



Daily Notices
Wednesday, 18 February 2026

Panui o te rā
Rāapa, 18 2026

IMPORTANT MESSAGES

A reminder when going to Te Puna Waiora, please use the entrance to TPW, rather than going through the walkway from the Reception/ Deputy Principals' area. This is for staff only. Thank you.

GENERAL

- All Year 10 and Senior Debaters who are attending the tournament this weekend, please attend Debating today in Kōtuku at lunch.
- Students who are going to Debating tournament and have not yet been fitted for No 1s please come to Reception today (Wednesday) and tomorrow, please don't leave until Friday as there are quite a few of you. Thank you.
- School Photographs:
Form class and individual student photographs will be on Tuesday the 17th and Wednesday the 18th of February.
- Starting from Monday February 9th the pool will be open at lunchtime for the following groups
Mon - Year 7 Only 1.30-1.55pm
Tues - Year 8 Only 1.30-1.55pm
Wed - Year 9-13 (9 & 10 after seated lunch)
Thurs - Girls Only
Fri - Boys Only

JUNIORS

- Years 8-10 SAVE is on today after seated lunch. Anyone welcome, see you in DVC1.

SENIORS

- Wednesday period 2 Miss Jackson's 12 Bio class go to COM 4.
- SADD (Students against dangerous driving) are coming to do a workshop on Monday 23rd February at 1:15pm. This will be held in Wellbeing and is open for all interested students' years 11-13. If you are keen to get SADD/Kaitiaki o Ara up and running in our school community please come and attend the workshop.

CULTURAL

- All year 7 and 8 Kapa Haka students please meet Mrs Lowe in Nga Hau e Wha (NHW) at interval today for a Kapa Haka meeting. We will be done in time for you to eat afterwards.
- Te Pou o Manakō kapa haka have our first hui in the Whare this Thursday morning during form time 8.35am. Please arrive on time so that we don't run into Period 1. If you are a Year 9-13 existing member or new and are wanting to be involved in the Tai Tokerau Festival campaign, come along!
Nau mai haere mai!

LIBRARY

- Student Librarians – letters are in your form pockets this morning. Could the 2026 Student Librarians please meet in the Library at interval today.

SPORTS

- Mountain Biking -
The Northland Regional Competition is in Whangarei on Thursday 5th March.
Cross Country and Enduro races. Open to Year 8 -13 students who ride with the Thursday group.
If you missed the meeting yesterday please see Ms Yates in BES 9 sometime today for more info and permissions forms -
- Sign up in the sports office for:
 1. Year 9 & 10 boys wanting to play basketball for school, will be in a regular Friday night league
 2. Year 11 – 13 boys who would like to play rugby league for school, midweek term 2
 3. Year 11 – 13 boys who would like to play 1st XV rugby for school, midweek term 3
 4. Year 9 & 10 girls who wish to play midweek rugby for school term 2
 5. Year 11 – 13 girls who wish to play midweek rugby for school term 2
- Sign ups open for 1st XI Girls Football at the Sports Office. First trial Monday 2nd March 3.15pm.
- Reminder that second trial for 1st XI Boys Football is today. List is up outside the Gym. Please be ready at 3.15pm outside the Gym on big field as we have goals to construct before trial. Must have boots and shinpads.
- Any Year 9 – 13 student wishing to compete at the Northland Secondary Schools Athletics competition, please see the Sports Office for sign up. Distances 100m – 3000m available, shot putt, javelin, discus, high jump, long jump, and triple jump. You can do a max of three events. The competition will be on Friday 6th March in Whangarei.
- Sign up is now open for all Year 7 & 8 students who wish to play netball for the school on Saturdays in Kerikeri.

CALENDAR

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| Wednesday | School Photos - Auditorium 7.00PM - 8.00PM PTA Meeting |
| Thursday | Life and Environmental Science Wairoa Stream Water Testing NSSSA Cricket Girls 1st XI - Leef Cup Academic Plus - Sailing NSSSA Year 9 & 10 Boys Tag South |
| Friday | Year 7 Assembly Academic Plus - Equestrian, Surfing Year 7/8 Kapa Haka Prefect Celebration Assembly P3 – 7, 10, 12, 13 P4 – 8, 9, 11 |
| | Sunday - Debating Regionals Whangarei |