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Tēnā koutou katoa.

2021 has been another challenging year with Covid. Despite the uncertainties of the school year, the pages of this college magazine contain evidence of our students' learning and accomplishments and their creativity, resilience and

perseverance. It is also a reflection of the commitment and efforts of our staff. Once again, I would like to thank our Horowhenua College board members; Garry Good (Deputy Chair), Hanchen Johnson (Staff rep), Megan Bolton, Nikki Simpson and Bob Slade. We were delighted to welcome Jhyslle Ratima to the board during the year and appreciate the fresh perspectives she brings to the board table. We are also very grateful for the stellar contribution of our student representative Misipeka Ana. Misipeka leaves Horowhenua College at the end of Term 4, and we wish her all the best

for her future endeavours. We couldn't function without our Principal/Tumuaki, Grant Congdon and our outstanding Board Secretary, Kate Searle. I am so grateful to this incredible group of people for all their time, skills and abilities.

This 2021 College magazine reflects numerous aspects of our 'four pillars' - our academic focus and our arts/cultural, sports and service activities. These activities represent the fun, building of relationships and the shared achievement we have as a school community. Horowhenua College Board wishes to thank all those who have supported our students this last year: parents/caregivers, whanau, community members, local businesses and organisations. It is a privilege to be part of a community that desires to grow successful young men and women together. I hope you enjoy reading this magazine as much as our students and staff have enjoyed participating in the activities contained within it!

Ngā manaakitanga.

Juliana Mansvelt Chair, Horowhenua College Board



Back: Kate Searle (Secretary), Nikki Simpson, Hanchen Johnson, Grant Congdon Front: Misipeka Ana, Bob Slade, Juliana Mansvelt, Jyslle Ratima, Pauliasi Taumoepeau Absent: Megan Bolton and Garry Good

Principal's Report

Kia ora koutou, Talofa lava, Greetings everyone.

Last year I referred to 2020 as being 'a year like no other'. As it turns out, 2021 has had some similarities. In 2020 a Covid-19 outbreak required us to go into lockdown; another outbreak in 2021 resulted in a further lockdown starting 18 August and not ending until 8 September. The three weeks of lost learning were compensated by Learning Recognition Credits being made available to students sitting NCEA and the starting date for external exams being delayed by two weeks. As such, students were in timetabled classes for longer which helped reduce the stress and anxiety on these students.

As with last year, the responses by our staff to the dilemmas caused by Covid-19 have been amazing. Seamlessly maintaining learning programmes through online contact with students was achieved. Pastoral staff provided support online and support staff maintained the necessary administration processes. Everyone was definitely ready to return to face to face learning after three weeks of lockdown. My congratulations goes to our staff and students for their resilience and perseverance during the challenges and uncertainties caused by Covid-19.

Thankfully Cultural competitions were able to go ahead this year after being cancelled last year due to Covid-19. Our kapa haka group, Ngā Wai o Mana Whenua, competed in the regional competition in Feilding. Dylan Kiriona, TIC Te Reo Māori, was our staff member involved, and with students from our three local colleges making up the group, they 'raised the bar' of our kapa haka

performances to gain an impressive 4th place. Our pasifika group, Lototaha, competed in the regional Pasifika Fusion competition in Palmerston North. Having won the coveted Kava Bowl for the best cultural performance in 2019, and with a cancelled competition in 2020, they were the



holders. Jessica Foster, Dean of Pasifika students, oversaw the preparations. Many hours of practice had the Kava Bowl returning to NUA with much excitement. The whole college was on the front lawn to meet the buses on their return and there was much haka, hugging and tears.

Covid-19 interfered with sports, and most regular competitions were cut short. The resurgence of our 1st XV rugby was a significant highlight, as was our 1st XI Boys Football team winning Division One again. Notably, Olly James scored at least one goal in every game for our 1st XI Football - 21 goals in total. Extra to this he scored a further 30 goals for his Division 3 men's team.

Some exciting property developments have continued on from those of 2021. Jono Johnson, our Campus Manager, has overseen the construction of a large shade structure which can seat about 250 students. The Horticulture Academy was resited with new sheds, plots and a hot house, and the hall kitchen was refurbished.













My sincere thanks goes to our hard working staff who consistently go above and beyond to grow, develop and support our students. I am constantly humbled by their professionalism and good will.

We have a number of staff leaving at the end of 2021 - Alex Sheward taught in the English faculty for 2021, Peter O'Sullivan has taught PE for 2021, Eucheriska Bianchi has taught Science for 2 years, Sancia Duncan was our Guidance Counsellor for 2.5 years, Rowan Dixon has been our Property Handyman for the past 2 years. Cathy Croad taught Dance and Food Technology for 5 years, Tobias Meyer has taught Mathematics for 5 years, Vicki Wilton has taught Social Sciences for 10 years and been a proud Dean of Hīnau for 7 with us. We also have a long serving teacher retiring. Sue Staples has taught at our college for 34 years. She is a highly respected colleague and is viewed as 'a legend' by our students. Sue leaves a legacy with all she has invested into her students and our college over these years.

My thanks also goes to our Board who consistently provide sound governance for our college. We are fortunate to have such a professional and dedicated Board who show genuine concern for our students and staff. We also enjoy and appreciate the cheese scones from Juliana Mansvelt (Presiding Member) which she makes and delivers every Friday for our staff morning tea. This year, after much consultation, the Board agreed to a recommendation tabled by college management and Heads of Faculty. The recommendation was to remove streaming from all courses of learning at our college. This decision was well received from all staff.

That is just a snapshot of what has taken place during 2021. Covid-19 has presented many challenges, but with challenges come opportunities. Enjoy reading this year book and celebrating the many experiences and achievements contained in it. We look forward to 2022 knowing it will be another enjoyable, challenging, busy and exciting year as we continue to grow successful young adults.

Ngā mihi koutou, Tofa soifua, Kind regards to you all

Grant CongdonPrincipal/Tumuaki



College Staff



Back Row: Tobias Meyer, Louise Mattheus, Dylan Kiriona, Sean Nolan, Chris Wilton, Christopher Fearon, Paul Wright, Phillip Ferzli, James Gilroy, Nick Stachurski, David Tate, Justin Tate, Mel Bryant, Daniel Riggs

Fourth Row: Kate Searle, Vicki Wilton, Jessica Foster, David Brewerton, Donna Elliott, Andi Hirini, Eucheriska Bianchi, Julie Bolton, Susie Prentice, Sancia Duncan, Marichelle Daniels, Gay Congdon

Third Row: Anthea Hale, Kieran Bryant, Brooke Hooper, Damian Samson, Angelique Sandbrook, Sue Staples, Leanne Phillips, Lucy Pearce, Steven Marshall, Heather Baker-Fraser, Jonathan Johnson, Rebecca Davidson, Isaiah Eagar, Bethany Nicholas

Second Row: Cathy Croad, Yvonne Lane, Sandie Calder, Marika Holloway, Stephanie McKenzie, Gina Kelly, Samantha Wiblin, Raymond Hunia, Courtenay Davis, Martine Lewis, Rowan Dixon, Alexandra Sheward, Madeline Beckley, Helen Given, Kawa Gardner

Front Row: Liz Lewis, Hanchen Johnson, Amy Huse, John McElwee, Samantha Wehipeihana, Sharon Moerkerk (Deputy Principal), Grant Congdon (Principal), Jason White (Deputy Principal), Jenny Petterson, Jeanette Gilroy, Claire McCormick, Kathy Grey

Absent: Carole Brungar, Melanie Davies, Nada El Hosseny, Jane Eyles, Nicole Hamilton, Fay Lai, Alida Louw, Anna Newman, Peter O'Sullivan, Lisa Paxton, Margaret Porteous, Miki Sadakane, Melissa Signal, Anthony Skelton, Kelly White



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Anthony Skelton Workshop Assistant

Kelly White Administration Assistant - Student Centre

Left during the year: Leanne Phillips

Staff Notes

The beginning of 2021 saw a number of new staff welcomed into the college. Some were on a fixed-term contract covering for our teachers on maternity or study leave, some were replacing those who had left, while others were new positions created as our school roll continues to increase.

Amy Huse took over as Head of the Mathematics Faculty, where she has shared her love of maths with her staff, students and the entire school, introducing Maths Week where house points were earnt by answering maths questions. Steve Marshall also joined the Mathematics Department teaching Maths and Accounting, and has taken on the role of Principals Nominee, ensuring that NCEA standards in the school are monitored and maintained. He also ran what became a rather competitive and memorable game of staff Cluedo. Lovely ladies Samanatha Wiblin (Drama), Alex Sheward (English) and Nicole Hamilton (English and Media Studies) all joined the Languages Faculty. Daniel Riggs was another new face who can be found either teaching English, or out and about with his Outdoor Education classes. Courtenay Davis and Kieran Bryant are popular new teachers in the Social Science Faculty, while computer whizz Sean Nolan became our new Digital Technology teacher.

Super fit Peter O'Sullivan joined the Physical Education Faculty, and amazed us all competing in the 666 kilometre GODZone adventure race. Mel Signal went on maternity leave and we congratulate her and her partner on their gorgeous baby boy.



We also welcomed Mel Bryant to the role of Learning Support Coordinator, and have enjoyed the experience and new ideas she has brought with her. Isaiah Egan joined the property team 3 days a week, and his hard work and painting skills have ensured our school facilities remain looking their best.

There have been changes in the Deans positions this year. Julie Bolton became the Dean for Hīnau while Jessica Foster was appointed the Pasifika Dean. Samantha Wehipeihana became the Assistant Principal and Justin Tate stepped up to jointly share the Kōwhai Dean role with her. As Hanchen Johnson stepped into the role of acting Head of Physical Education Faculty, Nick Stachurski became a second dean for Rātā, primarily looking after the junior students with Hanchen overseeing the the seniors. Another internal change was Jenny Petterson becoming Head of the Technology Faculty.



At the end of March we farewelled much loved Carpentry and Design teacher Damian Samson, who left teaching to go and work in the building industry. We welcomed Jason Huria into the Technology Department as the new Carpentry teacher and students have enjoyed the projects that he has introduced. In Term 2 we welcomed Teacher Aide Te Kahui Baker to the Learning Extension Faculty, where his kind, calm manner and knowledge have been greatly appreciated. In Term 3 we farewelled our Financial Officer Leanne Phillips, who went to a new financial position. We thank her for all the hours and effort she put into this role. not only keeping the schools finances in order, but for the many other tasks that she took on during her time with us. We wish her all the very best in her new job. In August we welcomed Kylie Jennings to the staff as Kaimanaaki Tauira to support our non-engaged and truant students. Kylies sense of humour combined with her no nonsense approach is making an impact.

As the year draws to a close we will be farewelling some staff members. We thank Alex Sheward and Peter O'Sullivan for all they have contributed to the college during the year. We farewell Eucheriska Bianchi, whose lovely manner and South African baking will be greatly missed. We say goodbye to Maths teacher Tobias Meyer and his meticulous organisational skills, and Cathy Croad who has inspired many students with not only a love of dance but also a love of baking, sharing her delicious brownie recipe during cooking classes. We thank Handyman Rowan Dixon for all his behind the scenes and often unseen hard work and Guidance Counsellor Sancia Duncan, who has helped, supported and made a difference to the lives of many students during her time here. We also wish Sue Staples a happy retirement after 34 years of teaching at the the college. We wish all of you who are leaving the very best and hope you have fond memories of your time here at Horowhenua College.













Head Students



The year of 2021 has been a big one and as the Head Prefects here at Horowhenua College would love to share the journey we have been on with you. As Head Boy and Head Girl we have had big shoes to fill as we have had amazing Head Prefects that have come before us that have left a monumental legacy and we wish to continue this. This role has been extremely rewarding as it has provided us with an immense amount of opportunities. Firstly engaging with our Year 9s, making their transition to college easier has been immensely fulfilling as we find ourselves at the tail end of our time here at college. As a face for the school the mana and ihi felt as we represent our school in multiple affairs such as the ANZAC Civic Parade where we were given the honour to address all those gathered. Furthermore, opportunities such as attending regional balls and leading a fine group of Prefects who together spearheaded our final year at Horowhenua College are definite highlights.

Thank you:

To Caroline Hyslop and Ake Tawara, thank you for being such amazing deputies! Your constant support and willingness to offer a helping hand is what has made you amazing role models and extremely triumphant within this role.

To our Tumuaki Mr Congdon, the man at the helm

of the ship leading our kura without falter. We are grateful for your faith in us and watching us grow not only as individuals but as a team this past year. From day dot your wisdom and guidance has always carried us this year and those rugby talks will not be forgotten alongside the knowledge you passed on!

To Mrs Searle a.k.a Mumma Searle, we are so thankful for all that you have done for not only us Head Prefects but the Prefect team as a whole. You go above and beyond for us students and we couldn't be more grateful! We are so happy that we have come to know such a bubbly and kind person who is so eager to help. We will miss all the laughs we have shared, you are truly appreciated and you are an amazing role model and asset to Horowhenua College.

To Mrs Johnson, thank you so much for being such an amazing Rātā Dean. Your competitiveness, kindness, and compassion for what you do is why you have been such an amazing role model for the both of us. We are really appreciative of your hard work and dedication to our house, thank you for everything!

The role of being Head Prefects has been exceptionally fulfilling and enriching. It has provided us with so many amazing opportunities to not only grow as leaders but as individuals, which we could never be thankful enough for. This role has consisted of many experiences that are memorable as a lot of them are once in a lifetime opportunities and the skills that we have learnt have allowed us to be able to utilise them later in life. We are more than grateful for the time we have spent at Horowhenua College and the role as Head Prefects and we are well prepared for the next milestones in our lives. To the Head Prefects of 2022, we wish you nothing but the best for your year as Head Students. We hope that you are successful in all that you put your mind to and you make the most of this extremely rewarding role. Best of luck for your endeavours!

Joel Paxton and Ellee Gilmore Head Prefects



Prefect Portfolios



Academic Jason Sue & Callum Baines

Kia ora, this year we have had the privilege to be the Academic Prefects. 2021 has been a hectic year for academics. Many challenges were encountered throughout the year causing us to adapt, but that only led to the growth of ourselves as young adults. During the year we have organised a number of events to encourage the participation and academic growth of students within our college, along with the support of our committee. Such events include the Spelling Bee, Chess Competition and The Chase.

Our yearly Spelling Bee was our first event for 2021. This event showed great participation.

Like many spelling isn't our strong point, but everyone involved gave it their best shot, which is what it's all about. The Chess Competition was our next event, and it was filled with stunning masterminds. Though Chess is not an extremely popular sport, this event gave light to students that had high interest in it and the spectators enjoyed some rather intense games. Our final event was The Chase, a fairly new competition that was introduced last year. Like the TV show, it consisted of students putting together their brains to come out on top and beat the chaser.

Overall we have thoroughly enjoyed our year as your Academic Prefects. Upholding this role sculpted us into capable and optimistic young adults who are ready to tackle the future. We hope that you have been influenced to take on more academic opportunities, as that is what grows successful young men and women.





ArtsJessica Burgess & Brooklyn Greig-Hartley

Kia ora and hello! We are your 2021 Arts Prefects. We started our year introducing a new event called "Pastel-Tastic" where houses designed a pastel mural based around the theme of 'Positive Things About Horowhenua College.' This was an absolute hit as awesome designs were made. An event Brooklyn proudly participated in was on the 25th of June, where our fabulous school band, 'Age of Steel' went head to head one last time in the 2021 Smokefree Rockquest Manawatu regional finals. Unfortunately for the band they received no placing, although the reaction and comments from the crowd were valuable as well as

made a significant positive impact to those who competed. We held many more events such as colouring in competitions, wearable arts and created a new initiative of "Nua's Got Talent" which hopefully the 2022 Art Prefects can further develop.

The opportunities that this role has given us are immense. We have developed a greater understanding of how cultural, musical and art events bring light as well as happiness to the students at Horowhenua College. These events have also highlighted how important the arts culture is in our lives as young adults. This role has enabled us to gain excellent leadership, time management skills, as well as a good bond along the way. We are looking forward to starting a new chapter in our lives. Jess is off to university to study Criminology and Sociology as well as working towards being an international judge for professional dog handling. Brooklyn is starting a chapter working full time in the transport industry. We would like to pass on a massive thank you to our Arts Committee, and also to Mrs Gilroy, Mr Tate, Mr Wright and Mrs Wehipeihana for their hard work, support and dedication!





Cultural Soane Kilioni & Troy Beckham

Talofa lava. Events that I, Soane have been involved in have had such an amazing impact on me. Winning the Kava Bowl this year has really built a solid bond between the members of He Vaka Moana. Everyone put a lot of their own time and effort into practicing for their big moment and it all paid off by winning first place this year. Running events such as Jandal Jam, performing at the domain with Tomorrow People, going up to Waikato University to explore and learn about what they have to offer Pasifika students there, Fia Fia night at Horowhenua College – these



special events have brought the Pasifika students close, close like family, they're accepting of one another and they treat everyone equally like family.

Kia ora e te whānau, ko Troy toku ingoa. Events that I have been involved in have definitely built the strong woman I am today, carrying that mana and aroha for being Cultural Prefect by getting involved in as many Māori cultural based events as possible. Cooking and selling hangis to fundraisers for the Teina and Tuakana trips, going to the whare kai for Shared Kai Mondays, going to Tikanga Tuesdays to learn my pepeha, going to primary schools around Levin to teach the rangatahi how to speak in te reo Māori, learning new waiata, leading the haka, winning the biggest Māori award in Rangatahi Ora which is the Te Tihi award, going to different colleges for Māori Language Week and facing them in traditional Māori games. The biggest thing for this year is definitely the kapa haka group Ngā Wai O Manawhenua going to nationals in Palmerston North and performing against the best schools in the Manawatu. We are so lucky to have teachers, parents, uncles and aunties who are so invested in our tamariki that love haka and wanted to build a group out of the three colleges, Manawatu, Waiopehu and Horowhenua. They put a lot of time and effort into training nearly everyday of the week, and staying at the marae to build a solid bond between each other and learn new waiata and haka for the big event in Palmerston North.







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International

Valerie Antonio & Gerhardus Louw

G'day everyone. We are the International Prefects for 2021. This year's International portfolio was a challenging task to set up, as due to Covid and lockdown regulations we weren't able to have many larger events or any foreign exchange students coming over this year. Due to this we had to develop ideas on ways to integrate the celebration of cultures throughout the college, but sadly many were not able to happen. Although there were a lot of things we weren't able to do we were blessed enough to help out around the Prefect Team in other areas. Something we have learnt from this experience is the importance of patience, but also the

connections you make while working on many things. In return this has allowed us to grow and talk to the year groups below us to help them to feel more comfortable at school. In a year of patience and challenges to our portfolio, we have been grateful to work together in the 2021 Prefect Team alongside some amazing people and will continue to take the skills that we have learnt along the way into the future. Gerhardus will be going on to study a Bachelor of Design with courses in scripted film making and Valerie will be going on to study a conjoint Bachelor of Arts/ Bachelor of Business majoring in theatre.



Media Jayden Duggan & Kaitlin Eyles



Kia ora koutou. This year we have had the privilege to be the first ever Media Prefects of Horowhenua College. Being the first Media Prefects, we had an exciting venture into the discovery of what this means and have had the opportunity to form our role and shape it into what we believe our college needs. This year we started off finding ourselves being very photography oriented and making sure we have our spectacular school events covered with our cameras. We had the opportunity to do lots of behind the scenes work throughout the year, such as rolling notices for our assemblies, along with creating videos

to promote different events happening within our school.

One of the most significant steps we have taken is receiving access to the school's Instagram page. After a lot of discussion, we decided that the school Instagram should be student led, run by students to connect with students. The Instagram page was soon filled with all sorts of things from school updates and important notices for the students to follow, to showcasing what our students have been doing. This has helped us to become more engaged with the students and keep them up to date with things happening around the school – and it was especially useful during the Covid lockdown period. While we had planned to continue with the House Video Competition this year unfortunately, after lots of planning, Covid stopped us. Instead, we were able to bring back a lockdown favourite, Spot the Tot and were kept busy updating our Instagram page throughout the lockdown to keep students informed in a fun way.

In being given the Media role, we have been given many opportunities and it has allowed each of us to grow individually and learn all sorts of new skills. We are both so grateful for the experience and will take away lifelong memories as we each start a new chapter of our lives. We are excited for this role to live on within Horowhenua College's Prefect Team because with the changes of technology and New Zealand media, this role will become more prominent with each new year. We see a fantastic future for the media role and we feel proud to lay the first stepping stones for the next Media Prefects to follow throughout the years. Cheers for an amazing year everyone!



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Social Salaina Fuauli & Mary Martin

We kickstarted the year organising the Year 9 Welcome Dance with a 'Country' theme. We welcomed the Year 9s by having a pool party, games and dancing in the hall, enjoying pizza and fizzy. This was a fun event to welcome and create relationships between the Year 9s and the College. Thank you to the teachers who kindly helped supervise and control the fun and especially Mr Wright for organising the lighting and sound system.



The second half of Term 1 was busy with preparation for the School Ball. The committee members worked hard to successfully host a ball with the theme' Happily Ever After'. Throughout the Term 1 holidays last minute finalised details and finances were completed. The majority of the second week of school holidays was hands-on work in the school hall, clearing and cleaning in preparation for the silks and interior design. Each committee member had a set task in a group including photography, DJ/music, photobooths, food, interior and exterior design. The ball was held on the 1st of May with an attendance of 165 people. The Horowhenua School Ball is a huge event for the school that is thoroughly looked forward to by many senior students. It was a lot of effort and was a huge learning process however the time put in wasn't a waste, as the night was definitely one to remember. A huge thank you to Mrs Phillips who very generously helped us with the financial aspects, the ball committee for giving

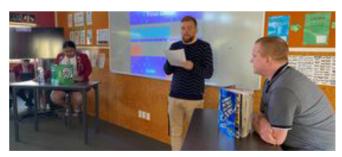


up their time to attend meetings, as well as close friends and Ball Committee members who helped with the preparation the final days before the ball and the clean up. Lastly, a huge thank you to the teacher in charge of the ball, Mrs McCormick, for overseeing everything and keeping us under control, as well as the generous parents who helped on the day and leading up to the ball.

In Term 3 we designed the leavers hoodie for the class of 2021. We have worked closely with Kendall Bridge-Connell the Sales Manager at 'Promote It' in Auckland. We have created a simple yet inclusive design making it personal to each Year 13, having their name included in a large 21 at the back of the hoodie. There is the school emblem and name included at the front. Year 13s are able to have their chosen name at the back of the hoodie as well.

At the end of Term 4 we are hoping, if all goes well with Covid alert levels, to have a leavers dinner at the George Cafe. This is a special time where the Year 13s, teachers and parents can reminisce memories, share a meal together and celebrate the success and growth of the past five years spent at Horowhenua College.











Social Action Casey Harding & Elle Webb

Our role is to encourage students within our school and community to get involved with helping others. We have planned events throughout the year to allow students to be able to do so. Through the events we have planned this year we



have raised a total of \$6383.09 from our school to give to a range of organisations to help those in need. Our first big event was Shave For a Cure, which had a really good turn out and we were very happy with the outcome as we were able to raise \$3632. This prepared us to be able to organise The 40 Hour Famine. We were fortunate enough to be able to attend the World Vision Youth Conference in preparation for this and we raised \$2163.79 for children living in poverty. We also organised a Food Bank Donation, Gumboot Friday, Pink Shirt Day, and there were several other events that were unfortunately unable to happen due to the effects of Covid.

We are both very grateful for the opportunities that this portfolio has opened up for us. It has enabled us to gain excellent leadership and time management skills and showed us how making a small impact can help so many people in a way neither of us expected. We are looking forward to starting a new chapter in our lives next year as



we both move into university life. We would like to pass on a massive thank you for all the help and support we have gained this year from our Social Action Committee, Ms Moerkerk, Miss Lewis and Ms Grey.



SportsAke Tarawa & Caroline Hyslop

Kia ora koutou! We have had the privilege of being your 2021 Sports Prefects. Our primary role within the college is to organise and facilitate sports events for both students and staff to participate in. Without a doubt, it has been an eventful sporting year for both ourselves and the students. Significant events included the annual Heretaunga Sports Exchange and for the first year, a rugby exchange with Te Aute College in Hawkes Bay. We kicked off the year with Athletics and Swimming Sports, two big events which started the competitive house events for 2021. Together we ran two inter house competitions, dodgeball and futsal,

with Staff vs Year 13 games to correspond alongside these. Unfortunately, Covid caused some disruptions towards the end of the year, however the engagement and excitement we received prior to this was extremely rewarding for the both of us to witness.

As Sports Prefects, the opportunities that have been presented to us have allowed ourselves to build strong relationships with all levels at Horowhenua College – especially within our Sports committee. Without a doubt, these relationships would never have been formed if we weren't in this role. It has enhanced our

leadership skills and opened up both new learning opportunities and perspectives on what leaders are. Our time management skills have improved immensely as knowing there is a lot on our plate to balance resulted in us appreciating the time we did have. We are extremely grateful for all the opportunities that have been presented to us and we would like to express our gratitude towards the P.E Department, our Sports Committee and all those who worked behind the scenes which ultimately made our roles slightly easier. As we are both heading to University next year, we wish you all the best for 2022!





Well-Being Ellee Gilmore, Joel Paxton & Sophia Kingi

Our role solely focuses on the well-being of the students as well as teachers here at Horowhenua College. This involves the four areas of well-being/hauora, Taha Tinana (physical well-being), Taha Hinengaro (mental and emotional well-being), Taha Wairua (spiritual well-being) and Taha Whanau (social well-being.)

The Well-Being portfolio is something that the three of us are extremely passionate about and wanted to take action and get involved in order to positively enhance the lives of the students here at Nua. Some of the

events that we were involved in were Anti-bullying week and hosting a Pink Shirt Day. We held a well-being week which focused on the four areas of well-being. During the week we raised awareness with posters, did Just Dance in the hall for physical well-being which was a successful and fun event, gave out appreciation notes for social well-being, and spoke in assembly and brought light to some apps that students can use to positively impact their well-being. Each term we handed out teacher appreciation notes to all students so they could write

a message to a teacher that they appreciate, because the well-being portfolio for us is about focusing on teachers well-being as much as students. We also have a 'Student Welfare' google form up and running which provides students with a platform to seek help for themselves or a friend anonymously. Lastly, during lockdown, we continued the Well-being website for students to access 24/7 which was updated weekly with new ideas on what they could do to positively enhance their well-being in their own home.

The opportunities that this role has provided us with is of extreme importance and has been immensely rewarding. This role has allowed us to further understand how important wellbeing is within our school community. We have learnt about the steps to take towards making positive change in the lives of others as well as actions which help raise awareness surrounding our well-being. It has also allowed us to truly appreciate the importance it has in our own lives and has given us the opportunity to positively enhance our own well-being! We would like to thank our Well-Being Committee, Mrs Nicholas, Mrs Johnson, Mr White and Mrs Duncan our Guidance Counsellor. All your support and help has been extremely advantageous and working alongside you all has been exceptionally beneficial.









BOT Representative

Talofa koutou, as Student Representative on the Board of Trustees, I am also the Chairperson of the Student Council. In the council, we have two students who represent their year group and meet up monthly to discuss the wants and needs of the student body. It has been a great year with the 2021 Student Council, where the ideas of bringing in scarves as a new uniform as well as a new water fountain was discussed and ultimately agreed to be passed by the Board of Trustees. Having been given the opportunity to be Student Representative from 2020 to 2021 has been a

learning experience which has allowed me to upskill myself in areas such as collaboration, communication, and listening to members from the Student Council and the Board of Trustees. It has been a great year in this position and I am thankful for my council members, Nikita, Elizebeth, Hermione, Brooke, Angelina, Willow, Sharman, Piper, Minnie and Jonathan, for their passion and dedication to voicing the opinions of their peers. Shout out my Secretary and Treasurer, Nicole and Annand, for always being prepared for our meetings and helping make my role easier. I would like to extend my gratitude to the Board of Trustees members for always encouraging me to speak up and for all the enjoyable board meetings. Lastly, I would like to thank the student body for voting me in and allowing me to represent them, granting me opportunities and experiences I had not experienced before. I wish nothing but the best for the next Student Representative as well as you all for 2022!

Daily Life at NUA







Year 9

Coming from a small rural school, I was a bit anxious but also very excited about starting at Horowhenua College. Walking through the gates on the first day and being welcomed with a powhiri helped me to relax. The remainder of the week was spent with Teachers, Prefects and Peer Support leaders and ended with us all tramping up Trig and then going for a swim in the college pool. This was a fun way to meet the rest of Year 9 and to make some new friends.

College life started the following week when the whole school returned and classes began. Trying to find my classrooms amongst 650 other students was a bit daunting at first and I admit to getting lost at least once. Our Peer Support leaders were great at helping us settle in and learn our way around the school. They encouraged us to step out of our comfort zones and try new things. I took the advice and was given the opportunity to be in the college's production of 'Into the Woods'.

Participating in events like athletics and swimming sports was loads of fun. Dressing up in our house

colours and earning house points brought out our competitive sides. Rātā was the house to beat and the rest of the school brought their 'A games'. Go Kōwhai. Go!

Our year was interrupted in Term 3, Covid was back! This time it was Delta that kept us home for three weeks. Online learning was quite different from the classroom. It was a strange mix of online lessons and pet parades. The teachers were very supportive with our well-being the main focus.

As I write this, Term 4 is about to start. Hopefully there will be no more lockdowns as I am really looking forward to spending Activities Week with my friends. Paintballing and go karting sounds like a great way to finish a very busy year.









In February 2020 I started at Horowhenua College as a Year 9. Now I was a small fish in a big pond. Even better, I was a "guinea pig"! I was to be part of the first dyslexic friendly class for Horowhenua College. My classes in the beginning were hard and I sometimes couldn't understand, but the teachers at Horowhenua College helped me to learn the different things they were teaching me. Through their help I was able to get top student in my class and this was big for me because I had always been at the bottom. This really helped me to be on the right track for when I started Year 10.

Year 10 saw me no longer as that "guinea pig" and integrated back into the "normal" school system. This was hard for me at first due to being in such a small class the year before, it took me awhile to settle back into the normal school life. Even though I have what they would call a disadvantage I was still able to get good grades that both my Mum and Dad were very happy with, especially in Art and DVC which are two of my favourite subjects. During the year I had to do some NCEA exams, these exams were in English and also one in Science. Doing NCEA tests in Year 10 wasn't what I thought it would be like, I thought that it was going to be really hard and I probably could have died of fear. But I was wrong, it's not easy but if you put in the extra work and lots of effort then you will be able to get marks that you are proud of. Yes, Year 10 can start off confusing but it's not much different from Year 9, and all the teachers have your best interest at heart so if you do the work then you may even surprise yourself.

This year's swimming sports and athletics day were fun, and I very much enjoyed getting involved with the other kids and having a chance to do different things with my friends, and I also tried to help Ngaio win.

In week 8 and 9 of Term 3 all Year 10 got to sit down and listen to the different subjects for next year and were told about how the NCEA exams work. Sitting down and listening to all of this just made me shake and I got more and more nervous for Year 11 by the minute, and my parents and the teachers weren't helping when they kept saying that we would be fine.

Covid-19 is still in our world, levels continually adjusting up and down. 18th August 2021, another







lockdown started and more self-learning. Having to do my work from home was hard to start with, but I adjusted and it became easier. I was able to do my work easily and get things done by the deadlines. One thing that I really just found hard was having to do assessments and tests in lockdown. I was really angry when the teachers gave everyone more time for their assessments when we got back to school. But Covid messed with more things than just my assessments, it also messed with the one sport I signed up for this year, netball, which I had been finding rather fun and a good learning experience. There was one other thing it messed with which was Ngaio and Rātā's work week, where we get to go and work at a company for a week instead of school.

There was also Get-Go Futures day where all the Year 10's spent half their day at one workplace and the other half at another workplace. I went to Thermosash where they make glass and Woodhaven Gardens where they grow vegetables. Get-Go Futures day was fun and a good experience which gave me the chance to learn about different companies, the way they work and what the employee relationships are like.

So, there we have it. In a whirlwind almost 2-year

period, my junior years at Horowhenua College are almost over. I look forward to finishing the year with a trip to Waitomo full of adventure, fun, laughter and hopefully some good food. A senior next year. Am I ready? I am not sure. Am I scared? I guess a little bit. Have I got this? Yes, I have!!

Lacee Collins - Year 10



At the start of the year, Year 11 was a bit of a step up from Years 9 and 10. Having to manage your time better so that you can achieve higher in your assessments is a big change and it took a little while to get into the habit of becoming a senior. Once I reached senior school I felt like I was supposed to be here and had found my place in school. You have been here enough to know most people in the school and how everything works. You have pretty much found your tight-knit group of friends, although still make new ones as well. Year 11 is not hard, but I guess it slowly begins to prepare you for the next years to come in Years 12 and 13, as it teaches you to manage your time for work a bit more. Lockdown during this year was also good time management for our classes, even if I did not always manage the time great:) The step up to senior school is nice, but as we are coming towards exams I do kind of wish that we were a year younger and going to activities week instead of spending hours upon hours studying for exams.

One of the highlights for me this year was the Year 11 Business Studies market day. We spent a few months preparing for it and it was a great time, even though it was a little stressful at certain points. It was a bit tricky going from Year 10 to Year 11 as you had to manage your time a lot better. Trying to fit in school work, trainings, work and just time with friends and family into one day took some time, but once you figured it out it was easy. Overall I am enjoying Year 11 much more than Year 10. While the classes are at times definitely more challenging, they are also more enjoyable, more engaging and the whole atmosphere changes. You feel like you are treated more like an adult, which is great. Personally, I wouldn't want to go back to Year 10 because I'm enjoying Year 11 so much more, even if we have exams coming up at the end of year.

Emma Tito & Joel Bishop Year 11











This year has been full of fun and challenges for the Year 12s. Lockdown hit mid Term 3 for a few weeks, which really impacted some activities and our mock exams. However, even though we did miss out on some events and have had exams pushed back by two weeks, we have been fortunate enough to still be provided with many opportunities throughout the year before lockdown. Many of us were worried about coming into the "big year" of NCEA, however thanks to the help of each other and our teachers, the ride has been a lot smoother.

Throughout our journey this year, Covid has had a big impact on not only our learning but also the social activities we were to take part in. After the ball had been postponed in 2020, there were many worries as to whether the same would happen again. We were thankfully very lucky that the ball was able to go ahead along with the many house competitions that started off the year. Being a part of the ball committee myself, I'm happy to say that it was a huge success and many really enjoyed partaking in the event. As the year progressed, derived exams grew closer and most if not all of the Year 12s had gotten into a steady pace for the









year. We participated in many programs that were offered to us through school. These included the "Love's Me Not" program where we learnt more about issues with abusive relationships and how to spot them. We were a part of the RYDA program that taught us about driving safety and awareness of dangers on the road.

While the sudden lockdown threw many of us off track schooling wise, we were lucky to have many teachers that would video call and keep us on track. Without our teachers and each other, it would have definitely been a big struggle getting to our exams with confidence. We have had to learn to cope with walls being pushed at our faces, and seeing as the challenges with Covid have been ongoing in the past 2 years, it'll definitely be interesting to go through our last year together next year and to see what lies ahead.

Anand Ranchhod & Emma Zussino Year 12











2021, the year that the Year 13s of Horowhenua College experienced lockdown part 2. In the midst of university applications being due and derived grade exams coming up, when the stress couldn't have been higher, it hit. With all the challenges that came with this, we still



managed to prevail with all the support from students and staff. Whether we have chosen to progress on to university, another educational establishment, an apprenticeship, or employment, we sought out the support of others. Having such a tight-knit group of Year 13s has made this process much easier.

Year 13 camp was one of the binding events we experienced as a year group. It gave us the opportunity to connect with our diverse group of students through many activities. We cleaned together, danced together and played games together. All of these activities set us up for great relationships throughout the year. It allowed us to connect with other students in our year group who we usually did not engage with, creating unity within our year group. This camp brought us so many positive experiences that we will continue to remember. Year 13 camp continues to be a highlight of Year 13 life at our college.

Being a Year 13 meant that we were the role models of the school this year. With this came many opportunities that helped us to become successful individuals. Many opportunities were offered through peer support, committees, and sport teams. Committees were now open to all year levels, allowing Year 13s to collaborate with many students to enhance school life from wellbeing to academia. The Prefects led these committees and effectively upheld the positive culture









of the college, which helped to create a safe and enjoyable environment for the rest of the school. Other areas where culture is encouraged are in the newly created He Vaka Moana group and within Lototaha and Rangatahi Ora. These groups celebrate the diverse cultures we have in our school. Alongside this, many opportunities were given to guide students into post-college life. We all transitioned into Year 13, holding on to many unknowns, but the support we received from teachers and staff helped us process many big life decisions. Many university visits and open days were unable to occur due to Covid-19 however, there were many online resources to help us.

We entered Year 13 with an open mind, readily grasping any opportunities available, as it was our last chance before college was over. This school set us up for success by following the NUA values of being responsible, respectful, and building relationships. There was always a chance to do something extraordinary, as everyone has the potential to succeed in Horowhenua College. The staff have been an enormous help in moulding us into the successful young students we are today and we can't thank them enough for the support they have given us throughout our five years at college.



















Horowhenua Services Academy







"HE WAKA EKE NOA" To work as a group, a brotherhood unified to stick together through thick and thin and with nobody left behind. This Māori proverb incorporates what it means to be part of the Horowhenua Service Academy.

Joining the academy means to change a person's perspective on things, it also gives people more confidence and brings out the best in them. Once joining, you push yourself to achieve your goals and put 100 percent into everyday life. The students who join the academy will find out they are responsible for their actions and responsible for themselves.

The Horowhenua Service Academy is directed by Staff Hunia, the foundation and spine of the academy. The Service Academy still takes part in the core subjects of school so it sets you up for a successful future, while also taking part in academy courses throughout the year. This consists of induction for two weeks, bushcraft and adventure challenge. Students who display leadership skills at the induction course will go onto basic leaders, and then three students will be chosen to go on to advanced leaders training. These courses push students to their full potential and breaking point, giving them life skills and friendships, also memorable memories that they will never forget with the academy.

Staff gives students the opportunity to lead an activity or class, for example a drill lesson, physical training or a team building activity. These examples give the students a chance to show their leadership, command, and control skills, tools that will be helpful for them in the future after college.

The Services Academy is a great programme that is underrated and should be widely promoted. Other schools in the area have been interested in the programme. Staff is always welcoming new students into the academy.

At the end of the year, the academy has their graduation. Year 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13 classes join together and conduct a marching parade. VIPs are invited, awards are presented and speeches are said. Families are welcome to attend. The students perform marching drills and finish the graduation with the School and Services Academy Haka.

A Māori proverb to end our article off. He whakatauki - Titiro whakamuri, Kokiri whakamua - Look back and reflect so you can move forward.

No reira, tēnā koutou, tēnā koutou, tēnā koutou katoa. Mauri ora.

Jack Firmin, Charlee Barr, Ashlee Millard, Finau Vakasiuola & Jessica Stokes







Rangatahi Ora

TEINA

Rangatahi Ora has played a special part in our lives at Horowhenua. It has given us an opportunity to learn and express our culture while at college. Being a part of this group has given us the confidence to be more comfortable with our reo & helped us learn more about Te Ao Māori.

Each week we have Shared Kai Mondays and Tikanga Tuesdays that bring us together as a whānau. Our attendance and commitment also helped us work towards the teina trip for activities week at the end of the year.

Another part of Rangatahi Ora are our Hangi fundraisers, preparing and selling hangi to our whānau and friends.

During Te Wiki o Te Reo Māori, Waiopehu College hosted our annual Whanaungatanga Day where we played a traditional Māori game of 'Ki O Rahi'. The day was about celebrating our reo and our hākinakina Māori.

Overall, this year has provided us with the opportunity to show people who we are and where we come from, and the culture we love and cherish.

Nikaia Hepi-Taratoa, Irene Vehikite and Ariana Hennessy.















TUAKANA

Rangatahi Ora is a cultural group who are not only active in our school but our community. We strive to maintain and enrich the value of our cultural heritage with the past, present and future generations of our small town. Over the past few years we have branched out our knowledge to the younger kura around the Taitoko area, partnering with schools like Fairfield, St Joseph's, Levin East, and many more. We teach them to get back in touch with their whakapapa and make sure they know their past.

Each year we have a Tuakana trip that brings out opportunities like visiting universities around the country. This year we visited Waikato University and had a look at some students' potential futures, and saw past students from Rangatahi Ora thriving. This trip really changed students' perspectives for those who had never thought about going to university and are now talking about potential futures. This was a big change, these trips don't come easy though, you have to strive to come to all our Rangatahi Ora activities and even learn your pepeha.

Rangatahi Ora teaches you to be confident with your culture and it brings out a lot of mana in students. Some people see Rangatahi Ora as a safe space for you to be yourself and not feel judged by the world around you. Rangatahi Ora may have younger and older students but we're all one big whānau.

Khavarn Tukapua and Jade Hurunui

He Vaka Moana

Ni sa bula vinaka and warm pasifika greetings.

He Vaka Moana is an initiative that started in 2019 and aims to mentor students in their pursuit of excellence while at college. The program has grown immensely this year, with 20 students in regular attendance at our after-school study sessions and others engaging in all aspects of college life such as service, sports, academics, and cultural activities. We were lucky enough this year to welcome Tausi Tausi, an ex-Horowhenua College student who joined the program as an academic mentor/assistant and helps students Monday to Friday from 3–5pm, particularly with STEM subjects.

Students are encouraged to volunteer for service opportunities around the college, they can attend workshops on NCEA, leadership, university, career pathways, and scholarship applications. Senior students are able to talanoa with each other and get help with assessments and school work. We encourage all Pasifika students to attend at least one session after school and look forward to growing our group as the years progress.

Jessica Foster Pasifika Dean















Reports

Languages

At the end of last year the Languages Faculty temporarily farewelled Ms Thomson who went on leave for some further study for the entire year. We have missed her enthusiastic presence around the English and Media Department and are looking forward to her returning for 2022. We again welcomed some new staff members to our Faculty: Miss Wiblin, our permanent staff member, who is teaching English and Drama, Miss Sheward and Miss Hamilton, our temporary staff members, who have been teaching English and English and Media respectively. They all settled in and guickly became established members of our Faculty. We will all be sad to farewell Miss Sheward at the end of the year. It has also been a pleasure to have our Outdoor Education teacher, Mr Dan Riggs on board teaching English to our Year 9 and 10 students.

For the second year in a row we have been unable to have our international visitors to the college. I will again say that hopefully, in the not too distant future their visits will resume.

Just when we thought we had made it through the year without lockdown it was sprung on us mid Term 3. Once again, as Head of Faculty I was very proud of the work our teachers did to ensure the best possible learning experience for our students and they took to these new electronic methods easily and coped well with learning English, Languages, Media and Business from a distance.

Our new course this year has been Te Waharoa, introduced and taught by Matua Dylan and Matua Chris. It has been a very popular course that has allowed the students to be immersed in a wide range of Tikanga that they have thoroughly enjoyed being a part of. I am looking forward to witnessing this new course becoming entrenched into our Maori learning program.







Once again, I am able to point out the academic success of our students across the Faculty. The two year Level 2 English course has been a particular success where we have seen our Year 11 students achieve Level 2 standards and feel a real sense of pride in doing so. The consistent and regular achievement we see across our Faculty is testament to the hard working staff that I have the pleasure to lead.

That makes way for my final words of saying thank you to the large number of staff who teach the wide range of subjects that are part of our Languages Faculty. It is their hard work, care for all students and enthusiasm, that allows it to be a Faculty where students consistently see the success they are capable of. I wish them the very best of luck for 2022.

Claire McCormick Head of Languages Faculty



JAPANESE

We have had a great year in Japanese. Four very enthusiastic and onto it groups of Year 9s have moved through the course, while a focused and motivated combined senior group have continued their studies. Meanwhile, two Year 10 groups have been expanding their knowledge with Ms. El Hosseny.

It is sad to have another year with no International visitors, but we continue to be hopeful that borders will open sometime in 2022, and that a trip may be possible in 2023.

But we have made the most of what we have, and the positive energy and good humour evident in all groups have made it a pleasure, yet again, to teach such a wonderful group of people.

Louise Matheus

Teacher in Charge of Japanese





TE REO MÃORI

This year has continued to see an increase in the number of students learning Te Reo Māori and it has been particularly pleasing to also have a senior class with students studying at NCEA Levels 1 and 2.

The introduction of Te Reo Māori classes for our staff has been another exciting initiative this year with many taking the time to develop in confidence and learn new words and phrases to use in the classroom.

Te Reo Māori is a part of who we are as a culture in Aotearoa New Zealand, so it is important that everyone has a good understanding and can pronounce Māori names. Some of our students are just starting their journey, while some have been building their knowledge for many years. Classes have been fun and enjoyable, and incorporate learning about many aspects of Te Ao Māori.

Activities include kõrero (speaking in small groups and in front of the class), whakarongo (listening to waiata, video clips and each other speaking), tuhituhi (written notes from the whiteboard, worksheets and text books) and pānui (reading a range of texts including subtitles from videos). We also learn karakia, play lots of games, perform plays and sing waiata too.

Our whare Te Puna o te Mātauranga with its freshly painted carvings and colourful kōwhaiwhai, is a culturally active and supportive environment. Hearing Te Reo Māori being spoken by our rangatahi ensures that the legacy from previous generations of staff and students will live on.

Kōrero te kōrero kia puta te kōrero Kōrero anō te kōrero kia tika haere te kōrero e.

Matua Dylan Kiriona

Teacher in Charge of Te Reo Māori







MEDIA STUDIES

Media Studies has been an exciting and developing subject at Horowhenua College in recent years. This year we have had both junior and senior programmes and have some extreme talent coming through the classroom doors everyday. This has been showcased through the plan and design of media products at both iunior and senior level.

The subject area has been made all the more exciting with the new Year 10 Media Studies class which was introduced this year. This cohort have been working diligently to plan and design music videos which will be produced and completed late Term 4. These students have also had the chance to have a taste of the NCEA programme and have been able to earn

credits which has given them an extra touch of motivation and enthusiasm for learning.

It has been a highlight of the year to see students grow in their media literacy and skills. The Year 9 rotations have all been introduced to the concept of representation and also learnt valuable skills and ideas around the ever changing space that is social media.

In the senior programme, we have had the pleasure of welcoming Nicole Hamilton to the Media Studies teaching area. She has brought enthusiasm and new experiences to the course. These Level 2 and 3 students have

> been working through their NCEA programme and growing their media 13's have chosen to carry on some form of Media theory and training best!



Teacher in Charge of Media Studies

understanding excellently. Some Year beyond College. We wish them all the





"Media Studies is a place where we get to do more practical aspects of learning than in other subjects. A highlight of the year has been working with friends, having independent decision making for our music video project and classroom challenges to complete which helped us learn new skills. Another aspect of taking Media Studies in Year 10 this year has been the ability to earn nine credits for Level 1 NCEA. You also get a mix of creativity and

Cora Davidson, Sophie Fitzgerald, Luke Brill, Katya Campbell, Freja Ryersson and the Year 10 Media Studies class

academics."





Year 13 Media Studies class





FSOL

At Horowhenua College we are lucky to have 2 ESOL classes. These are made up of students from all year levels from China, India, Kiribati, Samoa, Thailand, Tonga and Russia. In these classes we work on improving our English through writing, reading, listening, speaking and playing English games.

Some thoughts from our students -

"I have learnt to be proud of who I am even if English is a second language and to be confident with my speaking and reading" - Salalau, Year 12

"The best part of ESOL is like taking your time and catching up with your work and asking for help when you need it" - Leone, Year 10

"We have learned so much throughout this year. For me things that I value learning in ESOL is form filling for jobs, making our own CV's and speech. This is because these things will come in handy and helpful in the future" - Sione, Year 12

"The best thing in ESOL is when every student gets to help each other" - Boorau, Year 9

Our small class sizes mean that we are a very tight knit bunch who are very supportive and help each other with our learning whenever we can. We have achieved so much this year and look forward to achieving even more as the years go on! We also wish Finau, Ashwani and Lisa (our Year 13s) all the best for the future as they leave us at the end of this year! We have appreciated their smiles, hard work and friendly chats and will miss them in our ESOL class.

Lucy Pearce

Teacher in Charge of ESOL









BUSINESS STUDIES













Business Studies is a developing subject at Horowhenua College. The growth means we have nearly 70 senior students as part of the programme. These students have actively participated and engaged in the Business Studies course. Students have investigated local, national and global businesses, and also have had a go at running their own business too. Students have challenged themselves, both in independent and group work.

Our Year 11 cohort have been working hard to build their foundational knowledge in Business Studies. A highlight, as always, is the Year 11 market day which this year was a carnival theme, hosted in Term 2. The most noted memory from this entrepreneurial experience for the students was the profits made by each of the groups. 10 weeks of planning and organising went into the one day, and students worked extremely hard to attain their desired 6 credits. Most groups sold food products that kept their hungry peers satisfied. Some of the entertainment stalls included a 'pie the teacher' stall, 'pop the balloon' challenge and' guess how many chocolate fish were in the jar' game. Many were entertained by the whipped cream being whirled at Mrs Hanchen Johnson! Some of the business groups included 'PolyEats', 'Smoko Time', 'DonutPop', 'Murray's Milkshakes' and 'Waffle Action' to name a few.

Inside the classroom lots of learning happened and a highlight for many was the 'Make or Break' revision game that made a regular appearance in the course near the end of units. A mention must be made to the 'footy' boys of Year 11 Business who showed their utter competitiveness (....and good learning and understanding) by winning nearly every game. I had to separate their stacked team to give others a try!

The Year 12 and 13 Business cohort also had an awesome year! This year our class was situated

in the library which allowed us space to break into groups, and occasionally come together as one large Year 12/13 group. For some, this was their first year taking Business Studies, while others had cemented themselves in the programme having been in their second and third year of the subject. The talent and innovation in business enterprise from all groups has been mind-blowing. I look forward to seeing what comes of these young men and women in the coming years. The Year 13's that are leaving us have left a lasting impression - it was clear to see their passion and enthusiasm for the subject when the entire cohort received Excellence on their 3.4, 6 credit Market Plan. I am not surprised that most have chosen a study path in Commerce and I know that you will make us proud in this space. Ka mau te wehi!

Gina Kelly Teacher in Charge of Business Studies





Reflections on the year from Year 12 & 13

"Great subject"......"Learnt so much"

"We ran a successful business called The Baker's Jar. We had lots of fun experiments making the jars"

"I liked being able to run our own business and make fun memories as a group.... And taste testing the slices"

"I liked being able to make up our own business called MultiMunch Pax and create a decent profit"

"I learnt how a business works"

Mathematics

2021 has been a positive and exciting year in the Mathematics Faculty. We have been working hard to continue to develop and deliver an engaging and contemporary mathematics curriculum for our ākonga. This has included the creation of teaching and learning sheets so students can experience a more differentiated learning programme, choosing activities and levels of learning that best fit their needs.

Just a few of this year's highlights include:

Our Year 9 Math classes visiting Te Puna O Te Matauranga, our college whare, for a whakaaturanga (presentation) on Geometry from Matua Dylan. This korero focused on the geometrical transformations present in the kōwhaiwhai patterns within the whare and on the meanings behind them. Students were then encouraged to create their own design that reflected their whānau and incorporated the transformations they'd learnt about. It was a great opportunity for our rangatahi to create links between their mathematical learning and Māori culture.

Maths Week which saw all ākonga, kura wide, encouraged to answer a different mathematical problem that was found in the notices each day. There were individual and whānau spot prizes for correct entries as well as house points given for the most correct entries over the entire week.

'Student of the Month' being awarded in each of our Year 9 and Year 10 classes. This is our way of

acknowledging students who strive to uphold our NUA values in their classes. Each month, a student from each junior class was nominated by their teacher for modeling one or more of the attributes of the NUA Way - Being Successful, Building Relationships and Being Responsible. Students were awarded with a certificate as well as an invitation to a celebratory pizza lunch.

The beginning of the year saw Steve Marshall and myself join the accomplished existing ropu of Tobias Meyer, Bethany Nicholas, Phillip Ferzli, Nada El Hosseny, and Brooke Hooper. As I reflect on my first year at Horowhenua College, I am feeling incredibly privileged to have been able to get to know and teach some of our amazingly talented and amiable ākonga. I look forward to continuing this journey in 2022.

Amy Huse Head of Mathematics Faculty



ACCOUNTING

For Accounting at Level 1, students have had the opportunity to learn about cash handling and basic book keeping processes for households, community organisations and small businesses. Throughout the course, ākonga learned about filling out financial documents and statements, types of payment methods, both electronic and physical, double entry book keeping and the basics of dealing with GST.

The course has been largely practical, requiring students to explore types of income, expenses, assets and liabilities for a multitude of business types as they filled in financial documents and statements. As part of the course, ākonga were also encouraged to explore the use of spreadsheets, including the use of formulas, in order to make their work more accurate and professional looking.

At Level 2 and 3 ākonga were given the opportunity to reinforce and extend skills learned in previous years, as well as examining subsystems to manage inventory, accounts receivable and job costing. They also had an opportunity to explore accounting for partnerships, companies and management accounting leading to decision making. Students also looked at how to process transactions on accounting software (MYOB).

Steve Marshall

Teacher in Charge of Accounting

Social Science

In 2021 students have been well served by the following staff: Ms Grey, Mr Tate, Miss Bolton, Mr Bryant, Miss Davis, Mr McElwee and Mr White.

Teaching & Learning Highlights:

Online learning via Google Classroom was well established in all Year 9 – 13 Social Science classes early in Term 1 so when the lock-down happened it was an easy transition into full time online learning.

Year 9 students began the year with a unit called 'Sacred and Special Places'. One aspect of this unit is a local study focusing on Lake Horowhenua where students learnt about the history and the spiritual significance of the lake to the Muaūpoko lwi

Year 10 Social Studies students in Term 3 and Term 4 are undertaking study in a unit called 'Forming a Nation' that focuses on New Zealand History from Māori settlement right through to the 1970s. This unit fits in well with the Aotearoa-New Zealand Histories' curriculum that will be compulsory for all schools in 2022.

Level 1 Studies of Society students took social action in the Amnesty International Freedom Challenge. This year the focus was 'Nowhere to Hide' and investigated the human rights abuses suffered by the Uyghurs in China. Due to Covid Level 2 the students were limited in the actions they could take.

Level 2 Social Philosophy was a new subject this year. The students spent time investigating and analysing the social action taken by 'Soul' at Ihumātao.





Level 3 Sociology students focused their social action on 'Influencing a Policy'. The policies chosen were wide and varied including improvements in mental health funding, arming the New Zealand Police and the push to gender-neutral school uniforms.

Level 2 History students' focus for their research this year was on protest. Topics chosen included the 1981 Springbok tour, Parihaka, nuclear free protests and New Zealand women's suffrage.

Level 3 History students researched and analysed events and places of significance to New Zealand. Students focused on topics including the Dawn Raids, the Mount Erebus accident, the Pike River mine disaster and The 1918 influenza pandemic.

Level 2 Tourism students worked on a variety of units throughout the year including Work Roles in Tourism, Knowledge of New Zealand as a Tourist Destination and Knowledge of Tourist Characteristics and Needs.

To all the students sitting external achievement standards, we wish you success and hope that you made the most of the revision opportunities offered to you in the weeks leading up to the exams. To the Year 13 students who are leaving at the end of the year, we wish you well for the future and trust that the skills that you have gained from the Social Science subjects studied in your five years with us will help you in your future study and employment opportunities. To those of you (both staff and students) who will be returning in 2022, have a safe and relaxing break and we look forward to seeing you all in February back here at Nua.

Kathy Grey Head of Social Science Faculty







Science

This year has presented its challenges with students learning from home for several weeks.

The year saw some additional staff join the team and we were very pleased to welcome James Gilroy full time to Science and Heather Baker-Fraser joined us to teach a Year 9 class jointly with Miss Bianchi. We were delighted to have so many students studying Science this year at the senior level and, for the first time in a number of years, we have two classes for Level 2 Biology, Level 2 Chemistry and Level 2 Physics.

Our teachers have been working hard at providing opportunities to engage with science outside the classroom. Miss Foster had a successful eeling trip with her Year 9 class, and 50 Year 10 students, accompanied by Mr Gilroy and Mrs Lewis, visited the Renewable Energy Department at Victoria University. This was kindly funded by the Partnership Through Collaboration Trust. Students enjoyed building and racing their solar powered cars. Our thanks go to Mrs Collette for offering this opportunity.

Brittany Adams from Wildbase Recovery Education spoke to classes of students who were very interested to learn about how we protect our native birdlife in the Palmerston North centre. Miss Lewis has organised a visit by the local Police with their speed camera.

Students in Level 1 have been offered a range of Achievement Standards to choose from and this has seen really good engagement from our students. Students will have the option of studying Science at Level 2 and we are currently putting together a course that will offer some Earth and Space Science standards which have not been offered in recent years.





All the science staff are keen to enable our students to engage in a wide range of science learning experiences.

Year 13 students are delighted to be able to visit Wellington Zoo to learn about Human Evolution. With changes to the exam timetable senior students are very focused on preparing for their derived grade assessments and are keen to do as well as possible in case of another change to alert levels.

The science staff are busy carrying out practical lessons which our students missed out on. I appreciate the hard work teachers and support staff are putting in to ensure our students get the best possible chance to achieve their full potential despite the challenges to learning we have all faced in alert level 3 and 4.

We look forward to our students completing the year well and gaining the credits they need to move forward with their education and career plans. Thank you to the science staff and everyone who has supported the students and staff in this extraordinary year.

Liz Lewis Head of Science Faculty



Southern Hemisphere Science Championships 2021

The EP Science Championships began on 16th August 6pm NZST and ended on 23rd August at 6pm.

As Lockdown began several students participated with eventually 140 students of our students taking part. Entry was free for all students. Students earned points by learning and revising curriculum-aligned content.

Our school came 3rd in our category. Congratulations to all 140 students who took part and well done on answering 65,222 questions! Heer Patel and Zoe Roentgen gained Elite awards, Gavin Sue an Emerald, Sarah Harper and Grace Wedlock Gold, and Alex Wylie a Bronze. Congratulations on your awards!



HORTICULTURE ACADEMY











Arts









It's been a difficult year with many issues and Covid in the mix. Students have worked amazingly well all things considered, they are a resilient bunch and despite lockdowns, school events and trips, they have continued to work hard in their Art classes.

We welcomed Year 8s to College with a great open evening and open day, showcasing our talents, and introducing students to the wonderful world of Arts and the possibilities available to them in the Arts Faculty. We are in a fabulous position to offer so many Arts subjects here at College: Visual Arts, Photography, Design, Animation, Dance, Drama and Music – our creatives are well served here at Horowhenua College.

I pride myself in leading a wonderful team of creative teachers, who in turn work hard to make exciting opportunities for our students in our classes.

We have had Musical items at assemblies and in the town, a production into the Woods Jr which took dedication and energy from staff and students to make happen. Most of the rehearsals happened in the school holidays, so the Director Mrs Wehipeihana worked with high levels of dedication to produce such a fabulous show. She had a team of Arts staff to create the set, the props, the costumes, the singing coaching, the plants and tickets and posters. All of our Team worked to support the Drama Department to create a show that was very special.

We have had amazing results in the Arts, and we hope our seniors in particular will rise to the occasion and produce stunning folios yet again this year. Our track record is way above the national average for all levels and we are expecting the same again this year. We have at the time of writing this article, about 6 weeks of solid slog to go before the deadlines, so we will be having weekend workshops, holiday workshops, and late nights to get these folios done.

Many of our students go on to tertiary education in the Arts, and we welcome many who back who pop in and visit. It's so nice to hear how they are getting on and looking at how their art has progressed. But it's not all who go onto university or ucol and we hope that the Arts just gives young people a lifelong desire to be creative once they leave school. To create paintings, take stunning photographs, design their flats or homes to be artsy places, to enjoy theatre and music and dance is all part of our Arts package.

So in conclusion, yes it's been a hard year with Covid and Delta worries, lockdowns and stress, but we just keep being resilient and we won't stop being creative. It's in our being and makes us go to our happy place. Thanks everyone for another wonderful year in the Arts!

Jeanette Gilroy Head of Arts Faculty















PHOTOGRAPHY and DESIGN

Photography and Design have had a slow year, with a lot of interruptions. There's been some great work created, and I'm looking forward to seeing the folios when they're completed and the marks that students will be getting. I'm sure those that have worked hard will get the marks they deserve. The studio has continued to be used to great lengths and the equipment we have that students have the opportunity to use continues to grow. I'm looking forward to next year and the continued work of students.

Justin Tate

Teacher in Charge of Photography & Design









DANCE

2021 started off with great positivity. The Year 10 class worked through different dance styles from jazz to contemporary, hiphop to Samoan. They researched a little bit of history on each and learnt steps and moves. Samoan dance was taught to the students by a Senior student who is part of the Pasifika Group. It was such a treat and the students really engaged well with this activity.

Senior Dance Students worked very hard this year and have achieved a good amount of credits. The students have worked extensively on their choreographic skills and used these to create some fabulous routines. As they approach the end of the year they continue to work on their studies as they research towards the external exam.

It has been a wonderful and rewarding year and I wish all the students all the best for their years to come.

Cathy Croad

Teacher in Charge of Dance





DRAMA

Junior Drama

Junior Drama this year was taught by one of our new teachers, Miss Wiblin. In these classes they learned about a range of drama techniques and how to incorporate these skills into their performances. There was a new topic explored this year, which allowed students to become their own Youtube vlogger. Overall, the year has been successful and Miss Wiblin is very proud of the amount of growth she has seen from her students.









Senior Drama

This year has been an interesting year in Senior Drama. As we were all set to perform the senior assessments, we went into lockdown. So the end of Term 3 and Term 4 were full on as we worked hard to complete our presentations.

In Year 11, we had seven groups present their Children's Theatre and Devising to fifty Year 1 and 2 students from Levin School. This was very successful and the kids loved it.

The Level 2 and 3 class was run a little differently this year, where students were able to formulate their own year long plan based on what assessments they wanted to participate in. This saw five students having a go at directing their peers for a senior showcase, devising completing in a range of different ways and some high quality scripts written.

The way the students have grabbed this opportunity and grown this year has been incredible. They are a tight knit class, who have each other's backs on and off the stage.

I am extremely proud of the growth I have seen in all of you this year and want to wish our Year 13 students all the best for their futures. You will all be extremely missed and have very bright futures ahead of you

Samanatha Wehipeihana Teacher in Charge of Drama

"Drama has played a big part of my life ever since I've taken it from Year 9 to Year 13, as it helped me step out of my comfort zone and be more confident in myself. Taking Drama for almost 5 years has been one of the greatest choices I've made. Going into 2022 next year I have decided to take further studies doing a conjoint Bachelor of Arts and Business with a major in theatre at the University of Waikato, as I hope to own my own theatre someday."

"I've enjoyed so many things in Drama, meeting new people, getting comfortable to perform in front of your peers, and learning certain techniques and steps you need to improve your character development while playing a role. I've also enjoyed performing, as before I was someone who wasn't into performing at all. I've enjoyed how drama is one of the many classes that feel I can be myself in".

"My favorite moment would have to be doing the class production called Niu Sila and having to play one of the main characters, as it was a step up for me personally as I had to play a boy. But that didn't stop me from connecting to the character as we both had similar things in common which made it a bit easier to get into character." Valerie Atonio - Year 13

MUSIC

Students have been working hard this year to bring music to the school and community. We started the year with lunchtime interludes to entertain the masses as they ate their school lunches in the quad. We brought entertainment back to assemblies wherever possible with some of the old favorites performing like Brooklyn and Allen and a few new ideas to spice it up.

Smokefree Events were back on the agenda after having the year of video performances in 2020. Age of Steel fronted by Brooklyn Greig-Hartley and three friends from Waiopehu College were keen and produced two original songs for the event. Unfortunately this year they weren't placed, but a great time was had by all. Live performance captures so much more than video.

Music month was a success with students out in the community performing for the public.

In Term 3 we had planned events with other performers

from the community which our students were keen to participate in. However, with Delta now raising its head we have had to cancel a lot of what was planned. It is hoped that students can still complete solo and group performances in the weeks ahead, gaining credits towards NCEA.

A special thanks to Ann, Nancy, Milton, Brooklyn, Zeck, Mark, Saxon, Allen, Faith, Caitlyn and Amana for their help during the year.

Paul Wright Teacher in Charge of Music







Technology

Kia ora koutou katoa.

The Technology Faculty has had another great year despite the interruption of Covid (again) in August that saw us spending 3 weeks learning from home. It was with regret we farewelled Mr Damian Samson in March and welcomed Mr Jason Huria to our team in the Carpentry workshop. Mr Huria brings a wealth of experience coming to us from the building and construction industry. His enthusiasm and ideas to engage the students and teach them the skills to make exciting projects has been welcomed. Mr Sean Nolan has also joined us in the Digital Technology area. We cannot underestimate the importance of having his industry experience, which enables him to connect our students' learning to the real world. As always, Miss Donna Elliott, Mrs Cathy Croad and Mr David Brewerton continue to engage and excite our students with their innovative and fun ideas for projects that engage our students in Technology. Appreciation also goes to Mr Anthony Skelton and Mrs

Miki Sadakane who do so much of the behind the scenes work to enable our staff to do their jobs. The Technology Department is well set up to "design a better tomorrow".

Jenny Petterson

Head of Technology Faculty



CARPENTRY

Welcome to the exciting world of woodwork 2021. In the carpentry room the students have been making projects from cheese platters to coffee tables with resin inlays. They have also made hand crafted chocolates, professional skateboards and bedside tables and drawers. With the introduction of resin work, the creative aspect of woodworking is further enhanced along with the use of the CNC machine, laser engraver and wood laithes. Hey, even an electric guitar is being made!

Jason Huria

Teacher in Charge of Carpentry





















CREATIVE CATERING

2021 has brought its challenges once again with Covid leaving its mark on our school year. The students have risen to the challenge again and endeavored to continue their education by learning online.

Despite the interruption to the year, the students have enjoyed learning the culinary skills to manage a kitchen. They diced, peeled, stirred, whizzed and chopped their way through many dishes and can be proud of the progress they have made. I have been impressed with their growth in confidence and ability to present their food to a high standard.

The Food Department has been supported by Miss Donna Elliott and Mrs Cathy Croad. It is with regret that we will be farewelling Mrs Croad after three years in the Food Technology Department. She is going to be spending more time developing her dance school. She has been a valuable teacher and brought lots of experience to the classroom. Thank you Mrs. Croad for all the enthusiasm you have brought to our Department.

The Year 13 class enjoyed a trip to the Wellington Food Show, learnt about the huge variety of food products available, and enjoyed tasting a lot of them. They also planned, prepared and presented a high tea for their friends and invited guests from the senior management team. They had to consider all the dietary food needs of their invited guests and presented a stunning display of very appetising tasty high tea products.

Year 11 and 12 continued developing their food handling, preparation and presentation skills. I am looking forward to next year and watching their culinary skills develop even further.

The Junior Technology classes have enjoyed the hands-on practical sessions and learning the skills to manage a kitchen. They have learnt to use the technology process to develop a healthy pie and pizza. They have also learnt about teenage nutrition, sugar in all its forms and how to reduce food waste.

It has been a busy but rewarding year working alongside the budding chefs. We wish all our students well for the summer break and to the leavers, all the best for wherever your path leads. May it be a "culinary" delight!

Jenny Petterson - Teacher in Charge of Creative Catering
Cathy Croad - Teacher of Food Technology
Donna Elliott - Teacher of Junior Food Technology

DIGITAL TECHNOLOGY

In Digital Technology the Year 9 students thought like a computer and created their own algorithms to get themselves from the chair to the door (not as easy as you think), programmed great games in Scratch, built beautiful websites using HTML and mastered the basics of Excel and Word.

The Year 10s enjoyed making their own 2D game using just Javascript and the Year 11 and 12 students worked on their web design, database and programming skills.

Sean Nolan

Teacher in Charge of Digital Technology







SENIOR DESIGN TECHNOLOGY

The bar has been raised again this year by our Design Technology Students. At the start of the year, students were tasked with designing and building a one person boat and our students stepped up and delivered at a very high standard. Testing and racing the boats at the Aquatic Centre was a definite fun highlight of the year. We also developed some real world solutions to make laying a hangi a safer process for our students and staff here at college.

David Brewerton

Teacher in Charge of Design Technology









ENGINEERING

Another busy and exciting year for our Engineering students who have been continuing to impress us with their efforts. We have had many highlights this year with all of our year levels creating some truly unique work.

The Year 11's developed their foundation skills before moving on to designing and building their go-karts. The annual race was a significant highlight with a whopping ten teams taking part. This was also the first year we have had a team design a walking go-kart with legs!!

The Year 12 cohort demonstrated that they could solve problems with a higher complexity despite the challenges of another lockdown in the year.

Overall, it has been a very successful year for us. Engineering is all about upskilling students for a successful future and we look forward to making this happen again for 2022.

David Brewerton

Teacher in Charge of Engineering







DESIGN & VISUAL COMMUNICATION

Each year the students in DVC never fail to impress and inspire with their creative and innovative designs. Special congratulations go to Steffani Miadores (Year 10) who was awarded DVC NCEA Level 1 at the beginning of this year with Merit endorsed as a Year 9! This is a first for Horowhenua College and was an amazing achievement for Steffani, reflecting her talent and diligence.

The Level 1's ventured up the Kohitere trig to do our annual treehouse design site analysis for potentially the last time before the pine forest is harvested. Designs this year were particularly innovative with new methods attempted such as plastic vacuum forming, clay modelling and Sketchup flythroughs featuring in the presentation architectural models. The Level 2's used influential design eras to inspire their light designs and also conceptualised a new Transport Interchange for when Levin becomes a supercity. The Level 3's all selected unique spatial designs ranging from a drive-in movie theatre to an airport which will be showcased at the Cultural Awards.

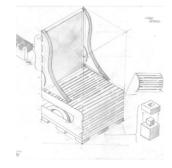
Donna Elliott

Teacher in Charge of Design & Visual Communication



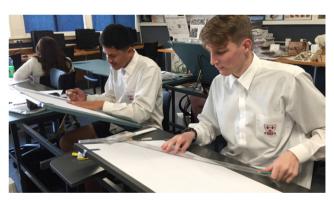
















Physical Education









The year has been a time of consolidating the Health and Physical Education Department. Stephanie McKenzie and Rebecca Davidson took on their second year of teaching with fresh perspectives and enthusiasm. Madeline Beckley took on study to further advance her teaching career. She has done a great job at balancing teaching and studying. This year we saw Daniel Riggs take on teacher in charge of Outdoor Education with passion and organisational skills like no other. Melissa Signal had the year off, taking in every moment of being a new mum. We look forward to having her back in the Department as our HOF. During this time Peter O'Sullivan took on a long-term relieving position to cover Melissa's classes.

The junior units have taken a bit of an overhaul. We have a 2-year program for the juniors and therefore Year 9 and 10 students are all doing the same junior PE units which allow a sense of whanaungatanga. They have engaged in units such as athletics, swimming confidence, fitness, volleyball, international games, ethics, and touch. Through these units they learned about the values in sport, how to be socially responsible, fitness components, and interpersonal skills. Junior Health has seen students gain skills related to areas in mental health, coping strategies, loss and grief, drug-related issues, sexuality, nutrition, and interpersonal skills.

Health Plus

2021 saw the first intake of Year 9s experiencing Health Plus, with so much popularity Health Plus was offered in two lines throughout 2021. The main reason students chose Health Plus was to gain a better understanding of themselves as a whole. The students have engaged in a variety of practical ways to enhance the four areas of their well-being. These activities have included yoga, mindfulness, colouring in, walking and guided meditation. Students leave Health Plus with a variety of coping skills to enhance their overall well-being to help build their confidence and ability to make better life decisions.

High-Performance Sports

High-Performance Sports focus has been on sport-specific websites using google sites. Their websites are targeted at a level for new athletes that are interested in giving their sport a go. Their websites include a sports profile, goal setting, sport-specific fitness tests, a sports nutrition plan, and a mini training program. Each term the students have challenged themselves through a variety of different fitness tests. The tests include the BRONCO, beep test, and the HPSP tests. Human anatomy and components of fitness are a huge focus.

Outdoor Education

Outdoor Education is offered at all levels for the first time. Starting in Year 9 students begin building their skills in various outdoor pursuits while also developing the essential characteristics of resilience, empathy, and perseverance. At senior levels, this includes both day trips and overnight stays out of school. These include kayaking trips, tramping, biking, and rock climbing. For Year 11, the multi-day trip involved mountain biking on the Remutaka Cycle Trail over two days while the Year 12 and 13 class participated in a three day camping and survival trip in the Tararua Ranges.

Senior Health

Student voice for Levels 2 and 3 Health informed the internal focus. The first internal for Level 2 saw students analyse issues that were related to sexuality and gender before developing strategies to address the issues. Level 3 started with looking at ways of treating health conditions with alternatives and western treatments. Level 2 then looked at factors that could influence a person's ability to manage change or whether a person is resilient. Two guest speakers talked about how they overcome their challenges. One of the speakers was Mary Fisher, 2016 Paralympic gold medalist, sharing her story about being blind. Level 3's analysed immunisation and the impact on well-being due to laws and policies. To close 2021 students are focusing on the external assessment,

focusing on adolescent health issues at Level 2 and Health Promotion models at Level 3.

Senior PE and Sport Science

Throughout PE and Sport Science there is a huge focus on what influences our participation, how we influence others and taking action to support others to be active. PE has had more of a focus on critical themes such as trends, themes in sport, anatomy and biomechanics in sport, whereas Sport Science has focussed on how to function as a group and being an effective team. In Level 2 there is more of a community feel through coaching in our local schools such as Levin Intermediate. Students also participate in a sport and their performance is

assessed, this year it was indoor bowls. Finally, Level 2 and 3 PE continue to look at biophysical principles to look at the intricacies of how to be an excellent athlete.

This year has been full of exciting trips, events and experiences for our ākonga. The gym continues to be a place where life skills are taught and memories are made. We look forward to having a well deserved break but we are super excited for what 2022 brings.

He tau pai ki a matou katoa.

Hanchen Johnson

Head of Physical Education Faculty

OUTDOOR EDUCATION















Careers

This once again has been a year of ups and downs. We have been lucky enough to still manage some trips including Massey University Open Day, UCOL Open Day, and a Waikato University trip.

Careers has still been a busy space with supporting students in school wide careers programmes, distributing information and resources and providing students with information regarding future pathways, whether that is university, polytech, or work.

I have many highlights this year but there are a couple that stand out. I took a group of 8 students to Waikato University during the Term 2 holidays. We were able to experience life as a student, staying in student accommodation, eating in the dining hall, touring the campus and engaging with students and staff. The students were amazing and we had a great few days away.

The other highlight would be a WW2 Maori Battalion Medal Presentation. This presentation was for a medal that had previously not been awarded to a

soldier in C Company 70 odd years ago. A lawyer had tracked down recipients of these medals that were never awarded. As all but 1 of the members in C Company are no longer with us these medals went to whānau. The College hosted a medal presentation for a local lady, Adelaide Hale. Adelaide is the widow of Frank Hale. At 94 years of age we were so privileged to have her in person to receive the medal. Our students performed a powerful Haka, the Army Service men performed the 'Maori Battalion' song and speakers on both sides acknowledged what was accomplished and sacrificed by those soldiers. It was very moving and on behalf of our whānau I thank all those who came together to make the day special for our Kuia.

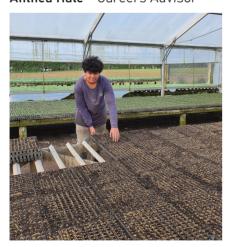
I wholeheartedly wish all of our students the very best for the rest of the year. To those who are leaving us, we will miss you. To those who are staying, I am looking forward to continuing the journey with you.

Anthea HaleCareers Advisor

YEAR 10 WORK WEEK

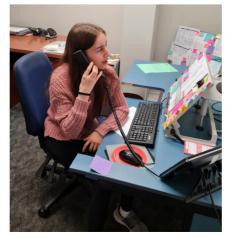
In Term 2 we had 57 students from Hīnau and Kōwhai houses participate in Year 10 work week. This is a great opportunity for our students to get an insight into the world of work. The students organise their own workplaces and take responsibility for themselves during the week, with support from college staff and parents. The workplaces and activities the students participate in are very diverse. A big thank you goes to the students for their enthusiasm, parents for their support and college staff for their mentoring and encouragement. We also couldn't run this programme without the support of our business community. We would like to thank the following businesses for hosting and looking after our students: New World, Learning Adventure, Shurkers Market Garden, Noodle Canteen, Canvasland, B & M Fire, Mitre 10, About Kids, Waiopehu College TWA Unit, HMC, Taitoko School, Superminx, SPCA, Fairfield School, Schuze Family Partnership, Woodhaven Gardens, Levin Intermediate, Whispers Cafe, Kaffir Lime, BS Young, Cat Royal, Variety Store, Headstone Restoration & Cleaning, Speldhurst (Wayne Bishop Group), Cooper Campbell Law, Horowhenua College, Venture Vets, Cosy Homes, Queen St Dental, MacArthur St Store and The Sponge Kitchen.

Anthea Hale - Careers Advisor













GATEWAY PROGRAMME

Gateway classes were mixed classes of Year 12 & 13 students. Students have been able to gain work experience in building, retail, NZ Police, farming, chefing, teaching, hairdressing, coaching, and event management.

Unfortunately due to Covid some placements have been shorter and some have not gone ahead but we would like to thank all the workplaces that were able to provide valuable experiences for our students: NZ Police (Levin), The Warehouse, HLC, Poroutawhao School, Envy Hairdressing, Horowhenua District Council. Noel Leeming. The Golf Shop, Wayne Bishop Group and Davis Contracting. Without these work placements we would not be able to run this programme.





YEAR 10 FUTURES DAY



Following the successful launch of Year 10 Futures Day in 2020 we again participated with Get-Go for another visit to local business. Six businesses opened their doors and gave their time so our students could gain an understanding of how their workplace operates and what opportunities there could be for our students.

Again Manawatu and Waiopehu Colleges also had their Year 10's attend. The students were split into 3 groups and visited 2 businesses each. Each of the businesses had Prefects from the Colleges to help out on the day.

I went with a group to Thermosash and Woodhaven Gardens. Despite the weather it was a really good day. The businesses did a great job of engaging the students with a variety of activities. The students got to operate gantries, cherry pickers, tractors, planting vehicles, taste vegetables, and help sort and bunch vegetables. It was a great learning experience and we thank all the businesses who participated this year. Thermosash. Woodhaven Gardens, Turks Poultry, Genoese, Techlam and Oji Fibre Solutions.

Anthea Hale Careers Advisor











DRIVERS LICENCE PROGRAMME

We have had 68 students participate in the free driving lessons programme this year. 33 have successfully gained their restricted licence, 2 have gained their full licence and the rest are still getting lessons. Lessons will be available until the end of the year.

We are very fortunate to be able to offer our students this opportunity. A huge thank you must go to our amazing driving instructor, Natasja and Horowhenua Learning Centre for enabling us to be a part of this initiative.

Anthea Hale

Horowhenua College Coordinator

Āwhina Ākonga - Learning Extension Department

We have had another busy but successful year in Learning Extension. This year we welcomed Mel Bryant as our new Learning Support Coordinator. Mel came with a wealth of experience previously being a Special Education Needs Coordinator at Taupo Nui a Tea College. Mel's role is to work with teachers in supporting students as well as coordinating support for our students with learning needs, whether it be extension work or consolidation.

We had Te Kahui (TK) Baker join us as a new Teacher Aide from Term 2. TK is just finishing his Teachers Training and his knowledge and caring nature has made a positive difference to the students he supports.

Along with TK, Heather Baker-Fraser, Angelique Sandbrook, Melanie Davis and Marichelle Daniels do a wonderful job supporting teachers and students as our highly valued Teacher Aides.

Anna Newman, Alida Louw and Gay Congdon are our Literacy Tutors working to support students through dedicated learning programs. Lisa Paxton coordinates our reader/writer program and oversees a team of wonderful volunteers. Lisa also works assessing students and providing one on one support.

Every year our work gets bigger and bigger. We have over 50 students getting support with exams with another 50 receiving one on one support with learning needs, as well as Teacher Aides working with students in the classroom.

John McElwee











Library



My name is Zoe Roentgen and I'm a Year 12 student librarian at Horowhenua College. Since Year 9 I have worked in the library as a student librarian and have loved every moment. I've also been the head student librarian since 2020. Working in the library has been one of the best things I have done since coming to Horowhenua College. It has helped build my confidence, gain useful skills, and also allowed me to meet new people and forge new friendships.

The library is a relaxed environment and great for when you want to study or simply hang out and chat with friends. There are always a number of displays that the team puts up to help students engage with and find books. Ms Brungar who is the Library Manager is truly to thank for creating such an environment. Not only is she kind, friendly and open to ideas, but she is always willing to have a chat and get to know you. I am truly grateful to have Ms Brunagr as someone that I can go to if I ever need help with anything.

I've loved working alongside the other librarians too, and I asked each of them to write a few words about what they love most about being part of the team:

"I like being a student librarian because I get to help out at my school and hangout in the library which is my favourite spot at school." - Piper

"The best thing about being a student librarian is basically everything! However, the most fun thing is helping set up library events and getting my library badge." - Josh

"I started this duty last year, ever since that day I've been enjoying the experience as a level 1 librarian. I would recommend this to people who love books and helping people." - Daniel

"All the people are so nice and I feel like I get to learn lots of new stuff." - Fern

"What I like about being a librarian is having a responsibility and helping people." - Phoenix

"What I enjoy about working in the library is that it is an inclusive and fun environment. I get to learn new and interesting skills, and make new and fun friends. Working in the library gives me the chance to feel more involved with the other kids and the school." - Lacee

"I enjoy organising the shelves, finding new books to read and helping my friends pick out a book to read." - Teabo

"What I like most about being a student librarian is being a part of the planning behind the library." - Owen



Although 2021 has been another interrupted year due to Covid-19, it's been great to see my team issuing lots of books. Despite Covid, we've had a busy year keeping the library tidy and welcoming with both ends of the space being used every day as teaching spaces. This year the Manga graphic novels have proved by far the most popular books in the library. We've also hosted another series of The Chase, chess tournaments, had puzzles, word find competitions and the team have been creating some wonderful displays, especially the Extraterrestrials Day display. Thanks to all the teachers who help with duty, and to the wonderful librarians: Zoe Roentgen, Josh Pearson, Teabo Norati, Arya Patel, Daniel Richardson, Piper Ristow, Owen Winstanley, Lacee Collins, Fern Forth, and Phoenix Kirkpatrick.

Carole Brungar Librarian





Duke of Edinburgh

The Duke of Edinburgh Award 2021 was a significant year with the passing of our founder and champion of young people, HRH Prince Phillip. Since its launch over 60 years ago, the Award has inspired millions of young people worldwide to transform their lives. Not all learning happens in the classroom – doing the Award is a personal challenge and pushes young people to their personal limits in a physical recreation, voluntary service, outdoor adventure and skills development of choice.

This year's seven Year 10 students started the Adventure section getting fit as well as developing outdoor skills such as first aid, campcraft, risk management, navigation and water safety before heading out for their overnight practice journey on the exquisite and wild Turakirae Head Scenic Reserve 32km return tramp. They then completed their solo qualifying expedition journey in the Ruahine Ranges via the 2-day Deadman's loop, putting all their outdoor training into good practice. The students managed the big climbs, cold weather and accommodation



wildcard in style and showed excellent teamwork. Piper Ristow, expedition leader gives her account below.

"This trip was an interesting one, that's for sure. The walk was pretty good, but try sleeping 40 people in a 12 person hut, that's where it gets interesting. I ended up sleeping under the table with two others and Caleb got some feet in the face, but at least he got to sleep inside. Miss Elliott and Mrs Prentice had to sleep outside on the deck. Putting the hut arrangements aside, the trip was really nice. The first day was a short two-hour walk uphill and day two was crazy windy but beautiful. We travelled above the treeline to a spot on the top of the ranges where we were able to see both sides on the North Island. It was a great trip and I look forward to more of these trips in the future."

Donna Elliott Teacher in Charge



World Vision





On the 17th of May Casey Harding, Elle Webb, Anand Ranchhod, Brooke Rollinson and Martine Lewis attended the World Vision Youth Ambassadors Leadership Training Conference that was held at the Arise Centre in Lower Hutt. At this event we were able to gain a better understanding of what the 40 Hour Famine is and how we could help to positively impact our schools participation in the 40 Hour Famine this year. The funds raised this year will be going towards children in Sub-Saharan Africa who are facing the biggest hunger pandemic of our lifetimes. The money raised will help give these children food for today and a future for tomorrow. We were fortunate enough to meet Leilani Baker at this event, she is the North Island Schools Partnership Manager with World Vision New Zealand. Leilani was able to come and speak to our school in one of our full school assemblies on the 9th of June and helped encourage our school to participate and give them ideas on what they could do for 40 hours. This year the 40 Hour Famine was held on the 25th - 27th of June. Our school raised a total of \$2163.69 which we are very proud of. Well done to those who joined in and helped raise money! THANK YOU!!!

Elle Webb Social Action Prefect

Shave for a Cure











School Production

This year's school production was Into the Woods Jr. We had over 60 students audition for a role at the beginning of the year. After five months of rehearsal we performed six shows to our friends, family, staff and the community. To set the scene for the play, our hall was adorned with 100 trees to emanate a woods-like feel. Our cast and crew gave up two after-schools per week and also days in the holidays to make this happen.

Opening night, they were a bag of nerves, but the commaradory and supportive environment got everyone through. Our costume designer, Ms Lane, said she stood on the side of the stage at the end of the opening night and cried with joy at how proud she was of our students.

What was exciting about this year's production was the opportunities for our students on and off the stage, with some being involved in make-up design, sound and lighting and also Assistant Directing.

Upon reflection, as the Director it was amazing to see the bond that was created between our cast and crew members. This was down to the openness of the cast, the dedication of the crew and the time spent building relationships with each other. It was wonderful to see our seasoned performers supporting our newbies and vice versa.

A show cannot happen without a team of highly dedicated, passionate, and caring people. A huge thank you goes to Paul Wright, our music and tech guru. Thank you for the hours you have put into making the show sound and look great. Yvonne Lane, we literally could not have done this without you. Your design, sourcing, and the making of costumes and props looked amazing! To our stage manager, Courtenay, thank you for sharing your expertise and experience with us and for all the extra bits and bobs you have done for the show. To the staff that has checked in and helped out, thank you. Finally, to the cast and crew, the hours you have put into learning your lines and roles have been phenomenal. It has been an honour watching you grow as individuals and as a cast over the past five months. You should all be extremely proud of yourselves because I sure am!

Samanatha Wehipeihana

Director

Into The Woods Fr - Cast & Crew

Narrator - Grace Wedlock

Baker - Kalanee Wicks

Baker's Wife - Aaliyah Wicks

Cinderella - Devany Prosser-Hill

Cinderella's Mother - Fern Forth

- Verde Kjestrup

Cinderella's StepMother - Piper Ristow

Florinda (Step sister) - Lizzie Jones

Lucinda (Step sister) - Belinda Tarrant

Cinderella's Prince - Jack Teewei Teaeki

Jack - Jayden Parker

Jack's Mother - Amber Rollinson

Milky-White (Cow) - Alex Wylie

Witch - Salaina Fuauli

- Talia Tuitama

Little Red Riding Hood - Casey Harding

- Charlette Taylor-Thomson

Granny - Cora Davidson

 $Mysterious\ Man\ -\ Katya\ Campbell$

Rapunzel - Charli O'Brien

Rapunzel's Prince - Soane Kilioni

Steward - Liam Wylie

Wolf - Valerie Atonio

Director - Samantha Wehipeihana

Musical Director - Paul Wright

Assistant Director - Aaliyah Wicks

Stage Manager - Courtenay Davis

Assistant Stage Manager - Rebecca Davidson

 ${\sf Costume\,\&\,Prop\,Design\,\,-\,\,Yvonne\,Lane\,\&\,Trent\,Wylie}$

Wardrobe - Samantha Wiblin

Set Design & Construction - Justin Tate, Jason White,

Jeanette Gilroy

Sound & Light Design - Paul Wright

 $Sound \& Lighting Technicians \; - \; Hermione \, Petersen,$

Thomas Clarke

Front of House - Sharon Moerkerk, Jane Eyles,

Prefects

Poster & Ticket Design - Jay Wehipeihana

Programme Design - Gina Kelly

 $\label{eq:conditional} \mbox{Hair\,\&\,Make-Up\ -\ Ocean\,Bellamy-Davis,}$

Zoe Mitchell, Chloe Williams, Jessica Morris, Paris Amoamo

Staff Support - Jenny Petterson, Kelly White,

Leanne Phillips, Lucy Pearce



House Reports





Hīnau

Kia ora koutou. Another year passes us by, and this article comes to you from the new leaders of the Hīnau whare, dean Ms Julie Bolton and house leader Ms Lucy Pearce.

We have had a magnificent year so far and we wanted to welcome Miss Sheward, Mr O'Sullivan, Mr Huria, Mrs Huse and Mr Marshall who all joined our ranks and made it their priority to take Hīnau to the top!

Our year started off strong with success in the Tug of War competition where our team showed their sheer strength and determination! While we may not have been as successful in the rest of the house comps as we would have liked to be, we pushed through and gave our all every step of the way. Unfortunately lockdown put a stop to us defending our Haka Trophy for the second time, but we are ready to throw down when the opportunity arises!

Our Hīnau students have been involved in many different aspects of life at Horowhenua College and beyond. Philip Finau, Angelina Toeleiu and Taniela Taufe'ulungaki showed how far they'll go as the leads in the Levin production of Moana. LotoTaha had a strong Hīnau presence and we are sure it is this that led to their victory and bringing home the Kava Bowl - these students also demonstrated an Ava ceremony for the staff of the school during Samoan language week, which was an incredible experience for all involved. Our very own Valerie

Atonio tells us that the Hīnau students love being involved in the Pasifika group as it has allowed many students to adapt more into their culture and take pride in who they are and what island they represent. Our Hīnau superstars took to the stage in the school production Into the Woods. Jayden shaved for the cure and Brooklyn, our very own Brian May, shredded on his guitar during multiple assemblies, while Allen tickled the ivories on more than one occasion to thunderous applause.

Kia ora rawa atu to our house leader Ms Lucy Pearce and all our Hīnau staff members, who looked after all our students, contributed to many delicious morning teas and made our jobs a great deal easier.

Ngā mihi

Julie Bolton - Hīnau Dean Lucy Pearce - Hīnau House Leader







Kōwhai



Kōwhai has had a brilliant year, under amazing leadership working with fantastic student leaders who we will sadly be saying goodbye to at the end of this year. 2021 started off strong for Kōwhai with our new Year 9 students coming first equal in the Tabloid Sports competition. As the big main events began, Kōwhai was hot on the heels of the other houses and picked up second place in Athletics Day and Swimming Sports. As the year progressed, we continued to be the house to watch, winning Senior Dodgeball, the Spelling Bee, the school Cross Country event, and Junior Futsal. We were also victorious in the Shave for a Cure event, where our team of Sidney Carson, Drew Nielsen, Lizzie Jones, Daniel Richardson, and Lane Dobbyn raised the most money for this incredible charity.

We've had some tough events, competing against the other houses throughout the year, with very memorable battles. The Year 10 girls Tug of War team dominated as they worked together and performed out of their skin to win all of their 'tugs'. Glenda

Armstrong not living up to her namesake and breaking her arm with her efforts at the Tug of War competition, and watching people try and shoot over Harrison Chamber's height at the Winter House Sports Netball event was a sight not to miss.

We are currently a close second on the points table at the moment, and we're hopeful that with the few remaining events, the dedication of our team, and our positive house spirit, that we will be able to inch closer and take the top spot this year.

2021 has been an amazing year for Kōwhai, we have battled hard, supported each other, shown our dedication to the cause as well as growing closer as a house. A special thank you to our house captains for all your hard work and encouragement throughout this year.

Finally, a huge thank you to our whānau teachers, house leader and deans for everything you have done to support Kōwhai this year, as a team we'll be looking forward to another great year next year.

Samantha Wehipeihana & Justin Tate Kōwhai Deans











Ngaio

It has been another good year for Ngaio. We have had a very enthusiastic Year 9 group join us, and their participation in house activities has really lifted our results. We have had excellent representation on the Prefect Team, and our academic results were right up there amongst the highest in the school.

Overall, I feel that the behaviour has also been good this year. It has not been the easiest of years, with Covid once again raising its pointy head, but the positive way in which our students have approached these challenges has once again displayed our flexibility and resilience.

As I write this, many of our usual house activities are on hold due to Level 2, but I am confident that when we are able to participate again, Ngaio students will give it their all.

I also want to take the opportunity of saying thank you to everyone for your care and support over the last 6 years.

Louise Mattheus - Ngaio Dean













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Rātā

This year has seen Rātā continue to be a house full of positivity and manaakitanga. We welcomed Ms Hamilton, Mr Nolan and Mr Stachurski to the Rātā dream team. Mr Stachurski our junior dean has been driving the juniors to success. Ms Hamilton worked with the Year 9's alongside Ms McCormick. Mrs Nicholas and Mr Fearon supporting our feisty Year 10's and it has been appreciated. Ms Davidson and Ms Kelly continue to have shared whanau classes at Year 11. Finally, Mrs Bianchi and Mr Nolan have done a fabulous job at guiding our seniors. We do need to bid farewell to Mr Meyer and Mrs Bianchi who we will miss a tonne next year. There will never be 2 more passionate people than Mrs Nicholas and Mrs Johnson to build a house culture that is competitive yet compassionate. We are proud of the character and drive within this house.

The Year 13 students started the year off by winning the inter-house Karaoke competition. They did exceptionally well singing "Party in the USA" and "Ignition". Their amazing organisational skills, dedication to practice and Where's Wally costumes thanks to Mrs Nicholas's mum meant they rocked the night all the way to first place.

The competition continued to be brutal throughout the first two terms. Swimming sports demonstrated the tight competition as Hīnau and Rātā tied for the senior competition due to the high level of participation in the last fun event. Luckily the juniors flapped their arms about to get us the overall win. Some of our key swimmers include Seth Anderson, Whatu Kiriona, Mikayla Williams, Piper Ristow, Abby Hall, Penny Tulloch, Hannah Alderton, Ma'ake







Motu'apuaka, Kyrian Aitchison, Jazz Aungiers, Hermione Petersen, Emmeline Andrews, Caitlin Hanson, and Sione Motu'apuaka.

Athletics again showed the pure style, skill, and muscles of the mighty Rātā house. This led to us winning overall by 10 points. It is important to recognise that the other houses are closing in but we will commit when it counts! Some students that went above and beyond for us were Tishayla Doreen, Abby Hall, Johann Fuauli, Cody Pedley, Noah Waculicz, Morgan Swartbooi, Torina Ngaluafe, Caitlin Hanson, Nathan Eyles, Amber Metcalfe, Mary Martin, Joel Paxton, Simi Sagalaia, Finau Vakasiuola and Kaitlin Eyles.

This year the Art competition had a different feel. The theme was the "amazing and unique" aspects of the school. There were a few loyal Rātā students who worked collaboratively to feature the beautiful roses, hardcore service academy, the mouth-watering free lunches, the glorious whare, and the knowledge-filled library. They also celebrated the variety of cultures that are part of the melting pot of Nua. Thanks to Sarah Harper, Gavin Sue, Maria Marks, and Ryan Goodall that pulled out the win for us

We always do well in the inter-house chess competition held in the library which is all thanks to Levi Paxton. He seems to be a bit of a magician when playing as he makes the other players' chess pieces disappear. Talking about events within the library space, Bella Foster and Piper Ristow have been carrying us this year in the reading challenge.

Time after time it has been said, this house has the best culture. We always support each other, try our best to participate at a high level, and do it all with a smile.

Bethany Nicholas - Rātā House Leader Hanchen Johnson - Rātā Dean





Pasifika

Ni sa bula vinaka, Talofa lava, Malo e lelei, Kam na bane ni Mauri, Talofa and greetings in all the beautiful languages of the great Moana nui-a Kiwa. 2021 has been an amazing year for our Pasifika students at Horowhenua College.

The year started off with a wonderful opportunity to collaborate with Waiopehu College and produce a group performance for Pasifika day. Year 13 leader Elizebeth Logologo, was instrumental in choreographing the performance and liaising between the groups of Pasifika leaders. The audience enjoyed the performance which included dances from Tonga, Samoa, Rotuma, Kiribati and Tuvalu.

Next on the calendar was the much awaited Pasifika Fusion competition. Having been cancelled last year due to the pandemic Horowhenua College were the reigning kava bowl champions, so our students were very eager to win the kava bowl again. The regional competition brings together schools from all over the Manawatu to compete in various categories (Drama, Culture, Visual Arts, Poetry, Wearable Arts, Essay Writing, Science, Debate, Speeches, Quiz, Cinematography and Talent). Our student leaders Elizebeth Logologo, Faith Toeleiu, Salaina Fuauli, Misipeka Ana and Soane Kilioni choreographed dances from Kiribati,







Samoa, Tuvalu, Tonga and Fiji to create a twenty minute spectacular. Through endless practices and lots of hard work, our students were able to come away with 1st place in the Cultural and Drama category and a 3rd place win in Wearable Arts. Huge congratulations and thanks to all those who contributed to this year's performance, particularly our drummers Sina Fuauli, Lafi and Chris Salu and our parents who are a constant source of support and strength for our students.

The next big event was Jandal Jam which brought together both colleges to celebrate Pasifika youth and culture. Fale Pasifike awarded scholarships to two of our students Misipeka Ana and Elizebeth Logologo. A huge congratulations to them as they depart for university at the end of the year.

A new initiative that was fostered in by our Year Leaders was a more robust celebration of Pasifika language weeks. Students designed how they would carry out their week and came up with activities for staff and their peers. They made videos and created a social media page to share Pasifika culture with the wider community. The language weeks have been a great success and it is beautiful to see our Pasifika culture so warmly embraced by the college.

Best wishes to our Pasifika Year 13s who will be leaving us at the end of the year, Misipeka Ana, Valerie Atonio, Elizebeth Logologo, Salaina Fuauli, Damian Sinei, Akevanta Tarawa, Phillip Finau, Jack Teewei Teaeki, Faith Toeleiu, Soane Kilioni and Finau Vakasiuola. It has been a pleasure watching you grow and lead the younger students. I look forward to seeing all that the future holds.

Vinaka vaka levu.

Jessica Foster Dean of Pasifika Students



Sport



2021 had all the makings for an exciting and full sporting calendar after a dispirited 2020 with the impact of Covid-19. Term 1 certainly saw our Year 9 students quickly engaging and enjoying school events such as Tabloid Sports, Trig Walk, Tug of War, Athletics Day and Swimming Sports.

Waka Ama is our latest addition to Horowhenua College sports and thanks to the hard work and dedication of Matua Dylan and Whaea Steph, both our boys and girls teams competed at their very first nationals.

Outstanding performances from Hermione Petersen, our Senior Girls Manawatu Inter-Secondary School Athletics Discus Champion was just another of our success stories. And I must mention the rejuvenation of 1st XV boys rugby after a four year hiatus, which brought back mana, tradition and what the red jersey represents, displaying great pride Matua Chris instilled to all those involved.

Covid certainly places immense stress on our sports sector, and after lockdown many codes called it quits and Tournament Week was cancelled, dashing all hopes for our Senior Boys Basketball, Senior Girls Netball and Boys and Girls 1st X1 Football teams experiencing regional championships. However, with careful planning and meeting the requirements set out by the Ministry of Health and Government Departments we are doing





our best to ensure Annuals Week with Waiopehu College, now scheduled for Term 4, will go ahead. Let's do what we can to keep each other safe

I would like to end with some heartfelt thank yous. To our students with your resilience, patience and efforts to keep pushing. My fellow work colleagues, coaches, managers and drivers - my job would not and could not be possible without your endless support. Our volunteers and community members - your time and dedication helps deliver sport for our school, you are a great asset and are truly valued. And to our parents, thank you. Many times, your child's taxi, dropping off and picking up to games or training and "mum/dad - I forgot my boots/kit", the raffles, fundraising, and the sideline and moral support allowing your child the benefits to participate in, engage and experience sports.

Andi Hirini Sports Coordinator





Basketball

The 2021 basketball season is what we call a learning experience for many players on the team. With new Year 11 and 12s coming into the team it has been fun but also a tough time, with many picking up a basketball for the very first time. We played in the Palmerston North Premier A grade. There were many teams that were way better drilled than us and have players who are super talented which made some tough games for the team. We as a team are able to try our best to face these teams but unfortunately have fallen short of a couple of points against many strong opponents. I would like to see more people picking up a basketball and having a go, because it's a fun sport and it has impacted my life and many others on the team. We all have built long-lasting friendships and memories that will last a lifetime and that we will cherish when looking back on memories of being a Horowhenua College student.

This year's season started with a small local tournament in Otaki. We played schools such as Kapiti and Manukura, who both have extremely good teams from the region. From this, we learnt that winning games this year will not be easy and would require a lot of hard work. Unfortunately due to Covid our season was cut short, which meant that we missed out on many games. We also missed out on Winter Tournament Week which was a bummer because we worked so hard for it. In conclusion it has been an amazing season with these boys and I would like to say it's been an honor being the captain of the team and the assistant coach for Juniors. Lastly I would like to thank all the parents, teachers and students for putting in the hard work to make basketball available at school.

Caleb Young

Captain, Boys Senior Basketball Team

Volleyball









Cycling

In May, we entered a team of Year 9 students (Minnie Collins, Oliver Kennett, Jonathan Clarke and McGregor Eden) into the Bike Manawatu 6-hr Cycle Challenge at Manfeild Raceway. This is the first time in almost a decade that Horowhenua College has had a road cycling team compete for the school. The students had very little training and for all, it was their first time riding in a peloton on a road bike. The speed of the leading bunch of adults was fairly intimidating but the students held their own cycling 3-4 laps of the 3km circuit in a tag team style for six hours. While we did not receive a placing, cycling at the college is picking up momentum. These students, plus a growing number, trained 2-3 times a week in preparation for the Lake Taupo Cycle Challenge in November. With our sights set on the North Island Schools Champs in 2022, it has been great to see their commitment and enthusiasm towards the sport which our College was once strongly represented in. We are also very grateful to Richard Horn and the Levin Cycling Club for their ongoing support of the students. Watch this space!

Donna Elliott

Teacher in Charge of Cycling

Canoe Polo

This year Horowhenua College took two teams to New Zealand Secondary Schools Nationals, held at the newly built Mitre 10 Sports Park in Hastings. Although our regionals were cancelled due to Covid, we were still allowed to send both our Junior Girls and Boys team to Nationals. Unfortunately the weather was disgusting, but that did not discourage our 13 students from having an amazing weekend! The Junior Boys ended up coming 5th, which is an incredible achievement especially when some other players are into their

second or third year of playing Canoe Polo. The boys were respectful, played hard and made their coach James Gilroy really proud. The girls were less fortunate coming in 8th place, but they look forward to improving for next year. Thank you to the staff involved in Canoe Polo this year, James Gilroy, Hanchen Johnson, Justin Tate, Julie Bolton and Andi Hirini. Also a huge thanks to Daniel Sawyer who helped look after the students and to Susan Angus and Adam Tulluch for their generosity that weekend.



Julie Bolton

Teacher in Charge of Canoe Polo

Cricket



The Horowhenua College 1st XI went through something of a rebuilding phase in 2021, with a large number of Senior students moving on from their time with the team, it gave an opportunity to a new young crop of players eager to make their mark on the game. Captained by Jesse Parker alongside Vice Captain Logan Manson, the team made steady improvement week by week and gained their first win of the season against worthy foes Feilding High School 1st XI early in the competition. Young guns Hannah Bishop, James Dunsmore, and Hunter Adsett all proved themselves quickly, and Caleb Jensen and Sharman Patel provided

great performances of their own, on and off the pitch. New signing for the season Chai Hughes also cemented his place at the top of the order with both batting and bowling prowess. A massive thanks must go to Craig Adsett, who helped coach the team giving some invaluable expertise and knowledge of the game to the students. Thanks also to the parents who helped with transport to Palmerston North, keeping the team going every week and always supporting us. Bring on the end of the year and hopefully the return of the Challenge Trophy to the NUA cabinet!

Nick Stachurski

Teacher in Charge of Cricket





Rugby

Kia ora whānau. Firstly, I'd like to take this opportunity to thank all those who got behind the red jersey this year and allowed our boys to take the first step in restoring mana to the jersey. From our pre-season game against Te Aute College, to the end of season, the opportunities presented to us have been humbling and as a result we have been able to take a step towards the bigger picture of rugby at Horowhenua College. To all coaching staff and players, a massive thank you and kia kaha for next season.

Joel Paxton

Captain, Boys 1st XV Rugby

Boys Football

Heading into the 2021 football season, there were doubts over how we would perform due to losing a number of key players from last year and it being the first year of 1st XI football in many years without Gary O'Brien as coach. This season, the team consisted of only two Year 13's and the bulk of the squad being Year 11's. With it being such a young squad, we underestimated ourselves as some players were learning different positions, and we had to start developing new combinations. After a slow start in our first few games, we managed to find some consistency and went from strength to strength, going unbeaten for the whole season. This helped us to win ten games out of ten and clinch the U19 Manawatu Division 1 title by a whopping 15 points. After the team's undefeated league season, we would be favourites to take home Levin AFC's team of the year award.

A large portion of the squad also played senior football in the afternoons against adults, which improved the team's skill level and made the transition to playing against college oppositions much easier. The

squad was looking forward to participating in Tournament Week in Whanganui, however, this was cancelled because of the Covid-19 Lockdown. Overall, it was an enjoyable year of football filled with ups and downs, and as captain, I am proud of the team's results and have seen the development of number of players, which leads me to believe that the future of Horowhenua College football in the years to come will be left in good hands.

Olly James

Captain, Boys U19 Football Team



Girls Football

This year has been an awesome year for Girls Football at Horowhenua College. For he first time since 2019, there has been enough interest from the girls to form two teams to enter in secondary school competitions. Fortunately, at the beginning of the year, our annual Heretaunga Exchange was able to take place and this was the beginning of what was yet to be a successful season filled with after school training, early morning fitness sessions and weekly games.

Our 1st XI Girls Football Team competed in the Manawatu Girls Premiership competition and secured a few wins alongside a few losses, while the 2nd XI Girls Football Team competed in the Manawatu Youth Girls competition. With our 1st XI team consisting of only three Year 13's and a large chunk of 9-12 year levels, I know the team is left in safe hands with the keen younger players coming through. It is safe to say that the improvement throughout the season was huge from both teams, considering it was the first year playing football for many. Despite missing out on the end of our season and our Winter Tournament Week due to the Covid-19 Lockdown, we had a rewarding season while it lasted.

We ended the season with our annual game against the Staff, which entertained everyone as they took the 2-0 win! It is safe to say we are all looking forward to Annuals in Term 4 (bring on Trevor Brooking!). Although we didn't manage to go on Tournament Week, we would like to thank all of our sponsors who helped us along the way; your support was much appreciated. On behalf

of both teams, I would like to pass on a massive thank you to the people who made this season possible. Firstly, our 1st XI coach Richard - we are all endlessly appreciative of the time you have constantly given to our team, we genuinely couldn't do it without you! To James, thank you for putting your hand up to take on the 2nd XI this year and passing on your knowledge, I know you made their season a very enjoyable one! To our Manager, Miss Davidson, your dedication, support and involvement with both teams this year has blown us all away and your hard work behind the scenes has not gone unnoticed - we cannot thank you enough. Lastly, thank you to the girls for giving it 100% every week and making NUA proud. It has been my pleasure to be your Captain for 2021 and I wish you all the very best for next year's season!

Caroline Hyslop

Captain, Girls 1st XI Football Team



Hockey

The 1st XI Girls Hockey team had an extraordinary winter season finishing off at 3rd place in Division 1 versus Palmerston North Girls High School. Winning 4-0, we are all so proud of ourselves! Some highlights from the season in 2021 have included our highest scoring game winning 6-0 against Whanganui Collegiate. Besides the season, Hockey has taught not only me, but the team grit, determination and perseverance. The strong bond between teammates built during the hockey season is strengthened with every practice and game, with every win and loss, with every sweat and tear. We are a team of a close bond, win or lose, the girls still keep their

heads up high!



"One of my highlights was the group activities played before the games, which hyped the team up and brought us closer together" - Brooke Rollinson, Year 12.

Lastly, a huge thank you to our coach Jane for spending many hours preparing and attending every training. You have helped the team push themselves, and to achieve beyond what we thought we could. On behalf of the team we really appreciate your work and how fair you are to all players, thank you! Also a big thank you to manager Mel and Nicole for co-coaching the season, we all appreciate your hard work also.

"A highlight for me was scoring my first goal for Horowhenua College. The good atmosphere and the encouragement from other teammates all made the season really enjoyable" – Lily Bilton, Year 9.

I am looking forward to seeing the 1st XI Girls Hockey team next year blossom even further, you girls can accomplish so much!

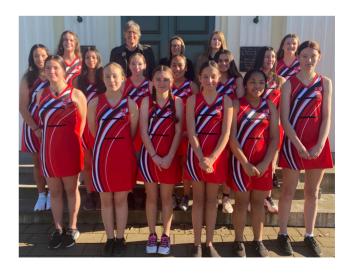
Jessica Burgess Captain, Girls 1st XI Hockey Team

Netball

This season we have 7 teams that play on a Saturday morning at Donnelly park. This season so far has been great with some tough competition. The Senior A team competed in a tournament in Otaki this year. They played on a Monday night for 6 weeks coming 4th overall. We have recently got new Netball uniforms for the Senior and Junior A teams. We want to say a huge thank you to Wakefield's Lawyers as this was sponsored by them. This was appreciated as now we have more uniform selection for the teams. We've had an amazing season playing on a Saturday morning against local competition learning and developing new skills. Thank you to all the coaches, managers, referees and parents who put in their time and effort to make the Netball season possible. We are now all looking forward to the Senior and Junior A playing Annuals to finish Netball off for the year.



Captain, Senior A Netball Team



Academic Achievement 2020

NCEA Merit/Excellence Endorsement 2020

We congratulate the following students on their NCEA endorsements for 2020.

Level 1 with Excellence

Natalie Davis Samuel Hanson Sarah Harper Izzy McKenzie Amber Metcalfe Grace Newman Anand Ranchhod Zoe Roentgen

Emily Snell Aaliyah Wicks Jacob Winstanley Robert Wylie Emma Zussino

Level 1 with Merit

Lauren Alderton Inara Barfoote Ocean Bellamy-Davis Isabella Beugelsdyk Nikita Burlace Zoe Cameron Micah Esclamado Eden Goldsmith Jordan Goldsmith Tahlia Kairau-Bevan Abby Kemp Jessica Leota Haloti Nau Xavier Nelson Ali Parata Alyssa Smaling Ta'lia Tuitama

Level 2 with Excellence

Misipeka Ana Callum Baines Keegan Black Nicole Burlace Jessica Burgess Kaitlin Eyles Ellee Gilmore Giuls Gocht Caroline Hyslop Kate Kirkwood Gerhard Louw Nikita McDermott

Sian McKenzie Jason Sue Elle Webb

Level 2 with Merit

Emmeline Andrews Angus Bryant Brooklyn Greig-Hartley Ana Harrison Grace James Oliver James Sophia Kingi Mary Martin Phoebe Nickson Poppy Nielsen Joel Paxton Crystal Payne Atlanta Solouota-Martin Tiziano Stojanovic Elise Walker

Michael Wynne Lisa Yan Emma Yang

Level 3 with Excellence

Sam Anderson Oliver Bau Jamie Harper Carter Maddock Hemish Patel Ethan Roentgen

Gayle Wootton

Level 3 with Merit

Isaac Bishop Chris Dela Cuesta Wayne Delos Reyes Jack Keene

Renee Smith Stasson Collings

Scholarships

Jamie Harper - English Oliver Parrant - Photography







Cultural Awards 2020

Art, Design & Photography

Commitment in Year 11 Art

Inara Barfoote Eden Braddock Nikita Burlace Emma Dixon Breena Green

Anahera Karaitiana-Wallace

Eden Parker Abbey Pedley

Improvement in Year 11 Art Ocean Bellamy-Davis Jour-nee Cooper Micah Esclamdo Kalani Pederson Simi Sagalala-Lose Khavan Tukapua Robert Wylie

Outstanding Work Ethic in Year 11 Art

Inara Barfoote Maria Marks Izzy McKenzie Eden Parker Emily Snell Ta'lia Tuitama Emma Zussino

Commitment in Year 12 Design

Moeke Walker Hayden Yewen-Burns

Outstanding Work Ethic in Year 12 Design

Angus Bryant

Brooklyn Greig-Hartley

Commitment in Year 12 Painting

Ashleigh Gilligan Teresa Hollows Kate Kirkwood Hayden Yewen- Burns

Improvement in Year 12 Painting

Poppy Nielsen Kaylee Smith

Outstanding Work Ethic in Year 12 Painting

Leith Buchanan Jessica Burgess Shariah Clark Jenny Su Commitment in Year 12 Photography

Charity Hall Poppy Nielsen

Outstanding Work Ethic in Year 12

Photography

Brooklyn Greig-Hartley

Most Improved Student in Year 12

Photography Ayla Holden

Outstanding Work Ethic in Year 12 Painting

Angus Bryant

Commitment in Year 13 Design

Kane Rudd

Outstanding Work Ethic in Year 13 Design

Oliver Parrant

Outstanding Work Ethic in Year 13 Design

Jack Keene

Commitment In Year 12 Painting

Gerhard Louw

Atlanta Solouota-Martin

Commitment in Year 13 Painting and

Scholarship Oliver Parrant Kane Rudd Gayle Wooton

Commitment in Year 13 Painting

Ally Ataria Oliver Parrant Kane Rudd

Outstanding Work Ethic in Year 13 Painting

Oliver Parrant Kane Rudd Gayle Wooton Lisa Yan

Outstanding Work Ethic in Year 13

Photography Oliver Parrant

Commitment in Year 13 Photography

Holden Beckham

Most Improved Student in Year 13

Photography Jessi Sue







Anna Taylor Trophy For Passion and Dedication to the Visual Arts

Oliver Parrant Kane Rudd

Dance

Performance and Dedication to Dance

Grace Wedlock Kate Batholomew Sarah Harper Kaitlin Eyles Arya Patel Hermione Petersen Emma Zussino

Drama

Best Level One Drama Performance

Amber Metcalfe Aaliyah Wicks

Best Level Two Drama Performance

Valerie Atonio Jayden Duggan Ana Harrison

Best Level Three Drama Performance

Oliver Bau

Outstanding Work Ethic in Drama

Jessica Burgess

Commitment to Drama - Drama Department Trophy (shared)

Valerie Atonio Oliver Bau

Emerging Artist Performing Arts - Drama **Department Trophy**

Grace Wedlock

Yo Emerging Artist Performing Arts

Katya Campbell Piper Ristow

Most Improved Senior Female Drama

Student Trophy Faith Toeleiu

Most Improved Senior Male Drama

Student Trophy **Ruben Travers**

Most Promising Drama Student - Benge

Charli O'Brien

Most Promising Junior Drama Student

Amber Rollinson Kalanee Wicks

Overall Excellence in Drama - Adams

Sunderland Cup Oliver Bau

Excellent Leadership in Drama

Ana Harrison Service to Drama Casey Harding Ana Harrison

DVC

Most Improved Yr 13 DVC Student

Ethan Roentgen

Most Improved Yr 12 DVC Student

Alex McKenzie

Most Improved Yr 11 DVC Student (1st =)

Isabella Beugelsdyk Petesa Tomane

DVC Innovative Thinking Award Yr 13

Jack Keene

DVC Innovative Thinking Award Yr 12

Gerhardus Louw

DVC Innovative Thinking Award Yr11

Zoe Roentgen

All-round Outstanding Commitment to

DVCYr 13 Jack Keene All-round Outstanding Commitment to

DVCYr 12 Angus Bryant

All-round Outstanding Commitment to

DVCYr 11(1st =) Natalie Davis **Emily Snell**

Karanga/Haka/Rangatahi Ora

Services to House Haka Comp (Kōwhai)

Turahui Hill Le'Kaira Ratima Diamond Tamatea Caroline Vehekite

Services to House Haka Comp (Rātā)

Joel Paxton

Services to House Haka Comp (Hīnau)

Troy Beckham Tipene Murray

Services to House Haka Comp (Ngaio)

Sarjae Clarke-Te Rangi Ngawari Maihi-Knight Rihara Norgrove-Rangihuna

Misaydez Waho

Services to Karanga (Powhiri 4 years)

Troy Beckham

Services to Whaikorero

Jamie Harper Adam Hori Te Pa

Commitment to Rangatahi Ora (5 years)

Holden Beckham Tipene Murray Billie Paki

Commitment to Rangatahi Ora (4 years)

Troy Beckham

Commitment to Rangatahi Ora (3 years)

Marcus Horsfield-Clark Calais Murray Jahkaia Ngamoki Alyssa Smaling Ben Warrington

Commitment to Rangatahi Ora (2 years)

Jayde Hei Hei Jade Hurunui Jason Little Carmel Ponga Le'Kaira Ratima Jaydin Robinson-Beckham

Diamond Tamatea

Ariki Whiley

Excellence in Leadership Rangatahi Ora

Tuakana Troy Beckham Calais Murray Alyssa Smaling Shaye Tapp

Excellence in Leadership Rangatahi Ora

Teina Jayde Hei Hei Nikaia Hepi-Taratoa Ataahua Hunt Whatu Kiriona

Commitment to Rangatahi Ora (1 year)

Grace Bendall Sarjae Clarke-Te Rangi **Hunter Crouch** Toko Finau Grace Fletcher Leah Galey LeeAnne Graham Mikaere Greenland

Primo Halbert Regan Henare Ariana Hennessy Nikaia Hepi-Taratoa Adam Hori Te Pa Ataahua Hunt Keanu Jennings Zari Karaitiana Whatu Kiriona

Tarleya-Rose Matakatea Rihara Norgrove-Rangihuna Onyx Pouawha-Hirini Te Whetumarama Reedy

Jackson Shuker Shaye Tapp Tiri Tipuna-Hofman Khavarn Tukupua Misaydez Waho

Shirley Wakefield-Taunoa Maia Warrington













Music

Most Improved Junior Vocalist - Sarah McMillan Trophy

Devany Prosser-Hill

Most Promising Junior Keyboard Player Taylor Studios Trophy

Allen Ikakeau

Most Improved Instrumentalist I-Martinez Trophy Aiden Moffat Service to Music – Diana Williams Cup

Age of Steel (band)

- Jasmine Beach
- Brooklyn Greig-Hartley
- Moeke Walker

Top Senior Vocalist

Salaina Fuauli

Top Senior Instrumentalist Brooklyn Greig-Hartley Top Senior Instrumentalist Sophia Kingi

Commitment in Year 11 Music Italy Collings

Commitment in Year 11 Music Aaliyah Wicks

Commitment in Year 11 Music Aiden Moffat







Pasifika

Excellence in Pasifika Leadership

Salaina Fuauli

Pasifika Leadership

Tonga Ngaluafe

Pasifika Leadership

Elizebeth Logologo

Pasifika Leadership

Misipeka Ana

Pasifika Leadership Valerie Atonio

Promising Junior Pasifika Leader

Angelina Toeleiu

Promising Pasifika Leader

Ake Tarawa

Promising Pasifika Leader

Faith Toeleiu

Promising Pasifika Leader Soane Kilioni

Fale Pasifika Horowhenua - Pasifika Cultural Cup

Caroline Vehikite





Sports Awards 2020

Athletics

Senior Boys Champion, Martin Clifford Cup Stasson Collings

Intermediate Boys Champion, Richard Kiriona Cup Oliver James Junior Boys Champion, Travers Cup Teaoti Aari

Senior Girls Champion, V&L Williams Cup Tonga Ngaluafe Intermediate Girls Champion, Dinnison Cup

Jessica Leota

Junior Girls Champion, McMahon Cup Torina Ngaluafe

Basketball

MVP - Senior Boys, K&T Smith Cup Toko Finau

Most Promising Y9 Player, Judge Family Trophy Max Newman

Most Improved Boy, Mills Cup

Stasson Collings

Most Outstanding Player - Boys, Colin Hill Memorial Trophy Adam Hori Te Pa

Defensive Player Of The Year, Hofmann Trophy Rangiora Williams Captain Boys 'A' Team, Pam Judge Memorial Trophy Caleb Young

Bowls

Singles Champion, Levin Bowling Trophy Sam Anderson

Canoe Polo

Captains Cup - Girls, Lawn Cup Iosefara Fereti-Boot Most Improved Junior Girl, Norman Cup Piper Ristow Most Improved Senior Girl, Hurley Cup Nicole Parata

Cricket

Best Batting Average - Boys, G McEwen

Sam Anderson

Best Bowling Average - Boys, McEwen Cup Jesse Parker

Best All Rounder - Boys, Hayfield Trophy Sam Anderson

Boys 1st XI Captain, Jenkins Cup Hemish Patel

Service To Cricket - Boys, Galpin Cup Isaac Bishop

Overall Excellence In Cricket - Boys, Stefan Foster Memorial Trophy

Hemish Patel

Y9 Cricketer - Boys, McGavin Cup Caleb Jensen

Y10 Cricketer - Boys, BK Montford Cup Joel Bishop

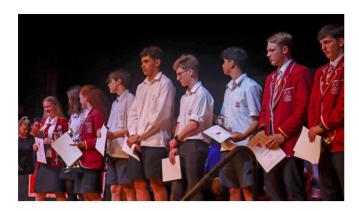
Cross Country

Junior Girls Champion, Blair Trophy Torina Ngaluafe

Junior Boys Champion, Watson Trophy Codie Parata

Intermediate Girls Champion, Moore Cup Jessica Leota Intermediate Boys Champion, Aanensen Trophy Oliver James

Senior Girls Champion, Carter Cup Tonga Ngaluafe Senior Boys Champion, RK Archer Cup Oliver Bau





Football

Most Valuable Tournament Player, Horowhenua Centennial Trophy Stasson Collings

Most Improved Y10 Boy, Sound Centre Cup Allen Ikakeau

Best Performance - Boys, Walker Cup Stasson Collings

Most Improved Y₉ Boy, John & Helen Maxwell Trophy

Nic Wynne

Most Consistent Player - Boy, DB

McCorkindale Cup Oliver James 1st XI Captain - Boys, Gardiner Cup Stasson Collings

Most Improved Girl, Shaw Trophy

Football

Isoefara Fereti-Boot

Best Performance - Girl (Player Of The Year), Wally Graves Cup

Tonga Ngaluafe

Best All Round Defender, Julie Christensen

Trophy

Tonga Ngaluafe

Best Y10 Girl, Armstrong Trophy

Lizzie Jones

Best Yg Girl, Armstrong-Burbery Trophy Joria Horn

Captain - Girls 1st XI, Taylor Trophy

Tonga Ngaluafe

Top Junior Boy - Futsal

Ben Rainham

Top Senior Boy - Futsal Sora Miyamoto

Hockey

Boys Captain 1st XI, Chronicle Cup Sam Anderson & Isaac Bishop

Service To Boys Hockey, Olendzki-Schulz Cup

Sam Anderson

MVP - Boys, Davies Trophy Isaac Bishop

Best Team Player - Boys, Marshall Cup Whatu Kiriona

Spirit Of Hockey - Boys, Searle Trophy Angus Bryant Most Improved Senior Boy, Fulford Cup William Hines

Most Promising Junior Boy, Berry Cup Byron Lammas

Service To Girls Hockey, Broughton Memorial

Nicole Parata

Girls Captain 1st XI, Maureen Ward Cup Nicole Parata & Piata Kiriona

Most Improved Senior Girl, Davis Cup Jessica Burgess Best 1st Year - Most Improved Y9, Read Cup Cassie Turkington

Most Valuable Junior Girl, Maxlyn Trophy Abby Reid

Spirit of Hockey - Girls, Hilron Trophy Ali Parata

Best Performance - Girls, Player Of The

Season Cup Jessica Leota

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Netball

Senior Most Valuable Player, Horowhenua Senior A Cup Mary Martin

Senior A Most Dedicated Player, Senior A Most Dedicated Cup Jessica Leota Senior A Most Improved Player, Senior A Most Improved Cup Torina Ngaluafe Most Significant Achievement, Julian Smith Cup Torina Ngaluafe

Rugby

Best Forward - U15 Boys, Whaitiri Trophy Haloti Nau

Best Back - U15 Boys Usaia Vakacakaudrove

Best & Fairest Player - U₁₅ Boys Joseph Logologo Most Valuable Player - Boys U15 Captain Pauliasi Taumoepeau

Best Player - U18 Girls Troy Beckham

Best Forward - U18 Girls

Kesha Hanson

Best Forward - U₁₅ Girls Ariana Hennessy

Best Back - U15 Girls Shirley Wakefield-Taunoa

Most improved Player - U15 girls Waikauri Koperu Tawhara

Swimming

Junior Girls Champion, Rose King Cup Maddie Howorth Junior Boys Champion, Darwick Cup Keanu Jennings Senior Boys Champion, Cameron Cup TJ Sannazzaro

Volleyball

Most Valuable Player - Girl Jessica Leota Most Valuable Player - Boy Ake Tarawa Most Improved Player - Boy Poasa Toeleiu

Supreme Sports Awards

Team of the Season, The Morgan Family Shield

U₁₇ Boys Football Team

Aidan Brick, Allen Ikakeau, Ben Rainham, Chris Brodie, Conner McFadgen, Kamaea Kiwara, Lathym Eatson, Martyn Orchard, Mose Tausi, Nathan Eyles, Oliver James, Popier Chinbatao, Robert Wylie, Sora Miyamoto, Thuan Nguyen, Toby James

Best All Round Sports Girl, Foster Cup Tonga Ngaluafe

Best All Round Sports Boy, Simpson Cup Sam Anderson







Senior Prizegiving 2020

Year 11 Academic Awards

Alex Joseph

2nd L1 Outdoor Education

Alyssa Smaling

2nd L1 Physical Education

Ashlee Millard

2nd L1 Services Academy

Christopher Brodie 2nd L1 Sport Science Harrison Chambers

2nd= L1 Creative Catering

Isabella Beugelsdyk 2nd= L1 Carpentry Izzy McKenzie 2nd= L1 Art

Jason Little

2nd L1 Design Technology

John Stratton 2nd= L1 Carpentry

Lily Tyson

2nd= L1 Creative Catering

Zoe Roentgen

2nd= L1 Studies of Society

Simi Sagalala Iose

Most improved in Senior ESOL

Adam Stokes
1st L1 Carpentry
Aiden Moffat
1st L1 Music
Ali Parata
1st L1 Accounting
Daniel Henry

1st L1 Services Academy

Gabe Welsh

1st L1 Design Technology

Harry Keene

1st L1 Automotive Engineering

Hermione Petersen 1st= L1 English Robert Wylie

1st L1 Design & Visual Communication

Technology Prize
Royiona Fonoti
1st L1 Sport Science
Sarah Harper

1st L1 Health

Sione Motu'apuaka

1st L1 English for Speakers of Other

Languages
Xavier Nelson
1st L1 Japanese
Zoe Cameron
1st L1 Horticulture
Primary ITO Trophy & Prize

Samuel Hanson

2nd L1 Accounting 2nd L1 Business Studies

Ta'lia Tuitama 2nd L1 Japanese 2nd= L1 Art Aaliyah Wicks 2nd= L1 Music 1st= L1 Drama Emily Snell

2nd L1 Design & Visual Communication

1st L1 Art

Grace Newman 2nd L1 Health 1st= L1 English

Zyran Hirst

2nd L1 Automotive Engineering

1st L1 Engineering
Jacob Winstanley
2nd L1 Mathematics
1st L1 Outdoor Education
1st= L1 Digital Technology

Amber Metcalfe 1st L1 Creative Catering Technology Prize 1st L1 Physical Education

1st= L1 Drama Emma Zussino 2nd L1 Business Studies 2nd L1 Science

2nd=L1 Studies of Society

1st= L1 English

Italy Collings
2nd= L1 Music
1st L1 Mathematics
1st= L1 English

Anand Ranchhod
1st L1 Business Studies

1st L1 Science 1st L1 Studies of Society 1st= L1 Digital Technology

Year 12 Academic Awards

Alex Joseph 2nd L2 Engineering

Giuls Gocht 2nd= L2 Statistics Jayden Duggan 2nd L2 Media Studies

Kate Kirkwood

2nd L2 Business Studies

Keanu Ross 2nd L2 Gateway, Leith Buchanan 2nd= L2 Carpentry Misipeka Ana 2nd= L2 Chemistry Phoebe Nickson 2nd L2 Tourism Ruben Travers 2nd L2 Photography

Sophia Kingi 2nd L2 Music Ana Harrison 1st L2 Drama Ayla Holden 1st L2 Photography

Emma Yang

1st L2 Business Studies

Jade Campbell

1st= L2 Horticulture

Maddy McMillan

1st L2 Gateway

Moeke Walker

1st L2 Creative Catering

Nikita McDermott 1st L2 English Shariah Clark 1st L2 Art Keegan Black 2nd L2 Health 2nd L2 Social Studies Troy Beckham

2nd= L2 Creative Catering 2nd L2 Outdoor Education

Valerie Atonio

2nd= L2 Creative Catering

2nd= L2 Drama Caroline Hyslop 2nd= L2 English 1st L2 History Crystal Payne 2nd= L2 Statistics 1st= L2 Horticulture

Jenny Su 2nd L2 Art

1st= L2 Design & Visual Communication

Technology Prize Jessica Burgess 2nd= L2 Drama 1st L2 Tourism Kaitlin Eyles 2nd= L2 History

1st L2 Outdoor Education Brooklyn Greig-Hartley 1st L2 Carpentry 1st L₂ Music

1st= L2 Design & Visual Communication

1st L2 Media Studies

Gerhardus Louw

Oliver James

1st= L2 Digital Technology 1st L2 Physical Education

Sian McKenzie

1st= L2 Digital Technology

1st L2 Statistics **Angus Bryant** 2nd L2 Mathematics 2nd= L2 Physics 1st L2 Design Ellee Gilmore

2nd= L2 English

2nd= L2 Physical Education 1st L2 Social Studies Aaron Leech

2nd= L2 Carpentry 1st L2 Design Technology

1st L2 Engineering

Jason Sue

2nd= L2 Chemistry

2nd= L2 Physical Education

2nd= L2 Physics 1st L₂ Biology

Nicole Burlace 3rd L2 Chemistry 3rd= L2 Mathematics 2nd L2 Biology

1st Y12 doing L3 English

1st L2 Health Callum Baines 2nd= L2 History 1st L2 Accounting 1st L2 Chemistry 1st L2 Mathematics

1st L2 Physics

Services Academy

Most Improved Services Academy Student Services Academy Trophy

Sammy Chasteauneuf 2nd Services Academy English

Leadership Award

Services Academy Drill Cane

Jerry Te Aramoana

2nd Services Academy Mathematics 2nd Services Academy Science

Most Inspiring Services Academy Student

Services Academy Shield

Joel Paxton

1st Services Academy Mathematics 1st Services Academy English 1st Services Academy Science 1st Services Academy Military Skills Top Services Academy Student Services Academy Trophy

Year 13 Academic Awards

Chris Dela Cuesta 2nd L₃ Physics

Ethan Edwards 2nd L₃ Gateway

Kane Rudd 2nd= L3 Art Oliver Bau 2nd= L₃ History

Stasson Collings 2nd L₃ Physical Education

Adrianna Turkington 1st L₃ Tourism Isaac Bishop 1st= L3 Chemistry

Jared Davis 1st L₃ Carpentry Sam Anderson

1st L₃ Physical Education

Carter Maddock 2nd L₃ Health 2nd= L₃ History

Gayle Wootton 2nd= L3 English 1st L₃ Art

Maranata Stowers 1st L₃ Creative Catering

1st L₃ Gateway Jack Keene 2nd L₃ Calculus 1st L₃ Digital Technology

1st L₃ Design & Visual Communication

Oliver Parrant 2nd= L3 Art 1st L₃ Design 1st L₃ Photography Renee Smith 1st L₃ Biology 1st= L3 Chemistry

1st L₃ English

Hemish Patel 2nd= L3 English 1st L₃ Accounting 1st L₃ Business Studies 1st L₃ Statistics

Jamie Harper 2nd L₃ Biology 2nd L₃ Statistics 1st L3 Health 1st L₃ History 1st L₃ Sociology

Ethan Roentgen

2nd L₃ Design & Visual Communication

1st L₃ Calculus

1st L₃ Design Technology

1st L₃ Physics

Supreme Academic Awards

Anand Ranchhod

Top Academic Student in Year 11

Italy Collings

Runner Up Top Academic Student in Year 11

Callum Baines

Top Academic Student in Year 12

Nicole Burlace

Runner Up Top Academic Student in Year 12

Ethan Roentgen

Jamie Harper Proxime Accessit

Vocational Pathway & Trade Academy Awards

Vocational Pathways Service Industries

Award

Paris Armstrong Ally Ataria

Holden Beckham Isaac Bishop

Vocational Pathways Creative Industries

Award Oliver Bau Jack Keene Kane Rudd Vocational Pathways Manufacturing and Technology Award

Ethan Edwards Kaleb Graham

Trades Academy Level 2 Automotive Course, Highly Commended Certificate

Ashwani Thakur Rory Davidson Ethan Edwards

UCOL Accomplishment Award

Malia Kilioni

Gateway Level 2, Building and Construction Industry Training Organisation Certificate of Achievement

Maddie McMillan Keanu Ross

Trades Academy Level 2 Construction Course, U-Skills Horowhenua/Kapiti **Outstanding Student Award**

Jake Smale

Special Awards

Best All Round Y11 Boy, Poutama Trophy Robert Wylie

Best All Round Y11 Girl, Poutama Trophy

Y11 Service and Participation, Grant Jones Memorial Cup Alyssa Smaling

Y12 Service to the School

Ivan Larsen Cup Ana Harrison

Student Rep on the Board of Trustees, Darren Hughes Cup

Misipeka Ana

International Students - Service & Participation, Robyn Keeling International Students' Cup

Sora Miyamoto & Asuka Sakai

Senior Girl with Initiative and Excellent Organisational Skills, Business & Professional Women's Trophy Renee Smith

Senior Boy with Initiative and Excellent Organisational Skills, Collis & Hughes Cup Hemish Patel

Best Academic Achievement from a Maori Student, Aroha Sciascia Memorial Trophy Jamie Harper

Social Action, Kaitiakitanga Trophy Jamie Harper & Carter Maddock

Y13 Focus and Commitment, The Brown Girls Cup Tonga Ngaluafe

Whaia Te Iti Kahurangi Trophy Jahrome Frew-White

Kapinua Award Jack Teewei Teaeki

Altrusa Award **Gayle Wootton**

Fale Pasifika Horowhenua Tertiary Scholarship for Pasifika Culture &

Leadership Caroline Vehikite

Frank Bryce Masonic Charity Fund Scholarship

Wayne Delos Reyes

Horowhenua Veterinary Services Award Amber Zinsli-Riddell

Rotary Scholarship to attend the Science & Technology Roadshow Nicole Burlace

Rotary Scholarship for Service and Academic Achievement Hemish Patel

Horowhenua Youth Excellence Scholarship, Sports

Sam Anderson

Horowhenua Youth Excellence Scholarship, Service

Jamie Harper Tonga Ngaluafe

Horowhenua Youth Excellence Scholarship, Arts & Cultural

Caroline Vehikite Aaliyah Wicks

Horowhenua Youth Excellence Scholarship, Academia

Ethan Roentgen Carter Maddock Renee Smith

Excellence in Senior Art - Horowhenua **District Council Prize**

Oliver Parrant

Horowhenua Scholarship Trust Award for Academic Achievement

Ethan Roentgen

Sam Anderson

Head Boy, Principal's Prize Jamie Harper

Head Girl, Principal's Prize Tonga Ngaluafe

Deputy Head Boy, Principal's Prize Jared Davis

Deputy Head Girl, Principal's Prize Renee Smith

Excellence in Sciences, Clarks Prize Renee Smith

Outstanding Entrepreneurial Skills, Colbert Cooper Prize Sam Anderson

Outstanding Leadership & Advocacy, Horowhenua College Student Council Prize & Cup

Service and Academic Achievement, 22nd Battalion LW Andrew VC Bursary Jamie Harper

Selected to attend the Canterbury University Women in Engineering Residential Programme, Pasifika Scholarship

Misipeka Ana

Selected to Attend Hands-On at Otago 2020, Canon Scholarship **Emma Yang**

Prime Minister's Vocational Excellence Award

Paris Armstrong

Selected to Attend the Otago University Advanced Schools Science Academy, University of Otago Award

Callum Baines Mary Martin

Massey University Outstanding Social Sciences Student Excellence Award Sophie Taylor

Tangiwai School Leaver Scholarship Caroline Vehikite Jack Keene Jamie Harper

Totoweka School Leaver Scholarship Carter Maddock

Sam Anderson

Amiria McGhie University of Otago New Frontiers **Entrance Scholarship**

Gayle Wootton University of Otago Vice Chancellor's Scholarship

University of Otago 150th Entrance Scholarship Renee Smith

University of Otago Maori Entrance Scholarship Piata Kiriona

University of Otago Pacific People's **Entrance Scholarship** Iosefara Fereti-Boot Tonga Ngaluafe

Auckland University Top Achievers Entrance Scholarship Ethan Roentgen

Junior Prizegiving 2020







Top Awards

Blenkhorn Award for hard work and overall contribution to the life of the College Miliama Tausi & Taburimai Talia

Mowhia & Te Uira Kerehoma Scholarship Ataahua Hunt

Ken Mason Award Torina Ngaluafe Year 9 Top Academic Student

Runner Up Year 9 Top Academic Student Piper Ristow

Year 10 Top Academic Student Nathan Eyles Runner Up Year 10 Top Academic Students Charli O'Brien Isabel Maclean Martyn Orchard Toby James

Year 9 Achievement Awards

gcH 1st Rihara Norgrove-Rangihuna 2nd Jasmine Tran

gcL 1st= Irene Vehikite 1st= Whatu Kiriona

9cM 1st Lacee Collins 2nd Jacob Hickson 9cO 1st Steffani Miradores 2nd= Kalanee Wicks 2nd= Torina Ngaluafe

9cQ 1st Kimi O'Donnell

9cR 1st Gavin Sue 2nd Piper Ristow

9cY 1st Cora Davidson 2nd Vincent Bennik

Year 9 Subject Prizes

Aden Anderson

First in 9cQ PE

Addison Bayley Second in 9cY PE

Amber Rollinson

Excellence in Drama, Excellence in Music Excellence in Digital Technology

Anna Wylie

Merit in Design and Visual Communication

Arva Patel

Merit in Digital Technology, Merit in Media Studies, Excellence in Tikanga

Bella Foster

Merit in Design and Visual Communication Excellence in Drama

Bonnie Smith Excellence in Art Calais Harding First in 9cO Science

Calais Karlina Harding Merit in Tikanga, Excellence in Design

Technology

Caleb Jensen

Merit in Outdoor Education, Merit in

Media Studies

Cate Parata

Excellence in Design Technology

Cameron Davis

Third in 9cY Social Studies, Second in 9cY

Science

Codie Parata Second 9cR PE

Cody Martin

Merit in Design Technology

Cora Davidson

Merit in Drama, First in 9cY Maths & Social

Studies

Devyn Fa'aui

Merit in Outdoor Education

Dominic Clements Merit in Music

Duncan Lawrie-Coombes

Merit in Outdoor Education, Excellence in Design Technology

Evan Hale

Second in 9cQ Science

Gavin Sue

Merit in Design and Visual Communication Excellence in Japanese, Excellence in Media Studies, Excellence in Design Technology, Excellence in Tikanga, First in 9cR English, Science, Social Studies &

Maths

Gemma Ritere Second in 9cO Maths

George Teawaki

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Cassie Turkington Sophie Fitzgerald Lute Kilioni Hutch Hodges

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Action

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Excellence in year 10 Health Excellence in year 10 Science

Allen Ikakeau

Excellence in year 10 PE First in year 10 Music

Amana De Lima Caldas Excellence in year 10 Music Excellence in year 10 Art

Angeline Toeleiu

Excellence in year 10 Music

Anna Cochrane First in year 10 Art

Brooke Hagger

Excellence in year 10 Art

Excellence in year 10 Social Studies

Caitlin Hanson

Excellence in year 10 Social Studies

Caitlyn de Burgh

Excellence in year 10 Japanese Excellence in year 10 Science

Carmel Ponga

Excellence in year 10 Science

Charli O'Brien

Excellence in year 10 Drama First in year 10 Health First in year 10 Kai Technology

Charlotte Brown

Excellence in year 10 Social Studies

Charlotte Mitchell

First in year 10 Sustainability in Action

Chloe Williams

Excellence in year 10 Design and Visual

Communication

Excellence in year 10 Japanese Excellence in year 10 Art

Devany Prosser-Hill Excellence in year 10 Art Excellence in year 10 English

Diamond Tamatea First in year 10 Māori DJ Vaele

Excellence in year 10 Digital Technology

Eden Fa'aui

Excellence in year 10 English Excellence in year 10 PE

Ella Henderson

Excellence in year 10 High Performance

Sport

Emma Tito

Excellence in year 10 Social Studies

Excellence in year 10 Art

First in year 10 Design and Visual Communication

Faith Andrews

Excellence in year 10 Music Excellence in year 10 English Excellence in year 10 Social Studies

Grace Wedlock

Excellence in year 10 Dance Excellence in year 10 Social Studies Excellence in year 10 Science First in year 10 Drama

Isabel Maclean

Excellence in year 10 Maths First in year 10 English First in year 10 Science

Jade Hurunui

Excellence in year 10 English Excellence in year 10 Māori

Jayde Heihei

First in year 10 Services Academy

Joel Bishop

Excellence in year 10 Outdoor

Education

Excellence in year 10 Social Studies

Excellence in year 10 PE

Kalani Fogden

Excellence in year 10 English Excellence in year 10 Maths

Kate Bartholomew

Excellence in year 10 Maths Excellence in year 10 Science

Levi Paxton

Excellence in year 10 Music

Excellence in year 10 Design and Visual

Communication

Makayla Kennedy

Excellence in year 10 English

Martyn Orchard

Excellence in year 10 PE

First in year 10 High Performance Sport First in year 10 Digital Technology

Mayank Thakur

Excellence in year 10 Maths

Mose Tausi

Excellence in year 10 PE

Nathan Eyles

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Excellence in year 10 PE
First in year 10 Maths
First in year 10 Social Studies
First in year 10 Outdoor Education

Nicolai Parrant-Barboza Excellence in year 10 Maths

Samantha Weller

Excellence in year 10 Kai Technology

Savanah Hooper

Excellence in year 10 Kai Technology

Scott Watson

Excellence in year 10 Outdoor

Education

First in year 10 Design Technology

Taburimai Talia

First in year 10 English for Speakers of

Other Languages

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Excellence in year 10 PE

Tobi Welsh

Excellence in year 10 Science

Toby James

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RANGATAHI ORA



Year 13 Students



Misipeka Ana If tomorrow isn't the due date, today isn't the do date



Andrews A negative mind will never give you a positive life



Glenda Armstrong Yesterday is history, tomorrow is a mystery but today is a gift. That's why it is called the present.



Valerie Antonio Wing it



Jazz Aungiers 'what type are you?" Jessica Burgess



Callum Baines Nod if you've lost the



Tainui Baker Somebody stole my



Troy Beckham Run it straight g



Keegan Black Trust me, I also think Keegan's a boys name



Angus Bryant



Leith Buchanan



I need a room full of mirrors... so I can finally be surrounded by real people



Nicole Burlace Always fretting



Jade Campbell I appreciate your advice, but I will do whatever I want



Chasteauneuf Mum never let me sign the pink paper



Shariah Clark Streaks? idk



Lauren Commerer



Jayden Duggan "He's so handsome and cool" - Everyone who walked past me



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Kaitlin Eyles Common sense isn't always that common



Phillip Finau
Those who do not
understand true pain
can never understand
true peace - Pain



Jack Firmin



Salaina Fuauli A wise man once said, "Damn Fool"



Ellee Gilmore

That's not very well-being prefect of you



Giuls Gocht Jewels gocccht*



Brooklyn Greig-Hartley Leaving with more hair on my head than education in my head



Charity Hall Always to 'sick' for school



Casey Harding
Not all oompa loompas
work in factory's



Ana Harrison 9th school lucky :)



Teresa Hollows I'm going to marry my way through life



Caroline Hyslop It's CaroLINE, not CaroLYN



Grace James
Lu Lu Pea Pea ily



Olly James



Andy Jung pingping



Lee Kiernan



Soane Kilioni



Tomas Kiliner



Sophia Kingi Shrek 11:27



Kate Kirkwood

I did a lot of things in year 13, going to class wasn't one of them



Michael Limbrick



LogologoDon't procrastinate, it will be the death of you



Gerhard Louw Simon's not that cool but Garfunkel, he's pretty cool



Mary Martin It is what it isss



Nikita McDermott K dog



Alex McKenzie
Star Wars



Sian McKenzie
Didn't drop out



Erneil Miradores



Ben Neufeld



Phoebe Nickson



Drew Nielsen
Put a bird in it



Joel Paxton
Fear none, Respect



Crystal Payne



Damian Sinei



Kaylee Smith
Don't overthink it



Atlanta Solouota-Martin



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Jessica Stokes



Jenny Su My life feels like a test I didn't study for



Jason Sue Yo Jason, how do you say my name in Chinese?



Shaye Tapp



Aki Tarawa I'm gonna be Pirate King!" - Monkey. D Luffy



Denzil-Viper Tatana School is over, key in the ignition, my uncle had a lawnmower in

his kitchen.



Jack Teewei Teaeki



Ashwani Thakur Time is life currency. Spend it wisely!



Faith Toleleiu
The future depends on what you do today



Listen, I'm the baddest in the school, the baddest in the game. Excuse me honey, but nobodys in my lane.



Ben Turner
One thing school
taught me is that if
you're going to be late
to school...you may as
well stop and get some
food along the way



Paige Tyree
Learned to say here
when the teachers
hesitated taking
attendance



Finau Vakasiuola



Elise Walker

OMG its period 2
already? Time to go
home



Moeke Walker "War, war never changes" - Fallout



Elle Webb Yup, 5 years later and I'm still 4'11



Rangiora Williams



Tessa Williams



Mark Windley



Michael Wynne



Lisa Yan



Emma Yang "So... are you asian or chinese?"



Tayla Yates
For blossoms must bloom



Hayden Yewen Burns You have brains in your head. You have feet in your shoes. You can steer yourself in any direction you choose.



Caleb Young
Probly still cant spel
without autocorrect

