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# RUTHERFORD HIGH SCHOOL

KOTUKU STREET, TE ATATU



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Miss M. J. Southby, M.A.

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Mrs R. M. Stratford, Dip.H.Sc.

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## EDITORIAL

### THE SCHOOL AND THE COMMUNITY

In country districts the school is a focal point in the life of the community, and staff play an active part in their local district. But in the cities the school is inclined to be taken for granted. Many of its staff live in other districts; the school's facilities are not needed so much; and many of the parents, too, work outside their home district. As a result, the city school is often confronted with indifference.

But what impact has our school had on its community? And, conversely, what has the community's impact been on the school?

The recent swimming baths appeal has provided a suitable means of gauging this. The people of Te Atatu and other contributing areas could have been excused if they had argued that such amenities as swimming baths and gymnasiums should be provided for out of a government fund. But the unfortunate fact is that they are not, and all new schools are faced with the raising of money for them. Throughout the community served by Rutherford, members of the Board of Governors, parents and others interested, have worked prodigiously hard to ensure that the Queen Carnival and the whole project would succeed, showing that they too, with the educationists, realise the school's role in the community.

There are other examples which show the same thing. Parents' Evenings are always well attended, and parents show interest in school functions such as prize-giving, athletics and swim-

ming sports. Since the school's inception in 1961, Evening School classes have been run and each year the number of classes has increased. Members of the Board of Governors representing the community have generously sacrificed their time to attend meetings, functions and working bees such as that which provided the tuckshop.

This co-operation should give satisfaction to both school and community alike, but it would be idle to consider that there have been no jarring notes sounded at times.

Any institution which is responsible for administering a compulsory system, be it educational or otherwise, is the target for criticism from dissatisfied members of the community. Such criticism, if it is reasonable, helps both sides to preserve a sense of perspective. Indeed, the School is grateful for the suggestions it receives from or through parent's representatives on the Board of Governors.

The School, of course, belongs to the community and if the district is behind it, then the School has an immense advantage. Not only does it gain facilities like the swimming pool; but the general tone of the School is raised, creating a better atmosphere for education of the community's children. The future will decide to what extent the present co-operation will continue and what sort of reputation the school and community will help to establish.

R.J.C.W.

## STAFF NOTES

It is with regret that we record the departure of three members of our staff—Mr Herbert, Miss Pratt and Mrs Souter. Mr Herbert leaves teaching to take a position in the business field with an advertising agency and we wish him well in this venture. Miss Pratt, after a successful debut in teaching here at Rutherford leaves to take up an appointment on the staff of Pukekohe H.S.

We shall miss her ready participation in school affairs. Mrs Souter, who has been relieving with us for two terms is abandoning teaching for the more exciting project of opening a motel on Lake Manapouri. Our best wishes go with her.

At the end of the first term we farewelled Mrs Reinheimer, who retired from teaching to resume a life of domestic calm. We hope that the contrast with Rutherford is not too striking. Another staff member who left us at the end of the second term to be married was Miss Burrow. She and her husband have since left N.Z. to take up an overseas appointment; and we hope they will enjoy this new venture. In Miss Burrow's place we welcomed Mr Burnell. Despite the shortness of his stay, we have enjoyed our association with him.

Two other events of note have been the birth of a son to Mr and Mrs Morton (the start of a co-ed. family) and of a daughter to Mr and Mrs Warren. Our congratulations, gentlemen. Another event calling for congratulations was Mr Nairn's marriage during the Christmas vacation. We extend our good wishes to Mr Nairn and his wife. Similar good wishes go to Miss Pratt, who announced her engagement earlier this year.

Several members of staff have been involved in in-service training during the year. Mrs Woods was kind enough to relieve for Mrs Sharplin, who went on a lengthy Careers Advisors' Course; and Mr Woods, Mr Berridge, and Mr Morton have also been involved in courses. Miss Cotton undertook the duty of manager-chaperon to the Graduate Language students on their visit to New Caledonia on the theory that Rutherford would really gain from her absence because her accent would be so much improved when she returned.

An air of distinction is developing round the parking area these days. Several affluent members of the staff have blossomed out in new/newer vehicles, but the standard varies from Mr Reid's aristocratic Alvis to Mrs McGregor's "utility" transport. We have heard that Miss Cotton has surpassed the exploits of all other women drivers

when she succeeded in driving her new car over her own foot—unfortunately on the day of the Queen Carnival ball.

We did hear tell of another staff member recoiling in horror from congratulatory remarks occasioned because a name-sake had announced his engagement in the Waitakere Gazette.

Some members of the staff too are still reeling from the Principal's assembly remark that only 50% of what was taught in school was likely to be true—straight from the horse's mouth too.

There's a new incentive to staff to arrive early these days. First arrival has an opportunity to read the "Herald" in peace—editorial column, of course.

### NEW STAFF 1965

We welcome the following new members of our staff for 1965 and hope that they will enjoy their association with the school.

MR J. C. ALLEN, Dip.Phys Ed., comes to us from Christchurch to take over responsibility for boys' physical education. His particular sporting interests are Rugby and athletics and he has had recent experience as an instructor at the Cobham Outward Bound School.

MR M. D. BRYAN, B.Sc., comes to us as Head of Mathematics from Tamaki College where he has taught for the past six years. Mr Bryan began his teaching career at Otahuhu College and prior to entering the teaching service had been an observer in the Meteorological Department. While at Teachers' College Mr Bryan was Sports Captain for his year and has continued his interest in Rugby and athletics. At the weekends Mr Bryan relaxes with Mr Bendall at the Akarana Golf Club.

MR B. B. HATHAWAY was educated at Rangitikei College and hopes to complete a B.Sc. this year at Auckland University. His teaching subjects include General Science, Biology, Physics, Mathematics and Chemistry. Mr Hathaway's sporting interests include cricket and soccer.

MR D. H. JEFFCOAT, B.A., has had teaching experience on the staff of Katikati District High School and at Wesley College. His major teaching subjects are Geography, History, Social Studies and English. He has a wide range of sporting interests which include Rugby, athletics and tennis.

MR I. C. JOHNSTON, M.A., was educated at Rongotai College and completed English honours at Otago University. His teaching subjects include English, Mathematics and French. His particular interests include drama, public speaking and debating, and a wide range of sports.

MISS J. F. LONGLEY, B.A., was educated at Rangitoto College and completed her degree at Auckland University. Her teaching subjects include Geography, English, History, Social Studies and French. Miss Longley is well known in Auckland sporting circles as Inter-Secondary Schools Athletic Champion and as a North Shore Basketball representative.

MISS C. G. POUNTNEY, M.A., was educated at Epsom Girls' Grammar and completed an honours degree at Auckland University. Her teaching subjects include English, French, Mathematics and Biology. In addition Miss Pountney has a wide range of cultural interests including drama, music, debating, sport and library work.

MR C. P. O. REGAN, M.A., comes to us after being a member of the staff of Lynfield College and of Maungaturoto District High School. His range of teaching subjects includes Geography, English and Social Studies. Mr Regan is particularly interested in library work, Student Christian Movement activities, and sport.



THE STAFF

Back Row: Mr Burnell, Miss Pratt, Mrs McKay, Miss Spence, Mrs Mariu, Miss Blyth, Mr Herbert.

Third Row: Mr Holman, Mrs Souter, Mr Bradley, Miss Davis, Mr Gale, Mrs Stratford, Mr Needham, Miss Southby, Mr Bendall.

Second Row: Mr White, Mrs McSparran, Mr Pryor, Miss Cotton, Mr Warren, Miss Rushbrook, Mr Nairn, Mrs Sharplin, Mr Reid.

Front Row: Mr Moorhead, Mr Morton, Mrs Miller, Mr Barton, Mr Clark, Miss Corston, Mr Nicholas, Mr Woods, Mr Berridge.

Things they might have said . . . . or we might have said about them!!!

STAFF: We're here because we're here because we're here Because . . . .

A.E.C. "I do most of my work sitting down; that's where I shine."

R.K.B.: "As some day it may happen that a victim must be found, I've got a little list — I've got a little list . . . ."

P.C. "All government, indeed every human benefit and enjoyment, every virtue, and every prudent act, is founded on compromise and barter."

R.B. "True patriots we; for be it understood, we left our country for our country's good."

H.B. "I never travel without my diary. One should have something sensational to read in the train."

M.B. "The more foreigners I saw, the more I loved my native land."

G.B. "It is the best of all trades, to make songs, and the second best to sing them."

F.C. "What is not clear is not French."

P.D. "Eyes too expressive to be blue, too lovely to be grey."

L.G. "I have in general no very exalted opinion of the virtue of paper government."

F.H. "He said little, but to the purpose."

A.H. "It is happy for you that you possess the talent of flattering with delicacy. May I ask whether these pleasing attentions proceed from the impulse of the moment, or are the result of previous study?"

E.M. "I can sympathise with people's pains . . . ."

J.M. "Gamesmanship or, The Art of Winning Games without actually Cheating."

C.M. "I think you are putting them in their wrong places. The heart is on the left and the liver on the right. Yes, that was so in the old days, But we have changed all that."

D.M. "On the same bill and on the same side of it there should not be two charges for the same thing."

A.G.M. "That great dust-heap called 'history.'"

A.S.M. "I am always at a loss to know how much to believe of my own stories."

R.N. "For he by geometric scale  
Could take the size of pots of ale."

D.N. "It is a truth universally acknowledged, that a single man in possession of a good fortune, must be in want of a wife."

M.N. "Geography is about maps . . . ."

P.P. "It's love that makes the world go round."

D.P. "I expect that Woman will be the last thing civilised by Man."

C.R. "It's pretty, but is it art?"

M.R. "History, Stephen said, is a nightmare from which I am trying to awake."

R.S. "Do good by stealth and blush to find it fame."

A.S. "The knowledge of the ancient languages is mainly a luxury."

M.S. "I slept and dreamed that life was beauty;  
I woke and found that life was duty."

F.S. "Travel in the younger sort, is a part of education; in the elder, a part of experience."

M.St. "You have eaten and drunk enough,  
Now it is time for you to depart."

R.W. "Books are good enough in their own way, but they are a mighty bloodless substitute for life."

M.W. "I have a grand memory for forgetting."

N.W. "I can resist everything except temptation."

## Rutherford Memorial Day

Rutherford Day, one of the two important public events in the school year, has two functions; one of honouring the memory of Lord Rutherford, and the other of thanking people who have helped in the development of the School.

This year, the school was privileged to have Sir Douglas Robb, Chancellor of the University of Auckland and a distinguished surgeon, as speaker. Sir Douglas spoke on New Zealand's contribution in the field of medicine, pointing out that however different this field of science might seem from that in which Lord Rutherford worked, an advance in any field of science meant development in others. In fact, radio-active materials are now used in diagnosis and medical research. New Zealand, said Sir Douglas, is a

small but well-favoured country, which is steadily assuming its intellectual and medical responsibilities. But there is no room for complacency. Although New Zealand has more doctors and nurses in proportion to population than most other countries, fault can be found with the number of medical training faculties—just one school for the whole of New Zealand—and the amount of encouragement to research. In research, New Zealand not nearly as aggressive or whole-hearted as America. A few notable advances have been made here.

Mr Clark paid special tribute to one of the guests, Mr Woolcott. Mr Woolcott has been responsible for the noteworthy development of Henderson High School as Principal since its establishment.

After the ceremony, the guests adjourned to the Homecraft block, where a delicious luncheon was served, the result of much hard work by Mrs Straford with the help of some of the girls.

The floral arrangements, done by Mrs Sharplin and Miss Rushbrook, came in for much favourable comment.

## The Queen Carnival

Early this year the Board of Governors decided that a full-scale effort should be made to raise funds for building baths at our school.

So that the campaign would be widely based it was decided to run a Queen Carnival. The school area was divided into four zones and a committee established to carry on the fund raising in the four areas.

A queen for each area was chosen by popular vote among the senior pupils and at a later date four princesses were selected in each area.

**North:** Chairman—Mr Murray; Queen—Judith Wilson; Princesses—Deborah Barker, Carol Marshall; Patricia Brosnan, Karen Beaton.

**South:** Chairman—Mr Warden; Queen Sylvia Jolly; Princesses—Leonora Phyn, Jennifer Wiley, Marilyn Stewart, Heather Sawyer.

**East:** Chairman—Mr McGrail; Queen—Anne Butler; Princesses—Marie-Louisa Kruff, Thelma Flynn, Susan Strawbridge, Ngaire Brown.

**West:** Chairman—Mr Spraggs; Queen—Carol Sayer; Princesses—Denise Kelsall, Gay Moors, Alma Taylor, Marie Langdon.

The Board appointed Mr Brannigan, its Deputy-Chairman, to take charge of the Carnival and it has been due to the enthusiasm and hard work of Mr Brannigan, and the chairman and members of the four committees that the Carnival has been a great success.

### THE HOLIDAY WORK SCHEME

When the Board of Governors undertook the organisation of a Queen Carnival in order to raise funds for the Swimming Pool, it was on the understanding that there would be no interruption in the routine life of the School. As time went on, through the tireless efforts of the adult community, the four district totals crept up while we in the School did little more than watch. By early August it was apparent that the Queen Carnival would raise about £4000; a £2000 subsidy would be available from the Government; a further £1000 might be expected from the Gala; but another £1000 would be required to meet the estimated cost.

It was at this point that murmurs began to be heard in the school that there must be ways

in which we could help ourselves. A number of ideas were mooted and dismissed as not being sufficiently lucrative before we hit on the Holiday Work Scheme.

A committee of the staff worked out details of how the scheme would operate and the proposal was then put to the sixth form for comment. As a result, some aspects of the scheme were improved upon and the proposal was then put to the School. The immediate reaction was very encouraging and at no stage did the School's enthusiasm flag.

Once the School understood what was involved, activity on a large scale took place. An assorted team ranging from 3rds to 6ths undertook to deliver and collect worksheets all over the Te

North	121600
South	110400
East	56000
West	40000

The total sum raised exceeded £4000.

At the end of the Carnival a Gala Day was held. During the afternoon the four queens were driven through the gala area in four very handsome vintage cars, which were preceded by the Police Pipe Band. A feature of the day was the "throwing the rolling pin" contest, in which Leonora Phyn outthrew the women of Te Atatu with a toss of 126ft. A big crowd ensured the success of the day and a profit was made of £700-£800.

The Coronation Ball was a fitting climax to the Carnival. The School Hall was transformed with beautiful floral displays, and the highlight was the crowning of Judith Wilson by the Mayoress of Auckland, Mrs D. M. Robinson.

We wish to thank very sincerely all who worked so hard to raise funds for us. As a result of their efforts, this time next year we shall have our own swimming pool.

Atatu peninsula, while similar teams arranged for distribution at Hobsonville, Whenuapai, and through the rural areas.

These worksheets were sorted by the form teachers, each form retaining those jobs which its members could undertake to do. The remaining worksheets came to a central pool and were restricted to volunteers at the Boys' and Girls' Assemblies. As a result, some 1300 jobs were undertaken and only two were rejected as beyond the range of our collective talents.

Provision had been made for an emergency squad of senior pupils to be on call if a pupil found it impossible to fulfil a job commitment, but the enthusiasm was such that few demands were made on this emergency group.

So that the School could see some tangible evidence of its work, large-scale maps had been provided on which each pupil's home was located by a pin. The colour of the pin changed to register the amounts earned by the individual pupils. Similarly, a form barometer had been installed to register form efforts.

When School resumed in September it became apparent immediately that the scheme had been a success. The total rose quickly to £1201 and since the emphasis all through had been on the School's readiness to work for what was earned we felt that this represented a very worthwhile effort. The statistics of the scheme are these:—

The following forms earned more than their target of £2 per head: 3/4A, 5F, 5A, 4S3, 6B1, 6B2, 4S1, 3C1, 3T, 5B.

These forms made between 30/- to £2 per head:— 5C, 5D, 5E, 5R, 4S2, 4T1, 4T2, 3S1, 3S3.

These forms scored between 20/- to 30/- per head: 4L, 4C1, 4C2, 3C2, 3E, 3S2.

The following boys deserve individual recognition for having earned more than £5 each: A. D. McInnes, P. W. Wood, B. Wilson, M. P. Hendry, M. P. Sinton, M. K. Higson, M. W. Smith, A. Hillman, S. Chalcraft, W. O. Jones, N. H. Healey, J. R. Saunders, T. A. Barrie, R. W. Small, A. N. Vickers, G. K. Franks, M. R. Barlow, R. W. Woodard, A. P. Ryan, C. S. Clavton.

The following girls earned more than £4: Alison Clark, Deborah Barker, Cherie Wilkinson, Leigh McGregor, Raewyn Saunders, Yvonne Scown, Marilyn Stewart.

A project of this size is not impossible without the active co-operation of many people. We would like to record our thanks to some of them. First, we must thank Miss Corston who devised the whole scheme and whose driving energy and persuasive tongue carried it through; then Mr Morton and his team of boy prefects who prepared the district maps; Mr Berridge and

pin system; Mr Nicholas and Miss Rushbrook who prepared the district maps; Mr Berridge and the girl prefects who collected money and provided receipts; individual form teachers for the encouragement and assistance they gave to their respective forms; the school as a whole for the splendid response it made to the challenge that the project posed. And, finally, we wish to thank parents, neighbours, friends and well-wishers throughout the School district who supported the scheme by making work available, establishing pleasant conditions under which jobs could be done, and being so generous in making payment.

### THE SPEECH CONTEST

The emphasis was on originality in the speech contest this year. Any subject whatsoever was acceptable, as long as the views expressed were the pupil's own; any speech that sounded like a precis of a book or magazine article was penalised. Pupils who had learnt their speeches from memory were also marked down. The result of these changes was that superficially the speeches were inferior to last years' in that there were faults of grammar and expression in abundance and often the view point expressed was immature; but when one looked more closely into it some substantial gains were made from the change of policy. In the first place, the speeches were much more interesting to listen to; they were not just a dull recital of something that one could read better in a book. Secondly, there was some communication between the speaker and his audience; we were no longer listening to a memorised diatribe delivered in a sing-song voice with the speaker desperately trying to remember what came next. Surely speeches of the type we had this year are a far better training for the sort of speeches pupils will be called upon to make in adult life.

We would like to thank the judges, Mr I. G. McBride and Mr N. Langston, for their most helpful comments; we will profit from their criticisms and hope to reach a higher standard next year.

The results were:

#### Prepared Speech:

Senior: Helen Macmillan, first; T. Shadbolt, second; Robert Macmillan, third.

Junior: Pauline Ainsworth and Kevin Eagle, first equal; Shadbolt, third.

#### Impromptu:

Senior: John Pugh, first; Sue Richardson, second; Meralyn Osborne, third.

Junior: Shirley Robertson, first; A. D. McInnes, second; A. Hunt, third.



### PREFECTS

**Back Row:** D. Hunt, M. McVicker, Robin Brown, G. Murdoch, T. Beaton.

**Middle Row:** Marilyn Williams, J. Culverwell, Marianne Sinclair, T. Medcalf, Marie-Louisa Kruff, T. Shadbolt, Shirlene Diver, M. Pook.

**Front Row:** Anne Butler, M. Sinton, Janet Coates, Mr A. E. E. Clark, Colleen Hagan, John Pugh, Barbara Nixon.

## Our Sponsorship Scheme

We decided after much thought that it would probably be wiser not to sponsor any more children this year. We thought that the £15 sponsorship fee is little enough and that we should try to do more for the children we have. The two new children we have sponsored are replacements for children who no longer need our help. Our tally therefore still stands at 13 individual sponsorships and one family sponsorship. We estimate that by the end of the year we will have spent about £400 on sponsorship fees, special gifts, blankets, wool, and freight on clothing we have collected and sent. Most of this money came, of course, from our pupils' 3d a week, but we have supplemented this by paper collections (£50), tea coupons (£25), the sale of aprons (£20), the sale of second hand uniforms

donated by leavers (£10), and other sources of revenue which prefer to remain anonymous.

We have also shipped more than a tea-chest of clothing, wool, and blankets to each Korean and Greek family, and have undertaken the responsibility of shipping other sponsors' parcels. By the end of the year we will have shipped about 38 tea chests. This does not include the ten sewing machines that we sent to Korea as our own Freedom from Hunger project. We were fortunate in getting the machines overhauled and dismantled for us free of charge and we must also thank CORSO, who came to our rescue and shipped the machines for us. CORSO have also offered to help us with the shipping of clothes next year. This will save us a lot of time, worry and money and we are very grateful for their help.

We must also thank Henderson Dry Cleaners for their help in cleaning a large proportion of the clothes that we sent.

We are sorry that space will not permit us to report on all our children. We have picked out some that we think might interest you.

#### KOREA

**Pak Ki Jo.** Mr Dawson, the Save the Children Fund Administrator in Korea, recently visited this family. He was most impressed with their efforts to help themselves and has written the story of their progress in his quarterly report which goes to several hundred branches throughout the British Commonwealth. We have had several interesting letters from the 18-year-old daughter in the family. When we received the report from the SCF we were horrified to learn that the family had had to "eat" the money they had put aside for the bright 13-year-old girl to go to High School. As the father has TB and cannot work the task of providing for the family

fell on to the mother and the eldest daughter. When work was available the mother earned 1s. 7d. a day in a bowl-making factory and two days a week she was able to borrow a sewing machine for a couple of hours. We wrote to Mr Dawson and said that £25 was coming and asked him to buy the family a sewing machine of its own and put the girl back to school. It says much for the trust and efficiency of the SCF in Korea that Mrs Pak got her sewing machine before we got the money in from the paper drive that we held to pay this extra. We also hope to be able to do something for the 18-year-old girl who appears to be very intelligent and hard working.

**Lee Yong Ki.** This boy is one of six children who have no father or mother. Until recently they lived together in a room 6ft. x 7ft. under a bridge. In September there was a freak storm in Seoul and their house and all their belongings were washed away. We will be having a special collection for these children towards the end of the year and hope to be able to get them into a reasonable house.



A Korean "house" inhabited by a sponsored family.

**Hwang Jong Oh.** As you can see Hwang Jong Oh got the clothes and blankets that we sent him.



"Please give my big love to everybody."

**Chiu Wai Bing of Hong Kong.** Wai Bing's sponsorship is marked by the delightful letters she writes. This of course is because 3 Commercial 2 write such lovely letters to her. Here is part of one of her letters. "From your letter I have learnt about your school uniform and have noted that gloves are to be put on in summer. I am proud of my uniform because it is the best clothes I have. My teachers are very kind . . ." Hmmm.

#### GREECE

**Emily Perivolaraki.** Emily sent US a present! Earlier this year we received a beautifully embroidered picture of a bird. We were very grateful for this unexpected gift and were very humble at the standard of workmanship displayed by such a young girl. Emily writes to us frequently. Here are a couple of extracts from her letters: "When your parcels came I went mad with joy. Now each of our family wears something from your country." . . . "I am going to another class, bigger."

**Ephthimia Adractor.** We have had several interesting letters from Ephthimia and 3E wrote a very interesting letter in reply. Ephthimia is still not very well. Her father wrote to us and thanked us for the clothes we sent them. Just to make sure that we got the message, Ephthimia wrote too!

#### TURKEY

**Mahmut Karavin.** Mahmut's 14-year-old sister had to give up her job in a factory because she could not see properly and could not afford to buy glasses. We have sent the money for the glasses and some extra for our "Marmite". We have had several letters from Mahmut who has been ill with appendicitis. He spent four weeks in hospital and another six weeks getting over the operation!

#### INDIA

**Arthur Steele.** Sometimes people have asked us why we do not try to bring some of the children out to New Zealand. Our answer has always been that if we did this we would not be able to help as many children and we would be taking the child away from its family and its own way of life. However, we did try to bring the Steele family out to New Zealand as by birth and education they are far more English than Indian. Mr Steele who was an Inspector of Police before Independence is now paralysed. They had sufficient money to pay their passage over plus a little extra. We got a job for Mrs Steele, arranged



This is the photo of a little girl we hope to sponsor next year.



Two members of the Pak family with the blankets and clothes we sent.

housing and people to guarantee that they would not become a burden on the State, and then Dr Finlay and Mr Clark did their best to get a per-

mit for them to come here. Unfortunately it was not to be. The worst part of the whole affair was raising the Steele's hopes and then having to let them know that they could not come.

The Secretary of the Sponsorship Scheme, Mrs Nancy Hay, has told us that with the £400 we expect to raise this year for our children, the selling of £200 worth of Save the Children Fund Christmas cards, the shipping of clothes and sponsors' parcels, we will be doing more than any other school in New Zealand to help needy overseas children.

Finally, here are some comments from two overseas administrators: "Korean children are very polite and took their presents carefully and politely but afterwards you could hear them chuckling and commenting on what they had. They said "Kama hammida" again and again. But this thank you of theirs was really for you who sent nice things for our children."

R. Dawson, Korea.

"We do admire the great work you are all doing in Rutherford. Please rest assured that we are so appreciative of all your efforts and let me say too that the end users of your gifts and labours are very thankful indeed."

R. Dawson, Korea.

"The New Zealand children who are taught to come to the help of less fortunate children will grow up and become useful to their country and to the world."

Leman Abatli, Turkey.

## Diary of Our Fourth Year

### 1964 CALENDAR

#### FEBRUARY—

- 4th School resumed. Roll 780.
- 19th Swimming Sports at Avondale College.

#### MARCH—

- 3rd Girls' Inter-Secondary Swimming Sports.
- 6 Boys' Inter-Secondary Swimming Sports.
- 11th-12th Athletic Sports on our ground for the first time.

#### APRIL—

- 1st Form III Parents Evening.
- 4th Boys Inter-Secondary Athletic Sports at Eden Park.

- 18th Queen Carnival starts with Barbecue at Huapai.
- 20th Inspectors, Monday to Friday. Full Report visit.
- 29th Rugby begins with visit from Kaipara College teams.

#### MAY—

- 2nd Inter-School winter sports.
- 8th End of Term.
- 26th Term II.

#### JUNE—

- 18th F.V & VI Biology trip to Museum.

#### JULY—

- 3rd-9th Mid-year exams.
- 22nd Father and Son evening.
- 30th F.IV Parents evening.

#### AUGUST—

- 5th Mother and Daughter evening.
- 7th-10th Dargaville visit—Hockey and Soccer. Rugby and Basketball from Dargaville.
- 10th F. VI Extension Course begins.
- 19th F.V and VI Parents evening. Speech competitions.
- 21st Term ends.

#### SEPTEMBER—

- 15th Term III.
- 15th-21st "Do it Yourself" Campaign raises £1200.
- 23rd Road Race. Girls' summer sports started.
- 27th School Concert.
- 30th Drama Quartet.

#### OCTOBER—

- 1st School Dance.
- 3rd Inter-Secondary Steeplechase.
- 7th Summer sports starts.
- 14th Rutherford Day. Sir Douglas Robb.
- 17th Inter-Secondary Relay meeting. (Cancelled weather.)
- 19th-23rd F.V & VI Evams.
- 27th Special holiday for "Do it Yourself" Campaign.
- 31st Tennis and Cricket continues. Gala Day at School.

#### NOVEMBER—

- 7th Crowning of Queen by Mrs Robinson.
- 13th 1st list of accredited pupils announced.
- 16th School Certificate exams start.
- 24th-27th F. III and F.IV exams.

#### DECEMBER—

- 4th Sports Picnic at Redwood Park.
- 9th Prizegiving.
- 10th Break-up.

## Grounds and Buildings

In a new school, growing at such a lusty rate, the grounds and buildings show major changes each year. The most important change has been the building of Block V, which was put to use at the beginning of term III. Its main feature is the large two-room library on the upper floor. The surroundings of Blocks IV and V have now been grassed and trees and shrubs will be planted there in the winter.

The Art Department now occupies two new rooms added to Block II, leaving Room 22, with a model office at the back, for the Commercial Department. Room 21, the former library, has been set up temporarily for Visual Aids, film strip and movie projection; but it will later be converted to a second Geography unit.

In 1965 Room 55 will be used for an extra Technical Drawing room. These additions and changes will provide sufficient classrooms for 1965-66, when our estimated roll will be 900; and plans are already afoot for increased space to be provided in the Hall and Staff Room.

This year the stage of the Hall has been prepared for play productions, and a backdrop featuring silk-screened Kotukus was hung for Rutherford Memorial Day. Some new works by New

Zealand artists have been added to the collection which is becoming a feature of the School.

In the grounds the most noticeable improvement has been the flourishing of the shrubs and plants on the N.E. border and in the courtyard adjoining the Hall. For this, as for most of the improvements to the grounds, we are indebted to Mr Barton, whose knowledge of horticulture and imaginative planting are transforming the School site. More shrubs and trees will be planted at both entrances to the grounds now that the ornamental block walls and wrought-iron gates have been erected.

On the sporting fields the new groundsman, Mr Upton-Smith, has taken a personal interest in the formation of the new cricket wicket, which now has an underground water connection, and which is receiving the most careful tending and manuring possible. The new tennis and basketball courts were completed at the end of term II, and early in 1965 we shall see the beginnings of the excavations for the School swimming pool along the N.E. boundary.

Near the Henderson Creek boundary all spoil is being tipped to a careful plan so that it could well provide a future causeway to the Creek for the school Rowing and Yachting Clubs.



## PRIZE GIVING, 1964

The prize giving ceremony was so well attended last year that it became necessary to arrange overflow accommodation for the many parents and friends of the school who arrived.

In his report the Principal summarised the growth of the school and spoke of the need for public awareness of political trends affecting education. Mr Clark emphasised the growing dangers of bureaucracy in our society and the shortsightedness of politically expedient decisions being too readily accepted by an uncritical public. He also paid a special tribute to the excellent

service Mr A. Thom, the retiring District Senior Inspector of Post-Primary Schools, had given to education.

The guest speaker, Wing Commander Gainsford, in his address of the School, spoke of the need of self-discipline in the individual and the virtue of readiness to serve in the community in pursuit of a well-rounded personality.

Sports and Special Awards were presented by Mrs P. J. Hill and the Academic Awards were made by Mrs A. M. Finlay.

### FORM PRIZES

Awarded to the pupil who obtains the highest aggregate marks over the year in the course subjects.

- 3A First in Form (first in English, Physics and Mathematics), A. N. Hunt.  
 3L First in Form (first in Mathematics, Latin and first equal in French), P. A. Johnston; First in Form and in Science, L. V. Hanlan.  
 3S1 First in Form (first in Science and Mathematics), L. A. Barr.  
 3S2 First in Form, Yvonne Willering.  
 3S3 First in Form (first in Science and Social Studies), K. Farlow.  
 3T1 First in Form (first in English, Social Studies and Technical Drawing), G. L. Krissansen.  
 3T2 First in Form (first in Technical Drawing and Metalwork), J. Vansitter.  
 3C1 First in Form (first in English, Social Studies, Bookkeeping, first equal Course Maths), Gillian Armstrong.  
 3C2 First in Form (first in Science and Social Studies), Wendy Reygate.  
 3D First in Form (first in Science, English, Homecraft and Course Maths), Roslyn Clark.

### SPORTS AND SPECIAL AWARDS

#### Sports:

#### Athletics:

Boys' Junior Championship, M. F. Shepherd; Girls' Junior Championship, Margaret Wilson; Boys' Intermediate Championship, C. S. Clayton; Girls' Intermediate Championship, Marianne Sinclair; Boys' Senior Championship, J. E. Gomas; Girls' Senior Championship, Gail MacDonnell.

#### Swimming:

Girls' Junior Championship (Prize presented by Mr P. J. Hill), Cheryl de Forest; Boys' Junior Championship (Prize presented by Mr J. W. Manifold), R. L. Maurice; Boys' Intermediate Championship, M. J. McVicker; Girls' Intermediate Championship, Marianne Sinclair; Boys' Senior Championship, T. E. Beaton; Girls' Senior Championship, Gail MacDonnell.

#### Tennis:

Boys' Junior Championship, R. K. Smith; Girls' Junior Championship, Elaine Brannigan; Boys' Intermediate Championship, N. S. Barbour; Girls' Intermediate Championship, Jennifer Wylie; Boys' Senior Championship, K. F. Collins.  
 Most Promising Player Awards:

Cricket (Prize presented by Mr G. H. York): Boy, K. N. Borich; Girl, Jill Ferguson.

Softball: Boy, D. J. Hohenberger; Girl, Marie Langdon.

Hockey: Boy, S. G. Maurice; Girl, Heather Durrant.

Rugby: C. J. Homer.

Soccer: J. E. Gomas.

Basketball: Heather Pook.

Hobsonville Trophy for Inter-House Competition: Williams House (Rae Wilson, M. J. McVicker).

### SPECIAL PRIZES

Prepared Speech: Junior, A. N. Hunt; Intermediate and Senior, Carol Cater.

Impromptu Speech: Junior, A. N. Hunt; Intermediate and Senior, Marilyn Osborne.

Art: Junior, B. O. Over; Intermediate, Susan Morris.

Magazine: Prose Entry, P. N. Gill; Poetry Entry, J. M. McCarthy.

Engineering (presented by Kidd Garrett Ltd): M. F. Shepherd.

### CERTIFICATES OF ATTAINMENT

- 3A French, Cheryl Lewis; Geography, History, Chemistry, P. N. Wood.  
 3L English, D. P. Cattin; Social Studies, First Equal French, I. Duncan.  
 3S1 English, French, Heather Pook.  
 3S2 English, T. R. Swallow; Social Studies, First Equal Maths, D. A. Weigel; First Equal Maths, C. J. Haydock; French, Rosalind Jacobi; Science, A. A. Romaine.  
 3S3 French, Gaille Pauling; Mathematics, Jill Tate; English, L. Taylor.  
 3T1 Metalwork, G. K. Nathan; Science, A. Paxton; Woodwork, D. K. Hill; First Equal Mathematics, I. P. Selak; First Equal Mathematics, N. Jenkins.  
 3T2 Science, G. Cowlshaw; Technical Drawing First Equal, W. R. Edwards; Social Studies, First Equal English, G. A. Eades; First Equal Mathematics, B. W. Reid; Mathematics, Woodwork, P. Hart.  
 3C1 Course Maths First Equal, Gail Hill; Shorthand First Equal, Jennifer Konik; Shorthand First Equal, Lois McConnochie; Typing, Christine Packer; Science, Shirley Robertson.  
 3C2 English, Christine Dark; Commercial Practice, Carolyn Davis; Course Maths. Bookkeeping, Tina Iotua; Typing, Margaret Russell.  
 3D Social Studies, Clothing, Frances Wilson; Metalwork, J. R. Learmonth; Woodwork, K. Henwood.  
 4L English and Social Studies, P. N. Gill; Science, A. D. Mathews; French, Kathryn Forster.  
 4S1 English, Helen Macmillan; Social Studies First Equal, R. F. Delgrosso; Social Studies First Equal, P. R. Langdale-Hunt; Social Studies First Equal, S. W. Milne; Science, R. M. White; French, Brenda Sinton.  
 4S2 English and Social Studies, Gaye Moors; English, B. Milham.  
 4S3 Science, A. B. Kevey; Mathematics, Heather Durrant; French, Susan Whittle.  
 4T1 Social Studies, Science, Woodwork, T. S. Farlow; Mathematics, Metalwork, Technical Drawing, M. F. Shepherd; Technical Drawing, W. A. Quick.  
 4T2 English, R. Woodard; Social Studies, R. P. Manifold; Science, G. Moore; Mathematics, P. J. Kuhn.  
 4C Science, Fay Mitchell; Course Maths, Bookkeeping, Sylvia Haslam; Commercial Practice, Susan Mitchell; Shorthand, Christine Dwyer; Typing, Kay Williamson.  
 4D English, Sandra Straker; Social Studies and Clothing, Karen Daines; Course Mathematics, Sheryl Turner; Homecraft, Carroll Dark.  
 4A Mathematics, A. G. Williamson; Physics, G. C. R. Yates; Chemistry and Geography, B. C. Russell.  
 54 Technical Drawing (Engineering), R. P. Willering; Engineering, L. D. McCullough;

- Technical Drawing (Woodwork) and English, J. A. Reid.
- 53 Shorthand, Janet Scholz; Typing, Faye Marcroft; Clothing, Mavis Cooney; Homecraft, Grace MacVicar.
- 52 English, P. J. Clasby; Biology, Yvonne Burney; Mathematics, B. Strid; Commercial

- Practice, Marie Louisa Kruff.
- 51 English, Shirlene Diver; Bookkeeping and Geography, Eileen Frew; French and Latin, R. J. Hawkins; History, Carreen Jarza; Geography, Barbara Nixon; Geography, G. Murdoch.

### SCHOOL CERTIFICATES PASSES 1963

#### BOYS

Ambridge, B.  
Beaton, T.  
Clasby, P.  
Collins, K.  
Copestake, G.  
Garrett, D.  
Culverwell, J.  
Glowacki, M.  
Gomas, J.  
Hawkins, R.  
Harding, R.  
Hitch, J.  
Holland, W.  
Homer, C.

Langdale-Hunt, D.  
Lawrence, B.  
Learmonth, A.  
Macmillan, R.  
Mathews, W.  
McVicker, M.  
Medcalf, T.  
Murdock, G.  
Ockleford, P.  
Pook, M.  
Pugh, J.  
Shadbolt, T.  
Strid, B.  
Thackway, P.

#### GIRLS

Brosnan, Maryann  
Brown, Robin  
Butler, Carol  
Coates, Janet  
Croft, Jocelyn  
Diver, Shirlene  
Drummond, Lynne  
Fleming, Suzanne  
Frew, Eileen  
Gainsford, Pamela  
Green, Dianne  
Hills, Sandra  
Jacobi, Susan

#### JARZA, CARREEN

Johnston, Lynette  
Jordan, Meridee  
Kruff, Marie-Louise  
Methven, Penelope  
Nixon, Barbara  
Rumble, Jennifer  
Williams, Marilyn  
Sinclair, Marianne  
Smart, Kay  
Thompson, Robyn  
Wilson, Rae

### CERTIFICATE OF ATTAINMENT 1963

(This is awarded to pupils who gain an average of 50% or more in five subjects in the School Cert. exam, but who have not completed three years at a secondary school).

Burney, A.  
Compton, R.  
Maurice, P.

Perkinson, S.  
Russell, B.  
Williamson, A.

Yates, G.  
Hewetson, Gay  
Irvine, Susan

L'Amie, Dianne  
Marshall, Carol

### CHAMBER OF COMMERCE EXAMINATIONS

Our first commercial class passed the following examinations in their fourth and fifth form years. Abbreviations: English (E), Arithmetic (A), Junior Typing (JT), Intermediate Typewriting (IT), Bookkeeping (B).

J. Burney (JT, B); M. Clark (A); L. Drummond (JT, IT, B); E. Faulder (JT, B); J. Fergusson (A, B); E. Frew (E, A, JT, IT, B); F. Hagan (JT); E. Hill (JT); F. Marcroft (E, JT); B. Pearman (JT); J. Scholz (E, JT); R. Thompson (E, JT); A. Taylor (A, JT, B); R. Wilson (JT, B); D. Wolfsbauer (JT); S. Prichard (A, JT, B).

Form 4, 1963

P. Ainsworth (E, A); J. Blakely (A); D. Dorricott (E, A); D. Ellice (A); J. Graham (E, JT); M. Griffin (E); C. Harold (E); S. Haslam (E, A); P. Hughes (E, A, JT); J. Leggatt (E); A. Lever (E); J. Longville (A); L. Nicholls (A); C. Saver Garrett (E); D. Smith (A); K. Williamson (JT).

### PITMANS SHORTHAND SPEED EXAMS

Form 5, 1963:

100 w.p.m., J. Scholz; 90 w.p.m., E. Frew; 80 w.p.m., F. Marcroft, R. Wilson; 70 w.p.m. L. Drummond, E. Hill.

Form 5, 1964 (up to September):

90 w.p.m., L. Abbott, J. Garrett; 80 w.p.m., C. Dwyer, C. Harold, J. Taylor; 70 w.p.m., J. Blakely, D. Ellice, A. Lever, F. Mitchell, D. Smith; 60 w.p.m., P. Ainsworth, M. Griffin, S. Haslam, C. Sayer, A. Taylor.

Form 4, 1964 (up to September):

70 w.p.m., J. Konik, R. Turley, J. Rosenberg; 60 w.p.m., S. Strawbridge; 50 w.p.m., G. Armstrong, C. Baker, D. Boyle, C. Cane, C. Dark, J. Hall, R. Hohenberger, L. Jonkers, C. Kennedy, L. McConnochie, B. O'Shea, C. Packer, J. Peddison, Y. Rae, S. Robertson, F. Rose, C. Scown.

## The Library

One thing all schools have is an abundance of slave labour. It would have been a lengthy undertaking for one man to move the books, magazines and files to the new library; but with a steady stream of pupils this task was accomplished in a morning. Mr Woods and Mrs Parker, who were receiving the books as they arrived, felt like amateur concrete layers who had ordered a prodigious amount of pre-mixed concrete which kept arriving before the previous load was smoothed out.

The new library is in two rooms, so we decided to place most of the needs of Forms three to five in one room, and in the other, the books consulted mostly by Form 6. Thus most of the fiction, biography and travel went to the first room; and the Form 6 fiction and reference books went to the other. Next year the Upper Sixth will spend much of its time studying in the reference room, but other classes will be able to book this room in the same way as they book the projector now. We hope that Social Studies and Science classes will be able to use the library more extensively than they do at present. The science teachers seem interested in this idea and we are stocking the library in this field ready for the onslaught. The Social Studies teachers already are aware of the books available and the mountain of material accumulating in the vertical file.

Next year we hope to have "Carrels" set up on the tables in the reference room to assist the Upper Sixth in studying. These are partitions which will fit on to the library tables, dividing them into four cubicles. As distraction from study is largely visual these should provide better working conditions for study periods; and with the silence which will be observed the Upper Sixth should be able to acquire those habits of study so necessary for university work.

The members of the library committee have always been active, but this year they have excelled. They have assisted Mrs Parker process over £500 worth of books; worked at the issue desk before school, at morning interval, and after school; and produced a great range of displays which have attracted pupils to books they might otherwise not have noticed. In the third term, as well as the regular displays, we have had extra displays when a special occasion arose such as Bible Week or Rutherford Day. This year the committee has started bookbinding and repairing, as with four years' wear, some of the books are in need of major repairs. We are going to put

hardbacks on the more popular magazines and make them more accessible for borrowing.

The library committee is aware how fortunate it is in having Mrs Parker as librarian. Her knowledge of the books is encyclopaedic; and quite frequently she appears to know not only the author and publisher of any book you may mention, but she also knows who has it out at the moment. We appreciate her hard work; but we also appreciate her tolerance, kindness, and readiness to help anyone even when she is desperately busy.

Mrs Parker sets the tone of the library. We are trying to make it the intellectual centre of the school, a retreat for study and research. We are continuing with our policy of buying the best books that the pupils are capable of liking; and the great increase in borrowing this year shows that we are meeting the needs of the bulk of the pupils without the aid of Agent 007.

Senior Librarians: B. Strid, T. Earl, P. Gill, A. Hunt, J. McCarthy, Gay Hewetson.

Junior Librarians: Joanne Perkins, I. Duncan, J. Gartside, Diane L'Amie, Susan Irvine, Sheryl Lewis, Gaille Pauling, M. Reiher, Sheryl James, A. Strid, M. Earl, E. White, G. Banks, Ray Jenkins, Mary Wayper, K. Eagle, R. Petrie, R. Marriott, J. Saunders, Beverley Crisp, Raewyn Pook, Robyn Hewetson, A. Mathews, P. Johnston.

We would like to thank the following people who presented library books to the School during the year:

Mr and Mrs D. J. Brownlees: Working with Animals. Mr P. M. Rea: Native Trees, Native Shells, Native Fishes. Mr C. H. Sands: New Zealand Disasters. Mr J. R. Charlton: The Wooden Horse. Mr M. V. Saunders: Coopers Creek. Mr J. Redfern: I, George Nepia. Mr O. M. Bawden: New Zealand Trees. Mr J. P. McGrail: Tamilana. Mr and Mrs C. G. Keegan: Lord Justice Birkett. Mrs E. M. Thorpe: Complete set of the Works of Kipling (32 volumes). Sheryl James: A Pattern of Islands; Return to the Islands. Miss Cotton: The Mary Deare. But We Were Born Free; A Kind of Loving; Mid Century; Cornerstone; An Early Edition of Lady Barkers Sation Life in N.Z. Christine Chappel: Lord Jim (Conrad); Reader's Digest Condensed Books, The Story of Ruth. R. Petrie: Two Years Before the Mast; St. Bernadette Soubirous; They Found a Way Home. D. Adcock: North to Adventure; Kidnapped. Mrs Miller: The Happy Return (C. S. Forester); The Golden Warrior (Hope Muntz); Valuable Set of

New Zealand Centennial Publications; Wake up in Europe; The Country Upstairs; Asias Bright Balconies. Mr Pryor: The New Zealanders (Shad-bolt). Dr A. M. Finlay: Northland Region, N.Z. Govt. Publication. Susan Mitchell: South Col. Penny Mitchell: General Lord Freyberg. I. Dawson: Man Eaters of Kumaon; Starbuck Valley Winter. T. Earl: Trouble in Burma; Living As I Do. A. Mathews: Tiger in the Bush; Joseph Conrad Sea Stories. P. Wood: Reptiles; Insects; Seashore; Flowers; Fishes; Weather; Zoology. G. Franks: Kidnapped. S. Milne: Major Thompson Lives in France; Major Thompson And I. S. Langston: Pirate Sealer; Wanderlust Brown; The Lost World of Everes. Mr Barton: Plants of New Zealand (Laing and Blackwell) 2 copies. Mr Gale: The Parihaka Story. Mrs McGregor: Defeat of the Spanish Amada; That Great Lucifer; Mak-

### CHARLEY'S AUNT

In a young school any new event can be the origin of a tradition and one such event this year was the production of "Charley's Aunt" for the school concert.

The two performances of the play were the culmination of many months of hard work by cast and producers. After the cast had been selected late in the first term the work of learning lines, learning actions, and designing costumes and stage settings began. Miss Burrow spent many lunch hours during the second term coaching before she left to become Mrs Tattam. Mr Nairn then took over the production and after three rehearsals during the holidays and a rush of practices in the first week of school the words, actions and costumes began to fit into place, and the members of the cast began to enjoy their parts. The two performances were most successful and we congratulate both cast and producers.

#### Cast

Brasset .....	Kevin Eagle
Jack .....	David Langdale-Hunt
Charlie .....	Tony Hunt
Sir Francis .....	Jurgen McCarthy
Kitty .....	Shirlene Diver
Amy .....	Sandra Murray
Mr Spettigue .....	Ron Delgrosso
Donna Lucia .....	Susan Jacobi
Ella .....	Maryann Brosnan

ers of the Realm; The England of Elizabeth; Shakespeare; The Great Siege; The Best of William Faulkner; The Mansion (Faulkner). Mr G. Harvey: British Isles; Australia and New Zealand; World Geography; Physical Geography; Land Utilisation in Australia; Mermaids and Mastodons; Animal Geography; Distribution and Abundance of Animals. Miss Spence: Print of 1632 Map of the World, assorted fiction.

### GIFTS TO THE SCHOOL

We would like to thank Mrs Joy Foulds, who donated a zither to the school. The zither was originally presented to her by the Eustonian Delegation at the World Youth Festival, which she attended in 1957 as part of the New Zealand delegation. The festival was held in Moscow and was organized by the World Federation of Democratic Youth.



Hiroshima, '45 — Susan Morris, '5B.

## HUMOUR

(with all due respects to those concerned)

It is difficult to conceive a secondary school class existing without one basic necessity for its smooth-running and efficiency — namely the element of humour. And neither is it lacking.

Today, teachers have come to accept the fact that in order to hold the interest of a class they must allow some degree of digression to creep in and these days many of the teachers themselves are born comics, both in the things they do and the things they say, and this is typical of the rapidly changing general character of the modern teacher.

Even in ordinary speech as part of a lesson teachers hold the floor well by saying unexpected things. "I went to see the headmaster in his cell," is one account of an interview with the Principal. That same teacher, who incidentally, claims that he's "unshockable", delights in referring to the grassed enclosed courtyard with the lawn and shrub surrounded fishpond in the administration block as the "beer-garden."

Others revel in slapstick, sometimes unintentional. Going back to earlier days in the school's life some pupils will remember that eventful singing lesson in which the First Assistant was striding along the stage — both arms out in order to get the school to prolong the final, harmonious note of a new song. He was right at one side of the stage when suddenly he seemed to run out of it and the song concluded with the six-foot-plus First Assistant spread out in an ungainly heap on the floor below the stage. But he got up, jumped on the stage and invited us to laugh at his expense — a very sporting attitude.

Again reminiscing about earlier days — one particular teacher stands out. He had a happy little habit of standing over on one side of the classroom and skilfully ejecting an expired piece of chalk through the open window at the other side. But one eventful day a team of inspectors frequenting a certain footpath in the school must have been somewhat surprised to see a piece of Education Board chalk materialise apparently from a nearby window and make a perfect arc in front of their noses. However, undaunted, this teacher tried to re-establish his convenient disposal system after the inspectors had gone, but alas — the chalk clattered to the floor behind a heater. The window was closed. After that he contented himself with relatively short-range lobs into the rubbish tin.

This year, another teacher made the embarrassing mistake of wearing a transparent nylon shirt over a capacious, yawning hole in the front of his singlet.

Yet another teacher, a lady, was attempting to point out a certain place on a Holland-Blind type of map suspended from the top of a blackboard, when she was startled to see the map suddenly roll itself up, unaided, having rudely snatched the ruler she was using as a pointer.

Of course, the most humorous of all events, are those which are best left undisclosed. But we must not forget that teacher, who at the time had just acquired a new section in Te Atatu, who earnestly consulted the First Assistant, who has a Diploma of Horticulture, about the health of the wattle trees on the section. He was very worried in case they had cancer (which although possible seemed hilarious at the time).

Many pages could be filled with accounts of the efforts of the pupils to maintain humour, too, but we admire our staff for their graceful perseverance, subject to seven hundred young critics, and it would be fitting to conclude with the three words in which one of our teachers sums up the whole issue: "Teachers are masochists!"

P. N. Gill, 5A

### EXAMS

Exams! Exams! they get me down  
I sit, I start, I sweat, I frown,  
Swot every night for hours on end  
Driving me around the bend —  
History, English, French is the worst,  
That's the subject I'm dropping first.  
In the exam room the strain is on,  
Where did they get these questions from?  
Having finished now you must wait  
For hours while finishes your slower mate.  
We sure need holidays, though we get too few,  
Before returning more work to do,  
Happy the time when school you leave  
For on this day no-one will grieve.

J. Nixon, 4S<sub>1</sub>

### THE RODEO

The Rodeo is many things.

It is the frenzied horse rearing into the arena, back arched, a kicking shadow against the light, curtained in bright dust and flying sand. It is the windmill horseman on top, hat flying, boots

spurring, arm waving, fighting to stay on till the hooter announces that the ten second battle is won. It is the fat man banging the rail shouting "Hook 'im up boy! Hook 'im up!" It is the dusty rider limping back to the judges, while the "pick-up" men gallop after the bolting winner. It is the two horsemen spurring after the charging steer, the "dogger" leaning low over the bull's back and grabbing the horns, as he slides from his horse and wrestles the animal into the soft earth.

Many thousands of people surround the oval, framed with pine trees against a back drop of distant shadow-creased green hills, like a searing flame from a clear, dry, blue sky; the sun is shining, a dry sun that makes the dust hot. The uncomprehending bullock, head down, standing hot in his wooden cage, as the crowd goes by — pauses, guesses, prods and insults him, pays five bob for two guesses, then forgets him — surges on to watch his cousins running in the ring.

In the evening the arena is flood-lit, and you see the Carnival Queen entrants, the motor-bike performers, the marching girls, bands, the fire works. The surging, rollicking crowd, churns, bobs and eddies, like river rapids, between pie stalls beer counters, two-for-six-bob chicken wheels and the top spinning couples that wind and unwind to a rock-n-roll twist.

The Rodeo is many things for many people. To the little boy in the new cowboy suit, with the silver guns and the wide hat, it is a place to stand and gape, to dream of Hopalong Cassidy. For the girl in the bright checkered shirt, tasselled, long sun-tanned legs and the large Western hat it is somewhere to pose and wait for the boys to whistle. To the riders in the tight jeans, dangling their high heeled boots from the stands above the shutes, it is another day and it's their turn next.

But above all, the Rodeo is a playing out of a tradition, born from the vast cattle stations and the long droving tracks; a tradition of men and horses and stock and hot days under a sunburned sky.

M. K. Eagle, 4S1

### DESPAIR IN YOUTH

If your love does of your love betray  
Then youth will mourn and weep and contemplate

Death, revenge, and assault those near  
With words of scorn and hate.

And if some longed for event doth turn awry,  
Then youth will storm and thunder and rage

As would a tempest, that has been kept an age  
Under lock and key of custom and authority,  
And has been stirred with rich emotion and sensual thought

Until it has from strains of misfortune and depravity

Unleashed its fury in a thundrous wave of violence and crime.

Thus is youth, when in Despair  
And wherein doth lie the reason, we ask you why?  
For men have suffered from fire and sword,

And women from the rapist's cry,  
And babes and young been countless slaughtered,  
And the earth and seas, rocked and seethed with one accord,

And millions of years have passed and millions more are yet to come.

And Youth,  
Youth — mourning, weeping, storming, raging  
About such things as misfortune and love,  
When swamped in countless Time they mean nothing.

In Time, your life is but one brief second — maybe two,

And your life means nothing — to all but you.  
Your misfortune and your sorrow  
Means nought to Man or Time or Earth or Seas;

No one in his heart can feel your sorrow  
Though from their tongues they pour false sympathies.

Thus we are insignificant and alone  
And we are in ourself our only home.

T. Shadbolt, 6B1

### THE OLD WOMAN

There she sat under the window talking in that low, smug voice she always used when trying to enforce a point about the wrongness of the world today and how much better it had been in her day!

As she sat sewing, as she always did at this time of day, she glared at me, a typical specimen of the worthless generation of today! She looked down at me through her cold, green eyes from which no warmth had ever flowed.

She had been quite a beauty in her day, and her eyes were still surrounded with long, thick, black lashes, reminding one of the silky black hair which had once fallen in deep waves to her shoulders. Her once beautiful oval face was now set in a perpetual frown and her eyes, over which her lashes had once been swept demurely when wishing to charm, were now reduced to cat-like slits. Her hair was now tightly twisted into a severe knot at the nape of her neck and her plain

blue dress was crisply starched, giving her the appearance of a stern, school ma'am.

She never laughed, or at least I had never heard her in all my fifteen years of existence; and when she smiled it was a tight-lipped, severe grimace which never quite reached her eyes.

In the cold light of the window she sat, unrelenting, unyielding, a frozen personality who had never enjoyed life and was impatiently waiting for it to end.

Robyn Hewetson, 3C1

### SPRING

Spring is with us look and see  
Birds all flirting in each tree.  
Buds are bursting,  
Smell the air  
Natures magic everywhere.  
Let's appreciate this fact  
Ensuring life with joy is packed.  
High in the blue and pastel sky  
Flocks of birds all calmly fly.  
Long ones — small ones  
Blue and Grey ones  
All in flight  
Searching for a family site.

P. Horsley, 4T2

### SHIPWRECKED

The ship had gone down about two miles from the shore on Barkley Rock — the storm had washed the lighthouse off its precarious footing. He had been walking on the deck at the time and had been flung overboard with the impact — and now he was dead. It was utterly different from what he had thought it would be; just nothing, no body, no sight, no hearing — just a mind floating around in a black pool of nothingness.

He had taken a long time to die, and yet he did not shudder when he thought of the hours of gasping and choking, of the fight against a force that had seemed to pull him down, down into the inky blackness, only to let him rise to the top and feel for a fleeting second the hope of air and light before he was dragged under again.

Then suddenly he had stopped caring.

When he had awakened he didn't feel himself open his eyes, but instead . . . well, he just became aware of himself and convinced himself that he must be dead.

He remembered with indifference now the bodies of the passengers and crew that had float-

ed like harmless dolls, limp and inanimate in the water.

And suddenly he became aware of a light, very faint, around him and a feeling that he was not totally disembodied but that there was some other part of him but it was dead and unresponsive. A voice from somewhere above him said, "I think he's coming round . . ."

J. McCarthy, 4A

### AN OUT-OF-WAY PLACE

A solitary bush, laboriously reared in a pot, is the horticultural marvel of Waimimu, a camp in the copper mining region of the Desert Road, New Zealand. This is not really extraordinary, for Waimimu is one of the most arid regions of the whole country. It is extraordinary, however, what a wonderland of riotous blooming a few hours of steady rainfall can create in this sandy, stone-ridden area.

The area is dominated by harsh granite hills which thrust upwards from stretches of red, brown or gray pumice sand. Like frozen music they rise out of the arid earth — craggy monuments to Time and the Elements, and the weird and wonderful formations that brood like fairy tale fortresses. These unusual phenomenon are an indisputable tribute to the architectural genius of nature. Occasional clumps of straggling scrub eke out an existence from the hot, sterile soil. Through some fore-thought of nature, these hardy growths are the camels of the plant world, since they manage to store enough moisture in their roots to out-last long droughts that sometimes last for years.

When the rains do come to Waimimu, however, they arrive with a grand flourish, for the greater part of the few inches allotted to the countryside may fall in the span of several hours. Overnight the plain is refreshed and reborn. The yesterdays of the heat-mirage, of gasping in the stifle of searing dust clouds, are swept away to the beat and stroke of thunder and lightning. Snow embeds itself among the loose grains of dirt. Little pools of water, welcome strangers in a thirsty land, shimmer in the wan light of dawn. The air achieves a crispness that is all the more delightful because it is so short-lived. And, above all, the sweet rains call into life the incredible floral energy that lies waiting beneath the golden ground.

It is as though the flowers themselves are aware that they have but a short time in which to germinate and reach fulfilment, for they burst

into bloom with surprising, almost sudden spontaneity. As far as the eye can reach, field upon field of new-born blossoms appear, to lay a soft, luxurious mantle over the scarred and barren earth.

In a few days the pools of water are no more. Their passing is marked only by shallow, cake depressions, checkered with jagged cracks which sag into the soft pumice. As the water fades, the flowers wither and brown, dusting themselves into the shrivelled soil from which they have sprung. But their death is not an ending, for they will rise once more in a spurt of pride and glory when the rains come again to Waimimu, a lonely out-post near the Desert Road, New Zealand.

M. K. Eagle, 4S1

### "ETERNAL WANDERINGS FROM NOWHERE"

Alone in the night;  
Alone with the stars . . . .  
Oh what alien power does space conceal  
From my incessant gaze,  
As I look up . . . .  
What revelations  
Would conquered distance bring  
To the abode of earthly mind and thought,  
As man moves out to link with any he may  
find . . . .  
What beauty of simplicity  
Will transient man discover  
Within the infinity of the perennial nothingness  
that is space . . . .  
What "raison d'être" will man infer  
From sentient observation in this objective realm  
I view  
From place of ego?  
Till "self" is gone  
What can man hope to see  
Up there, but light:  
What can man know of Truth  
When all he has is fiat  
Escape from which, I have found this night.

R. A. Macmillan, 6B1

### A STUDY OF RUTHERFORD

(With apologies to Vachel Lindsay)

Poor helpless children in a dirty school room,  
Slave-driving teachers with hands on his table,  
Sagged and reeled and pounded on the table,  
Pounded on the table.  
Beat an empty head with the handle of a broom,  
As hard as he is able,  
Bash, Bash, Bash,  
With a bamboo cane and the handle of a broom,  
Boomyowch, Boomyowch, Boomyowch, Boom.  
Then across the playground for a thousand miles  
Tattooed teachers danced in files;  
Then I heard the boom of the cane we hate  
And a thigh bone beating on somebody's pate.  
And "blood" screamed the whistles and the pipes  
of the teachers,  
And "blood" screamed the skull-faced lean head-  
prefect,  
Whirl ye the deadly voo-doo cane,  
Harry all the children,  
Steal all their cash,  
Jingle-jingle, jingle-jingle,  
Ping.  
Boomyouch, Boomyowch, Boomyouch, Boom.  
A mangrove swamp  
Where dreams come true.  
The two storied building soared on high,  
Through the mangrove trees to the evening sky,  
The science benches and apparatus shone  
With spit and polish and silicon;  
The small crowd laughed till their sides were sore  
At the baboon teacher at the classroom door;  
And the well-known tunes of the "Woodpecker's  
Band"  
That trilled through the people in that merry  
band.  
A troupe of skull-faced teachers came  
Through the classroom door in suits of flame,  
Yea, long broad swords all covered with rust  
And hats that were covered with musty dust.  
And the crowd in the lab gave a whoop and a call  
And danced the juba all over the wall.  
But the teachers suddenly stilled the throng  
With a big black strap and stern old song:—  
"Our fat teacher will flatten you" . . .  
"Beware, beware, walk with care,  
Or our fat teacher, Lord of the Classroom,  
And all the other lords of the classrooms,  
Our fat teacher will flatten you.  
Beware, Beware, walk with care,  
Boomyowch, Boomyowch, Boomyowch boom,  
Boomyowch, Boomyowch, Boomyowch boom,  
Boomyowch, Boomyowch, Boomyowch boom,  
Boomyowch, Boomyowch, Boomyowch boom,  
Boom

R. Keen, 4S2

### "GRAVITY"

What inexplicable force is this,  
That mass can pull towards the core  
Of this earth and universal state,  
So far away that thoughts abhor  
The task concerned with calculating  
Their meaning and potential.  
The light — years and aeons, and evaluating  
No finite threshold does it show,  
Outside of which there is no force  
To capture man in act and thought—  
Preventing end to conquest's course;  
Denying man the boastful right;  
Till souls are led into the fight  
By some intrepid argonaut.  
We must search for some hypothesis  
On sentiment grounds — then over all  
Could come the truth with open gates,  
Explaining why all things must fall;  
Allowing for a change sublime;  
Permitting man to literally climb  
The steps to the stars!

R. A. Macmillan, 6B1

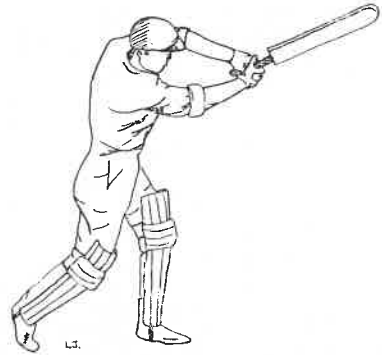
### SUNSET

The sun sinks towards the sea,  
Yellow and crimson swords of flames,  
Shed from its burning body,  
As it sinks to the world from which it came.  
Clothed in its gown of fire,  
It sinks defeated by this shining globe,  
Whose silvery radiance is already strong,  
With its flashing, glowing robe.  
Its faithful courtiers, the stars,  
A halo of silver forming,  
Glimpses of fire in velvet blackness,  
The blackness of death and mourning.  
Winking, the lights of earth are lit;  
But the moon in its glory shining,  
Provides the light for the earth below,  
And the sun in the west is declining.  
The world is silent, peaceful, sleepy;  
The animals have to rest long gone;  
But by the glow of the distant dawn,  
They will wake and sing their morning song.

R. Marriott, 3A



Two original studies by M. K. Eagle, 4 Sc. 1



## SPORTS



### Colour Awards

For the first time "Colours" have been awarded for various sports. This award is the School's acknowledgment of the pupil's attitude — both on and off the field, ability, sportsmanship, help-

fulness and co-operation, and it is certainly not automatic. This is shown by the fact that 25 Colours were awarded with the school roll at approximately 750.

#### GIRLS

Janet Coats: Has been a member of the School's Girls' Hockey team for the past three years.

Mavis Cooney: Has played basketball for the School since 1961 and has been a member of the A team for 1964.

Doreen Ellice: Has played in the A basketball team 1963/1964.

Colleen Hagan: Has played in the A basketball team for the past four years and this year has been captain.

Marie O'Leary: Has played in the School A basketball team 1963/1964.

Heather Pook: Has played in the A basketball team 1964.

Marianne Sinclair: Basketball—Has been playing for the school for the past four years in the A team. Athletics—Junior champion 1961; Intermediate champion 1962-1963; Senior champion 1964. Has represented the school three times at the Inter-Secondary School sports. Swimming—Junior champion 1961 and 1962; Intermediate champion 1963 and 1964.

Marilyn Williams: Has played basketball for the A team for the past three years. Vice-captain in 1964; Auckland basketball rep. 1964.

#### BOYS

Trevor Beaton: Rugby—Played for 1st XV 1963-1964.

K. Borich: Cricket—1st XI 1962, 1963, 1964. Cyril Clayton: Athletics—School champion 1962, 1963, 1964.

A. Donaldson: Athletics—Junior Athletic Champion 1964. Represented the School at the 1964 Inter-Secondary Schools Athletic Sports and won four individual events.

C. J. Homer: Rugby—1st XV 1962, 1963, 1964. K. Jones: Rugby—1st XV 1963, 1964.

W. Jones: Soccer—Represented the School 1961, 1962, 1963, 1964.

J. McDonald: Rugby—1st XV 1962, 1963, 1964. M. J. McVicar: Rugby—1st XV 1961, 1962, 1963, 1964, and captain for the past three years.

Swimming—Senior champion 1964. Represented the School in the Inter-Secondary Schools Swimming Sports.

T. Medcalf: Soccer—1st XI 1961, 1962, 1963, 1964.

I. Milne: Rugby—1st XV 1963, 1964. S. Milne: Hockey—1st XI 1962, 1963, 1964.

T. Moorhead: Cricket—1st XI 1962, 1963, captain 1964.

J. Pugh: Rugby—1st XV 1961, 1962, 1963, 1964. M. Sinton: Rugby—1st XV 1961, 1962, 1963, 1964.

G. Stainton: Cricket—1st XI 1962, 1963, 1964. G. Wood: Swimming—Intermediate champion 1964. Gained two firsts in the Inter-Secondary Schools Swimming Sports, 1964.



### SWIMMING TEAM

Back Row: P. Smith, B. Strid, J. Pugh, R. Hendry.

Third Row: Patricia Brosnan, Elaine Brannigan, Fay Rose, Penny Mitchell, Beverley Danvers, Marianne Sinclair, Penny Methven, Elizabeth Wood.

Second Row: Mr Bendall, K. Charlton, T. Beaton, A. Donaldson, G. Wood, R. Smith, J. Culverwell, M. McVicker, J. Van Sitter, Mr Berridge.

Front Row: Maryann Brosnan, Susan Morris, Hendrika Verbiesen, Rayna Beaton, Donna Papps, Sally Brown, Christine Parlane, Karen Beaton, Ann Pike

### SWIMMING

#### FOURTH ANNUAL SWIMMING SPORTS

Rutherford High School's fourth annual swimming sports were held on Wednesday, February 19, at Avondale College pool. Fine, hot weather contributed to the smooth and speedy running of quite a large programme of events. A notable feature of the individual performances was that senior champions, Marianne Sinclair and M. McVicker, had both been championship winners in the two preceding years, thus each completed three successive years as champion. Williams House was the winner of the house points competition for the third year in succession also.

The following are the results of the events:

#### CHAMPIONS

Senior Boy: M. McVicker.

Senior Girl: Marianne Sinclair.

Intermediate Boy: G. Wood.

Intermediate Girl: Donna Papps.

Junior Boy: P. Smith.

Junior Girl: Faye Rose.

Champion House: Williams; runner-up: Wilding.

Junior Boys:

55 yds backstroke: S. Young 1, A. Hillman 2, R. Donaldson 3. Time: 41.7 sec.

55 yds freestyle: P. Smith 1, A. Donaldson 2, J. Third and R. Smith 3 equal. Time: 38.4 sec.

55 yds breaststroke: P. Smith and K. Charlton

1 equal, J. Jolly 3. Time: 52.0 sec.

110 yds freestyle: P. Smith 1, R. Hendry 2, A. Hillman 3. Time: 1 min. 29.4 sec.

#### Junior Girls:

33½ yds backstroke: F. Rose 1, K. Beaton 2, A. Manifold 3. Time: 25.1 sec.

33½ yds freestyle: E. Wood 1, F. Rose 2, K. Beaton and H. Verbiesen 3 equal. Time: 21.3 sec.

#### Intermediate Boys:

55 yds backstroke: G. Wood 1, D. Honey 2, J. Van Sitter 3. Time: 37.2 sec.

55 yds breaststroke: T. Paton 1, P. Johnston 2, A. Harvey 3. Time: 46.3 sec.

55 yds freestyle: G. Wood 1, R. Smith 2, T. Paton 3. Time: 30.4 sec.

110 yds freestyle: G. Wood 1, J. Van Sitter 2, D. Honey 3. Time: 1 min. 8.3 sec.

#### Intermediate Girls:

55 yds backstroke: D. Papps 1, C. De Forest 2, R. Beaton 3. Time: 46.9 sec.

55 yds breaststroke: A. Pike 1, D. Papps 2, M. Osborne 3. Time: 57.4 sec.

55 yds freestyle: E. Brannigan 1, R. Beaton and S. Morris 2 equal. Time: 41.5 sec.

#### Senior Boys:

55 yds backstroke: T. Beaton 1, T. Medcalf 2, A. Ryan 3. Time: 40.8 sec.

55 yds breaststroke: M. McVicker 1, J. Pugh 2, J. Verbiesen 3. Time: 45.4 sec.

55 yds freestyle: M. McVicker 1, D. Pilkington 2, J. Pugh 3. Time: 32.2 sec.

110 yds backstroke: T. Beaton 1, R. Grimsrud 2, T. Shadbolt 3. Time: 1 min. 37.4 sec.

110 yds breaststroke: M. McVicker (only competitor). Time: 1 min. 46.0 sec.

110 yds freestyle: M. McVicker 1, T. Beaton 2, B. Strid 3. Time: 1 min. 19.4 sec.

220 yds freestyle: T. Beaton 1, B. Strid 2, T. Medcalf 3. Time: 3 min. 14.0 sec.

#### Senior Girls:

55 yds backstroke: M. Sinclair 1, D. Kelsall 2, M. Brosnan 3. Time: 42.5 sec.

55 yds breaststroke: M. Sinclair 1, D. Kelsall 2, M. Brosnan 3. Time: 42.0 sec.

55 yds freestyle: D. Kelsall 1, M. Sinclair 2, P. Methven 3. Time: 38.2 sec.

Girls Open 110 yds freestyle: F. Rose 1, M. Sinclair 2, R. and K. Beaton 3 equal. Time: 1 min. 32.0 sec.

Girls open tandem: M. and P. Brosnan 1, R. and K. Beaton 2, D. Kelsall and C. De Forest 3. Time: 27.0 sec.

## GIRLS' INTER-SECONDARY SWIMMING

The Girls' Inter-Secondary Swimming Sports for 1964 were held on March 3 at the Olympic Pool.

Our school team performed most creditably and finished 9th out of 30 schools. This result was excellent when it is considered that our training facilities are non-existent, whereas other competing schools possess fine pools.

Our junior relay team was 1st in its heat but not placed in the final. Similarly, the Brosnan sisters swam a fine tandem race, finishing 1st in their heat. Marianne Sinclair won the senior breaststroke for the third consecutive year, coming within .8 sec. of the record.

Members of the team were—Senior: Marianne Sinclair, Penny Methven, Maryann Brosnan, Patricia Brosnan, Denise Kelsall, Beverley D'Anvers, Penny Mitchell.

Intermediate: Ann Pike, Donna Papps, Christine Parlane, Rayna Beaton, Elaine Brannigan.

Junior: Elizabeth Woods, Karen Beaton, Sally Browne, Faye Rose, Hendrika Verbiesen.

## BOYS' INTER-SECONDARY SWIMMING

A commendable performance was put up by the boys representing the school at the annual Inter-Secondary School Swimming held on Friday, March 6, at the Olympic Pool.

The combined total points gained by the team enabled it to finish in 4th place among the 12 schools competing. When it is considered that most of the other schools competing have their own baths, this was a fine achievement on the team's part.

Of particular note was the outstanding performance of G. Wood who won both finals of the 55 yds freestyle and backstroke events, and was narrowly beaten in the final of the 110 yds freestyle.

The successful competitors were:

M. McVicker: 4th in 55 yds senior backstroke.

G. Wood: 1st in 55 yds intermediate freestyle; 2nd in 110 yds intermediate freestyle; 1st in 55 yds intermediate backstroke.

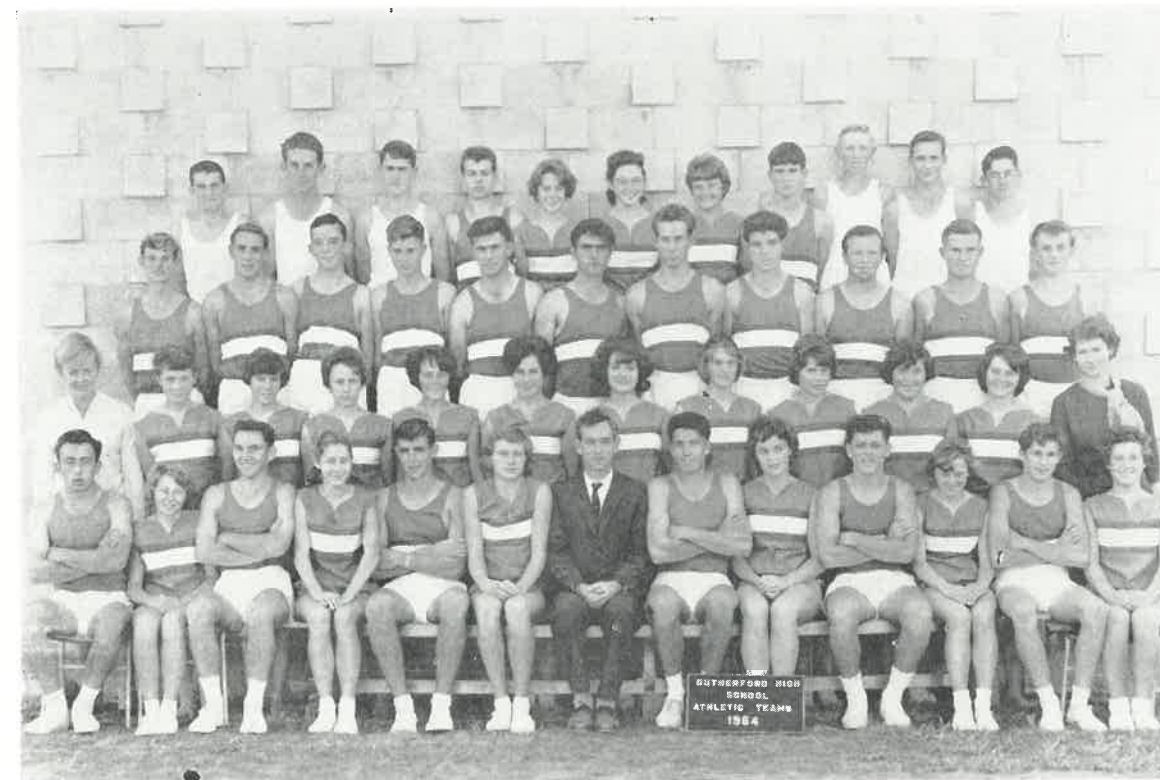
The senior relay team was 2nd and the intermediate team was 3rd.

Team members were:

Senior: M. McVicker, T. Beaton, J. Pugh, J. Culverwell, B. Strid.

Intermediate: G. Wood, J. Van Sitter, P. Johnstone, R. Smith.

Junior: P. Smith, A. Donaldson, J. Third, S. Young, A. Hillman, K. Charlton, R. Hendry.



### ATHLETICS TEAM

**Back Row:** K. Eagle, B. Anderson, B. Milham, A. Kevey, Robyn Kerr, Lynn Gemmell, Sandra Murray, M. Donaldson, A. Vickers, C. Marriott, J. Clayton.

**Third Row:** T. Beaton, M. McVicker, R. Compton, W. Jones, M. Pook, J. Culverwell, T. Medcalf, D. Cattin, S. Perkinson, T. Moorhead, K. Collins.

**Second Row:** Miss F. D. Spence, Patricia Brosnan, Margaret Russell, Linley Madsen, Leone Stubbing, Jennifer Wylie, Wendy Sayer, Fay Mitchell, Jennifer Blakely, Marie O'Leary, Susan Whittle, Miss F. Cotton.

**Front Row:** K. Jones, Ann Pike, B. Worden, Margaret Wilson, M. Shepherd, Yvonne Willering, Mr A. S. Morton, C. Clayton, Marianne Sinclair, A. Donaldson, Vivien Barbour, M. Sinton, Gaille Pauling.

## ATHLETICS

### FOURTH ANNUAL ATHLETIC SPORTS

For the first time, the annual Athletic Sports were held on our grounds, which, though a trifle bumpy, were good enough to allow many records to fall. The advantages of having a spectator bank were obvious to athletes, officials, and spectators. Every event was clearly seen from the bank, and indeed, someone mentioned that the spectators had a better view of the finish line than did the judges. With the improvement in the track by topdressing, it is evident that soon we shall have a setting for athletics that will be the envy of most schools in Auckland. In this Olympic year it is well to remember that there is no competition without competitors and that

active participation of all pupils is the aim of the organisers of the sports.

The following are the Championship results:

#### Junior Boys' Championship:

100 Yards: A. Donaldson (Bn), 1; M. Eagle (Lk), 2; J. Clayton (Bn), 3. Time: 11.2 sec.

220 Yards: A. Donaldson (Bn), 1; M. Eagle (Lk), 2; K. Charlton (Ws), 3. Time: 26.0 sec. Record.

440 Yards: A. Donaldson (Bn), 1; M. Eagle (Lk), 2; M. Pugh (Wg), 3. Time: 1 min. 3.8 sec.

880 Yards: K. Eagle (Lk), 1; J. Clayton (Bn), 2; C. Crighton (Wg), 3. Time: 2 min. 26 sec.

High Jump: C. Marriott (Lk), 1; M. Affleck (Lk), 2; P. Shepherd (Bn), 3. Height: 4 ft. 6½ in. Record.

Broad Jump: A. Donaldson (Bn), 1; D. McVicker (Ws), 2; L. Barr (Ws), 3. Distance: 16 ft. 8 in.

Shot: R. Donaldson (Ws), 1; J. Te Tai (Wg) and C. Haydock (Wg) equal 2; P. Addis (Ws), 3. Distance: 30 ft. 2 in.

Discus: A. Donaldson (Bn), 1; D. Cattin (Lk), 2; P. Addis (Ws), 3. Distance: 107 ft. 6 in.

100 Yards Hurdles: C. Marriot (Lk), 1; J. Ennis (Bn), 2; P. Maurice (Wg), 3. Time: 17.7 sec.

#### Intermediate Boys' Championship:

100 Yards: T. Moorhead (Ws), 1; M. Donaldson (Bn) and B. Milham (Lk) equal, 2. Time: 11.5 sec.

220 Yards: A. Vickers (Wg), 1; B. Milham (Lk), 2; A. Kevey (Bn), 3. Time: 25.7 sec. Record.

440 Yards: M. Shepherd (Ws), 1; A. Kevey (Bn), 2; M. Donaldson (Bn), 3. Time: 58.2 sec.

440 Yards: M. Shepherd (Ws), 1; A. Kevey (Bn), 2; W. Clark (Bn), 3. Time: 2 min. 21.3 sec. Record.

Mile: D. Langston (Bn), 1; G. Stainton (Bn), 2; D. Jones (Lk), 3. Time: 5 min. 17.3 sec. Record.

High Jump: M. Wright (Ws), 1; J. Cook (Lk), 2; M. Curreen (Wg), 3. Height: 4 ft. 10 in. Record.

Broad Jump: T. Moorhead (Ws), 1; T. Swallow (Ws), 2; M. Stainton (Bn), 3. Distance: 16ft. 9½ in. Record.

Shot: S. Perkinson (Bn), 1; M. Shepherd (Ws), 2; B. Anderson (Lk), 3. Distance: 37 ft 6in. Record.

Discus: M. Shepherd (Ws), 1; B. Anderson (Lk), 2; C. Homer (Wg), 3. Distance: 98 ft. 7 in. Record.

120 Yards Hurdles: B. Milham (Lk), 1; D. Langston (Bn), 2; P. Hunt (Ws), 3. Time: 19 sec.

#### Senior Boys' Championships:

100 Yards: C. Clayton (Bn), 1; J. Verbiesen (Bn), 2; B. Worden (Ws), 3. Time: 11.7 sec.

220 Yards: C. Clayton (Bn), 1; J. Verbiesen (Bn), 2; B. Worden (Ws), 3. Time: 26.7 sec.

440 Yards: C. Clayton (Bn), 1; M. Sinton (Bn), 2; T. Beaton (Ws), 3. Time: 58.9 sec. Record.

880 Yards: C. Clayton (Bn), 1; M. Sinton (Bn), 2; W. Jones (Ws), 3. Time: 2 min. 18.4 sec. Record.

Mile: C. Clayton (Bn), 1; M. Sinton (Bn), 2; K. Collins (Ws), 3. Time: 5 min. 31.0 sec. Record.

High Jump: T. Medcalf (Lk), 1; W. Jones (Ws), 2; Grimsrud (Lk), 3. Height: 4 ft. 11½ in.

Broad Jump: M. Sinton (Bn), 1; J. Verbiesen (Bn), 2; W. Jones (Ws), 3. Distance: 16 ft. 3 in.

Shot: K. Jones (Lk), 1; M. Pook (Wg), 2; J.

Pugh (Wg), 3. Distance: 31 ft. 2½ in. Record.

Discus: M. McVicker (Ws), 1; T. Shadbolt (Ws), 2; N. Barbour (Bn), 3. Distance: 78 ft. 9 in.

120 Yards Hurdles: W. Jones (Ws), 1; J. Pugh (Wg), 2; K. Collins (Ws), 3. Time: 19.1s. Record.

#### Junior Girls Championship:

50 Yards: M. Wilson (Ws), 1; M. Russell (Lk), 2; R. Kerr (Bn), 3. Time: 6.7 sec. Equals Record.

75 Yards: M. Wilson (Wg), 1; L. Madsen (Bn), 2; L. Stubbing (Ws), 3. Time: 9.6 sec.

100 Yards: M. Wilson (Ws), 1; L. Madsen (Bn), 2; M. Newlove (Lk), 3. Time: 12.3 sec.

High Jump: F. Rose (Wg), 1; M. Wilson (Ws), 2; L. Toehaere (Bn), 3. Height: 4 ft. 0 in.

Broad Jump: M. Wilson (Ws), 1; L. Madsen (Bn), 2; L. Stubbing (Ws), 3. Distance: 14 ft. 11½ in. Record.

Shot: H. Pook (Wg), 1; R. Hohenberger (Wg), 2; S. Whittle (Wg), 3. Distance: 30 ft. 5 in.

Discus: A. Kay (Wg), 1; E. Abbott (Bn), 2; D. Medcalf (Lk), 3. Distance: 66 ft. 11 in.

75 Yards Hurdles: L. Madsen (Bn), 1; J. Hayter (Wg), 2; L. Barry (Bn), 3. Time: 12.8 sec.

#### Intermediate Girls Championship:

75 Yards: A. Pike (Lk), 1; F. Mitchell (Ws), 2; G. Pauling (Wg), 3. Time: 10.1 sec.

100 Yards: Y. Willering (Bn), 1; F. Mitchell (Ws), 2; A. Pike (Lk), 3. Time: 13.0 sec.

220 Yards: F. Mitchell (Ws), 1; Y. Willering (Bn), 2; G. Pauling (Wg), 3. Time: 31.4 sec.

High Jump: Y. Willering (Bn), 1; D. Ellis (Bn), 2; N. Rapana (Lk), 3. Height: 3 ft. 11in.

Broad Jump: Y. Willering (Bn), 1; D. Ellis (Bn), 2; J. Garrett (Ws), 3. Distance: 14 ft. 0 in.

Shot: Not competed.

Discus: M. O'Leary (Ws), 1; L. Jonkers (Lk), 2; K. Brawn (Wg), 3. Distance: 67 ft. 9½ in.

80 Metres Hurdles: L. Gemmell (Bn), 1; Y. Willering (Bn), 2; D. Papps (Ws), 3. Time: 16.2 sec.

Senior Girls' Championship:

75 Yards: M. Sinclair (Bn), 1; J. Blakely (Ws), 2; J. Wylie (Lk), 3. Time: 9.6 sec. Record.

100 Yards: M. Sinclair (Bn), 1; J. Blakely (Ws), 2; J. Wylie (Lk), 3. Time: 12.7 sec. Record.

220 Yards: M. Sinclair (Bn), 1; J. Blakely (Ws), 2. Time: 28.6 sec. Record.

High Jump: W. Sayer (Wg), 1. Height: 3 ft. 8 in.

Broad Jump: L. Wilson (Bn), 1; L. Phynn (Bn), 2; M. Williams (Lk), 3. Distance: 12 ft. 2 in.

Shot: W. Sayer (Wg), 1; M. Sinclair (Bn), 2; C. Sayer (Wg), 3. Distance: 27 ft. 1 in. Record.

Discus: W. Sayers (Wg), 1; M. Sinclair (Bn), 2; D. Smith (Lk), 3. Distance: 83 ft 9 in. Record  
80 Metres Hurdles: Denise Kelsall. Time: 23.6 sec.

#### All-in House Relay:

Batten 1, Williams 2, Lovelock 3. Time: 2 min. 49.3 sec.

#### Championship Winners:

##### Boys:

Junior: A. Donaldson (35), 1; K. Eagle (22), 2; C. Marriot (14), 3.

Intermediate: M. Shepherd (26), 1; B. Milham (16), 2; T. Moorhead (14), 3.

Senior: C. Clayton (35), 1; M. Sinton (22), 2; W. Jones (18), 3.

##### Girls:

Junior: M. Wilson (33), 1; L. Madsen (22), 2; F. Rose, A. Kay and H. Pook (7), 3 equal.

Intermediate: Y. Willering (31), 1; F. Mitchell (17), 2; D. Ellis and A. Pike (10), 3 equal.

Senior: M. Sinclair (31), 1; W. Sayers (21), 2; J. Blakely (15), 3.

#### House Points:

Batten	533 points
Lovelock	317 points
Wilding	305 points
Williams	400 points

#### BOYS' INTER-SECONDARY ATHLETIC MEETING

This year saw a return of the "Intersecs" to Eden Park, where our team competed in the B grade. Following an elimination afternoon on Thursday, we found we had at least one competitor in every event, on Saturday, April 4, and although we were not very successful as a team, individual performances were good. Congratulations go especially to A. Donaldson who, in outstanding performances, won four individual titles, and moreover, was the only athlete to do so at the championships.

#### Results.

Junior 100 Yards: A. Donaldson 1st (11.0 sec.).  
Junior 220 Yards: A. Donaldson 1st (25.0 sec.).

Junior Long Jump: A. Donaldson 1st (17 ft. 7¾ in.).

Junior 1 Kg Discus: A. Donaldson 1st (135 ft. 9 in.). D. Cattin 3rd.

Intermediate 120 Yards Hurdles: B. Milham 2nd.

Intermediate Shot: M. Shepherd 3rd.

#### The Team was:

Senior: T. Beaton, C. Clayton, K. Collins, J. Culverwell, K. Jones, J. Verbiesen, W. Jones, M. McVicker, T. Medcalf, M. Pook, M. Sinton.

Intermediate: B. Anderson, R. Compton, J. Cook, M. Donaldson, A. Kevey, B. Milham, T. Moorhead, S. Perkinson, M. Shepherd, T. Swallow, A. Vickers, B. Worden.

Junior: D. Cattin, J. Clayton, A. Donaldson, R. Donaldson, M. Eagle, J. Jolly, C. Marriot, M. Pugh.

#### GIRLS' INTER-SECONDARY ATHLETIC MEETING

The Auckland Inter-Secondary School Girls' Athletic Sports were held at Grey Lynn Park on Saturday, 11 April, 1964. It was a warm sunny day, but the ground was soft after recent rain. This year for the first time, teams were entered in all grades. With thirty-four schools taking part, competition was very keen but Rutherford was placed tenth in the Senior Grade and fifteenth in the Junior.

Only two representatives competed in the finals of their event, Marianne Sinclair in the Senior 220 yards and Margaret Wilson in the Junior 75 yards; both were unplaced. A pleasing feature was the hurdling of Linley Madsen. Linley turned on a good display to take third place in the fastest heat. Yvonne Willering also ran very well to be placed third in her heat.

The Junior and Intermediate teams put up good performances in the relays. Both were placed third in their heats but only the first two places qualified for the final.

The teams were:

Senior: Marianne Sinclair (captain), Jennifer Blakely, Sandra Murray, Wendy Sayer, Jennifer Wylie.

Intermediate: Vivienne Barbour, Pat Brosnan, Lynne Gemmell, Marie O'Leary (vice-captain), Fay Mitchell, Gaille Pauling, Ann Pike, Susan Whittle.

Junior: Robyn Kerr, Linley Madsen, Margaret Russell, Leone Stubbing, Yvonne Willering, Margaret Wilson.

#### INTER-SECONDARY SCHOOLS' STEEPLECHASE

With the ground sodden after weeks of rain, the St. Kentigern course did not favour our steeplechase teams. Although our teams were well down in the competition, it must be remembered that none of our boys is a member of a harrier club, while some of the participating teams were composed of harriers of no mean ability. Congratulations must go to D. Langston who took fourth place in the Senior B grade.



**Results:**

Senior: D. Langston (4th), K. Collins (32nd), M. Sinton (40th), A. Burney (62nd), G. Murdoch, A. Shekell. Team score: 138; 10th place.

Intermediate: D. Jones (19th), W. Sullivan (54th), N. Healey (56th), D. Pindur (57th), G. Stainton. Team score: 186; 12th place.

**ROAD RACE 1964**

The road race took place on September 23 in fine weather, but with such wet ground conditions that the final stretch was more than slightly slippery. In order to overcome the congestion at the recording table, the finishing line was transferred from the flagpole to the main playing field near the lower tennis courts. All courses are a little longer than last year's, but they should be now stabilised in length. Although no true comparison can be made with previous times, D. Langston's 22 min. 5 sec. over the senior course in fact better the time of 22 min. 3 sec. over the shorter course, set by M. Sinton in 1963. Owing to the misdirection of runners through Neil Avenue, the Intermediate section ran the Junior course so that there is no relationship at all with the 1963 times.

Since the Road Race was instituted in 1961, there has been increasing interest in the event and better running in the race itself, with each succeeding year. Less than 10% of the boys were physically unfit to start, while the majority of starters found the course well within their capabilities.

**Senior:**

D. Langston 1, Time, 22 min. 05 sec.; K. Collins 2, M. Sinton 3, M. Chappell 4, J. McDonald 5.

**Intermediate:**

W. Clarke 1, Time: 18 min. 9 sec., D. Pindur 2, D. Jones 3, N. Healey 4, F. Cooney 5.

**Junior:**

D. Taylor 1, Time, 19 min. 45 sec., R. Reid 2, M. Pugh 3, G. J. Stainton 4, K. Bradford 5.

**House Points:**

	Senior	Intermed.	Junior	Total
Batten	47	48	38	133
Lovelock	17	29	43	89
Wilding	22	44	39	105
Williams	28	29	30	87

**DARGAVILLE VISIT**

On the weekend of 7-9th August the school was host to Dargaville High for the annual exchange of visits.

While two hockey teams and a soccer team went to Dargaville from Rutherford, two basket-

ball teams and a rugby team came south and were billeted at pupils' homes.

The home A basketball team, against strong opposition, held a 20-20 draw after being in the lead at half-time, while the B team was defeated 10-9 by the visitors. The Rutherford First XV maintained its record of close victories over the boys from the north. The home team won 16-15 with Terry Moorhead scoring a try which was converted by Michael Chappell on the final whistle.

In the afternoon most of the members of the teams travelled to Eden Park to see Auckland play Australia. In the evening Dargaville were guests at a dance organised by a Queen Carnival Committee as part of the swimming baths campaign.

The visitors and host teams would like to express their thanks to the people who provided billets and also to Mrs Stratford for the excellent luncheon which she organised on the Saturday.

**RUGBY**

**FIRST XV**

Against top competition, this season's Rugby was a different story from last year's. The team paid the inevitable penalty for lack of weight, age, and experience, but earned full marks for intestinal fortitude, sportsmanship, and uniforms.

Played 16: Won 4, Drew 2, Lost 10.

Points: For 133, Against 295.

- v. Kelston H.S. 2nd XV:  
Won 29-0 in promising fashion.
- v. Kaipara Coll. 1st XV:  
Lost 18-29. A disappointing display against a team much inferior to last year's.
- v. Onehunga H.S.:  
Lost 16-9. An unconvincing display against mediocre opposition.
- v. Westlake H.S.:  
Lost 43-0. Held the opposition quite well in the first half, then got in the way of a deluge.
- v. St. Peters' Maori College:  
Won 9-6 convincingly against a 'flu stricken team.
- v. St. Paul's College:  
Lost 3-15 after a well-fought game.
- v. Northcote College:  
Lost 19-13. A disappointing loss from a seemingly unbeatable position.



**1st XV RUGBY 1965**

**Back Row:** K. Jones, C. Homer, J. McDonald, G. Murdoch, T. Moorhead, T. Swallow.  
**Middle Row:** S. Perkinson, J. Culverwell, M. Shepherd, Mr Berridge, R. Smith, G. Wood, I. Milne.  
**Front Row:** M. Chappell, B. Worden, T. Beaton (Vice-Capt.), M. McVicker (Capt.), R. Small, M. Sinton, J. Pugh.

- v. Papatoetoe H.S.:  
Lost 49-0. A comprehensive hiding, spread over 70 minutes.
- v. Selwyn College:  
Lost 9-0. Perhaps, despite the score, unfortunate not to force a draw.
- v. Avondale Coll.:  
Lost 31-11. Hard running and backing up by a good team.
- v. Rangitoto Coll.:  
Drew 0-0. Threw away a good chance of a win with an unenterprising display.
- v. Kelston H.S.:  
Lost 30-3. Despite the score, the team earned the Kelston coach's congratulations.
- v. Seddon Mem. T.C.:  
Drew 11-11. Perhaps unfortunate not to force a win against a massive pack - 43 stone front row!
- v. Pakuranga Coll.:  
Lost 6-0. An even game but threw away first half advantage.
- v. Dargaville H.S.:  
Won 16-15. A fortunate win against a better team on the day.
- v. Lynfield Coll.:  
A well-deserved win which included an excellent try from Lynfield's kick-off.  
The 1st XV owes sincere thanks to its coach, Mr Berridge, and friends for their encouragement and support. Those who supplied the transport made travelling so much easier. Our special thanks go to Shirlene Diver, Anne Butler, Maryann Brosnan, Carreen Jarza, Dianne L'Amie, and Penny Methven for the splendid way in which they coped with the afternoon teas for visiting teams. They thoroughly earned the approbation of visitors and home players and supporters.  
Team: M. McVicker (captain), T. Beaton (vice-captain), G. Murdoch, J. Culverwell, M. Chappell, G. Wood, I. Milne, T. Moorhead, J. Pugh, M. Sinton, I. McDonald, K. Jones, C. Homer, M. Shepherd, R. Small, R. Smith, T. Swallow, B. Worden, S. Perkinson.

## SECOND XV

The season was a very mixed one for the Second XV and the team had many changes in its composition because players often had to be supplied to fill gaps in the First XV. The team's thanks go to the coach, Mr Moorhead, and to those parents who provided transport.

Played 8 games, Won 3, Lost 4, Drew 1.

### Result:s

Team: D. Hunt (captain), K. Collins (vice-captain), R. Baxter, C. Clayton, R. Compton, J. Cook, P. Croft, J. Cullum, D. Honey, B. Lawrence, A. McEwan, B. Milham, G. Probert, G. Rose, J. Third.

## THIRD GRADE

This year one Third Grade was entered in the A Section of the competition when it was thought that the school would have two teams in this grade. When there were insufficient players for a second team, the team left found itself amongst top-class opposition. After a win 11-0 against visiting Kaipara College team at the start of the season, we did not taste victory again until our very last game; and in the meantime we had gone down to some resounding defeats. Towards the end of the season however, we were put down to the B Section. In four games the team played short but those who played performed above themselves and were never disgraced, fighting strongly until the final whistle.

Our thanks go to our coach, Mr Pryor, to Mr Nairn who assisted on Wednesday afternoon, and also to parents who provided transport.

### Results:

Played 10 games, won 1, lost 8, drew 1.

Points: For 38, Against 193.

Team: J. Hagan (captain), K. Borich (vice-captain), C. Barrie, D. Bernard, A. Burney, S. Chalcroft, A. Dorset, M. Earl, M. Ennis, R. Eyre, J. Hitch, A. Kevey, R. Manifold, C. Marriot, P. Matthews, S. McEwan, G. Moore, M. Nobilo, K. Pauling, I. Selak, R. Shadbolt, A. Shekell, B. Sinclair, G. Stainton.

## FOURTH GRADE

The School's Rugby team did well to hold many of the teams they played this year. All players worked hard but none harder than the captain, Brett Neilsen.

Although they won only two matches considerable team spirit developed and as a result they were able to field a full team for all games despite the small numbers in the grade.

Team: B. Neilsen (captain), B. Morris (vice-captain), P. Addis, C. Crighton, R. Delgrosso, G.

Eades, G. Fisher, G. Franks, R. Harris, P. Hunt, D. Langston G. McCarroll, H. McVicker, D. McVicker, G. Nathan, J. Nixon, W. Prisk, B. Strid, D. Wakefield, K. Worthington.

### Results:

Played 10 games, won 2, lost 8.

Points: For 68, against 111.

## FIFTH GRADE

This team commenced the season in the B Section of the competition with a draw but did not come off so well in most of the games that followed. The good kicking by the fullback, Ray Black, deserves a mention and two other prominent backs during the season were Greg Patrick and Robert Maurice who were both always ready to lead the attack.

The most improved player in the team was Jerry Marsh who with hard tackling and fast running brought the team through many desperate situations.

The team would like to express its thanks to the coach, Mr Herbert, for his coaching and encouragement.

Team: R. Maurice (captain), R. Black (vice-captain), J. Bell, C. Brownlees, D. Bruce, B. Harre, N. Jenken, S. Kerr, C. Leismann, J. Marsh, L. McGowan, J. Moase, N. Morris, R. Muller, B. Murdoch, J. Nixon, G. Patrick, M. Pugh, L. Reinhardt, B. Shaw.

## SIXTH GRADE

Although the 6B team finished with the best record of the school rugby teams (only two narrow defeats in ten games) more attention to the offside rule and more support for the man with the ball, could have brought championship honours. There are many promising players in the team. The forwards when at their best displayed determination, especially on defence, and the same team effort on attack would have yielded many more points. A competent set of backs had a good season but too often ran at half pace. The goal kicking of G. Stainton was an asset while Ian Parnell showed great improvement.

The teams was well captained by Lindsay Barr and ably coached by Mr Woods, to whom the team owes its thanks.

### Results:

Played 10 games, won 8, lost 2.

Points: For 104, against 37.

Team: L. Barr (captain), K. Phyn (vice-captain), B. Caughan, J. Harvey, N. Healey, G. Krissansen, R. Marriott, E. McNeil, I. Parnell, R. Pugh, D. Sinton, G. Smith, G. Stainton, A. Strid, N. Strom.



## SOCCER TEAM

Back Row: A. Simpson, M. Pook, Mr R. Warren (Coach), M. Donaldson, T. Shadbolt, P. Ockleford.  
Front Row: K. Farlow, A. Vickers, A. Medcalf (Vice-Capt.), W. Jones (Capt.), R. Macmillan, K. Williams, C. McTernan.

## SOCCER

The First Eleven experienced a disappointing season because of extremely bad weather, no fewer than six games being cancelled. When the team did play, we had little success, mainly owing to a shortage of players of senior age; our team being composed of five sixth formers, three fifth formers and five fourths, and matched against teams composed almost entirely of sixth formers.

Against Mt. Albert and Avondale College we lost by the odd goal, and the result could easily have gone the other way. After suffering a heavy defeat at the hands of Lynfield College, the team rallied well to defeat Mt. Roskill 3-2. The team deserves commendation for their attitude throughout the season, despite disappointment they kept trying and enjoyed their games.

The highlight of the season was undoubtedly the trip to Dargaville. This, the first trip away by a school soccer team, was thoroughly enjoyed by all who made the trip. The game was played

under atrocious conditions on a makeshift ground and resulted in a 1-all draw.

The thanks of the team go to the coach, Mr Warren, and those parents who helped out with transport and gave us their support on the sideline.

Team: W. Jones (captain), T. Medcalf (vice-captain), B. Cullinane, M. Donaldson, K. Farlow, R. MacMillan, C. McTernan, P. Ockleford, M. Pook, T. Shadbolt, A. Simpson, T. Vickers, K. Williams.

## INTERMEDIATE TEAM

The Intermediate Soccer Team played ten games in the Intermediate B competition. Of these 10 games eight were won, one lost, and one drawn. Helped by a runaway win over Seddon B, the team finished with 37 goals for and 12 goals against.

The team also played a visiting Kaipara Col-

lege team, and won 2—1.

The teams give thanks to Mr Needham who was in charge and to all parents who assisted with transport.

Team: J. Smart (captain), D. Carroll (vice-captain), G. Hughes, D. Cattin, G. Haslip, N. Rawlins, K. Lang, C. Flack, D. Pindur, B. Wiblin, W. Vincent, M. Higson, J. Chetwynd, P. Donaghue.

### JUNIOR TEAM

The Junior Soccer Team had an excellent season playing in the Auckland Secondary Schools B section.

We were successful in winning the championship by a wide margin. We would like to thank Mr Jolly for his help in supplying transport and for his useful advice; and also those parents who came along on Saturdays. Our special thanks go to our coach, Mr White.

#### Results:

Played 8 games — won 7, drew 1.

Goals: For 49, against 3.

Team: A. Donaldson (captain), D. Taylor (vice-captain), R. Bawden, G. Boyne, G. Brown, M. Curren, M. Gladwyn, A. Hillman, J. Jolly, M. Pindur, B. Reid, K. Richardson, J. Rollinson, B. Williams.

## BASKETBALL

Ten teams were entered for Saturday competitions and overall results were very good. Our A and B teams came third for the Janice Taylor Trophy, and the rest of the teams had more wins than losses.

Congratulations go to all Representative trialists and particularly to Marilyn Williams, Beverley Crisp, Yvonne Willering, Alma Taylor and Gay Hewetson, who made the grade.

We gratefully acknowledge the time, effort and encouragement coaches gave to their teams, and the pleasant and reliable service provided by our bus drivers Mr and Mrs Greenhalgh.

### SENIOR TEAM

#### A Team:

As a result of grading day, the A team were placed in the B grade — a rise of three grades from last year. The team's progress was most successful so that in mid-season they were promoted to A grade. This was a great achievement both for the team and their coach — a former New Zealand basketball representative, Mrs Mariu. The team made a very promising debut in this grade.

Results in B grade: Played 6 games, won 6.

Results in A grade: Played 4 games, won 2, lost 2.

Against visiting teams we had a win against Kaipara College and drew with a very solid and fit Dargaville High School team.

As a climax to what we consider a successful season, the A and B teams from Rutherford finished third out of all the Auckland schools on a goaling average. The goal shooting in the A team was superb and as a result of many hours of practice our goalies were consistently on top form throughout the season.

A special word of thanks must go to our coach, Mrs Mariu, who took her own time after school



### BASKETBALL A TEAM

Back Row: Marie O'Leary, Yvonne Willering, Heather Pook.  
Middle Row: Marianne Sinclair, Mrs Mariu, Doreen Ellice.  
Front Row: Marilyn Williams (Vice-Capt.), Colleen Hagan (Capt.), Mavis Cooney.

to train us up to A grade standard, and we could not have won most of our games without her hearty encouragement from the side-line. Our thanks also go to parents who provided transport and lent their transport to the team on Saturdays.

Team: Colleen Hagan (captain), Mavis Cooney, Doreen Ellice, Marie O'Leary, Heather Pook, Marianne Sinclair, Yvonne Willering, Marilyn Williams.

#### B Team

We started the season off by winning our first game 16—6 and our second game 38—2, one of Rutherford's biggest basketball scores.

Queen Victoria did not let us keep this up and eventually defeated us on two occasions.

#### Results:

Played 8 games, won 4, lost 4.

Throughout the season we played a number of visiting teams: Kaipara College we beat 15—14, and Seddon Memorial Technical College 16—6. Towards the end of the season Dargaville came down for their annual visit. The game was played in miserable, winter conditions and Dargaville defeated us 10—9.

Many thanks go to the teachers who made this visit possible, especially to Mrs Stratford who prepared the magnificent luncheon.

We owe many thanks also to Mrs Mariu for the time spent in coaching us.

Team: Kathryn Forster (captain), Vivienne Barbour, Kaye Holmes, Nancy Rapana, Rewa Shortland, Beverley Williams, Jennifer Wylie, Gail Yelavich.

#### C Team:

During the season the C team won all games except two. Yvonne Willering and Beverley Crisp were chosen as Representative Players for the F Grade Collegiate Section and also in the 5th Grade Business House Section. Marie Langdon passed her Junior Referee's theory examinations.

We would like to thank Mrs McSporrán for coaching and encouraging us with our play, especially on Saturdays.

Team: Marie Langdon (captain), Lesley Hay (vice-captain), Beverley Crisp, Sandra Hills, Beverley O'Shea, Gay Moors, Marilyn Stewart, Yvonne Willering.

#### D Team:

Our D team had a fairly successful season winning seven matches and losing four. Alma Taylor was chosen as a Representative Player for the H Grade Collegiate Section and the 6th Grade Business House Section. Alma also did very well in passing her Senior Referee's theory and practical exams and also the Provincial theory examination.

We would like to thank Mrs McSporrán for coaching us and "cheering" us along on Saturdays.

Team: Barbara Nixon (captain), Carol Marshall (vice-captain), Rayna Beaton, Sally Browne, Gail Hill, Raewyn Saunders, Alma Taylor, Lynette Wilson.

#### E Team:

The team played well together throughout the season losing only one game out of thirteen. During the season Joy Taylor obtained her Junior and Senior Referee's Badges. Our two goalies performed very well and on one occasion scored thirty-two goals to Papatoetoe's two.

The team members express their thanks to their coach, Mrs Stratford, for giving us her valuable time to coach and support them.

Team: Sandra Hill (captain), Kay Brawn (vice-captain), Deborah Bartlett, Nieske Blaauwbroeck, Elaine Brannigan, Jean Midgley, Joy Taylor.

#### F Team:

Although our team won seven games, and drew one and lost three during the season, many were very close contests indeed. The highlight of the season was when team member Gay Hewetson was chosen for the A.B.A. Representatives. Our coach was Mrs Stratford whom we thank for her time in coaching us.

Team: Raewyn Luckens (captain), Lois McConnochie (vice-captain), Sharon Harvey, Gay Hewetson, Susan Irvine, Sheryl James, Robyn Kerr, Leigh McGregor, Judith Simpson, Susan Strawbridge.

### THIRD FORM TEAMS

#### A Team:

This team managed to get into the "K" Grade as a result of our efforts on Grading Day, so we were competing against girls much bigger than our team — even against students from the Teachers' Colleges!

However, we had some very exciting games. Of our ten matches, we won five, and lost the others by narrow margins.

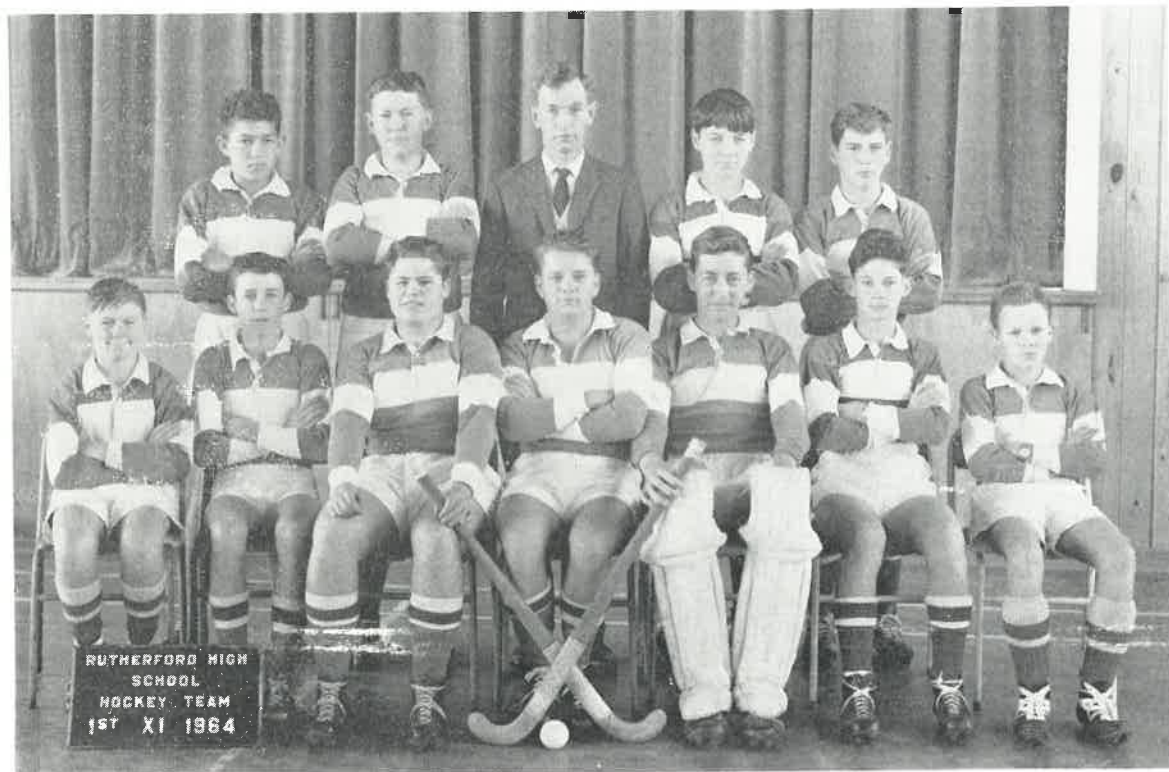
Selina Cuthers was successful in being chosen for the Representative trials.

Team: Heather Hendry (captain), Lyn Brownlee, Karen Beaton, Selina Cuthers, Gay Roiall, Yvonne Scown, Hendrika Verbiesen.

#### B Team:

Our 1964 season started off very brightly when we won our first seven matches with high scores. After losing the next game, we returned to form to win our final three matches. Susan White was chosen for the Representative trials.

The A and B teams would like to thank Miss Cotton for all the time she has given to coaching



**HOCKEY 1st XI**

**Back Row:** P. Shepherd, R. White, Mr A. S. Morton, D. Moody, P. Moore.  
**Front Row:** E. White, S. Milne, D. Garrett (Vice-Capt.), A. Ryan (Capt.), W. Crisp, C. Barnett, L. Sibley.

us and all the hard work she did towards improving our standard of play.

**Team:** Leone Stubbing (captain), Marilyn Booth, Merrill Davis, Avis Delgrosso, Karen Maulder, Lynette Rhodes, Susan White.

**C Team:**

The team had a very enjoyable season and although we played against older and more experienced players we won about half the games played.

**Team:** Jennifer Buchanan, Lynne Butler, Marina Comben, Carole Lawrence, Janette McGrail, Francis McGregor, Lynette O'Shea.

**D Team:**

The team had a good season winning most of the matches. Karen Hay and Alison Clark were selected for Representative trials, but although they played very well were not selected for teams.

The C and D teams would like to thank Miss Davis for her time given to coaching us.

**Team:** Alison Clark (captain), Janette Brawn, Rita Cumber, Jennifer Dorset, Maureen Grubb, Karen Hay, Devon Medcalf, Susan Thompson.

**HOCKEY**

This season the hockey team played in the north zone of the third B grade in the Inter-Secondary Schools' competition. A steady improvement in skill and teamwork has been noticed in this season's play, although we suffered from a shortage of players. Full credit for our successful season must go to Mr Morton, for his coaching, and to our captain, Alan Ryan, for his leadership. We have yet to get a field of our own. At the moment we practise on a temporary field with a ditch across the centre. The bad weather this season has been responsible for the cancellation of half our games.

On the weekend of August 8th, our team visited Dargaville High School along with the girls' hockey and the First XI soccer teams. In our game we were soundly beaten, 15-1 by their First Grade team but we were able to obtain much knowledge from their brilliant play — both in-



**GIRLS' HOCKEY TEAM**

**Back Row:** Elizabeth Hillman, Andrea Finlay, Robyn Battersby, Miss Southby (Coach), Susan Richardson, Janice Brailey, Margaret Russell.

**Front Row:** Thelma Flynn, Beryl Dodd, Janet Coates (Capt.), Lynette McCurdy, Leigh Miller.  
**Absent:** Leonara Phyn.

dividual and teamwork. After the game we enjoyed a short but profitable trip to the West Coast where quotas of toheroas were taken by most of the team.

**Results:**

Played 8 games, lost 4, won 3, drew 1.

**Team:** A. Ryan (captain), D. Garret (vice-captain), C. Barnett, W. Crisp, S. Milne, D. Moody, P. Moore, P. Shepherd, L. Sibley, E. White, R. White.

**GIRLS' HOCKEY**

This year's hockey season, unlike last year's, saw few victories for the girls' team. The lack of success can be partly attributed to the loss of some of the team's more experienced players, and partly to the team's promotion from the

Beginners' Grade to the more competitive Open C. During the course of the season, however, definite improvement was made as the new players gained experience and the team began to function as a team.

The trip to Dargaville provided the team with its best match. Despite the cold wind and the quagmire in the middle of the field, Rutherford managed to defeat the Dargaville Second XI in a very even, hard-fought match.

Our thanks are due to Miss Southby, our coach, and to Janet Coates, who has proved a very able captain.

**Team:** Janet Coates (captain), Robyn Battersby, Janice Brailey, Beryl Dodd, Andrea Finlay, Thelma Flynn, Elizabeth Hillman, Sylvia Jolly, Lynette McCurdy, Leigh Miller, Leonora Phyn, Susan Richardson, Margaret Russell.



1st CRICKET XI 1964

**Back Row:** G. Copestake, R. Compton, J. Hitch, N. Barbour, G. Stainton, Mr A. G. Moorhead (Coach).  
**Front Row:** K. Borich (Vice-Capt.), G. Murdoch, W. Jones, T. Moorhead (Capt.), I. Milne, A. Simpson, B. Morris

## CRICKET

### FIRST XI

As a result of last year's success, the First XI was promoted to Third Grade Competition which involves two-day matches. The results of the first term's play included an outright win, a tie and a loss on the first innings. This places the team in second position to Auckland Grammar and the results for the continuation of the season in the third term should prove interesting.

K. Borich and T. Moorhead were selected for a coaching squad directed by Ken Taylor (English Professional Coach).

The coach again this year was Mr Moorhead and the players' thanks go to him for his interest and support and also to the parents who provided transport.

#### Results:

R.H.S. v. Kelston H.S.: Won outright by R.H.S. by an innings and 114 runs.  
 R.H.S. v. Auckland Grammar School: R.H.S.

lost on 1st innings.  
 R.H.S. v. Mt. Albert Grammar School: Tie on 1st innings.

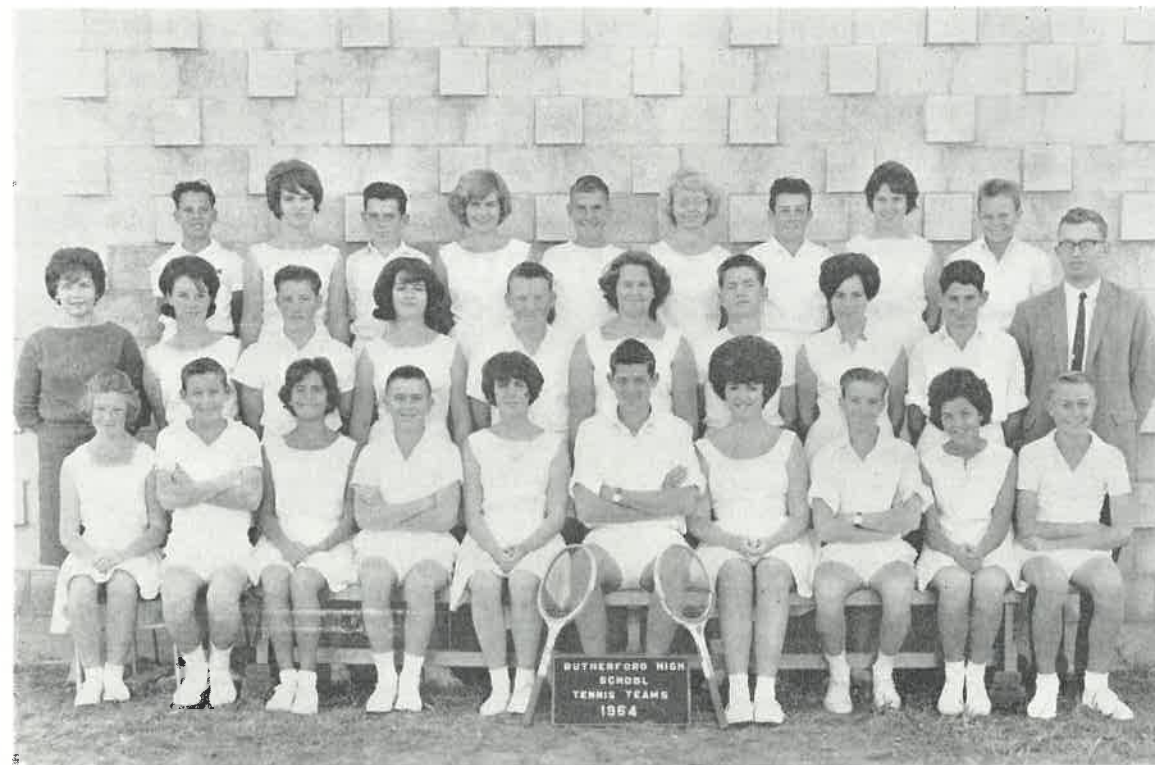
### SECOND XI

The team enjoyed some very exciting games in the first half of the season, with Chappell invariably being amongst the wickets and runs, well supported by Davis and Flack. Lack of practice wickets and opportunities severely hindered most players, but this could well be overcome on the excellent facilities the groundsman, Mr Smith, is preparing.

The thanks of the team go to the coach, Mr Berridge, and also those parents, players and friends who helped out with transport.

#### Results:

R.H.S. v. Avondale College: Lost outright.  
 R.H.S. v. Lynfield College: Won outright.  
 R.H.S. v. Seddon M.T.C.: Won by default.  
 R.H.S. v. Kelston High School: Lost outright.



TENNIS TEAM

**Back Row:** G. Krissansen, Anne Lever, S. Colliër, Sandra Hills, K. Farlow, Diane L'Amie, S. Milne, Kay Brawn, L. Sibley.  
**Second Row:** Mrs Stratford, Gay Moors, D. Bruce, Wendy Sayer, R. Lee, Diane Smith, D. Adcock, Jennifer Wylie, C. Brownlees, Mr Pryor.  
**Front Row:** Carol Lawrence, D. Pindur, Gail Yelavich, G. Patrick, Elaine Brannigan, R. Smith, Carol Sayer, N. Jenkin, Alison Clark, R. Black.

Team: L. Barr, C. Barrie, T. Barrie, J. Browne, W. Crisp, J. Davis, M. Earl, C. Flack, D. Garrett, P. Gill, P. Kuhn, J. Moase, D. Wakefield, R. Woodard.

### THIRD XI

This year was the first time that the school has had a third cricket team and up to the present we have had a fairly successful time.

Our thanks go to Mr Moorhead for coaching us in the first term, and Mr Nicholas, who took over in the third term, and also to parents who supervised on Saturdays.

#### Results:

Played 5 games, won 2 outright, won 1 on 1st innings, lost two.

Team: K. Phyn (captain), P. Addis, A. Ball, M. Barlow, H. Barr, J. Gartside, M. Hendry, R. Hendry, R. Iotua, R. Jessop, M. Jordan, N. Morris, I. Parnell, G. Stainton.

## TENNIS

### GIRLS' TEAMS

The first term saw a Senior and an Intermediate team entered in the Inter-Secondary Schools' Competition. The Intermediates played well to come through that term and the third term to date without being beaten. In the third term with our number of courts doubled to eight and more players able to be accommodated, a Junior team was entered in the competitions as well. By mistake this team was actually entered in the intermediate section but even so the team has won its games so far.

**Senior Team:** Ann Lever, Gaye Moors, Carol Sayer, Wendy Sayer, Diane Smith, Jennifer Wylie.

Results: Played 6 games, lost 6, won 1 by default.

**Intermediate team:** Deborah Bartlett, Kay

Brawn, Elaine Brannigan, Dianne L'Amie, Heather Pook, Rewa Shortland, Gail Yelavich.

Results: Played 8 games, won 8.

**Junior team:** Vivienne Barbour, Marilyn Booth, Alison Clark, Beverley Crisp, Merrill Davis, Kaye Holmes, Carol Lawrence.

Results: Played 2 games, won 2.

The teams would like to express their thanks to Mrs Stratford, Miss Cotton, and the parents who looked after them, and also to the parents who transported them around on Saturdays.

**BOYS' TEAMS**

This year we have had a Junior and an Intermediate boys' teams playing in the Inter-Secondary Schools' Competitions and both have been very successful, particularly the Junior. Next year we hope to have a Senior team as well and this will give us representation in all three sections for the first time since the school was founded. The teams would like to thank Mr Pryor and Mr Bradley for helping with their games, and also those parents who so willingly transported the teams when necessary.

**Intermediate team:** R. Baxter, R. Black, C. Brownlees, J. Chetwynd, K. Collins, K. Farlow, N. Jenkin, G. Krissansen, D. Pindur, R. Smith, K. Williams.

Results: Played 9 games, won 6, lost 3.

**Junior team:** D. Bruce, S. Collier, R. Lee, C. Leismann, J. Marsh, S. Milne, G. Patrick, R. Probert, L. Sibley.

Results: Played 9 games, won 9.

**ROWING**

Through the efforts of Mr Reid, the sport of rowing has been introduced to the school. A clinker four shell has been donated to the school by the University Rowing Club, and we are indebted to Mr K. Jellie, President and Mr D. Croat, Chairman, for their efforts on our behalf.

A pupil committee has been formed consisting of seven members, and plans have been made for a launching ramp and a suitable shelter for the shell. The location of the School next to the Henderson Creek will give us an ideal place for rowing.

Keen interest has been shown in the new sport, and it is hoped that the club will form, in the future, a link between present and past pupils.

**RHYTHMIC DANCING**

The school participated in the Auckland Secondary Schools' Rhythmic Dancing and Gymnastic Competitions, and this year we fared quite well.

Despite the fact that we left our practising to the last minute, we finished 7th in the Voluntary Dance out of 22 schools.

We were sorry Janet Coates was not with us — she had gone down with the measles. Leigh McGregor proved to be a very able stand-in.

We are proud of our junior gymnastic team, which performed very well, finishing 9th out of 15 schools.

The senior team had to bring Sylvia Jolly in only three days before the competition as a last-minute replacement, and her hard work deserves credit.

Our thanks go to Mrs Mariu particularly and also to Miss Spence. We thank also the patient parents who provided transport.

Members of the dance team were: Marianne Sinclair, Anne Butler, Fiona Tackaberry, Shirlene Diver, Maryann Brosnan, Patricia Brosnan, Barbara Nixon, Janet Coates, Susan Morris, Leigh McGregor.

Senior Gymnastic Team: Marianne Sinclair, Patricia Brosnan, Sylvia Jolly, Faye Rose.

Junior Gymnastic Team: Beverley O'Shea, Yvonne Fournier, Judith Simpson, Marion Cox.

**INTER-HOUSE COMPETITION POINTS**

	Basketball	Rugby	Swimming	Athletics	Road Race	Softball	Total
BATTEN	24	18	6	24	24	6	102
LOVELOCK	12	6	12	12	12	12	66
WILDING	18	12	18	6	18	18	90
WILLIAMS	6	24	24	18	6	24	102

**HOUSE LEADERS**

<b>Batten:</b> C. Clayton Anne Butler	<b>Lovlock:</b> T. Medcalf Janet Coates	<b>Williams:</b> J. Pugh Marie-Louise Kruyff	<b>Wilding:</b> M. McVicker Carreen Jarza
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WILLIAMS and BATTEN tied for first place for the Hobsonville Trophy.

**SCHOOL ROLL**

(Names marked \* are of pupils who left during the year)

**FORM 6B1**

Form Teacher: Mrs Sharplin

- Collins, K. F.
- Compton, R.
- Copestake, G. J.
- Culverwell, J. A.
- Langdale-Hunt, D. M.
- Macmillan, R. A.
- Maurice, P. J.
- Perkinson, S. W.
- Pugh, J. R.
- Russell, B. C.
- Shadbolt, T. S.
- Yates, G. R.
- Brosnan, Maryann
- Brown, Robin
- Diver, Shirlene
- Hewetson, Gay
- Irvine, Susan
- Jacobi, Susan
- Jarza, Carreen
- L'Amie, Dianne
- McGregor, Leigh
- Methven, Penelope
- Richardson, Susan
- Williams, Marilyn

**FORM 6B2**

Form Teacher: Miss Cotton

- Baxter, R. D.
- Beaton, T. E.
- Burney, A. R.
- Garrett, D. K.
- Glowacki, M. A.
- \*Clasby, P. J.
- \*Hitch, J. G.
- Homer, C. J.
- Lawrence, B. S.
- McVicker, M. J.
- Medcalf, T. W.
- Murdoch, G. J.
- Ockleford, P. J.
- Pook, M. R.
- Strid, B. D.
- \*Thackwray, P.
- Williamson, A. G.
- Butler, Anne
- Coates, Janet
- Hills, Sandra
- Kruyff, Marie-Louise
- Marshall, Carol
- Nixon, Barbara
- Sinclair, Marianne

**FORM 5A**

Form Teacher: Mr White

- Barrie, C. R.
- Barrie, T. A.
- Chalcroft, S. C.
- Croft, P. J.
- Donaldson, M. G.
- Gill, P. N.
- Hagan, M. J.
- Johnston, P. W.
- Mathews, A. D.
- Milham, B. T.
- Moorhead, T. J.
- Neilsen, B. L.
- Rawlings, N. S.
- Robertson, A. B.
- White, R. M.
- Brosnan, Patricia
- Dodd, Beryl
- Forster, Kathryn
- Homer, Margaret
- Macmillan, Helen
- Mitchell, Fay
- \*Mitchell, Penny
- Moors, Gaye
- Nicholls, Lynette
- Osborne, Meralyn
- Parlane, Christine
- Pleasance, Diane
- Prior, Brenda
- \*Rounthwaite, Jillian
- Sawyer, Heather
- Sinton, Brenda
- Wayper, Mary
- Wilson, Judy

**FORM 5B**

Form Teacher: Miss Spence

- Brownlees, C. J.
- Dawson, I. T.
- Delgrosso, R. F.
- Earl, T. H.
- McEwen, R. E.
- Milne, S. W.
- Moase, J. C.
- Nobilo, M.
- Paton, T. H.
- Stainton, M. G.
- Ujdur, M. D.
- Vickers, A. N.
- Wiblin, B. M.
- Ainsworth, Pamela
- Ellice, Doreen
- Finlay, Andrea
- Flynn, Thelma
- Garrett, Jennifer
- Griffin, Mary
- Harold, Cheryl
- Haslam, Sylvia
- Lewis, Catherine
- Morris, Susan
- Murray, Sandra
- Payne, Judith
- Pott, Margo
- Sayer, Carol
- Sayer, Wendy
- Smith, Helen
- Stewart, Marilyn
- Whittle, Susan
- Wilkinson, Cherie
- Wylie, Jennifer

**FORM 5C**

Form Teacher: Mrs Souter

- \*Adcock, D.
- Byrd, I. T.
- Crisp, W. B.
- Donaghue, P. T.
- Earl, C. M.
- Hughes, G. T.
- Jones, D. I.
- Jones, R. K.
- King, E. R.
- Langdale-Hunt, P. R.
- Langston, D. H.
- MacVicar, H.
- Merson, D. A.
- Morris, B.
- Pilkington, D. I.
- Sharpe, G. P.
- Small, R. W.
- Sullivan, W. E.
- Wood, G. J.
- Austin, Mary
- Battersby, Robyn
- Berridge, Diane
- Blakely, Jennifer
- \*Durrant, Heather
- Dwyer, Christine
- Fleming, Myfanwy
- Leggatt, Josephine
- Lever, Ann
- Smith, Dianne
- Stevenson, Jillian
- Taylor, Janice

**FORM 5D**

Form Teacher: Mr Reid

- Bernard, D. J.
- Borich, K. N.
- Bridge, P. A.
- Browne, J. G.
- Cook, J.
- \*Danks, T. W.
- Davis, J. A.
- Higson, M. K.
- Hohenberger, D. J.
- Hunt, K. G.
- Kuhn, P. J. C.
- Milne, I. D.
- Moore, G. R.
- Schuler, C. W.
- Sinclair, B. M.
- Smith, R. K.
- Strid, A. C.
- Vellenoweth, R. G.
- Verbiesen, J. C.
- Wakefield, D. J. M.
- Wiseman, R. J.
- Worthington, K. A.

## FORM 5E

Form Teacher: Mr Nicholas

Anderson, B.  
 Andrews, G.  
 Cullum, J.  
 Dorset, A. G.  
 Farlow, T. S.  
 Kevey, A.  
 Quick, W. A.  
 Ryan, A.  
 Shepherd, M.  
 Shekell, A.

Abbott, Louise  
 Brawn, Kay

Collins, Marie  
 Drinnan, Janet  
 Jolly, Sylvia  
 Kelsall, Denise  
 Langdon, Marie  
 Luckens, Raewyn  
 Mitchell, Susan  
 Papps, Donna  
 Phyn, Leonora  
 Sheldon, Patricia  
 Short, Jennifer  
 Wilson, Lynnette

## FORM 5F

Form Teacher: Miss Blyth

Barbour, N. S.  
 Chappell, M. D.  
 Clayton, C. S.  
 Cox, J. L.  
 \*Davis, R. S.  
 \*Gregory, R.  
 Jones, R. J.  
 Jones, W. O.  
 McDonald, J. R.

McEwan, A. J.  
 Sinton, M. P.  
 Willering, R. P.

Cooney, Mavis  
 D'Anvers, Beverley  
 Hagan, Colleen  
 \*Hill, Elaine  
 Taylor, Alma

## FORM 5R

Form Teacher: Mrs McSparran

Beare, R. N.  
 Brogden, W. K.  
 \*Carroll, D.  
 Freestone, C.  
 Honey, D. C.  
 Jones, M. D.  
 Lang, K. M.  
 Manifold, R. P.  
 Maurice, R. L.  
 \*Maurice, S.  
 \*McArthur, A.  
 Muir, L. J.

Robinson, D.  
 \*Strid, C.  
 \*Van Sitter, H.  
 Woodard, R. W.

\*Bridge, Judith  
 \*Daines, Karen  
 \*King, Louise  
 O'Leary, Marie  
 Straker, Sandra  
 Teohaere, Alma

## FORM 3A

Form Teacher: Miss Pratt

Harrington, C. J.  
 Hillman, A.  
 Marriott, R. A.  
 Moody, D. R.  
 Parnell, I. M.  
 Redfern, F. N.

Saunders, J. R.

Avery, Ngaire  
 Comben, Marina  
 Cottle, Christine  
 Faed, Dorothy

## FORM 4A

Form Teacher: Miss Pratt

Hunt, A. N.  
 McCarthy, J. M.  
 McInnes, A. D.  
 Reiher, M. J.  
 Strom, N. D.

Wood, P. W.

Barker, Deborah  
 Lewis, Cheryl  
 Mason, Suzanne  
 Saunders, Raewyn

## FORM 4L

Form Teacher: Mr Pryor

Cattin, D. P.  
 Duncan, I.  
 \*Dunn, G. D.  
 Hanlen, L. V.  
 Johnston, P. A.  
 Rientsma, R. J.  
 Robson, R. W.

Walsh, R. I.

Blaauwbroek, Nieske  
 Browne, Sally  
 Chappell, Christine  
 De Forest, Cheryl  
 \*Follington, Jane  
 James, Sheryl

FORM 4S<sub>1</sub>

Form Teacher: Mrs McKay

Barr, L. A.  
 Benson, A. E.  
 Bruce, D. E.  
 Chetwynd, J. R.  
 Collier, S. J.  
 Curren, M. P.  
 Drupsteen, O. J.  
 Eagle, M. K.  
 Ennis, M. J.  
 Frey, W. H.  
 Fisher, G. T.  
 Harvey, A. P.  
 Haslip, G. D.  
 Haydock, C. J.  
 Hendry, R. H.  
 Moore, P. J.  
 \*Mortensen, T. L.  
 Nixon, J. P.  
 Parr, C. J.

Patrick, G. H.  
 Phyn, K. W.  
 Smart, J. G.  
 Wilson, T. J.  
 Wrennall, L. W.

Barbour, Vivienne  
 Bartlett, Deborah  
 Barton, Gillian  
 Brailey, Janice  
 Gill, Marian  
 Hillman, Elizabeth  
 Hubbard, Ann  
 Lockyer, Ann  
 McCurdy, Lynnette  
 McEwen, Jennifer  
 Pook, Heather  
 Williams, Beverley  
 Wilson, Margaret

FORM 4S<sub>2</sub>

Form Teacher: Mr Nairn

Affleck, M.  
 Clayton, J.  
 Dickinson, P.  
 Farlow, K.  
 Harre, B.  
 Keen, R.  
 Kerr, S.  
 Lee, R.  
 Mayo, D.  
 McGowan, L. T.  
 Morris, N.  
 \*Newlove, A.  
 Petrie, R.  
 Pindur, D.  
 \*Robertson, S.  
 Romaine, A.  
 Ross, M.  
 Sibley, L.  
 Swallow, T.

Taylor, D. H.  
 Trim, G.  
 Weigel, D.  
 Wilson, B.  
 Yates, R.  
 Brannigan, Elaine  
 Harvey, Sharon  
 \*Hopkinson, Linda  
 \*Jacobi, Rosalind  
 Laird, Linda  
 Morgon, Stephanie  
 Perkins, Joanne  
 Simpson, Judith  
 Tackaberry, Fiona  
 Taylor, Joy  
 Wilkins, Lesley  
 Triggs, Jane  
 Willering, Yvonne  
 Yelavich, Gail

FORM 4S<sub>3</sub>

Form Teacher: Miss Rushbrook

Addis, P. J.  
 Banks, G. C.  
 Bell, J. A.  
 Black, R.  
 Donaldson, R. G.  
 Flack, C. M.  
 Jenkins, R. D.  
 Marriot, C.  
 McIntosh, P. J.  
 McTernan, C. M.  
 Nash, W. J.  
 Piercy, J.  
 Reinhardt, L. D.  
 \*Robertson, W. R.  
 \*Simpson, A. G.  
 Smith, R. W.

Taylor, L. W.  
 Todd, P. R.  
 Vincent, W. W.  
 Walsh, L. R.  
 Williams, K. A.  
 Worden, B. M.

Bradley, Julie  
 Foulds, Suzanne  
 Head, Christina  
 Holmes, Kaye  
 Kerr, Robyn  
 \*Meek, Noelene  
 Pauling, Gaille  
 Pike, Ann  
 Tate, Jill

FORM 4C<sub>1</sub>

Form Teacher: Miss Davis

Armstrong, Gillian  
 Baler, Christina  
 Beaton, Rayna  
 Boyle, Dianne  
 Dark, Christine  
 \*Gemmell, Lynne  
 Hall, Jocelyn  
 Hay, Lesley

McConnochie, Lois  
 O'Shea, Beverley  
 Over, Janette  
 Packer, Christine  
 Peddieson, Jennifer  
 Rae, Yvonne  
 Robertson, Shirley  
 Rose, Faye  
 Rosenberg, Julie  
 Scown, Cheryl  
 Strawbridge, Susan  
 Turley, Roberta

Hohenberger, Ruth  
 Jonkers, Lynette  
 Kennedy, Christine  
 Konik, Jennifer

FORM 4C<sub>2</sub>

Form Teacher: Mr Burnell

\*Abbott, Patricia  
 Blyth, Kenda  
 \*Cole, Christine  
 Craig, Althea  
 Crisp, Beverley  
 Cullen, Wendy  
 Davis, Carolyn  
 Fournier, Yvonne  
 Harvey, Donna  
 Hilford, Brenda  
 Hill, Gail  
 Iotua, Tina

Mr Burnell  
 Manning, Althea  
 Midgley, Jean  
 Osborne, Jennifer  
 Pook, Raewyn  
 Priestley, Raewyn  
 \*Redfern, Judith  
 \*Robertson, Janice  
 \*Robertson, Margaret  
 Russell, Margaret  
 Taylor, Jean  
 Winslow, Lee

FORM 4T<sub>1</sub>

Form Teacher: Mr Gale

Ayers, J. W.  
 Cooney, F. D.  
 Crane, L. M.  
 Crighton, C. W.  
 Eades, G. A.  
 Hawkins, K. D.  
 Hill, D. K.  
 Howard, R.  
 Jenkin, N. V.  
 Krissansen, G. L.  
 McClellan, G.

Moore, B. R.  
 Nathan, G. K.  
 Over, B. D.  
 \*Paxton, A.  
 Probert, G. S.  
 Rose, G. T.  
 Selak, I. P.  
 Smith, M. W.  
 Van Sitter, J.  
 Williams, R. E.  
 Wrightson, C. J.

FORM 4T<sub>2</sub>

Form Teacher: Mr Bendall

Baker, L.  
 Blakely, G.  
 \*Burrows, D.  
 Cowlshaw, G.  
 Dorricot, D.  
 Dye, G.  
 Edwards, R.  
 Eyre, R.  
 \*Hart, P.  
 Healey, N.  
 Hewer, C.  
 Horsley, P.  
 Hutton, M.

\*Marsh, J.  
 \*McManus, R.  
 Nixon, N.  
 Payne, M.  
 Prisk, J.  
 \*Reid, B.  
 Saunders, L.  
 \*Smith, D.  
 \*Te Akaaranga, T.  
 Wass, D.  
 Wright, K.  
 Wright, M.

## FORM 4D

Form Teacher: Mr Moorhead

\*Abbott, G.  
 Barnett, C. R.  
 Clarke, W. F.  
 Cox, D. E.  
 Cullinane, B.  
 \*Fenton, R.  
 \*Learnmouth, J.  
 Mayne, D.  
 Pauling, K. P.  
 \*Smith, F.  
 Hart, Gillian

Leef, Alicia  
 \*Lyford, Lesieigh  
 \*McKenzie, Marilyn  
 Rapana, Nancy  
 Scholz, Jennifer  
 Teohaere, Lucy  
 \*Webster, Judith  
 Shortland, Rewa  
 \*Stevenson, Ingrid  
 \*Wilson, Frances

**FORM 3S<sub>1</sub>**

Form Teacher: Mr Holman

Ball, P. A.  
 Bloomfield, R. A.  
 Dickinson, M. B.  
 Dutch, E. F.  
 \*Ennor, J.  
 Jessop, R. G.  
 \*Johnson, F.  
 \*Jordan, M. R.  
 Lewis, J. R.  
 McNeil, E. A.  
 Muller, R. E.  
 Murdoch, B. W.  
 Richardson, K.  
 Sinton, D.  
 Swift, R.

Vincent, J. B.  
 Andrews, Gwenda  
 Brownlees, Lynne  
 Butler, Alison  
 Clark, Colette  
 DeForest, Susan  
 Gilbert, Janice  
 Hayter, Heather  
 Hendry, Lee  
 Keegan, Leigh  
 Miller, Linda  
 Nielsen, Lynette  
 Rhodes, Carol  
 \*Snelgrove

**FORM 3S<sub>2</sub>**

Form Teacher: Mr Bradley

Bawden, R. P.  
 Benson, G. S.  
 Bradley, D. I.  
 Charlton, K. J. H.  
 Donaldson, A. M.  
 Gladwin, M. L.  
 Harvey, G. I.  
 McEwan, S. A.  
 Mold, C. A.  
 Moorhead, D. A.  
 Probert, R. W.  
 Robertson, R. W.  
 Robertson, J. D.  
 Sands, A. C.  
 Smith, P. R.

Young, S. C.  
 Ainsworth, Pauline  
 Allely, Karen  
 Brawn, Jannette  
 Buchanan, Jennifer  
 Cox, Marion  
 Cumber, Rita  
 Davis, Merrill  
 Dorset, Jennifer  
 Grubb, Maureen  
 Osborne, Sandra  
 Verbiesen, Henny  
 Wakefield, Betty  
 Wood, Elisabeth

**FORM 3S<sub>3</sub>**

Form Teacher: Miss Southby

Boskett, M. G.  
 Clarke, G. J.  
 Hahn, G. J.  
 Hayward, C. J.  
 Hwer, M. J.  
 Iotua, R.  
 Langston, S. F.  
 Leitch, G. E.  
 \*Little, V.  
 McKenzie, C. D.  
 McVicker, D. M.  
 Morley, P. S.  
 Pringle, J. L.  
 Pugh, M. E.  
 Pugh, R. A.

Reeves, J. N.  
 Stainton, G. J.  
 Thomson, A. N.  
 \*Williams, G.  
 \*Abbott, Elaine  
 Hay, Karen  
 Hoksbergen, Jeanne  
 \*Keane, Irene  
 Manifold, Annette  
 Mitchell, Suzanne  
 Nikolic, Violet  
 Rutledge, Helen  
 Taylor, Marlene Penny  
 Ujdur, Dragica

**FORM 3C<sub>1</sub>**

Form Teacher: Mrs D. Miller

Alexander, Verna  
 Beaton, Karen  
 Brown, Ngaire  
 Brunton, Colleen  
 Campbell, Kathleen  
 Chapman, Yvonne  
 Coles, Lauree  
 Delgrosso, Avis  
 Goodwin, Lynette  
 Hayes, Valarie  
 Hewetson, Robyn  
 Hughes, Avril  
 Kilgour, Dianne  
 Lawrence, Carole  
 McCarthy, Gaylene  
 McGrail, Janette  
 McGregor, Frances  
 Madsen, Linley

Maulder, Karen  
 Medcalf, Devon  
 Moore, Julie  
 Murphy, Elizabeth  
 Papps, Colleen  
 Pollard, Linda  
 Prior, Christine  
 Scown, Yvonne  
 Stubbing, Leone  
 Taylor, Judith  
 Thackwray, Leonie  
 Thompson, Susan  
 Warman, Dianne  
 White, Susan  
 Whittle, Christine  
 Williams, Suzanne  
 Wilson, Jill

**Form 3C<sub>2</sub>**

Form Teacher: Mrs Stratford

\*Adcock, Patricia  
 Barry, Linda  
 Booth, Marilyn  
 \*Cleaver, Donna  
 Dobbs, Christine  
 Eyre, Beverley  
 Follington, Judy  
 Griffin, Grace  
 Hampson, Phyllis  
 Howard, Lorraine  
 Jones, Jennifer  
 Kevey, Heather  
 McCullough, Patricia  
 McLean, Margaret  
 McManus, Lucy  
 Monteith, Diane  
 Muir, Leigh  
 Nathan, Lynne

\*Nasmith, Sandra  
 Newlove, Mary  
 Payne, Anthea  
 Peden, Susan  
 Perry, Sharyn  
 Porter, Dawn  
 Roberts, Dianne  
 Robertson, Desnae  
 Robertson, Jillian  
 Roiall, Gay  
 Scott, Dianne  
 Schwenke, Lillian  
 Shields, Joan  
 Sinkinson, Anne  
 Smith, Marlene  
 Tetlow, Joyce  
 Wood, Lynn

**FORM 3T<sub>1</sub>**

Form Teacher: Mr Warren

Barlow, M. R.  
 Bird, W. S.  
 Boyne, G. L.  
 Bradford, K. R.  
 Cater, R. A.  
 Davis, R. D.  
 Franks, G. K.  
 Gaughan, B. J.  
 Harold, D. P.  
 Hendry, M. D.  
 Laurie, M. F.  
 Meek, G. W.

Pama, T.  
 Pindur, M. J.  
 Portman, L. B.  
 Reiher, G. S.  
 Rollinson, J. I.  
 Rutledge, J. P.  
 Shadbolt, R. G.  
 White, E. J. H.  
 Wallis, S. J.  
 Williams, B. K.  
 Wright, J. G.

**FORM 3T<sub>2</sub>**

Form Teacher: Mr Needham

Brown, G. L.  
 Cole, J. A.  
 Fissenden, D. J.  
 \*Franks, P.  
 Goffin, R.  
 Harris, R. H.  
 Harvey, J.  
 Jolley, J. W.  
 \*Mathews, P.  
 Neil, S. P.  
 Packer, T. J.

Pirini, G. R.  
 Poole, D. J.  
 Shaw, B. A.  
 Scott, J. R.  
 Smith, G. D.  
 \*Sculpher, M.  
 Shepherd, P. W.  
 Te Tai, J. T.  
 Third, J.  
 Winchester, A. L.  
 York, A. W.

**FORM 3D**

Form Teacher: Mr Herbert

Bloomfield, D. J.  
 Butcher, D. J.  
 Clark, J. P.  
 Collins, C. D.  
 Cross, A. H.  
 England, L. B.  
 Ennis, J. L.  
 Gartside, J. S.  
 Green, R. W.

Longville, J. A.  
 McIntosh, R. W.  
 Munro, P. J.  
 Pirini, W. B.  
 Roberts, N. I.  
 Trengrove, P. J.  
 Waller, B.  
 Williams, C.  
 Veltmeyer, A. C.

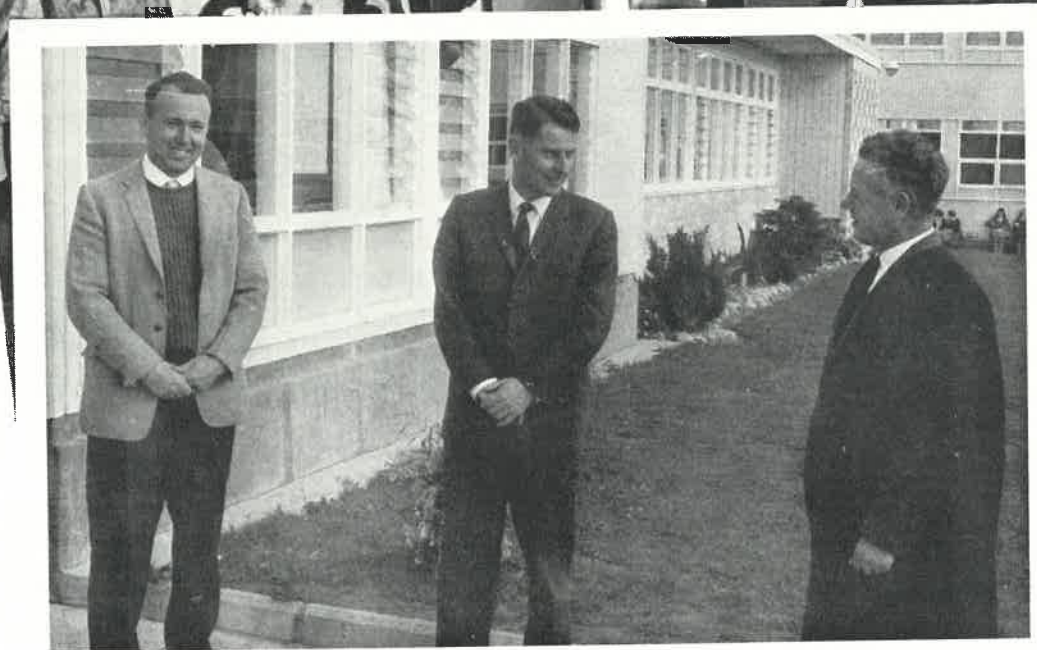
**FORM 3E**

Form Teacher: Mrs Mariu

Ayers, Violet  
 Cathcart, June  
 Colman, Margaret  
 Cook, Christine  
 Cuthers, Selina  
 Duke, Gayle  
 Dunatov, Lubica  
 Joyce, Kohine  
 Kay, Arapera  
 Lockwood, Mary  
 Mackenzie, Carl  
 McKee, Lynette

McLeod, Glenys  
 Munro, Beverley  
 Niha, Tiri  
 O'Shea, Lynette  
 Robinson, Denise  
 Romaine, Anita  
 Rowan, Gillian  
 Strid, Jill  
 Turner, Ruby  
 Upson, Daphne  
 Wolland, Patricia





Top left: A. Donaldson throwing the record discus. Top right: S. Perkinson making the record shot put.  
Centre left: Judy Wilson, the winning Queen, just after her crowning by Mrs D. M. Robinson.  
Centre Right: P. Maurice with Gilles Orgas from Tahiti.  
Bottom: Mr Clark and Mr Woods meet Mr L. Adams, Dominion President of PPTA, and Principal of Glendowie College.

