junior and School Band.

On Wednesday, 22 May 2024 Te Paepae o Aotea took a group of Year 12's and 13's down to Wellington to visit Parliament. The purpose of this trip was to see our government behind the scenes; to understand how our country is run. A lot of the students who attended are voting age or will be soon, so it's important to understand at least the basics of politics, since your vote could end up affecting our country. While in Parliament, we toured the building and saw all the different rooms shown on TV. Students also met with some MP's and asked questions about their jobs. Our students sat in for Question time and watched debates between different members.



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**BASED ON THE BROADWAY PRODUCTION DIRECTED BY** JULIE TAYMOR

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# TAUPAENUI BADGES



**Are you ready to embark on an exciting journey of learning and exploration?**

**Te Paepae o Aotea Taupaenui Badges are our homework program for year 7 & 8 students.**

What are Taupaenui Badges, you ask? Well, imagine a treasure trove of fascinating homework projects, each one a shiny badge waiting for you to earn. From the depths of history to the wonders of science, and everything in between, there's a badge for every curious mind.

## **Here's how it works:**

Taupaenui Badges is completely optional, but oh-so-rewarding! You get to choose which badges you want to tackle, whether it's diving into the mysteries of space or uncovering the secrets of ancient civilizations. Each badge comes with a variety of tasks, each worth a different number of stars.

Your mission, should you choose to accept it, is to complete a total of 20 stars' worth of tasks to the best of your ability. Don't worry, you can complete them either digitally or with good ol' pen and paper – whatever suits your style!



Once you've conquered your chosen tasks, it's time to submit them to the one and only Mrs Surgenor for marking. If your work shines bright like a star in the night sky, you'll be rewarded with a certificate of achievement and, drumroll please, your very own Taupaenui badge!

**Picture yourself proudly wearing that badge at the next Awa assembly, knowing that you've ventured into the realms of knowledge and emerged victorious.**

**So, what are you waiting for? Let the quest for Taupaenui begin!  
Dive in, explore, and let your curiosity guide you to greatness. The adventure awaits!**

Please click on the link below for ALL Badge information:

[AAA Year 7-8 Taupaenui badge information.pdf](#)



# Sports News

Kia ora whanau

## Year 7-8 Winter Sports Exchange – Highlands Intermediate

Yesterday Te Paepae o Aotea hosted Highlands Intermediate school. It's been eight years since Highlands came South to participate in the Intermediate sports exchange. We are very lucky to have the HUB facilities which saw several of our events held inside with Football, Rugby 7's/Rippa and Hockey held outside under some damp conditions.

Highlands played extremely well overall however our Boys and Girls Rugby and Rippa teams were awesome, winning their games.

Thank you to all the staff, parents and students who helped in the exchange.

Huge thanks to Miss Gilbert for the enormous work she put in behind the scenes.

## Sports Expectations

If students are wanting to participate in events or their sporting codes, they must abide by the expectations they have agreed.

- 80% attendance in school.
- Follow and uphold our school values and expectations.
- Always wear correct school uniform in school and to events when asked.
- Have a satisfactory behavioural record and be respectful to staff and students.

We do not want to see students missing out on playing sports through the wrong choices they have made.

Ngā mihi,  
Vicki Roberts  
Sports Coordinator

2024 Up and Coming Sporting Events	
TSSSA Years 9-13	
Skateboarding	Monday, 27 May
E-Sports	Wednesday, 29 May
Years 7-8	
9-Aside League	TBC



# YEAR 7-8 WINTER TOURNAMENT

## Te Paepae o Aotea v Highlands

**BASKETBALL**



**CHESS**

**BOWLS**



**NETBALL**



**RUGBY**

**RIPPA RUGBY**



**HOCKEY**



**FOOTBALL**

**TABLE TENNIS**



**E-SPORTS**



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# COMPETITIVE CROSS COUNTRY

## FRIDAY MAY 10, 2024 - RESULTS

### Year 7 & 8 Girls

Placing	Student	Awa
1 <sup>st</sup> Place	Tayla Sturgeon	Waingongoro
2 <sup>nd</sup> Place	Alyssa Mills	Tangahoe
3 <sup>rd</sup> Place	Emma Wasley	Waingongoro

### Year 7 & 8 Boys

Placing	Student	Awa
1 <sup>st</sup> Place	Mason Lord	Pātea
2 <sup>nd</sup> Place	Kymanii Tautuku-Walker	Kaūpokonui
3 <sup>rd</sup> Place	Jackson Neil	Waingongoro

### Year 9 Girls

Placing	Student	Awa
1 <sup>st</sup> Place	Mikayla Arnold	Waingongoro
2 <sup>nd</sup> Place	Charlee Stokes	Kaūpokonui
3 <sup>rd</sup> Place	Aaliyah Smith-McMahon	Kaūpokonui

### Year 9 Boys

Placing	Student	Awa
1 <sup>st</sup> Place	Ryan Finey	Pātea
2 <sup>nd</sup> Place	Lachlan Wills	Kaūpokonui
3 <sup>rd</sup> Place	Roman Parkinson	Waingongoro

### U16 Girls

Placing	Student	Awa
1 <sup>st</sup> Place	Maddison Sturgeon	Waingongoro
2 <sup>nd</sup> Place	Madisyn Pascoe	Waingongoro
3 <sup>rd</sup> Place	Peyton Scott	Waingongoro

### U16 Boys

Placing	Student	Awa
1 <sup>st</sup> Place	Drej Climo	Waingongoro
2 <sup>nd</sup> Place	Russell Hockley	Waingongoro
3 <sup>rd</sup> Place	Wills Griggs	Waingongoro

### Over 16 Girls

Placing	Student	Awa
1 <sup>st</sup> Place	Annja Petersen	Waingongoro
2 <sup>nd</sup> Place	Angel Harrison-Lopati	Waingongoro
3 <sup>rd</sup> Place	Jaida Rei	Tangahoe

### Over 16 Boys

Placing	Student	Awa
1 <sup>st</sup> Place	Carlitos Morellon Anderson	Waingongoro
2 <sup>nd</sup> Place	Jacob Baylis	Kaūpokonui
3 <sup>rd</sup> Place	Te Koha Domb	Tangahoe



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## 2024 TARANAKI U19 VOLLEYBALL TRAINING SQUAD

Te Paepae o Aotea congratulates our two students for being named in the 2024 Taranaki U19 Volleyball Training Squad.

**Marshall Frearson and  
Mason Kempton**



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## 2024 TARANAKI U17 VOLLEYBALL TRAINING SQUAD

Te Paepae o Aotea congratulates our three students for being named in the 2024 Taranaki U17 Volleyball Training Squad.

**Charles Jemenez  
Ethan Hagley  
Jaxon McDonald**



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## NETBALL TARANAKI U16 MIXED TEAM

Te Paepae o Aotea congratulates

**Charles Jemenez**  
on being selected for the  
Netball Taranaki U16 Mixed team.



# TE PAEPAE O AOTEA

## School Sponsorship

Te Paepae o Aotea wish to thank our amazing businesses for their support with sports teams and school events.



# TUI ORA



## Bert Thomas PANEL BEATING



If your business would like to sponsor a school sport or event please contact  
[Vicki.Roberts@tepaepaeoaotea.school.nz](mailto:Vicki.Roberts@tepaepaeoaotea.school.nz) or [Claire.Kalin@tepaepaeoaotea.school.nz](mailto:Claire.Kalin@tepaepaeoaotea.school.nz)



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**2023**

## Student Achievements

At Te Paepae o Aotea we have students who participate and represent themselves in activities from sports, cultural, academic, and community in and outside of school.

Our school values are shown and upheld through



**AOTEA**



**TAUPAENUI**



**PAEPAE**

We want to capture your achievements and celebrate these with you and our wider school through assemblies, newsletters and our social media platforms.

YOUR achievements are what YOU believe you have accomplished and feel proud about and would like to share.

Information will be collated and entered onto a spreadsheet which will be kept for our records throughout the year. Information gathering helps with reports and prizegiving.

Please take time to share your successes with us by filling in this form and selecting the 'Activity' and then a brief description. Forms can be filled out whenever you need to update your achievements.



Click on the link below to register achievements now for Sports, Culture, Academic and Community.

<https://forms.office.com/r/CzPCqjDPwR>



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Te Paepae o Aotea promotes our school values (Aotea, Taupaenui and Paepae). We show **Taupaenui** by being the best version of ourselves. This applies to players, referees, coaches, managers, administrators, and all personnel involved with our sport teams.

Our guidelines outline how we help, cheer and celebrate from the side lines demonstrating **Taupaenui** within our sport.

**Taupaenui means we will:**

- Respect all players, referees, coaches, managers and supporters.
- Cheer the efforts of all players, including the opposition because we're all doing our best.
- Support the coaches and managers. They are volunteers.
- Keep all communication and actions positive in our environment.
- Show others that we know the meaning of **TAUPAENUI**.
- Celebrate the fact that we have the opportunity to watch our rangatahi enjoy themselves.

Showing **Taupaenui** means that we value, we support, we unite in good sportsmanship on and off the field. We will strive to reach our full potential in a positive and supportive environment.



**AOTEA**



**TAUPAENUI**



**PAEPAE**



All school uniform items need to be purchased through:



[tepaepaeoaotea.nzuniforms.com](http://tepaepaeoaotea.nzuniforms.com)

# JUNIOR UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS

Uniform fitting days at the School Office - April 15-18, 10am-2pm

- All students are to wear the new lower half of the new school uniform (purchase from NZ Uniforms): Trousers, shorts, skirt or culottes.
- Students have the option to wear the new polo shirt or until the end of 2025, the existing Te Paepae o Aotea polo shirt.
- Junior students have the choice of either the school hoodie, blazer, vest or new softshell jacket. Juniors are also able to wear the existing Te Paepae o Aotea hoodie and jacket until the end of 2025.
- Students are to wear plain black or navy-blue socks. **Socks cannot be worn with sandals.**
- Shoes must be **ALL BLACK** for both closed in shoes and sandals. **No crocs, no slides/scuffs.**



## Compulsory Junior Lower Uniform



There is zero tolerance, every student must be in the correct uniform.



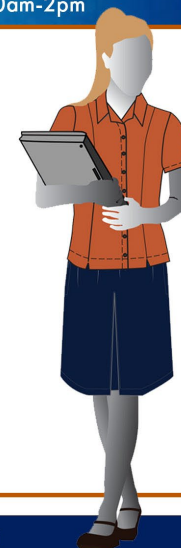
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# SENIOR UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS

Uniform fitting days at the School Office - April 15-18, 10am-2pm

- Year 11-13 students have the option of wearing the rust blouse/shirt or new and existing polo shirt with the **lower half of the new uniform options of trousers, shorts, skirt or culottes.**
- Year 13 students have the option of wearing a white shirt for 2024 only.
- Senior students have the choice of either the school hoodie, blazer, vest or softshell jacket. They are also able to wear the existing Te Paepae o Aotea hoodie and jacket until the end of 2025.
- Students are to wear plain black or navy-blue socks. **Socks cannot be worn with sandals.**
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## Compulsory Senior Lower Uniform



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