Amuri Area School

Kia Kitea Toikaka Nothing But The Best





Tena Koutou Katoa

Prizegiving this Year

It is clear now that from the advice and direction we have received from the Ministry of Education, Prizegiving as we know it is off the table for this year. We have considered a range of ways to celebrate student achievement and connect families and it is true to say all the alternatives are a compromise to say the least. We will be running student achievement presentations in the next few weeks as follows:-

For students in Year 1s-11 we will be running HUB / year group presentations of 2-3 classes at a time. These will be recorded in short videos that we will post on Facebook should you wish to watch them. Students will as ever still have the opportunity to walk onto the stage and receive their awards. As a parent this means you will be able to watch the specific video that is relevant to your child.

For students in Years 12 and 13 we will be running an after-school event that meets the under 100 gathering requirements with all necessary health precautions in place. These students will be able to invite one person to this short award ceremony as this is the last chance they will have to celebrate their time at Amuri and receive the recognition they deserve. This will also be recorded and posted on Facebook.

This is clearly not what we want and would prefer to celebrate together and have no limitation on guests as always, however, the instructions we have been given dictate otherwise.

Dates:

Year 11:

Tuesday 7th December at 1pm straight after final Science exam

Years 12 and 13:

Monday 13th December in the Community Room at 3:30pm

Years 1-10:

Thursday 16th December in the Community Room. Staggered throughout the morning.

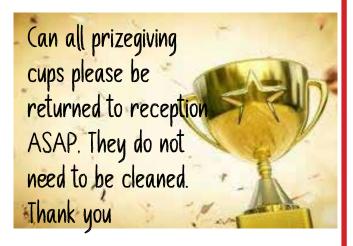
Finally from me, congratulations to our Achiever of the Month; Hank Reed. Hank has made the most amazing progress in his reading through hard work and effort, well done to you Hank!



Have a great long weekend and see you all back on Monday!

Nga mihi Nui.

James Griggs Principal



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

November 15th-17th Year 6 Camp to Kaikoura 21st Craig Pickering Memorial Trail Ride 22nd-24th Year 10 Camp to Windy Point MOE Accord Day - SCHOOL CLOSED 25th **Primary Market Day** 26th December CPS Athletics at Nga Puna Wai 1st Board of Trustees Meeting at 6:00pm 1st

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6th Year 7-9 Transition Day
7th Prizegiving for Year 11 at 1pm straight after
final Science exam
10th 125th Celebration Day
13th Prizegiving for Year 12 and 13: 3.30pm in the
Community Room
16th Prizegiving for Year 1-10: Staggered
throughout the morning with buses leaving

at 1.15pm on this day.

SECONDARY School News

An awesome Week 3 of Term 4. Students attitude to learning and achievement is at a high, now that exams are looming. It feels like all the work throughout the year is coming together with some outstanding portfolio's being produced in Visual Arts, final products in Technology being completed and students undertaking practice exams and revision in most of their subjects.

Some words of wisdom from current Year 13s "Don't take your time for granted. Prepare and plan so you are not rushed at the end of the year, when you have so much pressure to achieve in everything". "Keep on top of things, don't let it pile up! Big mistake"

With that in mind external exams start on Monday the 22nd November. Best of luck for all our students sitting externals. Put your best foot forward and do the best you can.

Reminder our Sign Out Process for Senior Students

Year 11's at school until end of day 7th December.
Year 12 and 13: Students who need either further support or new learning will be expected to stay at school in classes until their exams take place. Teachers will indicate to students whether they have met their requirements for success in their particular subject. Once they have been given a green light in a subject, they are expected to use that time to study towards exams. A study centre in the Academy will be set up and managed for students that have study time during the day.

Once a student has received green lights from all of their subject teachers, they will be signed out and can study from home and just attend external exams as needed.

It is possible that students could be expected at school up until the last date of exams which is the 14th of December.

Nicole Peterson
DEPUTY PRINCIPAL

Roll of Honour Isaac Colebrook Fergus Davison Chloe Dela Vega Kate Easton Kenn Egmao Domingo Gannaban Phoenix Jimmink Rhys Lewis Martha McRae Grace Moriarty Bob Thompson Jake Van der Heyden ist Merit Maddie Bell Tade Butters Laura Cundy Daniela Panganoron Cole Phillips Olivia Whittleston

Ava Wilson

Congratulations to our very own Grace Moriarty

Grace was awarded Player of the year representing Amuri in the Rangiora High School First XV

And here's a photo of her playing last holidays for Canty Woman's Red U19





This afternoon Year 5/6 held the finals of the Speech Cup.

What a huge effort from the eight finalists: Alyssa, Mackenna, Lucy, Gwen, Bella, Annabelle, Lexie, and Maria

Our judges, Mrs. McCarthy and Mrs. Nimo, were amazed by the quality and presentation from all our speech finalists.

Well done to all of them.

Our Year 5/6 winners were: 3rd-Gwen

2nd-Lucy

1st- exie

Congratulations to you three, once again our judges were amazed by your content, delivery and confidence throughout your speeches.

Tu meke to mahi!



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