KERIKERI HIGH SCHOOL

2026

SENIOR PRIZEGIVING

Friday 6 November

11.30am

Kerikeri High School Gymnasium

Kerikeri High School Prizegiving 2026

Official Party enter the Gymnasium (All stand please)

Karanga and Haka Whakanui to welcome the Official Party to the Prizegiving

Takutaku – Matua Kipa Munro

WHAKAARIA MAI

Whakaaria mai
Tōu rīpeka ki au
Tiaho mai
Rā roto i te pō
Hei kona au
Titiro atu ai
Ora, mate,
Hei au koe noho ai

The New Zealand National Anthem – Kerikeri High School Stage Band

GOD DEFEND NEW ZEALAND

E I-hoa Atua
O ngā iwi mātou rā
Āta whaka rongo-na
Me aroha noa
Kia hua ko te pai
Kia tau tō ata-whai
Mana-aki-tia mai
Aotearoa.

God of Nations at Thy feet,
In the bonds of love we meet,
Hear our voices, we entreat,
God defend our free land.
Guard Pacific's triple star
From the shafts of strife and war,
Make her praises heard afar,
God defend New Zealand.

Pepehā o te kura - School Pepehā
Dillan Blithe-Drake, Deputy Head Boy
and Willow Cochran, Deputy Head Girl

Tū mai tōku maunga ko Pōkākā
E rere atu nei te awa o Te Wairoa
Riporipo tau ana ki Te Awa o ngā Rangatira
Tiro kau atu ki te pā o Kororipo
Raro nei i te mana o ngā tūpuna
Ko Hongi, ko Rewa, ko Tāreha
Te marae ko Te Pou o Manakō
Te kura ko Te Kerikeri
Tihewa mauri ora

Standing majestically is my mountain Pōkākā
Where the stream of Te Wairoa flows down
Entering into the river of chiefs
Swirling at the base of Kororipo Pā
The ancestral fortress of Ngāpuhi
Immortalised by Hongi, Rewa and Tāreha
Our marae is Te Pou o Manakō
Embraced by the school of Te Kerikeri

Waiata Whakangāhau
Te Pou o Manakō
performance

WELCOME

Deputy Principal, Mrs Justine Strang

AWARDS FOR ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE in Year 13

Presented by: Mrs Dana Boisen, Deputy Principal

Reader: Mr Paul Boardman, Year 13 Dean

In alphabetical order:

Louis Astill
Lucas Bell
Dillan Blithe-Drake
Genevieve Bocock
James Davis
Kaia Derbyshire
Nancy Hindle
Nikara Holmes
Hannah Huddert
Fenix King
Whakahotu Marino
Alexandra McDonald
Sienna Molloy
Kyle Munford
Michael Roessler
Lisa Schofield
Zane Scott
Alecia Smythe
Yi Ming Sok
Waina Te Pouakai
Luka Urlich
Sam Weston

AWARDS FOR ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE in Year 12

Presented by: Mrs Renae Rakena, Deputy Principal

Reader: Ms Davina Derecourt, Year 12 Dean

In alphabetical order:

Will Anderson
Paige Ashby-Tane
Ben Collins
Yazmin Dalton
Harlow Fairhurst
Hayley Foster
Kate Graham
Teah Hagen
Thea Holland
Muka Jones
Tegan Kana
Payton Langman
Braden McKay
William McNulty
Jayden Patrick
Chloe Pulham
Indea Ralph
Leah Shrubshall
Mika Silich
Tessa Smuts
Charlie Stevenson
Ce'Lia Stubbs
Fern Tahere
Sakura Tau
Scarlett Vea
Ihaia Whareraу

AWARDS FOR ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE in Year 11

Presented by: Mrs Renae Rakena, Deputy Principal

Reader: Mr Seth Brown, Year 11 Dean

In alphabetical order:

Sarah Alipate
Tana Baty
Layla Bell
Oli Bogaers
Arriana Bray
Harry Brown
Indigo Fisher
Emily Godwin
Cameron MacCarthy
Alice McDonald
Isabella Molloy
Sylva Morris
Zac Newman
Ethan Powrie
Aaryan Puthran
Georgia Wilson

PRINCIPAL **Mr Mike Clent**

SPORTS AWARDS

Presented by: Mrs Waimarie Muunu, Board of Trustees

Reader: Mr Daniel Wise, Deputy Principal

ATHLETICS – Awarded to Kerikeri High School Athletics Day Champions

Year 11 Athletics Champion: Girls	Tara Perry Amalfi Robinson
Year 11 Athletics Champion: Boys	Tana Baty
Year 12 Athletics Champion: Girls	Eva Steenkamp
Year 12 Athletics Champion: Boys	Niko Frost
Year 13 Athletics Champion: Girls	Kaia Derbyshire
Year 13 Athletics Champion: Boys	Carlito-Rey Maregele
Fisher Cup for Senior Girls' Athletics	Kaia Derbyshire
R.S.A. Cup for Senior Boys' Athletics	Tana Baty

BADMINTON

Girls' Champion	Amalfi Robinson
Boys' Champion	Bosco Robinson

CRICKET

Boswell Trophy for Girls' Cricket: Most Valuable 1st XI Player	Tara Perry
D. J. Cottle Trophy for Boys' Cricket: Most Valuable Player	Will Anderson Justin Peterson

SPORTS AWARDS

Presented by: Mrs Waimarie Muunu, Board of Trustees

Reader: Mr Daniel Wise, Deputy Principal

CROSS COUNTRY – Awarded to Kerikeri High School Cross Country Champions

Year 11 Cross Country Champion: Girls	Amalfi Robinson
Year 11 Cross Country Champion: Boys	Harry Brown
Year 12 Cross Country Champion: Girls	Kate Graham
Year 12 Cross Country Champion: Boys	Charlie Birt
Year 13 Cross Country Champion: Girls	Kaia Derbyshire
Year 13 Cross Country Champion: Boys	Dillan Blithe-Drake
Kerikeri High School Cross Country Cup: Senior Girls	Kate Graham
Kerikeri High School Cross Country Cup: Senior Boys	Charlie Birt

EQUESTRIAN

Kerikeri High School Equestrian – Best Rider	Esmee Pekel

FOOTBALL

Kerikeri High School Senior Girls' Football Trophy: Most Valuable 1st XI Player	Skye Robinson
Kerikeri High School Senior Boys' Football Trophy: Most Valuable 1st XI Player	Charlie Birt Dev Smolders

MOUNTAIN BIKING

Contribution to Mountain Biking	Kole Teixeira

NETBALL

McN. Cup for Most Valuable Senior Netball Player	Stella Lumkong Hawaiki Taituha

SPORTS AWARDS

Presented by: Mrs Sarah Jackson, Board of Trustees

Reader: Mr Daniel Wise, Deputy Principal

NETBALL

Service to School for Netball	Asenath Cotton

RUGBY

Kerikeri High School Girls' Rugby Cup: Most Valuable Player	Eva Steenkamp
Kerikeri High School Boys' Rugby Cup: Most Valuable 1st XV Player	Jack Klinac

SAILING

Godbert Cup for Commitment to Sailing	William Edwards

SWIMMING

Year 11 Swimming Champion: Girls	Layla Bell
Year 11 Swimming Champion: Boys	Jack Whitlow
Year 12 Swimming Champion: Girls	Maddison Weight
Year 12 Swimming Champion: Boys	Will Anderson
Year 13 Swimming Champion: Girls	Kaia Derbyshire
Year 13 Swimming Champion: Boys	Louis Astill
Graveson Cup for Senior Girls' Swimming	Layla Bell
Dianne Reed Cup – Open Medley	Layla Bell

TENNIS

Simm Cup for Senior Girls' Tennis	Amalfi Robinson
Bone Cup for Senior Boys' Tennis	Bosco Robinson

SPORTS AWARDS

Presented by: Mrs Sarah Jackson, Board of Trustees

Reader: Mr Daniel Wise, Deputy Principal

VOLLEYBALL

Senior Girls' Volleyball Trophy: Most Valuable Player	Ce'Lia Stubbs Scarlett Vea
Senior Boys' Volleyball Trophy: Most Valuable Player	Dillan Blithe-Drake

SPECIAL SPORTS AWARDS

Senior Girls Sports All Rounder	Amalfi Robinson
Senior Boys Sports All Rounder	Waina Te Pouakai

SPECIAL AWARDS FOR OVERALL SPORTING EXCELLENCE

The criteria for these awards include the level of sporting achievement, the breadth of sporting involvement, assistance to others, leadership qualities and sportsmanship.

Outstanding Service to Sport	Nikara Holmes
Student Coach of the Year	Asenath Cotton
Student Referee/Umpire of the Year	Nikara Holmes
Lawrie Kendall Memorial Cup for Senior Girls	Kaia Derbyshire
Simon Boss Memorial Award for Senior Boys	Charlie Birt

PREFECTS 2026

Presented by: Mr Mike Clent, Principal

Reader: Mrs Dana Boisen, Deputy Principal

The following students are the Kerikeri High School Prefects in 2026

Lucas Anderson
Ben Andrews
Charlie Andrew
Peyton Baker
Lucas Bell
Isabelle Cannon
Natalie Collins
Ben Couchman
Kaia Derbyshire
Pieter du Plooy
Zoe Fisher
Stanley Hayes
Nikara Holmes
Amelia Horsfield
Hannah Huddert
Tyler Keehn
Jessica Keil
Davahn King Rudolph
Finlay Ludbrook
Carlito-Rey Maregele
Whakahotu Marino
Hannah McGlinchey
Sienna Molloy
Bosco Robinson
Skye Robinson
Lisa Schofield
Zane Scott
Keira Smith
Yi Ming Sok
Zach Trautz
Luka Urlich
Sam Weston
Craig Wilson

Head Students 2026

Presented by: Mr Mike Clent, Principal

Reader: Mrs Dana Boisen, Deputy Principal

Kerikeri High School Deputy Head Girl and Deputy Head Boy

Willow Cochran

Dillan Blithe-Drake

Kerikeri High School Head Girl and Head Boy

Molly Para

Joe Jackson

Kerikeri High School Head Boy Mr Joe Jackson

Kerikeri High School Head Girl Miss Molly Para

MUSIC

'Six months in a leaky boat' – Split Enz

'Maybe' – Op Shop

Performed by:
Kerikeri High School Year 13 Music

CULTURAL AWARDS

Presented by: Mr Fintan McGlinchey, Board of Trustees

Reader: Miss Jezena Gilmore, Deputy Principal

ART

Excellence in Exhibiting Art Within the Community	Paige Lewis Roberta Pawa

AUCTIONEERING

Kerikeri Barfoot and Thompson Auctioneering Award	Joe Jackson

CREATIVE WRITING

Carolyn Gifford Trophy for Creative Writing	Lesley Shao

DEBATING

Kerikeri High School Senior Debating Award	Nate Brewer Isabelle Cannon Joe Jackson

DRAMA

Performing Arts Award for Outstanding Acting	Cooper Lonsdale
Production Award for Outstanding Direction	Natalie Collins
Production Award for Outstanding Technical Contribution	Zoe Fisher Sienna Molloy
Performing Arts Award for Outstanding Overall Contribution	Jessica Keil

MUSIC

Kerikeri High School Music Award for Excellence in Extra-Curricular Music	Jayden Patrick

CULTURAL AWARDS

Presented by: Mr Fintan McGlinchey, Board of Trustees

Reader: Miss Jezena Gilmore, Deputy Principal

McCallum Cup for Excellence & Contribution in Extra-Curricular Music	Isabelle Cannon
Mervyn Case Music Award	Hunter McInnes

SPEECHES

Josey Cup for Year 11 Speech	Tara Perry
MacDiarmid Cup for Prepared Speech for Year 12	Isaac Sharp
Year 13 Speech	Craig Wilson
Scott Cup for Impromptu Speech	Isabelle Cannon
Jock Hodgson Memorial Trophy for Rotary Speech Winner	Tara Perry

KAPA HAKA

Kapa Haka Trophy: Most Improved Female	Mya Taurima
Kapa Haka Trophy: Most Improved Male	Te Hauata Rapana
Kapa Haka Trophy: Most Valuable Female Contribution	Ikaroa Armstrong Kingi
Kapa Haka Trophy: Most Valuable Male Contribution	Whakahotu Marino
Kapa Haka Trophy: Most Valuable Overall Contribution	Davahn King Rudolph
Kapa Haka Trophy: Kaitātaki Wahine – Female Leader	Salena Paul Hawaiki Taituha
Kapa Haka Trophy: Kaitātaki Tāne – Male Leader	Phoenix Matthews
Te Puāwaitanga - Te pou o te kapa (Commitment, Perseverance and Resilience)	Salena Paul

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Mr Chris McLellan
Board of Trustees

UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIPS

Presented by:

Presented by: Mr Chris McLellan Board of Trustees
Reader: Mrs Dana Boisen, Deputy Principal

Oliver Ashton	Victoria University of Wellington Totoweka Scholarship
Peyton Baker	University of Waikato Ko Te Tangata Scholarship
Reece Baker	Massey University Kick Start Scholarship
Lucas Bell	Massey University Accommodation Scholarship Massey University Kick Start Scholarship
Isabelle Cannon	Victoria University of Wellington Tangiwai Scholarship Chloe Wright Scholarship University of Auckland Academic Potential Scholarship University of Waikato Te Piringa Faculty of Law School Leavers Scholarship University of Waikato Te Paewai o Te Rangi Excellence Scholarship
Hannah Croucher	Massey University Kick Start Scholarship
James Davis	AUT 2027 Knowledge That Works Accommodation Scholarship
Kaia Derbyshire	Butte College, California, Scholarship Century College, Minnesota, Scholarship Wayland Baptist University, Texas, Scholarship Truett McConnell University, Georgia, Scholarship
Zoe Fisher	University of Otago Leaders of Tomorrow Scholarship
Zoe Gvardijancic	University of Auckland Academic Potential Scholarship Victoria University of Wellington Tangiwai Scholarship University of Otago Leaders of Tomorrow Scholarship
Nikara Holmes	Lincoln Tihi Kahuraki Scholarship
Hannah Huddert	University of Otago Performance Scholarship

Jessica Keil	Victoria University of Wellington Tangiwai Scholarship University of Auckland Waka Moana Scholarship
Finlay Ludbrook	Massey University Undergraduate Science Scholarship Massey University Kick Start Scholarship
Alexandra McDonald	AUT 2027 Knowledge That Works Accommodation Scholarship
Izzy McDonald	University of Otago Māori Entrance Scholarship
Molly Para	University of Otago Māori Entrance Scholarship University of Auckland Waka Moana Scholarship
Salena Paul	University of Waikato Vice Chancellor's Scholarship
Roberta Pawa	Massey University Kick Start Scholarship Massey University Toioho Ki Apiti Undergraduate Scholarship
Skye Robinson	University of Otago Leaders of Tomorrow Scholarship
Ngakau Tana	University of Waikato Vice Chancellor's Scholarship
Waina Te Pouakai	Victoria University of Wellington Totoweka Scholarship
Luka Urlich	University of Otago Vice Chancellor's Scholarship
Gwendolyn Van Leeuwen	Massey University Kick Start Scholarship

LEADERSHIP / SERVICE / STUDY AWARDS

Presented by: Mrs Dana Boisen, Deputy Principal

Reader: Mrs Renae Rakena, Deputy Principal

Principal's Leadership Study Award	
Kerikeri High School Board of Trustees Prize for Student Trustee	Joe Jackson
Kerikeri High School Service to School Award	Ben Andrews
Law North Prize for a student intending to study Law	Lisa Schofield
Attest Investment Trust Aspiring Business Award	Lucas Bell
Seeka Award for a student intending to study Horticultural Science	Craig Muller
Dr Josh Aird Law Prize	Molly Para
Williams Award for Vocational Excellence	Ethan Ford
Community Trust Study Award	Willow Cochran
William Thomas Graveson Study Award	Zoe Gvardijancic
Cleo Winikerei Award	Ben Couchman

ELITE ACADEMIC AWARDS for TOP SCHOLARS

Awards for TOP SCHOLARS in Year 11

Presented by: Ms Claire Brooks, Board of Trustees

Reader: Mrs Renae Rakena, Deputy Principal

In alphabetical order:

Eloise Ashley
Aimee Broom
Mackenzie Crawford
Olivia Davison
Isla Dawson
Isobel Gurau
Tilly Hargreaves
Jaxon Hendrikse
Finn Hofer
Lily Horgan
Sophia Ibbotson
Swara Kharche
Riya Kirsch
Olivia Line
Eva Lovell
Holly McGlinchey
Fern Mikkelsen
Jack Mounter
Tara Perry
Taylor Revell
Eleanor Richardson
Amalfi Robinson
Iona Robinson
Bailee Samuels
Anya Satchell
Kelly-Ann Sexton
Ava Shaw
Lucia Skellon
Grace Steenkamp
Jakob Sturrock
Hannah Wade
Caitlyn Wilson
Ava Wylie

ELITE ACADEMIC AWARDS for TOP SCHOLARS

Awards for TOP SCHOLARS in Year 12

Presented by: Mrs Eileen Crawford, Board of Trustees

Reader: Mrs Renae Rakena, Deputy Principal

In alphabetical order:

Ikaroa Armstrong Kingi
Shyla Atkinson
Amber Bloch-Jorgensen
Iolanthe Byworth
Petra Choice
Emmalee Ferris
Alexandra Gates
Jordana Glentworth
Sarai Going
Scarlett Halliday
Orla Hill
Shawn Jiang
Paige Lewis
Stella Lumkong
River Oszajca
Bowen Penn
Gabby Robinson
Julia Roosendaal
Pippa Sager
Isaac Sharp
Eva Steenkamp
Stella Stephens
Maddison Weight
Taylor Wright

ELITE ACADEMIC AWARDS for TOP SCHOLARS

Awards for TOP SCHOLARS in Year 13

Presented by: Mr Mike Clent, Principal

Reader: Mrs Dana Boisen, Deputy Principal

In alphabetical order:

Isabelle Cannon
Willow Cochran
Zoe Fisher
Zoe Gvardijancic
Amelia Horsfield
Lilly Hulse
Joe Jackson
Jessica Keil
Izzy McDonald
Phoebe Nicholls
Brianna Osborne
Molly Para
Skye Robinson
Craig Wilson

PTA Prize for PROXIME ACCESSIT

Presented by: Mrs Rebecca Powrie, Kerikeri High School PTA

Reader: Mr Mike Clent, Principal

Craig Wilson

Rotary Prize for DUX

Presented by: Mrs Dawn Laurenson, President, Rotary Club of Kerikeri

Reader: Mr Mike Clent, Principal

Isabelle Cannon

Takutaku – Matua Kipa Munro

Pou hihiri
Pou rarama
Pou o te whakaaro
Pou o te tangata
Pou o te aroha
Te pou e here nei i ā tātou
Mauri ora ki a tātou
Haumi e, hui e, tāiki e

Through respect, may clarity be gained
Through the values that bind us as one, may understanding be ours
Through self-reflection, may wellbeing be yours
Through personal endeavour let us gather, join, intertwine

Donations

Kerikeri High School would like to thank the following people and local businesses who have kindly given donations to our prizegiving. The students are honoured to receive a prize that recognises their outstanding achievements.

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We would also like to thank:

Music Workshop for the Sound System and Staging
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Kerikeri High School PTA for polishing the school trophies

We warmly invite parents, whānau and friends of our Year 13 students to join us for light refreshments in the Auditorium