

Kotuku 2001

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

The Millennium pursuit for Rutherford of Raising Achievement Standards was astonishingly well realised when the results were analysed at the outset of 2001. Students were well taught, they learned well - they responded to the challenge to get basic literacy and numeracy at the heart of their efforts.

2001 has been a year of consolidation and, in a way, anticipation of the planned changes - improvements in the teaching and learning environment. We now have an ICT aim to move this crucial area along. Our involvement in the Digital ICT project for Waitakere City and the generosity of the Waitakere Licensing Trust have boosted this thrust.



The highly successful 40th Reunion in February set us off on a very positive note. The huge crowd of past students bore testimony to their recognition of what the school means to them. It was obvious that students have taken their places in all the range of callings in society - and some amongst the very top echelon of achievers. The buzz of conversation, exclamation and affection was remarkable.

For me as the current guardian and trustee of the school it was wonderful to be able to point to achievements of the last decade and especially of the precious current crop of students and reassure the "exies" that the breadth and excellence of achievement continues to this day.

The Rutherford roll now fills the permanent buildings. We had looked forward to the trigger of roll growth to be the catalyst for new buildings especially in the Technology area. Alas this seems now not a possibility since new policy is to zone Rutherford once again. However, given an innovative staff and keen students, who says "bigger is better" - "better is better" surely. Plans for 2002 for curriculum delivery are innovative and exciting in addition to the demands of changing the assessment system.

The newly elected Board is very enthusiastic and quite determined to make clear to the student body their commitment to wise and innovative governance.

The events of September 11th are writ large in all our recollections of 2001. It is really interesting to see the positive reaction of the human spirit to suffering and tragedy. On the one hand the concrete and steel crumbled and the important documents became worthless paper. On the other, people reached out their money, their hand and their faith across the old boundaries of race, class and religion - quite inspiring in that we, the family of man, turn to each other again and find fresh ways to acknowledge the bonds of horror, the face of inhumanity and the will to rise above it to build again.

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Head Boy

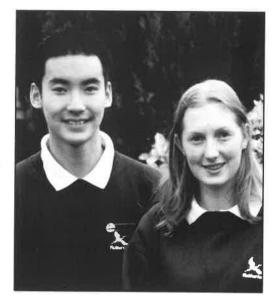
Life as Head Boy is very satisfying. I have gained many skills which no doubt will benefit me in my future. Throughout the year you receive praise, looks of respect and a gauge of authority; but the effort contributed to organize events and time spent with meetings all add up. Remember there are only 148 hours a week. As a team, the school leaders organised the Year 9 BBQ, Mufti Days, School Ball and so on.

On reflection, a highlight of my Head Boy role must be the

invitations I received to attend lunches and dinners where they served free buffet. I Love food!!!

My most embarrassing moment was... that would just be telling, it's just not for anybody's ears.

I would like to congratulate the 2002 Head Boy and Girl and wish them good luck.



Head Girl

This role has given me a great chance to meet other head students through the Rotary and AUT meetings. I have appreciated getting to know people at Rutherford and this aspect of my role has been a bonus.

Highlights of the year included the Ball – where everybody looked fabulous; the reunion was an exciting weekend, which I was proud to be part of and the third form barbecue was a success despite the rain. I feel my greatest accomplishment during the year

was establishing the ball dress sale. This was rewarding and stressful but an event I hope will continue. Thanks to my friends and staff who have supported and encouraged me in my duties, I am extremely grateful to have been given this opportunity.

Student leaders

Adrian Soh Mereana Edwards Tabitha Meharg Vincent Suifua



Board of Trustees -

STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE

I liked being a Student Trustee as I could express students' views in my own personal and sincere way. There are a lot of things I had to learn, like the Board formalities and how to do my job but it is now of second nature. In comparison with the start of the year, I have gained better communication and social skills and now confront issues with greater common sense.

My most enjoyable moments would be at the Auckland Student Trustee training days where you meet other people in your shoes who are learning how to be effective Student Trustees.

Board meetings that finish close to midnight are not the envy of others. However, the experiences of being a Student Trustee gives one invaluable skills.

Adrian Soh

Peer Support

Rutherford College students know how to look after each other. Its peer support programme is in its sixth year and aims to build friendships between the oldest and youngest pupils at the College as well as introducing Year 9 students to each other. Activities include small group challenges, orientation and familiarisation with the school. The Rotary-funded initiative develops self-confidence and enables new students to feel comfortable in a large school environment.







Youth Council

This year Waitakere Secondary Schools Youth Council played an active role in supporting various events in the community. Consisting of two representatives from every secondary school in Waitakere, we meet once a month to share information of upcoming events in our schools and to provide a student and youth perspective on issues concerning Waitakere City such as Health-link and the Annual Plan. We also correspond with other youth councils in the Auckland Region and New Zealand and send representatives to national youth conferences. This year we have promoted various community youth events such as concerts by Tadpole and Rubicon, sports events etc. We also helped out at the popular annual Story Fest and the Teen West festival, which celebrated the national launch of Youth Week. Although the weather caused

complications, the day was still successful in showcasing local secondary school talent, with a big turnout from across the community. There has been interest in youth council again this year and we put in our submission into the council's annual plan concerning the establishment of a safe, youth friendly venue that provides facilities for sports, performing arts and general entertainment as well as information on youth issues and careers. We have worked closely with the Minister of Youth Affairs, Laila Harre, the Community arts programme and events such as Green to go, Creative Cities and Trash to Fashion. All in all, it has been a productive year in Youth Council and although it will be sad to see many councillors go, a new wave of members next year will surely be the start of another successful year of youth council.

SPECIAL AWARDS

TE ATATU LION'S CLUB AWARD

for Service to the Community: Adamarie ROUDON

WAITAKERE CITY COUNCIL AWARD

for Service to the Community: Gabrielle LUONG

Tabitha MEHARG

WAITAKERE LICENSING TRUST SCHOLARSHIPS

Priya MISTRY Esha NARAYAN Bernice PETERS Sara SALMAN

Melissa UNDERWOOD

AUT FACULTY SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING SCHOLARSHIP

Vaijayanthy VENUGOPALAN

AUCKLAND UNIVERSITY CHANCELLOR'S SCHOLARSHIP

for top Maori Student: Tuwhiti HAPPY

ERIC CLARK AWARDS

Mamta PATEL
Olive PATRICK
Adamarie ROUDON
Sara SALMAN

Vaijayanthy VENUGOPALAN

RUTHERFORD FAMILY TROPHY OF EXCELLENCE IN ORIGINAL RESEARCH

Mamta PATEL

RUTHERFORD COLLEGE AWARDS FOR TOP BURSARY CANDIDATES

Rick GOODWIN Physical Education
Young Soo KIM Mathematics
Alicia LEITCH English
Donna-Maree MARKOVINA

Social Science

Priya MISTRY Commerce
Jonathan POLLARD Science
Sayuri SHIMODA Art
Vaijayanthy VENUGOPALAN
Languages

TOP SIXTH FORMER

Mamta PATEL

SENIOR PRIZE

YEAR 13 CLASS AWARD

Nadine CHAPEL-TOI First in Dance

Chelsea CLARIDGE First in English Award

Melissa DOUGAL First in Enterprise Certificate in Management

Prize Donated by Continental Pies

Carla GOEBEL First in Art Photography

Rick GOODWIN First in Physical Education (Bursary)

For Consistent Effort

Physical Health Club Award

Tanya HARRIS First Equal in Information Technology

Prize Donated by Continental Pies First in New Zealand Legal Studies Award Donated by Corban Revell

Seol Yee KIM First in Music

Young Soo KIM First in Mathematics with Calculus

Prize Donated by Max Hunter Distributors First in Mathematics with Statistics

Prize Donated by Max Hunter Distributors

Cera LANGFORD First in Mathematics Applied

Prize Donated by Waitakere Licensing Trust

Alicia LEITCH First in Economics

Prize Donated by School Supplies

The Louise Colvine Award for First in English

First in History Award

Donated by Mr C Carter M.P. First in Classical Studies

Prize Donated by Business Media

First in Geography

Priya MISTRY First in Accounting Award

Donated by Pioneer Industries

Chante MUELLER First Equal in Information Technology

Prize Donated by Continental Pies

Jonathan POLLARD First in Biology

Maree MARKOVINA

Elliott RANSON

First in Chemistry

First in Physics First in Drama

Metua RIO First in Skill Pathways

Prize Donated by Business Media

Sayuri SHIMODA First in Art Painting

First in Art Sculpture First in Art Design

Hayley SMITH First in Art Design

First in Art History

Kiri TAMIHERE First in Maori

Nick THOMPSON First in Physical Education (Non Bursary)

John TSANG First in E.S.O.L. First in Graphics

Prize Donated by Norcross Stationery

Vaijay VENUGOPALAN First in Japanese

Shaun WASS First in Special Education

Prize Donated by Waitakere Licensing Trust

GIVING AWARDS

YEAR 12 CLASS AWARD

Bronwyn BROOKING

Kathy COLMAN

Kimberlev DONACHIE

First Equal in English

First in Design Technology Wood

First in Small Business Management

Award Donated by Grant Allen Plumbing

Moana GLOVER First in Hospitality

Prize Donated by Upper Crust

Kenneth GREENSLADE First in Design Technology: Metal

Prize Donated by Protector Safety

First in Mathmatics Applied Stephanie HARRIS

Prize Donated by

Waitakere Licensing Trust

Steven HAY First in Computer Applications 1

Prize Donated by Power Works

Daniel KIM First in Music

Kelly LAWSON-CRISP

First in Early Childhood Development Kenny LIEW

First in Graphics Prize Donated by

Andrews Property Services

Gabtielle LUONG Contribution to Music

Marsha MA First in E.S.O.L.

Kelly MARTIN First in Computer Applications 2

Prize Donated by Power Works

Pia MARTIN First in Art Photography

Jaimee MASTERS First in Workshop Technology:

> Clothing Prize Donated by Te Atatu Menswear Ltd

Alaric MCCARTHY First in Geography Vicki MCLAREN First in History

Jennis NGAN First in Japanese

Toni O'REGAN First in Economics Prize Donated

by School Supplies

Gareth PARKER First in Electrotechnology

Prize Donated by Power Works

Mamta PATEL First in Accounting

First in Biology First in Chemistry First in Physics

Rotary Club of Waitakere City

Bursary - For Future Study First in Physical Education

Tristan PHILIP First in Geography Award Mariana PORTILHO Aaron RIPLEY First Equal in Travel and Tourism

Kimberley ROONEY First Equal in Travel and Tourism

Steven ROPER First in English Practical

Prize Donated by

Waitakere Licensing Trust

Renee SOLOMONA First in Art Sculpture Moana TOMOARE

First in Skill Pathways Prize Donated by

Waitakere Licensing Trust

SPECIAL AWARDS

Vincent

Award for Deputy Head Boy

SUIFUA

Mereana Award for Deputy Head Girl

EDWARDS

Adrian SOH

Rutherford College Award for Head Boy donated by Vend-it Services

Physical Health Club Award for

consistent effort Fric Clark Award Dux Ludorum

Tabitha MEHARG Doug Tawhiti Award for all round

contribution to the school

Rutherford College Award for Head Girl

donated by Vend-it Services Physical Health Club Award for

consistent effort Eric Clark Award Dux Artium

Michael WARD

The Litsa Shaw Memorial Award for

contribution to school productions

Tuwhiti **HAPPY** Joseph Mariu Award for outstanding

contribution to the community

Jonathan **POLLARD**

First in Biology First in Chemistry

First in Physics

Physical Health Club Award for

consistent effort Eric Clark Award Dux Litterarum

Alicia LEITCH

First in Economics

First in English First in History

Physical Health Club Award for

consistent effort Proximae Accessit Eric Clark Award



SENIOR PRIZE GIVING AWARDS

YEAR 12 CLASS AWARD

Vidya VENUGOPALAN First in Mathematics

Prize Donated by

Max Hunter Distributors

First in English Practical

Waitakere Licensing Trust

Prize Donated by

First in Geography

Christina WAITAI First in Dance

Rebecca WOOLLEY First in Outdoor Education

Sue-Li YEO First in Art Design

Donated by Print Management Consultants

First in Mathematics

Distributors

Prize Donated by Max Hunter

First in Art Painting
First in Drama

First Equal in English

YEAR 11 CLASS AWARD

Eva ACHARYA First in Art Painting Chrissy OSBORNE First in Science Mariette BOORTMAN First in Mathematics Applied Award Prize Donated by Prize Donated by Waitakere Licensing Trust Waitakere Licensing Trust Luke RFID First in Economics Terry BRITTEN First in Physics Prize Donated by School Supplies Samuel CHAN First in Music Wha Yong SON First in E.S.O.L. Prize Donated First in Workshop Technology: by APN Educational Media Clothing Prize Donated by Kiri TAMIHERE Special Award for Best Cambridge Clothing Contribution to Ambassador Award for E.S.O.L. TE KOTUKU MAORI CLUB -Prize Donated by Prize Donated by Mr J Bates Homecare Services Rebecca THOMPSON First in Skill Pathways **Bradley COOPER** First in Workshop Technology: Prize Donated by Metal Prize Donated by Waitakere Licensing Trust Trade Tools Limited Sandi VAN DAALEN First in German Prize Donated by Oliver ESSEX First in English Aguila Enterprises First in Graphics Prize Donated Vidya VENUGOPALAN First in Accounting by Andrews Property Services Prize Donated by Raeco Ltd Benjiman FARNATH First in Japanese Deborah VERNON First in Art Photography Prize Donated by Western Cabs Andrew WADSWORTH First in Drama Serena LEE First in Food and Nutrition First in Science Prize Donated by Coffee Break Helena WARD First in Dance Services to the School Library Patricia WATSON First in Text and Prize Donated by Abacus Books Information Technology Stanley LIEW First in Workshop Technology: Prize Donated by UBIX Wood Prize Donated by Rebecca WEEKS First in Art Design White Cliffs Donated by Print Management Richard LOWE Te Atatu Bible Chapel Trust Consultants Award for Future Study at First in History Rutherford College Raymond YUNG First in Chinese

Stephany ZHENG

Jermaine MORGAN

Igor OBRADOVICH

TOP HONOUR AWARDS

JONATHAN POLLARD

DUX LITTERARUM

Jonathan has excelled in the science field in particular, throughout his senior years at Rutherford. He was commended for his entry in a short story competition this year as well as receiving a high distinction award in the senior division of the Australian Chemistry competition. Jonathan has been outstanding in his commitment to attain academic excellence.



ALICIA LEITCH

PROXIME ACCESSIT

Alicia has maintained her high academic standard especially in English, Economics and History, supported by talent shown in Visual Arts. During her time at Rutherford she has had total commitment to her studies and has gained success through working independently. A courteous, friendly, co-operative and mature student.



TABITHA MEHARG

DUX ARTIUM

Tabitha has been a regular performer in, or back stage organiser of Studio Shows and has been a cast member in three major productions since her enrolment at Rutherford five years ago. As a member of Jipers for the past two years, she has impressed us with her reliability, commitment, degree of maturity and talent.



ADRIAN SOH

DUX LUDORUM

Adrian has been an excellent model of leadership - he has been awarded Sportsman of the Year for the second consecutive year. He has represented Rutherford in Squash, Badminton and Bowls. He has been a member of our 1st X1 Cricket, Touch, Kilikiti and Volleyball teams. On an international level, he is a member of the New Zealand Mens Table Tennis squad.



Rutherford Day

Rutherford Day is a ceremony unique to this school. It is a wonderful example of a school operating at its impressive best. The thirty ninth celebration held on Friday 17 August encompassed the three purposes of Rutherford Day.

We enjoy meeting the many individuals, firms and organisations they represent. The opportunity to meet, greet and thank them for their continued financial and physical support is very worthwhile.

The talent showcase had a different composition this year. Individual contributions by Lori Lee and Richard Francis who played flute and piano whilst the guests entered the hall and Samuel Chan who played the piano at the conclusion of the ceremony, were well received. Jipers performed with distinction, particularly in the strenuous 'Blessings' piece. Mr John's amazing cross-section of the school added passion to proceedings as they sang a medley of traditional African pieces. Kotuku built on these performances in both choral and haka contributions.

Guest speaker, Mrs Merepeka Raukawa-Tait was outstanding. Her declaration that the spotlight is on bullies and abusers drew spontaneous applause. She encouraged students to aim to be a focal point in their whanau - to be known by others as the person who takes a positive stance in supporting any family members in need. Students today are the generation who need to make the change and insist that the change be positive. She challenged them to be the people who stand out on the balconies and be proud of their accomplishments as well as to be supportive for those they can assume responsibility for. Students, staff and guests were challenged by what Merepeka had to say.







CALENDAR

March Drama trip to see 'Haruru Mai'

Dance trip to see the ballet 'Rambert"

May Dance trip to see 'Rosencrantz and Guildenstern ...'

New Zealand Secondary Schools Choral Festival - Jipers

June Dance trip to see 'Black Grace'

Drama 'MacBeth and the Crucibal'

Studio Show 'Light 'n Shade'

July Open Day

August Musical 'Footrot Flats'

November Studio Show

Our itinerant teachers:

Jane Horder Voice Walter Muller Drums Judith Williams Cello

Chris Watts Saxophone Liz MacDiarmid Piano

David Mills Classical Guitar Evelyn Hatfield Piano/Keyboard Cadzow Cossar Electric Guitar/

Bass

Gordon Smith Brass/Violin Richard Francis Flute/Clarinet

Sonia Geddes

Piano

Jipers

Now in its 6th year, Jipers, our senior vocal group under the guidance and enthusiasm of Jane Horder, competed successfully in the 'Big Sing', the Regional Choral Festival at the Auckland Town Hall. The terrific response from other participating schools towards our performance was incredibly gratifying and heartening. Talk about terrific school spirit! We had heaps of fun singing backstage with the other schools - especially the vocal 'duel' with Rangitoto College. We were one of several Auckland schools to be recommended for the national finals in Wellington, unfortunately, we didn't get through. Although we'd braced ourselves, we were disappointed, but resolved to blow them away next year!

Prior to major performances like the Regional Festival and Rutherford Day, rehearsal times were increased to include Monday lunchtimes, Thursdays after school and Sunday afternoons. Numbers in Jipers have fluctuated, however we have pushed



on regardless and thoroughly enjoyed just singing. We have been able to sharpen and improve our vocal and performance skills. We have learned a selection of songs this year - Lota Nuu, the black spiritual Dem Bones, Tumbalalaika, Bless the Lord from Godspell and Christmas medleys. I am certainly looking forward to another great year of singing in Jipers and welcome new members with the same intention.

FOOTROT FLATS

he hall of Rutherford College resonated to the sounds of pigs, sheep and dogs and the still-popular musical 'Footrot Flats' entered the final stages of rehearsal, in preparation for the five-night season which opened on 7 August. Murray Ball's lovable characters have captured the imagination of the talented Rutherford College cast. They are as fresh as tomorrow and yet have a heart-warming familiarity about them. Ali Foa'l, though no stranger to performance, is a relative newcomer to the Rutherford stage. His Wal is strong and delightful. Jenna Steel, who plays Cheeky, is well known to Te Atatu and Henderson audiences, having performed in many Studio Shows and in every major Rutherford production since she entered the College. She is the perfect foil for Wal in her 'wide-eyed innocence'.

Cooch, played by Ryan Benjamin, is the epitome of a laid-back country lad and Jessie Hardcastle's Aunt Dolly is convincing and evocative. Dolly thinks 'scones, pikelets and pavlovas' are the remedy for all difficulties. Cheeky has other remedies in mind, as she entices Wal away from Dolly with promises of the delights of town life.

As always, the animals steal the show. Gabrielle Luong as Jess, is making guite an impression and Michael Ward as Dog is giving his final performance in a major College production. It will be a memorable one, providing Dog can escape the clutches of Pongo, played by Amber Horner. Suvania Schuster's Dolores is delightfully provocative. Poor old Prince Charles, played by Aaron Ripley, is as long-suffering as ever; obediently, if unsuccessfully, trying to Dolly's respond to Aunt encouragement to 'do biggies'.

The ewes, Tabitha Meharg, Olive Patrick and Vicki McLaren are no more impressed by Cecil, Vincent Suifua, than they were when Murray Ball first introduced them to him and



Major, Andrew Wadsworth is still a Dog with 'Attitude', although not half as much as Horse, the Killer Cat played by Olive.

Behind all the light-hearted fun and delightful music, Footrot Flats preserves a real slice of New Zealand – a New Zealand that is rapidly disappearing in a high-tech farming age. It gives new New Zealanders a fascinating glimpse of a New Zealand beyond the city lights and puts Dinkum Kiwis back in touch with their roots.



Along with 13 other students I was given the chance to perform as part of this years musical, Footrot Flats. It was one of the most fun things I have done but it took months of gruelling rehearsals and lots of Sundays spent at school working on perfecting our performance. I had the part of 'Major' the pig dog and I think it has been a very character-building experience. My involvement in this production developed my performance techniques.

The three day camp was like a three day non-stop rehearsal that was not only very draining but also a real buzz. I know I came away from it with higher energy and focus and felt more confident with myself. Of course, the most enjoyable part of the whole experience was bringing the story to life in front of an audience, it was really exciting.



Rambert - A REVIEW OF OUR DANCE TRIP

Rambert was a modern ballet performed by the Rambert Dance Company at the Aotea Centre in March. The Company started their performance with sophistication using sharp moves black and white suits and spotlights. At first they started with a soloist behind a thin curtain, using lighting and shadows to make special effects. Others then joined in this lonely, quiet dance combining traditional ballet moves with

contemporary, in pairs. They made beautiful duets using twirls, leaps and gliding through the air.

Slowly a story unravelled. It involved green slimy ghosts, crawling and waving in the dark shadows. Their target was some unsuspecting happy villagers. The ghosts moved in a way that seem to control and manipulate the villagers. These villagers disappeared with the ghosts leaving behind their companions.

The end of the dance, the contrast confused me at first but I came to the conclusion that it showed the people in this new place that the ghosts had taken them to. The sophistication the dance started with was contrasted by looser, faster, flirtier and light-hearted style of dance, the 80's music set the mood for this new feeling. The energy and the music ended the dance in a celebration. I enjoyed the energy, professionalism and work the performers put into Rambert.



The jazz band taken by Miss Geddes has seen a lot of new faces, particularly to this genre. We have played a variety of pieces and have really enjoyed our performances.

Studio Show - Lights, Camera ... Stop

You, a little to the left, hands out of pockets, stop chewing. All of the tips from Miss Geddes, Miss Ashby, Miss Horder and Miss Norman to perfect this years studio show. We were put to the test on 27th and 28th June. Physical theatre featuring Hillbillies to the Queen of Tonga, an array of dances and some sensitive music

performance featured in this production directed by Miss Geddes. Backstage the students nervously awaited their moment of fame and on stage they were all smiles as they looked for that familiar face in the audience. "Now if only we could find Mr Thompson to fix that light ..."







Dance Video

For weeks, Miss Ashby and 30 students anticipated the arrival of a film crew, then finally in Term 3 it happened. It was all for a video, one which would be seen by people all over New Zealand. Miss Ashby was chosen for her outstanding skills as a teacher of dance and our Year 10 students were chosen to participate due to their potential and commitment. For two days the students were filmed dancing, talking and performing. We started with warm ups, discussions on different styles of dance, then learned to do these styles prior to choosing the one we liked best to focus on in order to develop our solo performances.

Our final performance was in groups of two or three and included a dance with weight bearing and some interesting moves we made from words. The purpose of this video is to educate teachers on what dance involves because all primary and intermediate teachers will have to teach dance when it becomes compulsory in primary intermediate schools from 2003. Rutherford was portrayed as being an example of what schools should be aiming to achieve in dance.

Crucible/Macbeth

The very entertaining Year 13 drama class along with four very keen 6th form girls, performed Act 1 of The Crucible and a comic version of Macbeth. The cast bonded well with the lead up to performances involving

lots of repetitive script learning but the sold-out audiences thoroughly appreciated this production which was directed by Mr John.



Cast members:

Jenna Steel Bridey McNicoll Mathew Pont Elliot Ranson Michael Ward Craig Patterson Sarah Hopkins Emma Layzell Roneel Kishore Olive Patrick Sue-li Yeo Nadine Chapel-Toi Alex Cheong

Dance Show

The Year 10 and Year 11 dance classes accompanied by Miss Ashby and Miss Norman prepared to perform in a mini-dance show held in Otahuhu. Six professional dancers/choreographers came to see how dance was being created in schools. There was an experienced DJ and a few schools made up the audience.

Our teachers explained the meaning of our contemporary dances. Everyone performed with energy and focus and the dances were really great. Girls from Kings College stepped on stage and did a hip-hop dance. We stepped up to show our hip-hop style, choreographed by Liana Roberts and did we blow the roof off or what!

Our school was presented with a big certificate and received extremely positive feedback from the guest artists. The National Co-ordinator for dance, Tina Hong, commented in particular on the intelligence our performers showed in their dance. This was a great experience for us. Initially we were nervous but we walked out feeling really proud.

Library

Our library has an extensive stock of approximately 12 600 books, with a wide specialist collection of plays, picture books, topics in non-fiction and works in Pacific and Asian languages. Vibrant presentations were provided by visiting authors Tessa Duder and Taniakelly Roxborogh.

The major thrust of upgrade in the library this year has been the creation of a new Information Technology Centre involving a bank of data base computers, a computer training and publishing facility.

Because it is a comfortable, pleasant, airy space, the library is often used for activities such as peer reading, homework sessions, Junior Council meetings, Debating and Public Speaking meets and other gatherings such as parent evenings and social functions.



So while it may seem a quiet, peaceful venue for reading, research and study, our library is a house of activity. It will become more so as it evolves as the Information Centre of our school.

Centurions Debate in Style

Team members:

Dorothy Donald Nichole Wards Sanya Marin Karis Wolfgramm Niven Prasad Reginald Dass Kyle Davids

Miss Edwards (coach) Mrs Reid (coach)

They call them Centurions and rightly so. A highly polished, intelligent team. Defenders who battle the foe. They stand tall, they stand proud, they speak with boldness and persuasion. They

fight. Fight for their school. Fight for victory.

Battle One - Avondale College. Victory was secured in the first debate of the year. Speaker of the day was awarded to Rutherford's own Nichole Wards for her clear rebuttal and her relaxed, confident manner.

Battle Two - Massey High School. The moot: that all is fair in love and war. Despite excellent preparation and performance, the battle was awarded to Massey.

Open Night saw a fierce battle erupt between members of the team. The girls challenged the boys in a performance debate for a very select audience and managed to convince



the adjudicators that a road is definitely not better than a meadow. Plenty of pizza was required to sustain the flagging forces.

The silence of the Auckland Debating Association brought an abrupt end to the battle season - but all wait in anticipation for term four when English classes take each other on in a Year 10 debating showdown. Will the Centurions dominate or will they meet even fiercer opposition from within their own peer groups?

One thing is for sure - the Centurions will be a force to be reckoned with in the future.

International and Exchange Students

My name is Nicole Libuy Garri, I am from Chile, South America. I think that going for an exchange is great but you have to be very brave because many things are different from home. Some of the things that you have to know before going away from home are that you must have a good attitude because it takes a while to get used to things that are new. You also have to know that at the beginning you are probably going to be homesick with missing your family, friends and country. This is just for a while until you get used to everything. When you do and start making friends, everything is normal and it is almost like being at home.

You learn a lot through new experiences which make you a better person. I am never going to forget my enjoyable experiences at Rutherford College.

STS Exchange Programme

We have had Christine Zeitterberg from Sweden and Ulla Hermann from Denmark join the Rutherford family this year.

We hope that they too enjoy their New Zealand experiences.

AFS Programme

Andras Ver is currently studying with us from Hungary. Melissa Bailey is completing her year in Germany, whilst Deborah Sanders is excited to have been accepted for an AFS programme abroad in 2002.

Seiko Minobe is with us from Japan on a NZIIU exchange.

Rotary Exchanges

Leif Rennes returned from Germany. He met other international exchange students on a Eurotour of countries. Kirsten Tie returned from Denmark during the course of the year.

These Rotary exchange experiences have broadened their horizons.

Rebecca Smith, spent 12 weeks on exchange at Loretto Norma Girls School in Sydney this year. The private Catholic girls school accepted Rebecca on a Rotary Scholarship programme. Her Australian host sister, Diane Beyrouthi came and studied at Rutherford College in term three.







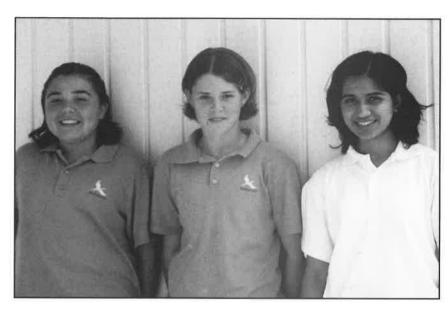
This year, we have had three students from Teikyo Kani, our sister school in Gifu, Japan, come and study with us.

Niharika Rao extended her stay a month beyond that of the 30 students of her Year 12 class who were homestayed and studied with us in February for two weeks. In term three, Junna Hashimoto and Osamu Sato buddied by Emmaline Pickering-Martin and Patti Marinovich have spoken of the great time they have had with their host families and at school.

Karis Wolfgramm and Nicole Copeland have returned to Rutherford after a term spent at Teikyo Kani High School.

Karis learned some very special things about Japan, things that you would have to experience to understand, not just learn in a classroom.

Nicole found it difficult going to school from 8 am until 7 pm six days a week but enjoyed it once she got used to it.



The biggest difference between Rutherford and Teikyo Kani is that Rutherford is very multicultural, whereas Teikyo Kani is solely Japanese.

Angela Morrow enjoyed her two week educational trip to Japan so much last year that she has returned for 10 months. She wrote:

I live in a Buddhist temple with my host family and this allows me to experience the Japanese way of life to its fullest.

My school is a Buddhist, girls-only, private school. It has about 400 students and we are schooled in a single, four-storied building with some classrooms and locker rooms underground. We do not have the privilege of choosing what subjects we wish to study, everyone sits in perfect silence as the lessons are delivered lecture style.

I stayed for a week during my holidays in a 150-year-old traditional Japanese house,

surrounded by snake-inhabited rice fields. Here, I was able to see stars for the first time since I arrived in Japan. There are so many aspects of a foreign culture that you can only experience by going on a student exchange. You learn more about who you are as a person. I know that I will remember these ten months for the rest of my life.



The World Youth Society sponsors this exchange and the reciprocal deal is that Miyako Hino, Year 12, has come to stay with Angela's family and to study with us at Rutherford. Miyako is very sociable and has particularly enjoyed studying art photography - a subject not offered to her in Japan.

International Visitors







CULTURAL CLOSENESS

Japanese students from Teikyo Kani and Hakata Girls High School try flax weaving, Maori stick games, Pacific art and kilikiti whilst on an exchange programme with us.







International Students





We have students from Japan, Thailand, Mainland China, Hong Kong, Taiwan, Germany, Vietnam, Brazil, and America, choosing to study at Rutherford College.









Real Art

Everybody is different is more ways than one.

So snatch a minute from your day and people-watch away!

Long hair, shaven hair. curly, bald patched and no hair.

Button nose, hooked nose, honking, bright red clown nose. Brown eyes, green eyes, purple or hazel eyes. Huge lips, slim lips, pursed or ju-ju lips. White skin, brown skin, yellow, black and red skin. Space clothes, school clothes, anything will do clothes.

See the miracle, see the art and be thankful we can tell each other apart!

Samantha Dick



It's hard sometimes to find a friend Someone to be there to the end

When you found them it is hard To make sure you play the right card

When you and them have a fight You think about it all night

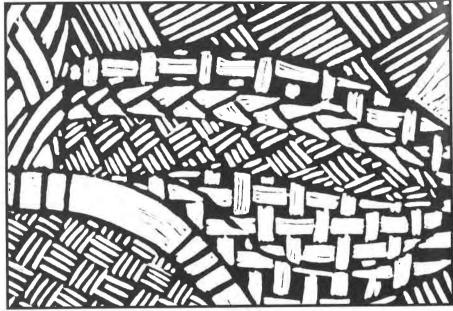
You both at school next day Have one thing in mind to say

In your heart, soul and head I'm so sorry for what I said

You say it and it you mean Your friendship with them is back real keen

It is hard to find a friend Who will be there right to the end

Amber Horner



Natalie McKeown

CAT

Instead of doing what I usually do, I decided that today would be different. I was going to try something new and exciting and possibly dangerous.

I love to pull off new and imaginative tricks on my skateboard. There is just something fun about doing things that not many people have done that I like. Sure, the old original tricks are cool and provide a challenge, but it really doesn't compare with inventing new ways of enjoying myself.

So, here I am at my best friend Richards house, planning the next daring move. But first we must warm up a little, so it's off up the driveway to pull out the grind boxes and poles and have a quick session.

After five or six crooked grinds on the box, a few clean 360° flips, I was sweet, but just a little tired so we sat down for a drink. That's when I saw it, a gap between the garage roof and the neighbour's driveway. Just grass, no fence, the roof is about 5½ foot high and the gap is about 7 foot across.

I looked up at Richard and exclaimed, "I'm going to Ollie off the garage roof to your neighbours driveway."

He looked at me as if I was mental, but I reassured him by saying, "Dude, I know I can make it, plus we can put some old floors on the roof to give a clean run-up."

So we got it all ready and set up. Richard had a camera to prove I had done it and I took a practice jump without my board, I cleared it easily. With everything ready, I prepared myself for the assault across the drop. I okayed Richard with the camera and pushed off as hard as I could. The edge of the roof came fast and before I knew it I had popped a giant Ollie and was soaring over the grass. As I came down I bent my knees to absorb the shock and rolled away cleanly with a giant grin across my face.

Richard ran up, amazement spread across his face, "Man I thought you were gonna get slammed! But I got it and it will be mad."

Now I seek a new adventure and the photo turned out great. That had to be the most daring thing I have ever done on my board and I will remember it forever.

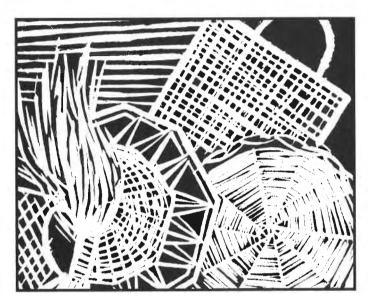
Luke Tie

Digital Opportunity for Technology Training

Rutherford College is one of four secondary schools in West Auckland to have been named to participate in a leading edge government business partnership project to create digital opportunity.

The ICT Technology Training pilot project will enable 100 senior students in each of the participating schools to access Microsoft technology training this year. Another 100 students will be able to access training next year. A smaller number of students will progress to examination and certification level, but the aim is to ensure every Year 12 pupil in every participating school takes some of the base training modules.





Dana Zhu

He Ra Whakamarama Day

On Thursday 20 September, 44 Maori students attended the He Ra Whakamarama Day at AUT. We went together on the bus, were welcomed by the tangata whenua, the kaumatua and the liaison staff onto the beautiful campus marae. Te Kahui Wymer was our kai whakautu and she responded to the karanga on behalf of us, the manuhiri. Robert Turner and Caine O'Shea sat on the front seat in the marae; Caine spoke for us. Then our boys all stood with Robert and performed a haka, proudly led by Cameron Rudolph. The tangata whenua loved our boys and we were so proud of them and Te Kahui. It was a great start to the day.

Naomi Mathewman and Hayley Johnstone write:

We were divided into four groups and sent off to workshops. Our group did business first them were divided again into four sub-groups. Each group was given a container of coloured water and our task was to promote our product using product name, logo, price and an advertising skit for television.

When all the groups were ready we performed the skits for each other while being filmed ... then we watch the film ... scary!

After that we were given McDonalds lunch vouchers, this was really cool. Some of the boys had brought tennis balls and so many of us played

handball on the quad until our afternoon session started. I think that freaked some of the AUT students out but some looked like they wanted to join in.

After lunch we went off to our next activity in the science block. The science teacher gave us a tour of the lab and we saw many students at work with experiments, then it was our turn. We got to make GUNGE! Too soon it was over and we had run out of time so we had a presentation session and then back to the bus.

We think this day was really cool, we got a lot from it and we are looking forward to going next year.

Polynesian Festival

Rutherford again competed successfully at the ASB Maori and Pacific Island Festival held at the Manukau Velodrome. Crowds of 100 000 flocked to this 26th annual showcase of student culture. Te Kotuku ki Panuku (combined group of Rutherford College and Henderson High School students) gained praise for their excellent performance claiming third place. Fifty two schools, from Warkworth to Waiuku took part - 13 000 students performed in 160 acts on five different stages - Maori, Tonga, Samoa, Niue and Cook Island. Congratulations to all those in the group, it was a well deserved reward for the many hours sacrificed to perform their best and thank you to all tutors and supporters.







Indian Dance Group

The members of the Indian Dance Group are Ratika Rai, Eva Acharya, Vidya Venugopalan and Vaijayanthi Venugopalan. Assisted by Ms Singh since its formation in 2000 the group has performed at Rutherford Primary School, our College and at the Pacifica Festival.

After hours of practising Ms Singh was satisfied with their performance.

Mrs Tai took the group to the Pacifica Festival. The girls were told that their performance was beautiful, they enjoyed the day and this opportunity to keep their tradition going.



Their World/Our World

Their world lives with hunger and poverty, Our world lives with technology and fame. Their world lives with uncertain futures Our world lives with prospects and aim.

While their children are sick and dying, Our children are laughing with glee. Their children have no hope or future, Our children run wild and free. They've never experienced technology, We've never experienced poverty.

We laugh every day and don't think twice, While they desperately struggle to maintain life.

They live in pain. We live in fame.

As their lives are hanging on a thin piece of thread.

Our lives are depending on our wealth, our greed, our head.

Diane Beyrouthi

40 HOUR FAMINE

Students raised \$752.45 for this relief fund. Special thanks to Vaijay Venugopalan for her assistance.

Diversity is Better

What would happen to yellow, if everyone just liked red? Would yellow disappear? Who knows? Well, this kind of situation happens all the time.

People are different. This is the beauty of life. But there are people who don't like the difference. They want everybody to be the same. They are wrong! Difference in people is a good thing, because they have different opinions and ideas to share. They have different qualities and different lives.

There are people who are black, people who are white. The colour of your skin doesn't tell the person you are. Japanese, Chinese, Maori, Brazilian. Whatever nationality you are, it is your mind that counts. You can't judge someone just because of his/her looks. Everybody has a brain - a brain with thoughts and that is what is important about being human.

People who don't like the difference are very closed-minded. Do you remember that man? His name was Adolf Hitler. He was that kind of person. Now tell me, how was he at the end of his life? Crazy, I think.

People are afraid of what is different from them. Afraid of the unknown. But what is the most fun thing in life? To discover things! That's why we don't have to fear the unknown.

This world was made for us to live in harmony. Every person is a different person and everybody has the right to be themselves. As the master, Bob Marley said: "Every man got the right to decide his own destiny and in this judgement there is no partiality."

I think the world is big enough for the yellow and the red!

Gabriela Silva

CHINA TRIP

In the April holidays next year Rutherford College will be sending its senior Chinese students to China for the first time ever! Together with students from Onehunga High School and Marist College, the group will be visiting our sister school - Datong High in Shanghai - for a week and then spending a further week in Beijing in north China. While in Shanghai our students will study in the mornings and enjoy sightseeing in the afternoons.

In order to raise enough money to go, Rutherford's Chinese group has been fund-raising in a number of ways:

- · Selling fried rice and dim sims at the Rutherford reunion
- Making dinner for the teachers on Parent/Teacher night
- Selling refreshments at the Footrot Flats production
- · Selling chocolate bars in Term 3.

We wish the students a happy trip to China and hope that the event will inaugurate an exchange programme between China and New Zealand.

OUR TRIP TO AUCKLAND CITY

I enjoyed our trip to the city - the feeling of independence was very refreshing. We went to collect various pieces of information about China, to test our research skills and to practice our Mandarin vocabulary. We started from Aotea Square and worked our way down Queen Street to the wharves and the Viaduct Basin. We visited the bookshop 'Borders', several travel agents, at least three information centres, an exchange-rate booth, a food arcade, Whitcoulls, TimeOut and finally Grand Harbour Yum Cha restaurant.

The Yum Cha was very tasty - especially the pork spare ribs and beef dumplings. I am sure everyone enjoyed the trip very much.

Thomas Essex

Community Education

Did you know that Rutherford College has more adults attending courses than day school students?

These adults come to upskill, learn a new interest, get healthier and fitter or make new friends.

The Community Education programme employs over 65 tutors, has almost 2000 students each year and offers nearly 400 courses. These courses, which are held in the evenings and weekends, cover a wide range of topics from art, boating, computing and business, health and recreation, gardening, languages, personal development and music.

Rutherford College also helps life-long learning in the community by providing resources to community groups such as the Women's Centre, the Mens and Womens Choirs, North West Floral Art, Adult Literacy, Salvation Army, Community houses, Parents Centre, IHC, Anger Change Trust and the WEA.

Our English Language School has had a big increase in students over the year and we developed a full time course by adding a conversation class in the afternoons. Many immigrants from Asian, South American and European countries have found new friends through attending our courses and have been helped in adjusting to the New Zealand way of life.

Community Education continues to provide quality, affordable and accessible lifelong learning.





Environmental Conference Report

On 29th and 30th August, three students from Rutherford College attended the annual youth environmental conference, "Green to Go", which was held in the Kelston community centre. Students from Waitakere City's secondary schools, members of Waitakere youth council and even members from Hamilton's youth council were all welcomed by mayor Bob Harvey and some of the organizers. The mayor thanked us for taking part in helping our city become more environmentally friendly.

After the warm welcomes, we commenced with the first day activities, which consisted of different site visits. These included: the Henderson Creek Reserve, a Waikumete Wai Care site and Resource use and Cleaner Production sites. Each site had dedicated guides who were passionate about their jobs and took delight in explaining how they took part in helping the environment.

The second day can only be described in one word... inspirational.

Workshops were held to discuss what we had learnt from the site visits and to share ideas that we could take back to our schools and communities. The rest of the afternoon was assigned to guest speakers. Career presentations were given by Brendan Hoare from United and Professor John Craig from Auckland University. The leadership speeches were the real highlight of the conference. Nandor Tanczos, Green party MP, gave a motivational speech about caring for one's environment. Green Dean, an environmental journalist, urged us to take part in a fat growing field. Sunshine Yates, from Zero Waste, spoke about how one person can make a huge difference.

After a performance by "Don't trash it. Stash it", a children's drama group, the closing speeches commenced by Keep Waitakere Beautiful, youth council and Te Ropu Rangatahi representatives and Mayor Bob Harvey.

"Green to Go" was an enlightening opportunity that left many concerned about their part in helping the environment. The 'clean green image of New Zealand' must be upheld although in reality, the image is a mere misconception. Those who needed motivation to act upon ideas have received it through the speeches of truly dedicated individuals. Urging everyone to take part next year is an understatement.

Sara Salman

Sixth Form - Creative response writing

SOMETIMES (Quotes from Under Milk Wood by Dylan Thomas)

hen it's one in the morning and you just can't sleep, you can always pretend you're not here. Lie on your side in the darkness. Hear the occasional car drive past – headlights illuminate a patch on one wall for an instant, sweeping left to right. Watch as, inches from your face, glowing red digits usher time slowly forward. It's time to yourself – time to think, and to reflect – to play Remember When.

Sometimes, though, you just want an escape.

That's when you turn the light on, as if it could save the world. You can observe in detached interest the very slight pain as your eyes adjust and harsh brilliance floods your vision. You can twist to lay on your back and eye a bland ceiling. You can even flick on the radio and note how out-of-place dance music sounds played softly to a messy bedroom.

Sometimes, though, that's not enough.

That's when you slide from the sheets and pick your way through a cluttered floor to stand in front of the mirror. Tangled bed hair is quite becoming, soft lighting flatters the skin. Your face looks fuzzy, flushed but faded, like people in pictures from the Victorian era; you wonder if everyone really looked like that back then. Vanity is okay when it's one in the morning.

Wind buffets the house. Light rain smatters violently against windows and roof, reassuring, familiar sounds. These walls stand guard against an elemental presence. Sometimes, though, you want more.

That's when you slowly sift through the piles of possessions on the floor, selecting dark clothes and a long coat that makes you feel like a film star. Feel pleasantly insane as you dress and leave the room, pass

silently along the hall, down the stairs, into the foyer. The knob on the front door is cold, and makes little metallic clicks when you turn it, giving no warning of the rush of wind and wet that enters then through the open door. Drops of coldness prick your face. Step outside, shut the door behind you and feel strangely, wonderfully alive....

When it's three in the morning and you've been walking the streets, playing to imaginary onlookers, you know you should be getting home. Sternly fold your arms, pulling the fabric of your coat tight around yourself, and retrace your damp steps briskly, breath visible in the artificial light that filters through the rain. Your bedroom window is a yellow oblong of luminescence; you didn't switch the light off when you left. Hurry to the front door - suddenly you feel cold - lock it behind you, icy metal doorknob. Only when you're out of the noise and wet, do you realize how noisy and wet it was. You pull off your boots, short of breath and dripping slightly, ascend the stairs, shivering. Your bedroom is warm, the mess familiar... later, a damp towel contributes to the heaped belongings on the carpet. The mirror shows you a pink face and bright eyes and slowly drying hair, dark and spiky, evocative of something more glamorous than this. But for now, who cares, the bed has been kept electrically warm and is waiting for you. Change your clothes, forget what's outside this room, turn off the light. Lie in darkness and watch as time glows slowly, redly by. Let the past occupy your mind. Try not to predict the future.

Sometimes, though, it's all you have.

Sue-Li Yeo



Sam Yerro

Special Education

Rutherford Values -

OUR INTERPRETATIONS

Respect

You speak nicely and not rudely. You are helpful and you do what a teacher says.

Ruth

Understanding

An understanding person knows how I feel. Traci

Tolerance

When a person is tolerant they talk to everybody and smile at everybody.

Michael

Honesty

People who are honest tell the truth and they don't touch other people's things.

Albert

Excellence

People show excellence by doing their best all the time.

Leon

Responsibility

If you are responsible you work hard and help people, like Kylie - you keep your promise.

Robert

Fairplay

If you play fair you play within the rules with your mates and you take turns.

David

Opportunities

People look for good things coming up and they get them. Susan

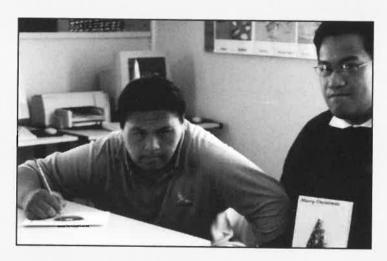
Reliability

A reliable person does what they say they will do. *David*

Discipline (self)

If you are self disciplined like the Venga Boys you focus on your task and you practise and work hard. *lain*





he Special Education Department provides a routine non-threatening and appropriate environment for students with special needs. These needs vary considerably. Some students find academic work a challenge, others may have a physical disability such as vision, hearing or for example hemiplegia paralysis of one side of the body. However, all share in the full life of both Rutherford College and the Department.

Our students attend form times and SSR. They also participate in a wide variety of mainstream classes, independently or with the support of teachers or teacher aides. Students participate in the wider worlds of sport teams and Special Olympics.

Extra support for individual learning is given in the Department. Specialist teachers work on an enriched and tailor-made timetable of both core subjects and extra subjects such as Social Skills and Living Skills.

Further support for these programmes is given by a speech language therapy and occupational therapy programme, a reading programme and extra learning support by teacher aides.

The department also provides a homework centre for students in major mainstream study and offers extra coaching when required.

Because the Department is an independent group, greater flexibility in terms of timetable, activities and trips can enhance the delivery of an appropriate curriculum for students.

We see the energy of diversity in Dance, Drama and Artwork in the Department and the hope of independence as far as each person is concerned.



Many Masks

Why so pale? I hear you ask
I reply this is only a mask
Just like tomorrow and the next day
How many masks do you have? I hear you say

One for each day just for a change And each week they get rearranged As not to be boring or start a trend And on these masks I've grown to depend

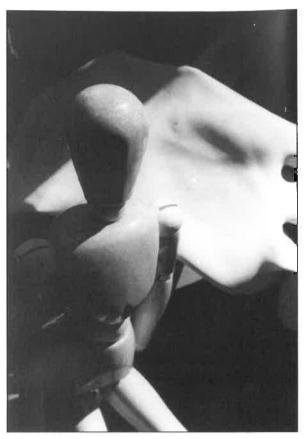
I have one for happy and another for sad One for angry and one for glad One for disappointment and one for attention Then there's the one to get me out of detention

All these masks I keep locked up tight To see me without one oh what a sight Maybe one day I'll throw them away Maybe one day I'll be able to say

That this is the real me Not some fake face For the real me Can never be replaced

Jade Baker





Senior Photography

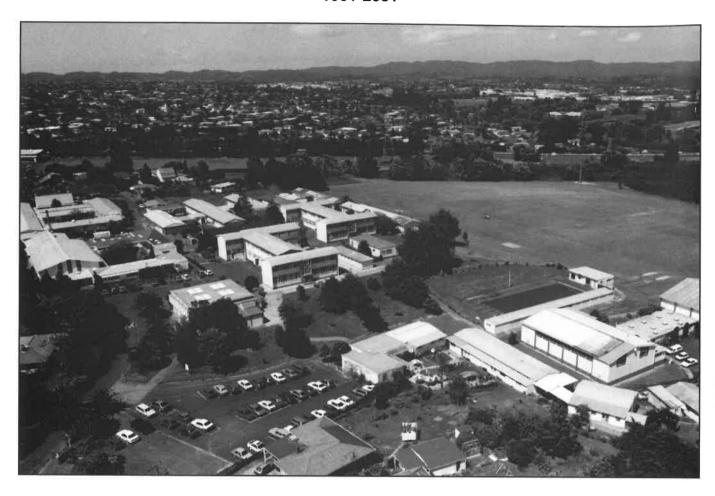






40th Jubilee Reunion

1961-2001



After 18 months of planning, our very well organised reunion was celebrated in the weekend of 23, 24 and 25th February this year. The organising committee included past and present students and staff, including some foundation students and after their many months of hard work, the response was very heartening.

There were many nostalgic moments during the weekend. The mix 'n mingle on Friday evening was so well attended that there was no space left in which to mingle - it was more of a "squash and chat" session, though enjoyable nevertheless.

First up on Saturday was the official opening with addresses by Cliff Edmeades, the present Principal and Eric Clark, the foundation Principal who gave a brief history of Rutherford's rise to be the largest coeducational school in New Zealand.

The jubilee cake was cut by Janet Coates and Mike McVicker, the first Head Students supported by Tabitha Meharg and Adrian Soh, the 2001 Head Students. During the day there were opportunities to become acquainted with former students, classmates, colleagues and Board members, if you were able to match up their present appearance with the large displays of photographs in the library. Whether people were at the photo sessions, touring the school, enjoying the concert, watching or participating in past pupils versus present pupil sports activities, it was very moving to see the vast Rutherford family getting back together again.

The Saturday evening jubilee dinner at Alexandra Park was very popular as everyone danced to Ben Tawhiti's band and did more catching up with old friends. The closing ceremony on Sunday morning capped off a fine weekend with the blessing of the carved crest and logo made by Derek Kerwood, master carver from Tauranga and dedicated by Ben Tawhiti. There followed a session of reminiscing (and in some cases public confessions) by a number of past staff and students including Professor Martin Savage, Lorraine Clark, Denny Hansen and Mayor Tim Shadbolt.

The organising committee would like to thank present students and staff who assisted and whose enthusiastic participation made the weekend such a success.

The special Reunion Magazine that was produced is a wonderful record of those first 40 hectic years.

If anyone did not order a copy at the time, some are still available through the school office at \$10.

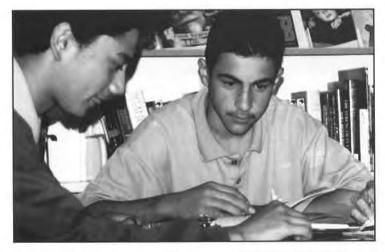
Student Advisors

An important part of the student support services of Rutherford is the Student Advisor Programme.

Training and organisation is undertaken by Mrs Tai and Mr Johnson. It is aimed to encourage and support younger students in the transition into Rutherford College. Students from Year 9, 10 and 11 are matched with two student advisors through a referral programme. Student advisors are another advocate for the student and act in conjunction with the guidance department. The purpose of training student advisors is for the student in need to be able to relate to their student advisors as they are closer to their own age and go to the same school.

The pairing of students is important in order to develop a friendship and trust. Student advisors benefit from this too, with improved communication and an opportunity to develop skills. Two large groups of student advisors have been trained and had their services utilised this year.







Peer Reading

An enthusiastic group of 35 Year 13 students volunteered to be part of the programme in assisting Year 9 and 10 students with their reading in the library at SSR.

It is a good feeling looking around the library and seeing 80 or so students bent over a book and especially watching a reluctant reader become more involved and developing skills.

Many increase their reading ages up to two years in a period of nine months because someone has helped them, encouraged and reinforced their ability. The library staff is very helpful in allowing us to leave our books on a trolley so it is easy to find them the next day.

Many friendships are formed and a couple of seniors have said they are off to Training College because they have discovered a skill and love of working and helping others.

At the end of each six week block, there is a prizegiving where each junior is given a book and certificate. Thank you to Mr Edmeades and the Board of Trustees for this donation. The seniors receive a certificate acknowledging their contribution of service and we thank them for giving up their time so willingly.

Geography Field Trips Year 11

After roll call and receiving the work sheets (as the trip was part of our School C mark) we got on the bus and began our one hour trip to the Pound's farm in Kaukapakapa, north of Auckland. When we arrived, the farmer, Mike Wilson, introduced himself to us. He explained that he did not actually own the farm; he was a 35 percent share milker, which means he works on the farm seven days a week and gets 35 percent of the milk profits. He also told us facts about the farm, for example, how big it was and how many cows he had on it.

He introduced us to his wife Lesley; she gave us a short tour around the main buildings of the farm while Mike got some cows ready to milk. She showed us the calf pens and a few other sheds and explained the farming processes for different seasons and why their farm is located in a good place. She also showed us a calf that had been born six weeks premature; it was half the size of others its own age.

We moved on to the milking shed where Mike showed us the milking system, and then he brought in a dozen cows and asked who wanted to milk a cow. Everybody took a step back and looked at everybody else when, from down the end of the shed, Jermain called out, "I'll give it a go." So he went down and Mike showed him how to hand milk a cow. It took a couple of tries but he got it right. Then Mike asked if a girl wanted to try milking with the machine. Sarah said she would and she got it right first time!

Next, Mike got a tractor out and had some people to load it up with hay bales, then he put a silage bale on the other end of the tractor. Silage is grass stored in case of a drought; it had a very bad smell. Then we walked to the top of the hill while he went off to another paddock to feed out the silage. When he got back, we fed the hay out to some cows in a paddock—the cows were expecting calves very soon. Mike said if we jumped the fence and went into the paddock, we would see a newborn calf. It had only been born that morning and it was already walking. On the way back over the fence, Jane got caught on top of it luckily missing the electric wires.

Then we all walked back down the hill for a well deserved lunch break, followed by a final talk with Mike and Lesley. Tracey thanked the Wilsons on behalf of the class for sharing their farming knowledge with us. We got in the bus for a drive to the top of the hill to do a sketch of the farm.

We did an internal assessment based on our farm trip. Mrs Munro told us that the marks we got were extremely high, as the class average was 32 out of 45. She said that showed how good Mike and Lesley were explaining everything we needed to know.







Year 13













Young Enterprise Scheme

With a committed group of five directors, the *Rutherford Rhapsody Corporation Ltd* took some time to actually launch their product - gift baskets filled with delicious chocolate, decorated with brightly coloured ribbon - but sales have gone quite well.

Kristen Keenan, Managing Director - "The hardest part was choosing a product, I enjoyed making the gift baskets."

Toni O'Regan, Financial Director - "My role was to keep a tight watch over the accounting records, eg expenses, but most importantly, calculating profit! I was able to learn about business first hand and I would recommend this experience to all students."

Serena Lee, Production Director - "I was disappointed with my performance as

production director but while I was in the Young Enterprise Scheme, I learnt that you have to be committed in what you do and it is hard to earn money."

Laura-Jayne Jones, Communications Director - "I did have a lot of fun completing the challenge set before us." **Aaron Ripley, Marketing Director -** "Young enterprise provided me with an insight into commercial operations. I took Young Enterprise originally to cross credit for a paper in a certificate course that I am studying through the New Zealand Institute of Management at Rutherford. I will probably take part in it again next year."



Rotary Adolescent Vocational Experience (R.A.V.E.)

The Rotary Club of Waitakere City has hosted two vocational youth summits this year. Christine Frith and Laura Shields attended the first one in the April school holidays with Moana Osborne and Liana Gray in attendance at the second one during the July holidays.

The programme is targeted towards young people who are able to represent their school, the general (socio-economic) community from which the majority of students are drawn and who can express the general aspirations and fears of those students.

What a weekend! Fifty one young people from Kaitaia to South Auckland shared, enjoyed, learnt, participated and experienced a wonderful time.

The highlights for Moana and Liana were:

'We really enjoyed meeting a wide variety of people who had different career ambitions.'

'The summit has given us more ideas on what to do as a career and we now know what is expected to get into these careers.'

'The speakers were really motivating and encouraging. We have gained leadership skills, team member qualities and greater self-esteem.'

West Auckland Careers Expo

On Wednesday 27th June the senior school attended the second West Auckland Careers Expo at the Avondale Jockey Club. Fortunately it was a beautiful winters day and we needed 10 buses to transport us to the event.

Each of the eleven West Auckland schools had been allocated a time slot within the two day Expo period. There was also an opportunity for families to attend an evening session.

This gave students the chance to gather information from over 45 exhibitors at the Expo. All the main tertiary providers, smaller Industry Training Providers as well as some West Auckland businesses were represented.

The purpose of the Expo is to provide up-to-date information to students, to assist them in the complex process of career planning and preparation for the transition from school to the future of work.

Coca Cola Careers Expo

We took over 40 keen students to the evening session of this Expo on 24 July. This was a good time to attend as the crowd was minimal and there was plenty of opportunity to speak to tutors about courses and programmes and try the 'hands-on' activities.

LION NATHAN BUSINESS EXPERIENCE

inety enthusiastic Year 12 and Year 13 students took part in the three day Lion Nathan Business Experience course from 30 May to 1 June. Our school hall was the venue: the aim was for the students to use their ideas, initiative and creativity to develop a business plan on a service or product with the advice of the co-ordinators.

The course provided seven specialist areas in a business and designated that responsibility to one or two team members. These members were also to attend the seminars and collect information on the specific area. Once they had done so they received \$10,000 grant for each segment completed to go towards starting the business.

From our students, nine different businesses were created; ABC Rap, High Tower Airlines, Extasy, Da Bomb, Akha Soft, High Technological Industry, CQU, Rhythm and Sarga. On the last day of the course the students were 'dressed to impress' as they set up their expo sites and presented their business plan to the judges. The Lion Business course is a recreative experience that excites and informs young New Zealanders about business and its potential as a life choice.

The overall winner of the presentation was ABC Rap for their machine which understood baby talk. We are grateful to Lion Business for providing this opportunity and wish to thank Pine Harrison and Heather Bernau for organising the event and the presenters, Wayne Prince and Caroline Dally-Rangitoheriri. We want to thank the judges involved in the business expo - Clare Matheson, Artemis Gallery Kingsland; John Wansbone, human resources manager Huhtamaki Van Leer; Doe Williams, owner/coach Maniac Basketball; Chris Carter, MP for Te Atatu; and Michele Douglas, from Lion Breweries.









Lampen Workchoice Day

ur Year 12 students had a great day on Tuesday 8 May as part of Lampen Workchoice Day. This is a national day for all secondary schools who choose to participate from Auckland, Wellington and Christchurch. Students visit two work places and see a variety of jobs in action which gives them a good insight into future career possibilities.

Bus transportation was funded by the Careers Department to enable full participation.

Our thanks go to Lampen for organizing the work places. The firms put in a lot of time, effort and money to make this day a success for all. We are very grateful to the following firms and organizations for hosting our students and providing them with lunch. Auckland City Council Planning Department – Auckland City

Auckland Hotel & Chefs' Training School – Newmarket

Carter Holt Harvey – Henderson
Clear Communications Ltd – Takapuna
Colmar Brunton Research – Takapuna
Copthorne Hotel, Anzac Avenue – Auckland City
Department of Child, Youth and Family Services –
Takapuna

Geac Computers Ltd – Grafton Road, City
John Sands (NZ) Ltd – Avondale
Kindercare Learning Centre – Mairangi Bay
Mitre 10 (Head Office) – Glenfield
New Zealand Fire Service Training Centre – Panmure
New Zealand Immigration Service – Auckland City
New Zealand Public Service – Grey Lynn
North Haven Hospital – Whangaparaoa
Quality Hotel Logan Park – Greenlane
The Warehouse, Support Office - Northcote
Tmp Worldwide (formerly Lampenalectus) – Penrose
Westpac Trust Call Centre Phone Assist Royal Oak

skill Pathways is a class for senior students to go out and experience different working environments as well as completing units towards gaining a National Certificate in Employment skills.

Staff have established links with more than 200 employers who have been willing to give our students work experience.

During my work experience placements I have been able to gain many skills and knowledge about the workforce and the industries I have been placed in. I have completed work experience at Club Physical, Youthtown, Auckland Hospital Pre-School and am looking forward to completing my next work experience at Youth Line and Youth Law.

The skills I have gained will be of great use in my future career. I have become more confident within myself and believe that, when I put my mind to it, I can work hard.

It has been a great opportunity for me to complete my work experiences in these industries. It has given me a chance to explore my options which could lead on to a great career.

I appreciate all the industries and companies which allowed me to complete my work experience placements alongside their team and staff.

These work experiences will always have great meaning to me.

Metua Rio



SKILL

PATHWAY

I was able to gain many skills and knowledge from the workplaces that I attended.

I went to Vera Day Care Centre for my first work experience. It was awesome. I gained many skills from working with children aged 1-5 years old. I fed them, prepared the table for eating and prepared the floor space for mat time. It was so cool.

For my second placement, I went to Dalma Court. It was a good experience because I worked as a receptionist. I answered the telephone and did faxing and also helped with reservations. It was great. I worked from 9 am to 3 pm.

In term three, I worked at the Rest Home and it was a great opportunity for me because I gained many skills with working with children at Day Care and I also worked with the elderly people. I helped them give out morning tea and lunch, helped cook in the kitchen and also assisted with residents' activities.

In the holidays, I am going to do my work experience at Polynesian Airlines and I am looking forward to it. It was really hard to get into as I had to send my CV and write a letter to them and then go for an interview. The interview itself was formal because it was like an interview for a job even though it was for my work experience. I did not need to feel nervous at all so I relaxed and focused on what she was asking me and I answered the questions and looked her in the eye, not to the wall or down.

Milika Tautuiaki









Year 11 Geography Quiz

On 2nd August, Tracey Sadgrove, Sandi Van Daalen, Igor Obradovich and Cameo Yung, competed in the Auckland Secondary School Geography Quiz.

Outfitted in tracksuits we travelled to Wendy's for dinner prior to Mrs Munro driving us to Alexandra Racecourse.

There were six different preliminary rounds and every round had a points value.

When all the points were added up, the first three would go through to the final.

Although we did not make the finals, we had fun participating.



Auckland Goethe Society Examinations

Congratulations to all prizewinners in the examinations. All participants gave their best with excellent results:

Year 11: Div C

Highly Commended

Judith Tolley

Sandi van Daalen

Vidya Venugopalan

Merit

Commended

Victoria Russell

Tracey Sadgrove

Participation Merit

Eva Acharya

Michelle Taylor

Helena Ward

Year 10 : Div D(i)

2nd Equal Prize 3rd Equal Prize Special Prize

Diploma

Highly Commended

Commended

Year 9 : Div E(i)

Highly Commended Commended

Niven Prasad **Dorothy Donald** Brendan Harvey Jeremy Hedley Keisha Hape Sanya Marin Scott Sheehan Alistair Watt Nicholas Revell

Hafo Chen **Emily Allen** Stephen Kahi

Australian Maths Competition

Senior Division

Yang (Emily) Chen Hong Liu

Distinction Distinction

Intermediate Division

Scott Sheehan Stephany Zheng Niven Prasad

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Distinction

Jackie Lee Nilam Patel Reginald Dass

Nichole Wards

Distinction Credit Credit

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Hamish Anderson Vidya Venugopalan

Junior Division

Fallon Sanders

Credit

Short Story Competition

Jonathan Pollard is to be commended for entering his short story in The Coming of Age Competition organised by The British Council. His entry was judged to be in the top twenty by New Zealand author, Damien Wilkins.

Through Jonathan's achievements, The British Council has gifted the school a set of fifty hand-bound books from the UK Millennium Library.

An Olde Englisce Restaurante

The news came on the radio; fog had closed the airport. "Well." Dad said slowly, "Who's hungry?'

We looked out at the fog-shrouded city and shrugged. Why not? We set off down the road. Soon we found an old copperplate sign, which read 'An Old Englisce Restaurante'. We trooped, bristling with baggage into the fover.

We went in and sat down at a rough-hewn oak table. The waiter arrived, "How's it going mate?" came the cheery Aussie twang, "We don't see many Kiwis in this part of London."

"Err ... fine thanks. Can we have meal number 12 please, for four - the twins can share." Dad replied gazing at the twins who were proudly displaying their new splinters.

"Cheer up Mum! Just because we're stuck here doesn't mean we can't enjoy our stay."

Mum's only reply was a withering glare. Silence descended on the table.

Our waiter returned. "Sink yer teeth into that!" Dad's first smile of the evening fell off in small brittle chunks. In the centre of the plate was what looked like a deep fried chicken except that someone had apparently forgotten to pluck it first.

"What is it?" breathed the twins reverently.

"Why it's a Traditional English roast." The waiter declared,

"They don't make them like that anymore."

Mum took a large gulp of her wine. "Right, it can't taste as bad as it looks and like the man says, it IS traditional ..."

Dad's hand shook as he reached for the carving knife. The waiter handed him what looked like a pruning saw. The twins pushed their plates up eagerly.

I looked at the chicken wing shaped crystallised fat on my plate; it looked up at me. Slowly I chipped off a small piece and lifted it to my mouth.

The whole restaurant went dead silent and everyone's eyes were on my fork. I closed my mouth. CRUNCH!! That was all the twins needed, they practically inhaled theirs, then Dad took a cautious bite. All eyes turned to Mum who shut her eyes tightly and nibbled a corner. The room erupted in cheering.

Puzzled we looked around curiously. Our waiter threaded his way through the throng.

"Absolutely brilliant!" he congratulated us in a rich English accent, "If you would just follow me ..."

It turned out we were the victims of an old practical joke traditionally played on only the most travel-stressed Kiwi's to be found. Smiling we chowed down on our free food and partied our last night in London.

Jonathan Pollard

Australian Chemistry Competition

Jonathan Pollard received a High Distinction Award (in the top ten percent of candidates) in the Senior Division of this competition.



Art Competition

Sue-Li Yeo entered a painting competition held at Lynmall Shopping Centre. It was a still-life compostion and she was placed first in the under 16 category. For her efforts, Sue-Li won a trip to Wellington.

Spirit Voyages

During the course of each voyage, the Trust aims to give young New Zealanders an equal opportunity to learn and develop from each others qualities of independence, understanding and community spirit through the medium of the sea.

ne of the most rewarding things I do at Rutherford is to send students out on the ship 'The Spirit of New Zealand'. It is a 10 day trip that costs \$950 and many of the four students sent this year had sponsorship from the Master Mariners.

The nervousness they experience on day one turns to total involvement, excitement and skill building. Relationships are formed and many continue these with telephone calls and get-togethers.

If you are 15 and over and would like to experience this adventure, start saving for next year.



We sincerely thank the Master Mariners for sponsoring the Spirit of New Zealand Voyages.

Spirit of New Zealand

Joshua Goddard, Andrew Wadsworth, Grace Parry and Nathan Ganty, have had the 10-day experience on the sailing ship 'Spirit of New Zealand', getting to know the New Zealand coastline, watching dolphins and being part of a team.

Friendships, sailing skills, confidence, leadership skills and fun are the great things that you experience if you take up the challenge.

Dear Captain Kelner

Thank you so much. I cannot begin to explain how grateful I am for your sponsorship. Your generous donation allowed myself to take part in the 10-day 'Spirit of New Zealand' voyage from 13-22 August 2001. Without your help, I would have missed out on this great experience. I loved every single minute of voyage #351 and really did not want to leave. From the morning swims at 6.30 am, then a 'happy hour' of cleaning, a day of sailing to the socialising during the evenings in the aft cabin, all of it was memorable and enjoyable.

Sometimes, when I was woken up at 6.30 in the morning, I felt as though I did not have the energy to get out of bed. But then I remembered I was an important part of a team and that knowledge encouraged me to get up on deck and take part in the morning swim. Usually the water was freezing but it was part of the confidence and character building we gained from the trip.

Day 3 was very memorable. We were down in the aft cabin, eating a well-deserved morning tea after putting all the sails up, when we all fell off our seats! We didn't really know what was going on but knew we had to get up on deck. There was a mad rush to put yellows and harnesses on then get onto the lifelines. We had come into 3 m swells and this was a new experience for most people (including me). Therefore, up the back of the boat were about 20 trainees 'feeding the fish' or 'having technicolour yawns', (once again including me!). Roger cooked us macaroni cheese for lunch and although it didn't smell very appetising, many people felt better after eating it.

On Day 5, I had my turn to be my team (Starboard A) leader. Our watch had been getting along from the first day so, by then we had become great friends. I gained confidence and leadership skills on that day as well as having great fun with the team challenges. Getting off the boat for a few hours on Day 6 was fun as well as a bit of relief. We stopped for lunch at a stream and a few keen girls jumped in! It was really freezing but lovely to have a wash in clean, fresh water.



When trainee day rolled around, I was nominated and elected one of the cooks along with Blair. We had great fun in the galley that day, constantly preparing food and having the occasional flour fight! Another bonus was that everybody loved our meals and let us know. On the last night, we had all planned to sleep on the foredeck but the uncomfortable mooring lines forced half of us to wander back to the bunk beds.

The worst day of the trip would definitely have to be the last. Even McDonald's for breakfast didn't lift everybody's mood or prevent the tears and good-byes that were to come. Everlasting bonds had formed and friendships created in just 10 days. Saying goodbye was very difficult and sad but hopefully it won't be forever – just until next time. We all plan to keep in touch.

I hope you realise how important your generosity is to the teenagers you sponsor. I really enjoyed myself and have convinced my little brother to go on the boat in a few years time. Thank you.

Yours sincerely Grace Parry

FAREWELLS

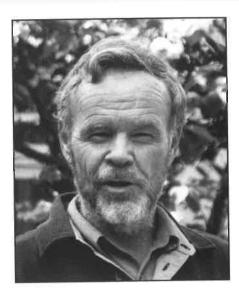
Dave Needham

Violet Tu'uga Stevenson

For the second year in succession, Rutherford College has lost a very long-serving science teacher through retirement. Dave Needham, the Head of the Science Department, started at Rutherford High School as a first year teacher in 1964. Born in Yorkshire, England (and still with a trace of a Yorkshire accent and the typical Yorkshire dry sense of humour), Dave did his secondary and University education in New Zealand. After four years teaching at Rutherford, Dave resigned his position and went on his OE to England where he taught for two years and travelled extensively. Towards the end of his time in England he saw a science job advertised at Rutherford, applied, was appointed and returned to the school in 1970, where he has been ever since.

Biology has always been Dave's first love but he has also taught senior physics. Appointed Head of Science in 1975. Dave has always shown excellent managerial skills and he is a great runner of efficient and effective meetings. Dave has all the qualities that would have made him a fine senior school administrator but his love of teaching "at the chalk face" kept him in the classroom for all of his teaching career - very fortunately for generations of Rutherford science students.

Dave will be missed in many areas of the school's life, not just in the Science Department. For years he was the Rutherford Branch Chairperson of the Post Primary Teachers' Association. His ability to sum up issues in a few carefully chosen words, his fearless defence of what he saw as right rather than as convenient, made him the "conscience of the staff" - maybe even the "conscience of the school". His contributions in the area of industrial relations will be sorely missed.



Outdoor Education Camps will never be the same either. Dave has shared his own love of tramping and the New Zealand bush with many often reluctant campers. In the days when bonfires were allowed at Hunua, the outcamp often rang to off-the-cuff songs composed largely by Dave. One example from 1996 and still partly remembered by at least one of those there, included every student by name. Here is an excerpt:

There was Josh, Josh, dressed up rather posh

at the camp, at the camp

There was Leah, Leah, bringing up the rear

at the Rutherford High School camp."

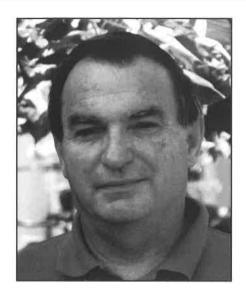
Dave takes the best wishes of the Rutherford family as he retires. He will have more time to indulge his interests in world travel, philosophy, reading, tramping in the mountain places, fine wine and Italian food. We wish you, Dave and your wife Margaret, many happy years of retirement - with so much to do you will wonder how you even found the time to come to school.



Violet started 2001 on official study leave to finish her Masters degree in Education Administration. Having achieved this goal half way through the year she accepted the challenge of Pasifica Education team member at the Education Review Office.

Violet had taught at Rutherford for five years; Lifeskills, Social Studies and Mathematics, as well as helping in the Careers and Transition team. She became HOD of Health and Lifeskills introduced new health programmes to the school and the community. She was actively involved in the Te Atatu Peninsula Youth Network (TAPYN), organised our school to become one of the leading schools in the Health Promoting Schools project and started the Students Reaching Students group. She was also involved with the Pasifica group, focusing on preparing the students for the Secondary Schools Festival each year. Her passion was for the students and she was always around to help out with many activities. It has been a shock to staff and students to find that Violet will not be returning to Rutherford, however, we wish her well in her new role with ERO.

Colin Whitehouse



Colin has been teaching at Rutherford College for the past 26 years, apart from a brief interlude in 1980-83 when he returned to primary teaching. He is a member of the mathematics department where his expertise in statistics has been a great asset to our year 12 and 13 students. During his time at Rutherford he has also taught computer applications to the special education students, junior science, physics and ESOL and it is his love of a challenge that sees him altering his career path to professionally develop in the field of ESOL teaching.

Rutherford students have benefited from his involvement with the Cricket 1st XI, girls cricket, rugby, badminton and outdoor education. However, he will be remembered with the most affection because of his passion for chess which he had played competitively at the highest level and his ability to impart this love and knowledge to the many members of the chess clubs he has conducted during the lunchtimes. Their success is reflected in the excellent results our school has achieved in interschool competitions over the years.

His dry sense of humour will be missed and we wish him all the best for the future.

Chess

Chess has continued to be a focus for lunchtime game activities.

The school fielded a team in the intersecondary school competition. Managed by Mr Bates, the team of Stanley Li, Richard Lowe, Tristan Alay-Ay and Ignaseus Tan played some interesting games but did not reach the playoff round.

The Senior Championship was held in term three and was an exciting and closely fought competition. Gareth Parker, Stanley Li, Richard Lowe, Victor Zeitoum and Michael Ward all threatened to win the competition at some stage. A win by Gareth over one of the leading contenders led to Stanley

and Victor ending the round robin with equal points.

A playoff resulted in Stanley Li winning the Senior Chess Championship.

The Junior Championship was also a hard-fought contest with Tristan Alay-Ay winning, ahead of Ignasius Tan and Taz Te Ohaere.



The school entered the West Auckland Secondary Schools Chess Competition and gained a creditable third place. This year, new chess sets were purchased by the school and the members of the school team donated money which resulted in the obtaining of four new boards.

Thank you, boys.

With most of the school team returning next year, chess is in a strengthening position at Rutherford College.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Secondary schools in West Auckland have been provided with scholarships to encourage and assist students in their challenging progression on to tertiary education.

Young people are our investment in the future. Their care, development and improved education is our responsibility.

Waitakere Licensing Trust

Our recipients this year are: Benjamin Law, David Prior, Min Kim, Angela Lowe and Anisha Acharya.

RSA Tertiary Award

Rebeca O'Gorman is the recipient of this award. She will receive substantial financial assistance from the RSA throughout her tertiary study programme.

lan Gibson, president of the RSA presents her award.



ASB Bank Bursary Awards



Our recipients this year are: Jonathan Pollard, Melissa Underwood, Tabitha Meharg, Priya Mistry, Adrian Soh and Alicia Leitch.

ART WORK:

FRONT COVER

Painting - Year 11

BACK COVER

Painting - Year 11

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Rutherford 40th Reunion

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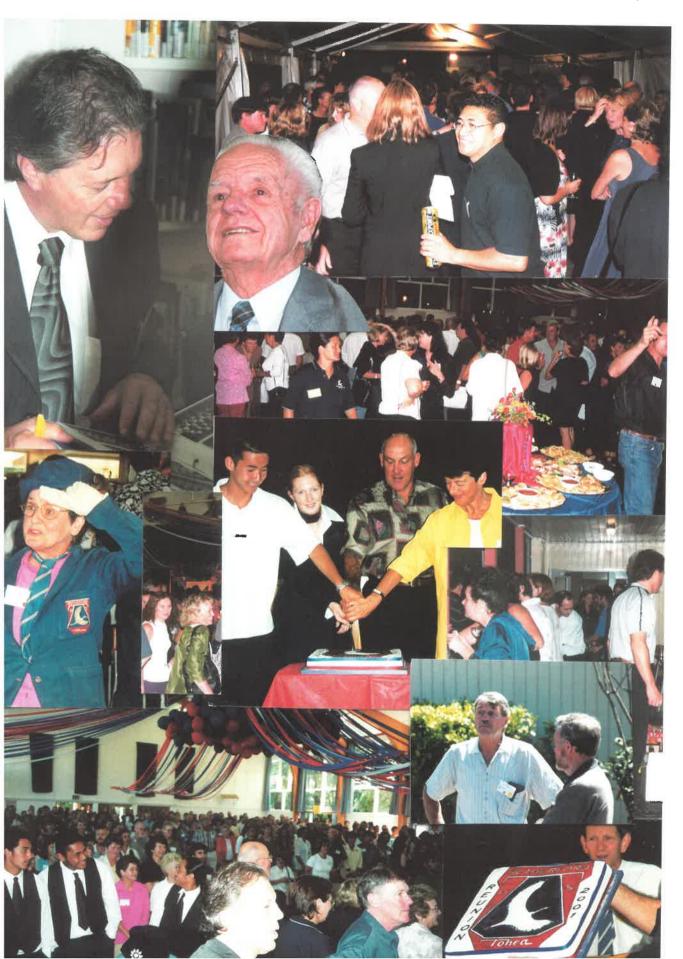
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Year 11 School Certificate candidates board submissions.









































SCHOOL BALL

s there are so many beautiful dresses hanging in girls' closets that have only been worn once, Tabitha Meharg organised a ball dress sale to save West Auckland girls money in what could be a very expensive season. This was one of the major 'pre-ball' tasks that took an investment of time and energy on the part of Tabitha and her team but it did instil pre-ball excitement in the fitting room!

The ballroom at the Carlton Hotel was the selected venue of the senior students social highlight of the year. Italian

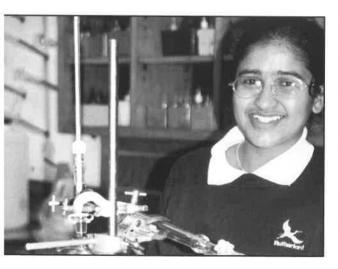
Mafia was the basis for theming which proved to be conducive to a wide range of ball attire - with and without accessories.

Guest artists 'Jester' proved a popular choice as they played their latest numbers prior to going on tour.

Management at the Carlton have specifically acknowledged the high standard of dress and behaviour exhibited by our students - this truly compensates for the hours spent organising such a major function.

Open Day

Open Day 26 July, 2.30pm - 8.30pm saw parents and prospective students invited to visit Rutherford; take a tour of the school, talk to teachers, have a go at activities, test scientific experiments and enrol for 2002.









SPORT



utherford College is proud of its many sporting achievements this year.

Four hundred and fifty students have been involved in the 16 sports that are offered and many have achieved semi-finals, finals or have won their section.

Water polo, outrigging, netball, badminton, equestrian, volleyball, tennis, squash, rugby, rugby league, underwater hockey, basketball, touch, soccer, table tennis, outdoor bowls and hockey have seen much eager participation. With a lot of interest being shown from the contributing schools in hockey (both boys and girls), Rutherford will run holiday clinics and cater for the interest that is growing. This year, we also had a Premier Girls Netball team.

The 34 staff involved are enthusiastic and keen to contribute and find their

involvement and relationships with their team members rewarding in the classroom also.

Basketball has a professional American coach, Doe Williams, who runs holiday clinics and is building up a keen and able group of players who are in the finals of three divisions.

Outrigging is coached and guided by Gerry Smith who is taking a team to the World Championships in Tahiti in 2002.

The school employs a full-time Sports Co-ordinator, Kylie Hill; provides a van that has made transporting teams easier and has purchased track-suits for representative and premier teams. With two sports gyms, a swimming pool, four tennis courts, large fields and plenty of enthusiasm and expertise, sport is well catered for at Rutherford College.

The following team reports include three awards to team members:

MVP Most Valuable Player
MIP Most Improved Player
FPA Fairplay Award

Rutherford College observes the fairplay code:

Respect - for the opposition, the officials and the rules of the game

Staying Cool - no matter what happens

Dignity - in winning and losing

Keeping Sport Fun - that's why we do it.

Athletic Sports Day

Well over half the school entered into this years athletic day. Mathew Denyer set a new record in the Junior Boys 300 m and Huia Cooke equalled the 1995 record for the Intermediate Girls 80 m hurdles. All the Special Education students participated with Jody Kahua running in the 100 m Junior Boys final and JP Roux competing in the 100 and 200 Senior Boys finals.

ATHLETIC CHAMPIONS Junior Girls Keri-Leigh Robinson Junior Boys Niven Prasad Intermediate Girls Huia Cooke Intermediate Boys Ashley Pilkington Senior Girls Christina Waitai Senior Boys

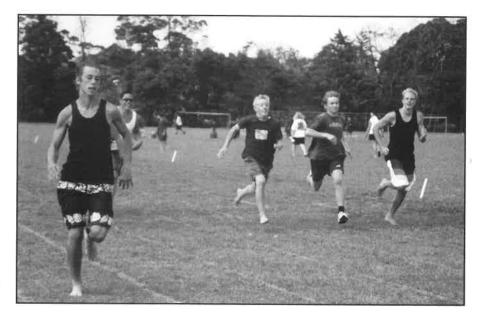
NZ Secondary Schools Athletics

John Taunga

Huia Cooke showed the rest of New Zealand 'just how to hurdle' winning the Junior Girls 80 m high hurdles. She also finished 2nd in the Junior Girls 100 m - 19 seconds behind the winner. Jacelyn Davis was in the Junior Girls 400 m but did not make it to the next stage.

NZ Athletic Nationals

Carrying on from her success at the New Zealand Secondary School Athletics, Huia Cooke competed in the New Zealand Athletic Nationals in Hastings. Running up an age-grade and against athletes up to three years older than herself, Huia finished 5th in the U/18 100 m hurdles.



Athletics Champion of Champions

A small team of students competed in this event at Mt Smart Stadium. Congratulations to ALL competitors - you did us proud!

Huia Cooke

1st Intermediate Girls 80 m hurdles
1st Intermediate Girls 100 m
2nd Intermediate Girls shot put
6th Intermediate Girls discus
Niven Prasad
Christina Waitai

1st Intermediate Girls 100 m
2nd Intermediate Girls shot put
6th Intermediate Girls discus
3rd Junior Boys triple jump
4th Senior Girls high jump

Huia Cooke 2nd Intermediate Girls 4 x 100 m jump Huia Cooke 2nd Intermediate Girls 4 x 100 m relay Kayla Murphy Relay

Arahi Wall Relay
Renee Young Relay

Many thanks to Mrs Yearsley for her support.



SPORT REPRESENTATIVES

AUCKLAND

Niven Prasad Huia Cooke Nicole Copeland Tracey Sadgrove Morgan Lundon Lucas Watling Mathew Marinovich Rvan Lewell **Daniel Francis** Nicole Copeland Kylee Maaka Paula Watene Serena Watene Arahi Wall

Christina Waitai

Richard de Vere

Luke Tie

Daniel Smith

Secondary School Athletics WSAG Track/Field North Harbour U/16 Badminton North Harbour U/16, U/18 Badminton Waitakere U/16 Basketball Waitakere U/14 Basketball Waitakere U/14 Basketball Waitakere U/20 Basketball Waitakere U/20 Basketball U/14 Cricket Waitakere U/15 Netball Waitakere U/15 Netball Waitakere U/17 Netball Waitakere U/17 Netball Waitakere U/17 Netball U/16 Ice Hockey

Renee Young Alex Cheong Ben Bacon Matt Denver Kahu Hape Henry Cope Robert Turner Ralph Ah Van Henry Cope Shannon Cummane Delwyn Paki Carmorita Roebeck Niven Prasad Peter Thrower Dorothy Donald Tarryn Hird Renee Young

WSAG Hockey U/19 Underwater Hockey U/14 Rugby Union Waitakere U/14 Rugby League Waitakere U/14 Rugby League U/14 Development Rugby League U/15 Rugby League U/17 Rugby League North Harbour U/15 Softball North Harbour U/17, U/19 Softball North Harbour U/17, U/19 Softball North Harbour U/15 Softball Waitakere U/14 Soccer WSAG Soccer Waitakere U/15 Soccer Waitakere U/15 Soccer Surf Life Saving

NATIONAL

BADMINTON

Leon Crane

Northern Region U/19

U/16 Ice Hockey

U/19 Ice Hockey

ICE SKATING

Dee Pulman

TABLE TENNIS

Adrian Soh

Nelson U/18, U/20 Mens

NZ Mens

OUTRIGGING

Aimee Moore Matthew Pont Tuwhiti Happy

Renee Solomona Tarere Happy Trent Brokenshire

Andrew Wadsworth

BASKETBALL

Morgan Lundon U/16

NETBALL

Arahi Wall

NZ Secondary Schools

ATHLETICS

Huia Cooke

NZ Secondary Schools

UNDERWATER HOCKEY

Alex Cheong

NZ U/19

ICE HOCKEY

Richard de Vere Daniel Smith

NZ U/16 NZ U/19

DANCE SKATING

Brett Lumsden

TOUCH

Christina Waitai

Secondary Schools Mixed

(Paper Team)

SPECIAL OLYMPICS

Ruth O'Gorman J P Roux Michael Carter

Trent Wrathall Robert Chan

Greggory Williams

Esther Robb Travis Torrey Leon Curtis Ian Laifone

Amanda Burke

Sports Dinner

Doe Williams, entrepreneur and Rutherford's Basketball Coach, reinforced the need for students to set and not to lose sight of their goals. As guest speaker at our third Sports Award dinner, he personalised his address by recounting his history and this message bore testimony to his success. The ceremony was very well organised and enjoyed by all. Most valued, most improved and fair play awards were distributed. Exceptional accomplishments and Sports persons of the year were acknowledged.



JUNIOR SPORTS PERSONS

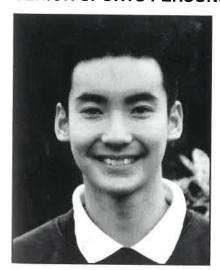


Niven Prasad



Nicole Copeland

SENIOR SPORTS PERSONS



Adrian Soh



Huia Cooke



Olive Patrick, Service to Sport Award

Special Olympics

A small team regularly competes in numerous Special Olympic activities. The following results were from gymnastics competitions in June:

Amanda Burke	3 Gold	6 Silver	
Ruth O'Gorman	6 Gold	3 Silver	
Leon Curtis	2 Gold	4 Silver	1 Bronze
J P Roux	2 Gold	2 Silver	4 Bronze
Greggory Williams	3 Gold	2 Silver	1 Bronze
Travis Torrey			1 Bronze
Robert Chan		1 Silver	1 Bronze

On the weekend of 9th and 10th June, seven students competed most successfully at the Waitakere Regional Gymnastics Competition. The students participated in two gymnastic fields - rhythmic and artistic.

The following awards were received:

Ruth O'Gorman	Rhythmic 3 Gold 1 Silver	Artistic 3 Gold 2 Silver
Amanda Burke	1 Gold 3 Silver	2 Gold 3 Silver
Leon Curtis	3 Silver	2 Gold 1 Silver 1 Bronze 1 4 th ribbon
J P Roux	3 Bronze	2 Gold 2 Silver 1 Bronze
Travis Torrey	2 5 th ribbons 1 4 th ribbon	1 Bronze 3 5 th ribbons 1 6 th ribbon
Robert Chan	1 Bronze 2 4 th ribbons	1 Silver 1 4 th ribbon 2 6 th ribbons 1 7 th ribbon
Greggory Williams	3 Golds	2 Silver 2 Bronze 1 4 th ribbon







Tennis

Juniors:

Simone Crowther Amber Horner Shirley Rounds Devika Gounder Larisa James Leah Taite

Mrs Devitt (Coach)

MVP - Leah Taite

MIP - Larisa James

FPA - Simone Crowther

Intermediate:

Teodora Kusevska Presheen Sudkhoe Angela Vernon Elise Scanlen Judith Tolley

Mrs Tolley (Coach)

MVP - Judith Tolley

MIP - Presheen Sudkhoe

FPA - Elise Scanlen

Bowls College Tournament

Team members:

Rick Goodwin Adrian Soh

Mr Watson (Manager)

The ball rolls and rolls and rolls and rolls. Welcome to Lawn Bowls - a game where you are trying to have your balls stop as near as possible to a mark, known as the jack.

My expectations of the game before I tried it were of a boring and uninteresting sport, how wrong was I? Lawn bowls is intense and exciting, when you're playing. To see the ball roll and nick its way inside closer to the jack is quite nerve-wracking especially when you're trying to win. I have enjoyed this experience and I solemnly recommend it to students who want to have fun. I say 'Give it a go!'



Rick and Adrian represented Rutherford in the Auckland Lawn Bowls Championships in Howick. They had very limited experience and had had only one practice session before the tournament under the coaching eyes of Mr Watson. They knew they were up against experienced campaigners of the sport who had been playing for years yet our boys had comprehensive wins over their opponents notching up results of 21-5, 11-8 and 8-7 respectively.

This placed them into the quarter finals (further than they ever thought they would go) up against a pairing that had a combined experience of five years. They got out to a 5-1 lead than cracked under the pressure of the situation (or their luck had just run out) to a final result of 8-15. This ended the tournament but showed them that experience isn't everything.

Open Boys Basketball

Team members:

Rodney Dass Nigel
Daniel Francis Ryan
Morgan Lundon Alaric
Carl Thomas Jimm

Nigel Fowler Ryan Lewell Alaric McCarthy Jimmy Perston

Tyron Talamahina Nicholas Thompson Mahven Tuitama-Muaiava

MVP - Nick Thompson MIP - Jimmy Perston FPA - Ryan Lewell



Under 16 Boys Basketball

Team members:

Rodney Dass Nigel Fowler
Kelsey Lewell Morgan Lundon
Bojan Solesa Glenn Taylor
Carl Thomas Jamie Tomars
Jimmy Perston

Tyron Talamahina Mathew Marinovich Mahven Tuitama-Muaiava

MVP - Mahven Tuitama-Muaiava

MIP - Rodney Dass FPA - Bojan Solesa



Under 14 Boys Basketball

Team members:

James Kindley Kelsey Lewell Bojan Solesa Glenn Taylor Jamie Tomars Lucas Watling Morgan Lundon Mathew Marinovich

MVP - Morgan Lundon MIP - Lucas Watling

FPA - Kelsey Lewell



BASKETBALL SEASON RESULTS:

Open Boys

Won

Runners Up

Under 16 Boys

Runners Up

Under 14 Boys

Won

Runners Up

Central/Western Zone Competition

Auckland Competition

Western Zone Competition

Western Zone Competition

Auckland Competition

Under 19 Girls Basketball

Team members:

Moana Osborne Suvania Schuster Renee Solomona Elizabeth Te Pai Moana Tomoare Lisia Tuitupou Stephanie Harris

Miss Ho (Coach)

MVP - Lisia Tuitupou

MIP - Moana Tomoare

FPA - Ellizabeth Te Pai



Under 16 Girls Basketball

Team members:

Alexis Ranson Liana Gray
Lucy Liveti Vaipage Liveti
Camille Riini Katie Storr
Jasmin Taite Leah Taite
Penny Pekepo Hereteina Parai

Chardon Parata Senia Eastmure

Mrs Paul (Coach)

MVP - Jasmine Taite

MIP - Hereteina Parai

FPA - Chardon Parata



B Grade Badminton

Team members:

Michael Antunovich Wai Chau Cheung Kenny Liew Adrian Soh

Mr Sizer (Coach)

MVP - Adrian Soh

MIP - Wai Chau Cheung

FPA - Kenny Liew



B GRADE BOYS

Runners Up

Auckland Competition

C Grade Social

Team members:

Julia Schlang Luke Reid
Sayako Maeda Miyako Hino
Serena Lee Ashlee Tawhiti
Khiran Huston Wha Yong Son
Ashley Pilkington
Jonathan den Hartog

Mrs Reid (Manager) Miss O'Driscoll (Manager)

MVP - Luke Reid

MIP - Ashley Pilkington

FPA - Serena Lee



Students from Year 9 – Year 12, including some international students, enjoyed non-competition badminton. We were able to field two teams a week, most of whom were beginners, with the exception of Luke Reid.

Luke played, kept score and coached the teams in both score-keeping and playing techniques.

Everyone learned a lot and had a great time and several team members are looking forward to a more competitive year in 2002.



Junior Boys Cricket

Team members:

Aram Ahmed Junior Nangaiti Akbar Bhamji Jason Cleeton Daniel Dean Ryan Edgar Daniel Frietman Cainan Hall Stephen Kahi Hayden Kiss John Poe Niven Prasad Alistair Watt Kyle Williams

Shannon Osborne Robert Leumaga

Mr White (Coach) Mr Beguely (Manager)

MVP - Niven Prasad MIP - Cainan Hall

FPA - Alistair Watt



Girls Cricket

Team members:

Emily Allen Katey Aspin Keisha Hape Aimee Moore Hannah Akitt Loren Pedersen Dorothy Donald Nicole Copeland Esther Gemmell Amy Butterworth Kimberley Donachie Anneka Brinkman

Melisa-Sue Mayall **Emmaline Pickering-Martin**

Vidya Venugopalan

Kylie Hill (Coach) Miss Ashby (Manager)

MVP - Nicole Copeland MIP - Melisa-Sue Mayall

FPA - Kimberley Donachie

1ST XI Cricket

Team members:

Joash Dass Ali Foa'i Adrian Soh Sione Taunga Peter Thrower Ioane Faaui Zubair Rasheed Shailen Sudkhoe Pavle Obradovic

Ralph Ah Van Rick Goodwin Benjamin Kingi Jermaine Morgan Elliott Ranson **Obayd Rasheed**

Mr White (Coach)

Mr Beguely (Manager)

MVP - Benjamin Kingi MIP - Peter Thrower

FPA - Rick Goodwin



Western Zone Cross Country

Team members:

Louie Muir Kayla Murphy Niven Prasad Scott Sheehan Trent Brokenshire Tracey Kelderman



World Scholar-Athlete Games

In June this year six students represented Rutherford at these games in Rhode Island, USA:

Ella Brown Dance
Alex Cheong Theatre
Hannah Cochrane
Huia Cooke Track and Field
Peter Thrower Soccer
Renee Young Field Hockey

The concept of the WSAG is to unite students from different countries and have them working together regardless of their cultural or ethnic differences.

Being patriotic Kiwis, we marched under our own flag at the opening ceremony. Each day was jam-packed with action.

We were fortunate to listen to the 'Temptations', Judge Ken Starr (Monica Lewinski case), Elisabeth Filaski and Rodger Bingham (from the TV 'Survivor - Outback').

As well as competing and practising in our own sports/arts we were also involved in Theme Day discussions, topics included: Ethics and Sportsmanship, Global Environment, World Peace and World Health/ Hunger/Nutrition.

Our findings were presented to the United Nations delegates in New York City.

After 10 days in Rhode Island we travelled to New York. We spent four days taking in some of the sights and once we mastered the subway system there was no stopping us.

We visited the Statue of Liberty, went up the Empire State Building and yes - we can even say that we have been to the Twin Towers. On 4th July (Independence Day) celebrations we had the best seats in the house. Our charm saw the NYPD security allow us onto the upper decks to watch the amazing fireworks display.

From New York we went to Los Angeles, this was 'da bomb'.

Knotts Berry Farm, Disneyland, California Adventures and Universal Studios were amazing. Utilising and maximising the time in the day was the key to having fun and squeezing in some shoe shopping.

All in all the trip was 'really cool'. The hard work with the fund-raising surely paid off.

We did ourselves, our families and our school proud!

Swimming Sports

A fun flipper race and tough competition was the mix at Rutherford College's swimming sports held on 14 February. The flipper race involved students swimming halfway to find the elusive flipper, put it on and return. More than 200 students took part with staff co-ordinating the annual event.

Junior Boys Ben Bacon

Junior Girls

Tina Glover

Intermediate Boys

Scott Sheehan

Intermediate Girls

Sandi van Daalen

Senior Boys

Ali Foa'i

Senior Girls

Moana Glover





Western Zone Swimming

The Western Zone competition brought the following results from our small, yet enthusiastic team:

Scott Sheehan -

3rd Int. Boys Backstroke

6th Int. Boys - Breastroke

Sandi van Daalen -

3rd Int. Girls Freestyle4th Int. Girls Backstroke

Thanks to Miss Simpson who organised the team and to Jo Munro for coming down to the pools and officiating on Rutherford's behalf.

North Island Championships

Congratulations to Scott Sheehan who finished 8th in the 400 m individual medley and 13th in the backstroke

New Zealand Secondary Schools Swimming Championships

Scott Sheehan finished in the top 20 in ALL his 8 events - having a top placing of 10th in the U/14 Boys 200 m Breaststroke.

Sandi van Daalen finished 13th or better in the U/14 Girls events.

She was placed 6th in the 50 m Freestyle and 7th in both the 50 m Backstroke and 200 m Individual Medley.

Deborah Vernon was 21st in the 200m and 24th in the 50 m Backstroke.



Lunchtime Touch Competition

Year 9 Winners:

Jonathan Bailey Simone Crowther Johnny Tik Caine O'Shea Chanelle Tekanawa Cindy Barnett Hayden Kiss Carl Waddell

Year 10 Winners:

Jason Cleeton Keisha Hape Jeremy Hedley Yorks Joe Trevor Julian Niven Prasad Emmaline Pickering-Martin









Senior Girls Touch

Team members:

Ella Brown Huia Cooke Tarere Happy Loren Pedersen Arahi Wall

Amy Butterworth J'Aime Godinet Olive Patrick Lisia Tuitupou Christina Waitai

Serena Watene Rose-Helen Tobia

Mrs Tipa (Coach) Shane Tipa (Coach)

MVP - Christina Waitai

MIP - Arahi Wall

FPA - Lisia Tuitupou

The senior girls finished 3rd in the local competition; 4th in the regional tournament and 9th down at the Hopu Hopu competition.

Christina Waitai was selected in the New Zealand (Paper) team and once again a BIG thanks to Shane Tipa for coaching the girls.





Senior Boys Touch

Team members:

Ralph Ah Van Tuwhiti Happy Henare Rudolph Cedric Suifua **Justin Davis** James Te Whata

Rodney Dass Albert Roebeck Adrian Soh Sione Taunga Spencer Ying

Mr Thompson (Coach)

MVP - Sione Taunga MIP - Albert Roebeck FPA - Tuwhiti Happy



The local senior competition ended with the boys finishing 4th.

Premier Netball

Team members:

Ella Brown Huia Cooke Kimberley Donachie Christina Waitai Arahi Wall Paula Watene Serena Watene

Mrs Yearsley (Coach) Mrs Taylor (Coach)

MVP - Arahi Wall

MIP - Huia Cooke

FPA - Ella Brown



Fundraising Raffle for Tracksuits. Many thanks to our supporters and sponsor.



Senior 1 Netball

Team members:

Gina Benge Jayne Buckley Amy Butterworth Kathryn Colman Aimee Moore Enuaarii Tere Judith Tolley Lisia Tuitupou

Mrs Reid (Manager)

MVP - Judith Tolley

MIP - Aimee Moore

FPA - Gina Benge





Senior 2 Netball

Team members:

Hannah Akitt Kayla Murphy Grace Parry Kimberley Rooney Victoria Russell Erin Sanders Paula Shennan Patricia Watson

Mrs Brayshaw (Coach)

MVP - Paula Shennan

MIP - Grace Parry

FPA - Victoria Russell

Senior 3 Netball

Team members:

Anneka Brinkman Shannon Cummane Esther Gemmell Emma Kahi Shaye MacKenzie Maree McDonald Sarah McEwan Suzanne Overington

Miss Simpson (Coach)

MVP - Shaye Mackenzie

MIP - Emma Kahi

FPA - Suzanne Overington



Inter-School One Day Equestrian Event

Team members:

Michelle Hand
Emma Layzell
Sarah Taffard
Rachael Gerard
Miss F Lamberton (Manager)

The team competed in the dressage and the cross country events. Emma achieved the team's highest score in the dressage section. However, the cross country proved to be very challenging with all our riders being eliminated. Later in the day (with the pressure off) the girls retackled the cross country jumps with good results.

Year 10A Netball

Team members:

J'Aime Godinet Keisha Hape Kylee Maaka Moana Osborne Keri Robinson Samantha Ying

Elizabeth Golding

Serena Watene (Coach) Mrs Godinet (Manager)

MVP - Keisha Hape

MIP - J'Aime Godinet

FPA - Moana Osborne





Year 10B Netball

Team members:

Hayley Galbraith Audra Piaso
Jessica Poinga-Hill Leah Taite
Nicole Williams
Rachel Meleisea

Emmaline Pickering-Martin

Miss McKay (Coach) Mrs Tai (Manager)

MVP - Jessica Poinga-Hill

MIP - Rachel Meleisea

FPA - Leah Taite

Winners of the 10B Competition

Year 10C Netball

Team members:

Nikita Brown Jody Gray
Liana Gray Toni Murray
Ashlee Tawhiti Victoria Radford
Ashleigh Sisepi Hannah Leybourne

Miss Martell (Coach)

MVP - Toni Murray

MIP - Ashleigh Sisepi

FPA - Hannah Leybourne



A close-knit team, we all turned up to every practice and to every game.

Over the season we won one game

by default, drew two and lost the rest. Most of the games were played to our full potential. We all had fun and would like to thank Miss Martell for her encouragement.

Year 9A Netball

Team members:

Sarah Courtney
Jesse Gemmell
Cammie Hohenberger
Hayley Johnstone
Monique Johnstone
Chanelle Tekanawa
Michaela Williams

Ella Brown (Coach)

MVP - Sarah Courtney

MIP - Monique Johnstone

FPA - Hayley Johnstone



Year 9B Netball

Team members:

Regina Kaio Corinna Lundon Tiegan Manners Aarti Mistry Natasha Nathan Vasa Neria Hannah Reid Jasmin Taite Toria Timoti

Moeroa Patrick (Coach)

MVP - Corinna Lundon

MIP - Hannah Reid

FPA - Aarti Mistry

Winners of the 9B Competition

Year 9C Netball

Team members:

Emily Allen
Lecta Chanthawong
Lorraine Cooper
Amber Horner
Diane Luangkhoth
Laura Roberts
Jonelle Watson

Natalie Lawton (Coach)

MVP - Jonelle Watson

MIP - Lecta Chanthawong

FPA - Lorraine Cooper



Senior Mixed Outrigging

Junior 19 (women's/men's) outrigging team trialled in Rotorua, July 2001 for selection to compete for New Zealand in Tahiti - March, 2002.

To qualify the teams had to make the top four in their races - which they were successful at.

The teams have valuable support from their parents. Each crew member needs \$3,800 to pay for accommodation/airfares/food. They have sold chocolates, had a trivial pursuit night, done barbecues at the All Black/Springbok matches.

Their main sponsor is Aquapro who make chase boats for team New Zealand (America's Cup).

Aquapro have donated a 10 foot boat for the team to raffle off and are supplying polo shirts/tee shirts for the teams.

Club Physical has donated four, one month memberships worth \$130 each.

The Mad Butcher gave discounted sausages for the sausage sizzle.

The teams are extremely grateful for the support they have received.

Thanks to Mrs Smith and Alec Third for their efforts in preparing the students for these events.

The girls team consisted of:

Tarere Happy - Rutherford
Renee Solomona - Rutherford
Aimee More - Rutherford

Nicole Portas - Westlake Girls Renee Portas - Westlake Girls

- Kelston Girls

- Kelston Boys

The boys team consisted of:

Sarah Harris

Travis Harris

Tuwhiti Happy - Rutherford
Matthew Pont - Rutherford
Andrew Wadsworth - Rutherford
Trent Brokenshire - Rutherford
Nathan Portas - Westlake Boys

Senior Boys

Team members:

Alex Cheong Tuwhiti Happy Ariki Hohepa Matthew Pont Andrew Wadsworth

Mrs Smith (Coach)

MVP - Andrew Wadsworth

MIP - Tuwhiti Happy

FPA - Matthew Pont

Senior Girls

Team members:

Tarere Happy Aimee Moore Adamarie Roudon Renee Solomona

Mrs Smith (Coach)

MVP - Tarere Happy

MIP - Renee Solomona

FPA - Aimee Moore



The commitment and dedication of the Rutherford outrigger teams to their sport this year has been legendary. Training is intense under the guidance of Gerry Smith and Alec Third who invest in us for the good of the sport. Outrigging has taken us all around New Zealand and Australia last year and next year we are on our way to Bora Bora, Tahiti to represent our country.

Achievements to date include secondary school titles, national spring placings, silver and bronze in long distance events.

The students that qualified for New Zealand representation were Trent Brokenshire, Tuwhiti Happy, Mathew Point, Andrew Wadsworth, Aimee Moore, Tarere Happy and Renee Solomona. To the padders of Rutherford, go hard.

Team NZ

Juniors from the Waitakere Outrigging Club are putting New Zealand's America's Cup team through its paces ahead of next year's competition.

Twenty five members of the America's Cup team, including New Zealand's only gold medalist Rob Waddell, have been coached by Waitakere's under 19 men's and women's teams at West Haven.

The session included an introduction to outrigging paddling, sprints and a 6 km race from the Chelsea sugar refinery on the North Shore back to West Haven.

"It was a team building exercise and also about improving their upper body strength."



Creative Writing

TWELFTH OF SEPTEMBER

Tattered and enmeshed in steel Wrapped, trapped in rubble and dust Charred, crushed, pierced and smashed

These scarlet stains on barren ash
Tears fall on rubble and dust
On concrete and metal and cold
On crumbled walls hiding the lost
From air warm with weeping
And earth still busy spinning
Spawning anger upon fear
Its broken song grey and numb
Plundered of all rhythm
Divided, disjointed, decayed
Unaware of walls yet to fall
Of more rubble and dust and war.
Alicia Leitch

PHOTO ALBUM

Why does the past Seem so bad. Methinks it would have been cool, To live like Nana and Grandad.

I've seen so many good things in the book with all the photos. Like my grandparents old car when it actually goes.

My mother as a little girl, playing knucklebones.
They still communicated, but there weren't any phones.

Why don't people talk much about it? I mean the past wasn't all bad, was it?

Sean Miller

JUST FOR TODAY

Just for today, I will not give way
to anger
So that I and the world are peaceful.
When I walk, I walk softly;
When I talk, I talk slowly;
When I sing
I sing with a rhythm and a melody
and a note;
When I write, I am deep;
When I sleep, I sleep peacefully;
When I dance, I dance happily;
And so when I say,
"Just for today I will not give way
to anger"
I say it like I mean it.

Kawar Khalid

Senior Boys Kilikiti

Team members:

Ralph Ah Van Bert Akesi Keniseli Keniseli Ioane Faaui Alzain Khan Joel Meleisea John Morell Cedric Suifua Vincent Suifua **Edward Talepita** Sione Taunga Elliott Ranson Adrian Soh Norton Shortland Samuel Yerro Michael Vivian

Joseph Stankovich Ranea Langendoen Douglas Honeycombe Mahven Tuitama-Muaiava

Keniseli (Coach)

Mrs Tai (Manager)

MVP - Keniseli Keniseli

MIP - Douglas Honeycombe

FPA - John Morell



Senior Girls Kilikiti

Team members:

Stephanie Harris Leala Anae Rosie Marinovich Alisha Mauai Delwyn Paki Bernice Peters Jennifer Toma Ratika Rai Corina Riggs Moana Tomoare Metua Rio Milika Tautuiaki Enuaarii Tere Lisia Tuitupou Jillian Sutherland **Grace Toma** Vani Tuipulotu

Renee Solomona Rose-Helen Tobia Shannon Cummane Christina Solomona Vidya Venugopalan

Rosie Marinovich (Coach)

Mrs Tai (Manager)

MVP - Delwyn Paki

MIP - Christina Solomona

FPA - Metua Rio



Armed with lava lavas, Kilikiti bats and balls (plus the additional necessities sun umbrellas, gazebos, tents, hats etc, two Rutherford teams converged on the Auckland Domain for the Senior Kilikiti tournament. The 'party-like/ carnival' atmosphere was one you had to experience to really believe! The boys fared a little better than the girls. After being Western Springs College,

they were then beaten by Tangaroa College. The girls were moved into the 'A' Grade competition and as expected came up against some stiff opposition. They were simply outclassed and outplayed by last years winners McAuley High School and then were beaten by Mt Roskill Grammar.





Rugby League COLLEGE A

Team members:

Ralph Ah Van Justin Davis Robert Flavell Tepaki Hewett Benjamin Kingi John Morell Cedric Suifua Sione Taunga Koaneti Tike Reihana Brown Ioane Faaui Clayton Gray Roman Hakaraia Matthew Moore Elliott Ranson Vincent Suifua Edward Talepita James Te Whata

Norton Shortland Joseph Stankovich Ranea Langendoen

Mike (Coach)

Miss Ashby (Manager)

Miss Edwards (Manager)

MVP - Ioane Faaui

MIP - Joseph Stankovich

FPA - Cedric Suifua

UNDER 15 (9 A SIDE)

Team members:

Stephen Bailey
Maile Faaui
Kahu Hape
Jayde Liuvaie
Caine O'Shea
John Poe
Lucas Watling
Justin Tearii
Jonathon Bailey

Benjamin Bacon Matthew Denyer Daniel Frietman Ashley Goodwin Samisoni Tike David Mihinui Morgan Lundon Robert Turner

Jonathon Bailey
James Gardiner-Smith
Robert Leumaga-Chan
Benjamin Woodward

Brian O'Shea (Coach) Mrs Paul (Coach)

MVP - Robert Turner

MIP - Daniel Frietmann

FPA - John Poe

Rugby Union

First XV versus Old Boys

Rugby Union 4TH GRADE

Team members:

Setareki Balawa Alfred Clarke Joel Draper Mitlesh Googan Jody Kahua David Liuvaie Ashleigh Marks Zubair Rasheed Steven Reid Henare Rudolph Papatoka Temu Andrew Thomson Peter Thrower Misipati Vui **Brett Wallbutton** Joshua Burgess

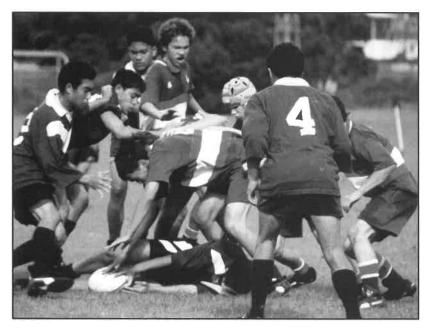
Mr Singleton (Coach) Mr Wills (Coach)

MVP - Ashleigh Marks

MIP - Andrew Thomson

FPA - Steven Reid







Senior Boys Soccer

Team members:

Ralph Ah Van Kochar Abdullah Yorks Joe Thiago Kotzias Elliott Ranson Victor Zeitoum

Lanawas Abdullah Diako Abdullazada Alessandro Mosconi Guilherme Novaes Brent Scantlebury Joseph Stankovich

Mr Vasiljevic (Coach)

MVP - Joseph Stankovich

MIP - Elliot Ranson

FPA - Lanawas Abdullah



Senior Girls

Team members:

Gina Benge Ella Brown Lynn Collis Huia Cooke Tarere Happy Corrin Maka Melisa-Sue Mayall

Loren Pedersen Kimberley Donachie

Samantha Rangihuna-Bell

Chanhson Samountry
Christina Waitai

Kylie Hill (Coach)

Miss Reynolds (Manager)

MVP - Tarere Happy

MIP - Melisa-Sue Mayall

FPA - Gina Benge

Winners of Waitakere Senior B

Junior Girls

Team members:

Renee Allen
Heidi Barriball
Naomi Eva
Tarryn Hird
Laura Wilson
Sanya Marin

Cindy Barnett
Dorothy Donald
Hayley Galbraith
Lucy Liveti
Nichole Wards
Kimberley Maka

Courtney Keenan Isa Lewell/Phillips Megan McPherson

A J Gabriel (Coach) Mr White (Manager)

MVP - Sanya Marin

MIP - Megan McPherson

FPA - Laura Wilson



Junior Boys Soccer

Team members:

Reginald Dass
Aram Ahmed
Jason Cleeton
Chang Lee
Shashi Patel
Michael Prior
Alistair Watt
Shochar Abdullah
Shamir Ali
Yae Ho Kim
Brandon Clayton
Niven Prasad
Nicholas Revell
Kyle Williams

Sean Mariano-Borrie Shannon Osborne Raniera Te Whata-Farmer

Mr Jefferies (Coach)

MVP - Niven Prasad

MIP - Nicholas Revell FPA - Reginald Dass

Winners Auckland 14B Div 3





Junior Boys Squash

Team members:

Ryan Edgar Aaron Henderson Tomasi Matofa Daniel Frietman Niven Prasad

Mrs Heath (Coach)

MVP - Ryan Edgar

MIP - Daniel Frietman

FPA - Aaron Henderson

The team, led by Ryan Edgar, had a successful season and made it to the finals where they drew with Kelston Boys. The team played each game with enthusiasm and flair, even when the ball occasionally got its own back and hit them! They were competitive and steadily improved due to the coaching received (and the food supplies consumed at Wendy's)!

Their good sportsmanship and ability to "talk the ear off" the opposition was infamous during their competition. Tomasi showed great running on court, Aaron had the power shots, Niven was nimble around the court, Ryan steered the ball around the opposition and Daniel showed dedication.

Squash



Senior Boys

Senior Girls

Team members:

Aram Ahmed Yi Lang Chen Jamie Moat Steven Roper Logan Shilling

Dr Colvine (Coach)

MVP - Aram Ahmed MIP - Logan Shilling FPA - Jamie Moat

Team members:

Simone Crowther Kimberley Donachie Presheen Sudkhoe Sarah Taffard Sarah Clarke

David Nowak (Coach) Mrs Barbour (Manager)

MVP - Sarah Taffard MIP - Sarah Clarke

FPA - Kimberley Donachie



Junior Girls Squash

Team members:

Teodora Kusevska Christine Nowak Elise Scanlen Presheen Sudkhoe

David Nowak (Coach) Mrs Devitt (Manager)

MVP - Christine Nowak

MIP - Elise Scanlen

FPA - Teodora Kusevska

Runners Up Junior A Girls

Senior Boys Volleyball

Team members:

Ioane Faaui

Albert Roebeck

Adrian Soh

Cedric Suifua

Sione Taunga

Mahven Tuitama-Muaiava

Mr Mataia (Coach)

MVP - Sione Taunga

MIP - Cedric Suifua

FPA - Adrian Soh



Senior Girls Volleyball

Team members:

Leala Anae
Chloe Matthys
Enuaarii Tere
Milika Tautuiaki
Kathryn Colman
Kimberley Donachie
Rosie Marinovich
Renee Solomona
Elizabeth Te Pai

MVP - Leala Anae

MIP - Kimberley Donachie

FPA - Elizabeth Te Pai



Junior Boys Volleyball

Team members:

Emanuelu Aloalii

Benjamin Bacon

Jonathan Bacon

Stephen Bailey

Henry Cope

Nigel Fowler

Daniel Pennington

Tyron Talamahina

Benjamin Taunoa

Mahven Tuitama-Muaiava

Senior Girls Softball

Team members:

Miyako Hino Paati Marinovich
Delwyn Paki Olive Patrick
Lisia Tuitupou Alexis Ranson
Milika Tautuiaki Filifilia Tuitama

Carmorita Roebeck Keila Te Moananui

Gail Paul (Coach)

MVP - Shannon Cummane

MIP - Filifilia Tuitama

FPA - Milika Tauuiaki



Mixed Water Polo

Team members:

Emily Allen J'Aime Godinet Thomas Law Brett Lumsden Benjamin Bacon Alessandro Mosconi

Hayley Galbraith Scott Sheehan

Sandi van Daalen Andrew Wadsworth

Mrs Munro (Manager) Miss Simpson (Manager)

MVP - Brett Lumsden

MIP - Sandi van Daalen

FPA - Benjamin Bacon

Runner Ups Social C Grade

t the beginning of the season we struggled to get a team but by the end of the season Rutherford's waterpolo team had made it into the finals. We won the semi finals easily with a score of 9-2 against Rosehill. Our final was against Onehunga. We were told that our final would be Sunday 8 pm but then on Friday evening Miss Simpson and Mrs Munro were ringing everybody to tell them that there had been a mistake and we had to play that evening.



At a quarter to eight, just about everybody was there. Unfortunately, Tom couldn't play and J'Aime was out for dinner but we rang her and she turned up just before the game. Brett had arranged three car loads of mates to come and cheer for us.

Sadly, they weren't there but Mrs Britten did turn up. Thanks for your support, Miss!

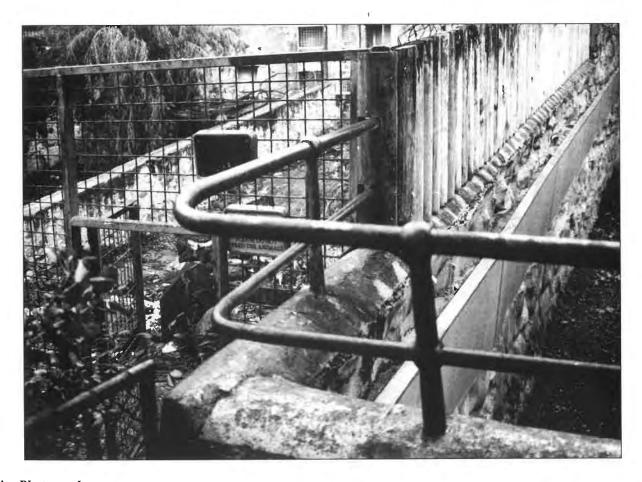
It was a tough game. At the end of the first quarter, we were 3-1 behind. At the beginning of the fourth and last quarter, we were two goals behind. But our team spirit got us through and we got to four all.

Then, with only two minutes to go, they scored a stupid goal!

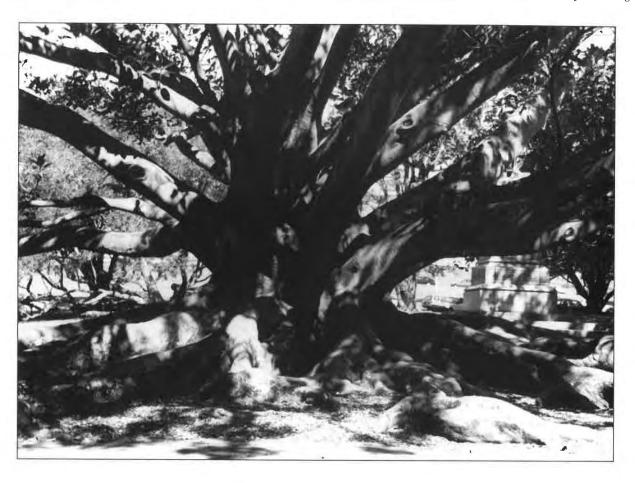
Although we lost the final, five to four, Rutherford came second in Auckland and first in West Auckland.

I want to thank all the great players of our team and hope we all play again next year.





Senior Photography





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YEAR 9 BU

Back Row: Daniel Simon, Kurt Wall, Emily Allen, Jade McCann, Samuel

Marlow, Anthony Shaw

3rd Row: Katie Storr, Maree McCarthy, Liston Cameron, Kelsey Lewell, Joshua Skelton, Richard Bell, Kayla Hart,

Thomas Hall

2nd Row: Kandis-Lee Sharp, William Davidson, Oliver Thony, Jessica Granter, Lusiana Balawa, Hafo Chen, Mrs D Butcher

Front Row: Isa Lewell/Phillips, Nancy Manutai, Roxanne McCarthy, Caroline Pickering, Trent Brosnahan, Natasha Johnson, Hannah Reid, Nicholas Campbell

Absent: James Bickerstaff, Ryan Smith





YEAR 9 EW

Back Row: Aarti Mistry, Joel Stockley, Ryan Benjamin, Sean Miller, Stephen Grubner, Zara Reid 3rd Row: Jade Baker, Tiegan Manners, Joel Hicks, Peter Aspin, Daniel Neary, Lorraine Cooper, Susan Blair 2nd Row: Glenn Taylor, Fallon Sanders, Sean Osborne, Naomi Matthewman, Kahu Hape, Michael Fowler-Hope, Mathew Marinovich, Miss C Edwards Front Row: Jared Hoyle, Diane Luangkhoth, Elaine Wang, Christine Harkess, Amber Horner, Amy Van Ossenbruggen, Jessica James, Sean Koo Absent: Katie Foley

YEAR 9 JH

Back Row: Amanda Lawton, Paul Te Ohaere, Anthony Williams, Reuben Hooper, Ricky-Lee Johnson 3rd Row: Kahu Maihi, Tabitha Hales, Alvin Kumar, Thomas Middleton, David MacKenzie, Iman Ahmed 2nd Row: Nikki Hamilton, Michelle Green, Jenna Bensley, Fred Palmemene, Alex Eriwata, Heaven Schwalger, Claudia McCarthy Front Row: Kawhena Marshall, Kylie Evans, Cathy Lowe, Gaylene Abraham, Holly Schwalger, Ben Patterson, Matthew Manning, Troy Alay-ay

Absent: Mr John, Tavake Marsters





YEAR 9 LB

Back Row: Hayley Johnstone, Junior Nangaiti, Samisoni Tike, Skyee Henry, Meshak Tawhai, Rhiannon McArthur, Cammie Hohenberger 3rd Row: Jarcque Changkasiri, Samantha Kaulima-Wahanui, Nicole Beehre, Floyd Tanenui, Nathan Ryan, Candice Lombard, David Mihinui, Chase Browne 2nd Row: Toria Timoti, Sarah Neary, Lucy Liveti, Natasha Nathan, Dominique Kingston, Maree-Louise Tane-Hohaia, Corey Kemp, Miss F Lamberton Front Row: James Loretz, Alofa Tailata, Corey Lythgo, Elliot Steel, Daniel Walsh, Darren Carter, Kelli Evans, Kathryn Bews

YEAR 9 MO

Back Row: Rechel Cao, Glen Radovan, Jonathan Bailey, Cainan Hall, Thomas Houston, Daniel Kamo, Cindy Barnett, Hayden Kiss

3rd Row: Daniella Vao, Gunnar Blyth, Sun Jung Park, Sarah Courtney, Simone Couper, Kayla Taite, Kalyn Coyle 2nd Row: Kimberley Maka, Simone Crowther, Courtney Keenan, Chanelle Tekanawa, Carl Waddell, Hazel Sutherland, Alice McCormick, Ms S Munro

Front Row: Min Wook Jung, Stewart Nelson, Jenna McDonald, Francis Bond, Caine O'Shea, Johnny Tik, Min

Ji Seo, Daniel Moreton





YEAR 9 PL

Back Row: Monique Johnstone, Lucas Watling, Jayde Liuvaie, Terry Wickliffe 3rd Row: Vasa Neria, Samantha Dick, Cameron Rudolph, Croydon Pukepuke, Tomasi Leota

2nd Row: Seleisa Kolone, Angela Redmond, Carla Whelch, Jamie Kronfeld, Stacey Stowers, Lecta Chantawong, Christal Peters,

Mrs G Paul

Front Row: Alesha Wilson, Samantha Valentine, Rory Cavanagh, Daniel Middleton, Allanah Donald, Naomi Eva, Martin Weyers, Bojan Solesa Absent: Donnathon Hassan, Martin Aramoana, Amanda Burke, Nicholas McPherson, Ben Woodward

YEAR 9 RE

Back Row: Penny Pekepo, Adam Marshall, Robert Wilson, Kea Rudolph, Nathaniel Faifua-Young, Samuel Young, Mati Wellington 3rd Row: Teina Hakaraia, Marcus Harding, Charlotte Wright, Ashleigh Hopkinson, Felicity Smith, Anthony Reihana, Joseph Denning 2nd Row: Arwood Chaimongkon, Jody Kahua, Shaheen Tawfiq, Corinna Lundon, Angela Park, Rebecca Hannah, Carlin Purukamu, Mrs B Reid Front Row: Charlotte Nicholson, Renei Tahiti-Tai, Renee Harvey, Hanna Kim, Daniel Ferguson, Stephen Speer, Rosalie Morrow, Christine Fidow





YEAR 9 SI

Back Row: Haydon Nathan-Kea, James Gardiner-Smith, Henare Trifilo, Tyron Ranson, Diako Abudllazada, Steve Rye 3rd Row: Gina-Leone Malaitai, Jessica Campbell, Matthew Overington, Kyle Ascough, Lorne Mackay, Teela Temu, Laura Stringfellow

2nd Row: Dennis Hiku, Jonathan France, Seini Lolohea, Emma Howie, Shaimaa Shihab, Matthew Pere, Heidi Barriball, Miss R Simpson

Front Row: Tracey Kelderman, Bradley Nixon, Leisha Holdcroft, Michaela Williams, Bobby Samountry, Chanelle Murray, Stephen Kahi, Scott Francis

YEAR 9 YS

Back Row: Scott Dalgarno, Cameron Hauraki-Bush, Paul Lawton, Harry Tulepu, Ryan Jellick, Katie Greengrass 3rd Row: Angela Price, Julian Salmon, Shannon Stephens, James Kindley, Joseph Mendenhall, Hayley Rennie 2nd Row: Helen Kelly, Jemimah Khan, Kerry Halsey, Corah Gillett, Laura Roberts, Codey Dickinson, Mrs J Yearsley Front Row: Jonathan Denhartog, Jonelle Watson, Shaela Nathan, Paul Cash, Mark Williamson, Chardon Parata, Cļaire Turner, Christopher Cave





YEAR 9 WH

Back Row: John Berry, Maja Zidov, Harley King, Waiora Heta 3rd Row: Jasmin Taite, Delwynne Mankin, Kurt Nelsen, Shayle Allen, Jesse Gemmell, Regina Kaio 2nd Row: Neil Good, Laura Thompson, Cammie Riini, Tina Glover, Talita Tuua, Zerlinda Richard, James Robinson, Front Row: Larisa James, Kymia Hilliard, Michael Shennan, Dwain Waiti, Sarah Heanaghan, Troy Barrett, Kawar Khalid, Nicholas Lurman Absent: Mr C Whitehouse, Jason Hunt, Kevin Leef, Graham Nielsen

YEAR 10 BT

Back Row: Darcy Burkhardt, Sam Pere, Jay Kanara, Nick Revell, Joel Bowers, Latu Tautuiaki 3rd Row: Rachel Meleisea, Lee Underwood, Tristian Alay-Ay, Luke Bailey, Keri-Leigh Robinson, Angela Vernon, Charlotte Lau 2nd Row: Liz Golding, Liana Gray, Mere Cassidy, Tarryn Hird, Laura Wilson, Moana Osborne, Hannah Leybourne Front Row: Dion Zheng, Rachel Thomas, Donna Neale, Jiwan Ibrahim, Dee Pulman, Samantha Ying, Megan McPherson, Elise Scanlen Absent: Mr J Bates





YEAR 10 DV

Back Row: Michael Grindle, Yi Lang Chen, Adam Munro, Mark Wakeling, Savali Kolone 3rd Row: Yae Ho Kim, Steven Reid,

Tasmanly Te Ohaere, Daniel Brooking, Regina Keniseli

2nd Row: Hee Woo Rho, Ashleigh Deniz, Michael Bold, Ignesias Tan, Toni-Maree Cresswell, Aja Trifilo, Mrs S Devitt

Front Row: Shirley Rounds, Amy Williams, Devika Gounder, John Jee, Sung Hwan Lee, Ben Parry, Emma Dentice, Amy Hull

Absent: Luke Beazley, Rebekah Smith, Richard Dell

YEAR 10 GZ

Back Row: Keri Lawrence, Antonio Matagi, Laura Thomson, Kyle Williams, Nathan Ganly, Ceri Overington

2nd Row: Kylie Bain, Shannon Osborne, Shae Goldsbury, Akbar Bhamji, Leah Taite, Deneil Van Der Ross,

Mrs A Gerzic

Front Row: Kiralee Kingi, Jessica Kaulima-Wahanui, Kristin Park, Nikki Boyd, Davita Darji, Nicole Copeland, Becky Rhie, Victoria Radford

Absent: Te Kahui Wymer, Shamir Ali,

John Kim, Audra Piaso





YEAR 10 JK

Back Row: Louie Muir, Morgan Lundon, Benjamin Bacon, Chang Lee, Kylee Kish, Jessica Ashford 3rd Row: Azba Rasheed, Chris Norris, Richard Kelly, Nadene Parker, Michael Poh, Laura Wilson 2nd Row: Christine Gavin, Mi Rok Kim, Maritza Quezada, Daniel Frietman, Lisa Green, Alexandra Higgins, Sean Mariano-Borrie, Miss M Jahnke Front Row: Nicola Hogg, Amanda Tunnard, Shawn McIntyre, Tyler Elsworth, Marina Mane, Alana Thomas. Hannah Hodge, Aileen Borrie Absent: Daniel Learmonth **Brent Waters**

YEAR 10 LE

Back Row: Jason Harris, Tim Martin, Danny Bradley, Koaneti Tike, Daniel Dean

2nd Row: Kylee Maaka, Benjamin
Johnston, Robert Turner, Mikara
Watling, Timothy Verry, Alisha
Faamoana, Mrs J Lee
Front Row: Conrad Gaerlan, Nicholas
Day, Laura Banton, Paula Watene,
Hayley Griffiths, Jung Hun Oh,
Ashleigh Sisepi, Rikie Smith
Absent: Cori-ann Henry, Ben Chapman,

David Overington, Tomasi Matofa





YEAR 10 RU

Back Row: Christine Nowak, Sanya Marin, Alistair Watt, Thomas Essex, Niven Prasad, Bradley Masters 3rd Row: Trevor Julian, Scott Sheehan, Yorks Joe, Reginald Dass, Shashi Patel, Jeremy Hedley 2nd Row: Neroli McDonald, David

Kelly, Dorothy Donald, Emmaline
Pickering-Martin, Brendan Harvey,
Nicole Wards, Mrs V Russell
Front Row: Czerina Baber, Nilam Patel,
Jason Cleeton, Stephany Zheng, Keisha
Hape, Stevie Dobbs, Jacky Lee, Hamish
Anderson

Absent: Vidya Christopher, Karis Wolfgramm, Daniel Webster

YEAR 10 SM

Back Row: William Deare, Ivan Vrdoljak, Maile Faaui, Timothy Jessop, Charles Siaki

3rd Row: Trent Brokenshire, Renata Chase-O'Riley, Carmorita Roebeck, Jodi Griffiths, Cassie Latemore, Andres Yerro

2nd Row: Scott Kelly, Ezra Jackson, Ashlee Tawhiti, Renee Allen, Shontell Klinac, Jamie Tomars

Front Row: Gabrielle Barnett, Rebecca Lee, Kirsty MacTaggart, David Te Awa, Kane Blank, Jessica Skelton-Young, Kane Hohaia

Absent: Mrs G Smith





YEAR 10 TH

Back Row: Brandon Clayton, Robert Leumaga-Chan, Aaron Henderson, Julian Bellamy, Geoffrey Warren 3rd Row: Renata Temoni, Hereteina Parai, Shane Walker, James Moreton, Anishal Kumar, Nicole Williams, Alan Young

2nd Row: Muturangi Ruha, Amanda Andrews, Chloe Guthrie, Victoria Jones, Alfred Clarke, Jessica Poinga-Hill, Mr M Thompson

Front Row: Nicole Bedford, Daniel Poole, Nicole Grace, Nikita Brown, Candy Reihana, Stevie-Lee Patterson, James McKay, Sara Tuitama Absent: Imran Khan, Atu Tuifua

YEAR 10 WT

Back Row: Matt Denyer, Jaime
Godinet, Hayley Galbraith, Raaniera Te
Whata-Farmer, Matthew France
3rd Row: Sophia Habib, Senia Eastmure,
Michael Prior, Jason Lewis, Toni
Herbert, Khiran Huston, Jody Gray
2nd Row: Noreen Pratap, Presheen
Sukdhoe, Toni Murray, Olivia Curreen,
Ryan Edgar, Teodora Kusevska, Reece
Reilly, Mr White
Front Row: Kurdeen Kadir, Leighton
Hills, Louise Browning, Aram Ahmed,
Nik Marinovich, Vaipage Liveti, Paula
Watson, Kochar Abdullah
Absent: Kiel McKeown





YEAR 11 AB

Murphy, Kim Parai

Back Row: Samuel Orr, Igor

Obradovich, Matthew Moore, David Liuvaie, Jonathan Nordberg 3^{rd} Row: Adrian Orum, Kelby Moore, Bradley Nee, Michael Murray, Jermaine Morgan, Stephen Nickson-Clark, Shayne Mears 2^{nd} Row: Ella Moka, Maree McDonald, Vision Matauwhati, Stacey Nolan, Alisha Mauai Front Row: Lloyd Napier, Jenna Morris, Synthia Newton, Aimee Moore, Gemma Moreton, Renata Demeterova, Chrissy Osborne, Joanna Neale Absent: Miss M Ashby, Silei Inu, Kayla

YEAR 11 BH

Back Row: Paula Shennan, Tracey Sadgrove, Oliver Essex, Helena Ward, Gyanendra Datt, Shailen Sukdhoe, Sarah McEwan 3rd Row: Terry Britten, Steven Khov, Judith Tolley, Kristy Lawton, Hayley McMullien, Ryan Saddam, Ezra Henry, Lauryn Hedley 2nd Row: Laura Shields, Kimese Wihongi, Sarah Taffard, Victoria Russell, Benjiman Farnath, Jacelyn Davis, Chelsea Cunniffe, Vidya Venugopalan Front Row: Anna Kelly, Rebekah Dunick, Theresa Darlington, Patricia Watson, Christine Frith, Alastair Caldwell, Sarah Clarke, Julia Denhartog Absent: Mrs G Balogh





YEAR 11 BL

Back Row: Danny Leef, Jason Jolley, Conrad Malaitai, Simon Lockett, Anilesh Kumar

3rd Row: Richard Lowe, Melissa Lawton, Serena Lee, Aaron Jordan, Shaye MacKenzie, Wha Yong Son 2rd Row: Tasneem Kasim, Shereena Khan, Jin Wook Jung, Woo Jin Rho, Ricky Kelderman, Paati Marinovich, Sofia Malcic

Front Row: Hea Lim Kim, Renata Haronga, Stuart Lancaster, Ashleigh Marks, Nicole MacWilliam, Nick Jones, Kelly Leung, Sarah Lilly Absent: Ms R Butler-Larsen, Ebony Lynch, Mahalia Levi, Leroy Johnson

YEAR 11 HD

Back Row: John Te Ohaere, Tyron Talamahina, Zubair Rasheed, David Raven, Brent Scantlebury, Harmeet Singh

3rd Row: Dion Smith, Luke Tanenui, Michelle Taylor, Andrew Thomson, Levi Taunoa, John Sumich, Shania Tawhai

2nd Row: Greggory Williams, Hayley Smith, Papa Temu, Justin Tearii, Alexis Ranson, Carl Thomas, Shannon Ruddell Front Row: Noreen Roudon, Keila Te Moananui, Dallas Temoni, Katie Shere, Jenna Simpson, Shereena Rounds, Daniel Robertson, Debbie Saelman Absent: Miss A Richards, Kiri Tamihere





YEAR 11 MK

Back Row: Daniel Cook, Brent Daley, Bradley Cooper, Flynn Dew, Joel Draper

3rd Row: Christian Hetaraka, Shannon Cummane, Darryl Edwards, Richard De Vere, Sarah-Ann Douglas, Amy Butterworth

2nd Row: Miss C McKay, AmandaButler, Rodney Dass, Roneel Datt,Dallas Daniel, Juanita Edwards, NicoleCooper, Alasi David

Front Row: Haylee Dickinson, Robert Chan, Graham Culpitt, Samuel Chan, Vinay Chhima, Shaun Burnell, Tanya Courtney, Emma Connolly

Absent: Kane Campbell, Jenny Chandra, Theresa Coyle, M J Day

YEAR 11 NE

Back Row: Ryan Evans, Clayton Gray, Benjamin Graham, Nigel Fowler 3rd Row: Roman Hakaraia, Terry Holdcroft, Daniel Forgesson, Aaron Ford, Tepaki Hewett, James Hicks 2nd Row: Nicole Galvin, Gabriella Hooper, Mitlesh Googan, Jason Haig, Luke Henry, Sarah Hikuroa, Jasmine Glover

Front Row: Sarah Joshua, Ashley Goodwin, Holly Goddard, Natasha Gordon, Emma Kahi, Lisa Giang, Chewei Hsu, Mark Harvey





YEAR 11 NM

Back Row: Nik Williams, Jonathan Bacon, Adam Baker, Stephen Bailey, Kane Brosnahan

3rd Row: Aaron Beacham, Josh Burgess, Earnest Bradley, Marietta Boortman, Jayne Buckley, Craig Bickerstaff 2nd Row: Miss V Norman, Jolene Neho, Ashley Dunbar, Rebecca Brabet, Sheree Carter, Hakaar Kadir, Maria Basit, Hannah Akitt

Front Row: Vahid Sarkhosh, Lanawas Abdullah, Anneka Brinkman, Gina Benge, Katey Aspin, Hannah Bruce, Melissa Best, Milly Anania Absent: Stephan Bedford

YEAR 11 NN

Back Row: Albert Tuuga-Stevenson, John Wharetohunga, Ihaia Tukiwaho, Mahven Tuitama-Muaiava 3rd Row: Karl Tongiavale, Nick Young, Kristopher Williams, Steven Tyrell, Karl Williamson, Sandi van Daalen 2nd Row: Julie-Anne York, Luke Tie, Jonathan Vellaidan, Misipati Vui, Jonathon Watson, Martin Tomars, Mrs I Nenadic

Front Row: Deborah Vernon, Taryn van der Ross, Vani Tuipulotu, Ashley Williams, Rebecca Thompson, Nikita Young, Cameo Yung, Grace Toma Absent: Bjana Thompson, Filifilia Tuitama, Selwyn Walker, Kayla Wallace, Rohan Wallace





YEAR 11 OD

Back Row: Raymond Yung, Henry Peters, Joshua Pou, Pavle Obradovic. Luke Reid 3rd Row: Daniel Pennington, Andrew Wadsworth, Kaleb Poa, Jimmy Perston, Reid Stowers, Andrew Wood 2nd Row: Rebecca Weeks, Emmalene Cavanagh, Esther Gemmell, Krystal Ranby, Ashley Pilkington, Stanley Liew, Loren Pederson, Miss R O'Driscoll Front Row: Renee Peeni, Amy Patterson, Eva Acharya, Aarti Patel, Ratika Rai, Fiona Poppleton, Guihong Luo, Kira Parsons Absent: Michael Peters, Krystal Porowini, Jessica Rankin, Rose Williams

YEAR 12 AN

Back Row: Ariki Hohepa, Tom Law, Leon Crane, A J Gabriel, Andrew Lee, Kenny Liew

2nd Row: Sarah Hopkins, Anthony
Apanui, Hong Liu, Glenn Lloyd, Jordan Kemp, Danielle Hooper
Front Row: Jewel Ahn, Bronwyn
Brooking, Jessie Hardcastle, Kathy
Colman, Jessica Clark, Emma Layzell,
Lori Lee, Prashika Chand
Absent: Mr A Ainsworth, Hannah
Cochrane, Kimberley Donachie,
Michael Enger, Adam Fasi, Hayden
Graham, Tracey Griffen, Danielle
Hacking, Ryan Lewell, Brett Lumsden





YEAR 12 BG

Back Row: Chris Aspden, Ralph Ah Van, Ioane Faaui, Robert Flavell, Daniel-Paul Godinet

3rd Row: Neil Duff, Tam Asquith, Kyle Davids, Paul Dyer, Dush Bulog, Haibo Wang

2nd Row: Huia Cooke, Moana Glover, Kenneth Greenslade, Steven Berry, Janet Whelch, Daniel De Marigny, Ella Brown, Mr S Beguely

Front Row: Kylie Barrett, Carl Davis, Monique Good, Cherie Donald, Terri-Anne Drake, Joash Dass, Melissa Davis Absent: Koyuki Adachi, Jee Sun An, Kelly Bedford, Toni Bedford, Patricia Devi

YEAR 12 FM

Back Row: Dylan Kuchel, Tim Kelly, Peter Nielsen, Chris Clarke, Ben Kingi 3rd Row: Salah Ibrahim, Mathew Lee, Joseph Habib, Raymond Learmonth, John Morell, Jung Hoon Lee, Debbie Houghton

2nd Row: Chloe Matthys, Alicia Highley, Brendan Malone, Jeremy Hills, Elizabeth McAtee, Shanton Katipa, Corrin Maka

Front Row: Tenille Horscroft, Kristen Keenan, Michelle Hand, Cathie-Lee McPherson, Beatriz Nunes, Hiroya Oishi, Carrie Hart, Fabiana Biazoti





YEAR 12 MT

Back Row: David Stretch, Ben Tapurau, Gabrial Ratcliffe, Liz Te Pai, Yasuaki Sakamoto

3rd Row: Christina Solomona, Suvania Schuster, Steven Roper, Zhen Li, Tom Wang, Roger Luo

2nd Row: Erin Sanders, Jamie Perkins,
Handrin Shihab, William Te Tai, Cedric Suifua, Serena Watene, Mr N Mataia
Front Row: Jillian Sutherland,
Samantha Rangihuna-Bell, Camille
Rehu, Renee Young, Spencer Ying,
Moana Tomoare, Mariana Portilho,
Sarah Todd

YEAR 12 NQ

Grand-Ferre, Jamie Moat, Brent Matthews, Jarrod Hayes 3rd Row: Steven Hay, Daryl Milne, Darko Nikolovski, Neil Duff, Daniel Rolim, Ken Lu 2nd Row: Luke Mete-Kingi, Tiffany Irving, Darin Hogg, Laura Jones, Carolina Mora, Tarinajo Lord, Ms C Norquay Front Row: Pritika Narayan, Niharika Rao, Melisa Mayall, Caz Naera, Sam Nathan, Asami Hirata, Toni Martin, Anjelin Naidu Absent: Camiila Yang, Jiaming Liu,

Back Row: Motomu Kobori, Pierre Le





YEAR 12 PN

Back Row: Martelli Te Whata, Felipe Longo, Michael Antunovich, Adam Beach, Michael Ganly, Chris Butler 3rd Row: David Fahey, Henare Rudolph, Wai Chau Cheung, Gareth Parker, Carl Foster, Setareki Balawa, Marsha Ma 2nd Row: Son Vo, Alicia Brinkman, Clifford Graham, Leala Anae, Lance Daley, Paula Diniz, Pang-Fei Cheung Front Row: Melanie Eagle, Lynn Collis, Aimee Hart, Orasa Yammaneechai, Kristina Eriwata, Justin Davis, Tarere Happy, Melissa Chau Absent: Ms N Priest

YEAR 12 SG

Back Row: Chris Verry, Oscar Yu, Obayd Rasheed, Joel Meleisea, Alaric McCarthy, Bo Jiang

3rd Row: Pia Martin, Hollie Ross, Toni O'Regan, Peter Thrower, Deborah Sanders, Kelly Raven, Sue-Li Yeo, Kelly Martin

2nd Row: Kimberley Rooney, Jessica Mun, Jennis Ngan, Chante Mueller, Vicki McLaren, Jaimee Masters, Aaron Ripley, Ms A Singh

Front Row: Rebecca Woolley, Grace Parry, Natalie McKeown, Zoe Walker, Jenna Steel, Mamta Patel, Uma Patel, Gabrielle Luong

Absent: Claire Wilson, Julie Samountry





YEAR 13 JA

Back Row: Albert Pokoina, Stuart Buchan, Andras Ver, Haydn Cooper, Nadine Chapel-Toi, Hayden Baker 2nd Row: Katherine Frith, Mereana Edwards, Ricky Chan, Ulrich Bitterling, John Aspden, Akesi Young, Melissa Dougal

Front Row: Susan Densem, Chelsea Claridge, Monique Amaral, Robbie-Lee Cross, Alexander Cheong, Sylvia Choi, Nazia Dean, Ayushma Acharya Absent: Daniel Francis, Wei Fang, Karla Brunt, Aidan Bryce, Reihana Brown

YEAR 13 PG

Back Row: Young Soo Kim, Waina Henare, Andrew Hulme, John Kim, Daniel Kim

2nd Row: Stephanie Harris, KeniseliKeniseli, Douglas Honeycombe, RickGoodwin, Marion Koch, RoneelKishore

Front Row: Rachael Gerard, Seol Yee Kim, Lisa Hull, Alzain Khan, Tanya Harris, Nilufa Hassan, Ali Kawahara, Shallu Googan





YEAR 13 SH

Back Row: Cara-Lee McEwan, Maree Markovina, Cera Langford, Ranea Langendoen, Ki-Won Lee, Natalie Lawton

2nd Row: Bridey McNicoll, Tabitha Meharg, Esha Narayan, Sonya Patel, Olivia Openshaw, Shamila Lala, Mr S Shaw

Front Row: Suzanne Overington, Christina Medeiros, Priya Mistry, Alicia Leitch, Delwyn Paki, Rosie Marinovich, Divya Patel Absent: Adam Lynch, Nicola Mackenzie

YEAR 13 SN

Back Row: Hayley Smith, Craig
Patterson, Matthew Pont, Elliott
Ranson, Olive Patrick
2nd Row: Jonathan Pollard, Joanna
Smith, Bernice Peters, Celia Smith,
Norton Shortland, Metua Rio, Corina
Riggs, Mr K Singleton
Front Row: Sayuri Shimoda, Channelle
Rowland, Adamarie Roudon, Sara
Salman, Jessica Shin, Kylie Pedersen,
Katherine Scott, Susan Shu
Absent: James Pope, Daniel Smith,
Adrian Soh





YEAR 13 VA

Back Row: Michael Ward, James Tane, Joseph Stankovich, Mark Williams, Nicholas Wells

2nd Row: Eddie Talepita, TroyStairmand, Nick Yuan, Nick Thompson,JohnTsang, Vincent Suifua, DanielYerro

Front Row: Miriam Storr, Jackie Thompson, Shan Wu, Melissa Underwood, Vaijay Venugopalan, Milika Tautuiaki, Jennifer Toma, Anna Ye

Absent: Mr M Vasiljevic, David Swete, Lisia Tuitupou, Michael Vivian

SPECIAL EDUCATION

Back Row: Joseph Denning, Greggory Williams, Renee Gillespie, Chris Clark, Michael Carter, Travis Torrey, Albert Pokoina, D Trotman (TA)

3rd Row: L Wilson (TA) J Brame (T), M Brown (TA), D Hutton (T), J Blake (T), M Shingler (OT), B Munro (TA), G Hedley (T), C Lumsden (TA)

2nd Row: V Trainor (TA), Tony Thomas, Charles Siaki, David Te Awa, Leon Curtis, J P Roux, Ian Laifone, Esther Robb

Front Row: Robert Chan, Trent Wrathall, Shaun Wass, Jody Kahua, Susan Densem, Amanda Burke Absent: Ruth O'Gorman, Kieran

McKee



