

# 2021 Tokoroa High School

# T A H S

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# From the Principal's Desk

Kia Ora, Kia Orana, Talofa Lava, Malo e Lelei, Goeie Dag, Ni Hao, Namaste, Greetings.

*Tokoroa High School Mission Statement -  
"The Best and Highest Qualifications for All"*

In 2021, despite the impact of Covid-19 again, our school's academic results, as measured by NCEA achievement, remained consistently high. These results are a credit to the efforts made by our staff and students along with support from our families in the community. Tracking and monitoring of NCEA results show satisfying progress for the year. Pleasingly, at Level Two and Level Three and University Entrance, our achievement rate are the second highest attained over the past nine years. Plans are in place to continue to improve our academic achievement rates in 2022, with the goal of surpassing the previous 'best' results across all year levels.

## COVID-19

Negatively in 2020 and 2021, we have witnessed the significant influence that Covid-19 has had upon our retention of students in the senior school. The closure of New Zealand's borders for extended periods of time has meant that the labour pool of migrant workers from overseas has been substantially reduced throughout the country. Employment options have therefore become more freely available and many of our students have taken up job opportunities earlier than they had expected. The concern is that students are limiting their future aspirations by venturing into unskilled employment that is often lowly paid and has low levels of advancement. Research has consistently shown that education is still the most important factor towards raising aspirational levels and improving a person's quality of life. Attainment of relevant qualifications in High School enables a young person to continue into tertiary and vocational pathways that set them up for life.

## TOKOROA HIGH SCHOOL 'CLASS OF 1971'

2021 also marked the 50-year commemoration of a tragic event that occurred on the 31<sup>st</sup> of May 1971. On that date, four Tokoroa High School students died in a car accident. Colin Emerton aged 15, Pamela Van Egmond aged 15, Kathryn McEwen aged 14 and Christina Tough aged 15 lost their lives in the crash. Three other students in the car survived the accident, including our South Waikato District Mayor Jenny Shattock (Jenny Weavers at that time). The students were all in the top streamed academic classes in form five (year 11). They were recognised as student leaders as well as top athletes in that year group. I have vivid memories of that time. In particular, standing with many of my school mates outside the St Marks Presbyterian Church on Bridge Street, attending one of the funeral services held that day.

This year, our Mayor Jenny Shattock alongside Ken Rugg our school caretaker organised a remembrance event that began on Saturday 29 May and culminated on Monday 31 May at a service at Tokoroa High School. Jenny, Ken and I were classmates of the students who lost their lives. Monday's remembrance service at Tokoroa High School consisted of a Powhiri, a full school assembly, a blessing and unveiling of a memorial plaque. The day concluded with a delicious lunch prepared by Elize Lotter and her hospitality students. I thank Bishop Billy Maea and Poutapu Winikerei for leading the school's tribute and our school students and staff for supporting the commemoration.

I have listed the following comments from some of the attendees at Monday's event:

- *"The experience that I have just been through today will always be remembered. So proud of our old school and how it is now. The culture and spirit is alive and well"*
- *"Humbled by the welcome and the passion showed by the school"*
- *"So humbled and honoured by the welcome we received at the school today. Always proud to say I went to Tokoroa High School and that I come from Tokoroa"*
- *"The marvellous manner in which you treated us on our return journey to school. I am and always have been proud to be a past student of this great school"*
- *"Thank you Tok High, loved coming back to the school, so proud of you all"*
- *"Nga mihi te Kura Tuarua O Tokoroa. Returning to Tokoroa High School has been a privilege that we have been given. The manaaki, the aroha, the tautoko was very evident from the time we came in. Na te aroha"*
- *"There is nothing like being with people you went to school with"*
- *"Thank you so much for the great hospitality. I wish sometimes I hadn't been so mean to my teachers. As we grow up, we realise life should be so much easier"*
- *"Well, what to say? Today has been one of the most memorable and beautiful experiences I've had. I had no idea I still had all those tears inside.... Thank you, Tokoroa High School, for a beautiful and heart warming welcome and experience. What lovely staff – all such kind faces – beautiful people with humble hearts. A profoundly meaningful experience I will never forget"*

## IN MEMORY

As in past years, there has been sorrow and heartache with the passing away of so many people from our school community. On behalf of Tokoroa High School, I wish to express our condolences and sympathy to you all.

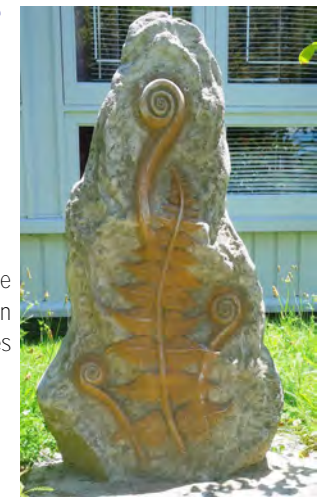
Hei Maumaharatanga – In memory

Best Wishes

Wishing our students, families all the very best for the New Year and for the future.

No reira, tena koutou, tena koutou, tena tatou katoa.

Willie Ford



# Deputies Corner

*"Yesterday is the past,*

*Tomorrow is the future,*

*But today is a gift*

*That is why it is called the present"*

This quote came to me during the term three lockdown. I am always interested inspirational quotes and attaching a story or meaning to them. I had never come across this one and when I first heard it my thoughts started racing all over the place to understand it, to make connections and place my story in there.

To know that the things that are in the past are in the past allows us to learn from that. We will have both good and bad memories and experiences that sit there with us. They do not have to define us though.

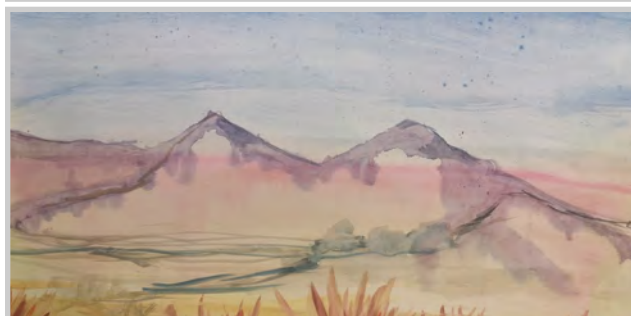
Knowing that tomorrow is the future allows us to believe that there is a different way for us to become a better version of ourselves. It gives us hope to dream, to set goals, to be different than what our past has been, or to strengthen who we are and what we want to become.

Today is the present in both meanings of the word. We have a chance today to make decisions that determine both our past and our future. We are living in that moment and that is truly a gift.

It is a cliché, but life is like a roller coaster, and it will have its ups and downs. It will require hard work, there will be setbacks, you will feel happy and sad and all of that is ok. The recent space rocket launch with normal everyday people is proof that anything is possible.

Take some time and think about this quote, what does it mean to you? Write down your story, allow time to reflect on the past, future, and present and be the person who determines how your story goes, chapter by chapter let it be your story to tell.

*Brian Reid  
Deputy Principal  
Tokoroa High School*



# Head Students

2021, what a roller coaster of a year you have been from our happiest times to our lowest. You have been the most life teaching year I have ever experienced. This year we were lucky enough to catch a glimpse of our lives before Covid-19 until it all came back again, however I am happy to say that we got to experience more than we expected such as our school stars camp, Our school ball, Pasifika by Nature, Sports Exchanges and much more. If this year has taught me anything it is that time really does fly when you're having fun so live every day like it is your last.

The love I have for this like no other, for five years I have been supported by a great teaching staff that make my academic goals a priority and have helped me accomplish these goals.

During my time at Tokoroa High School I have participated in:

- Puna Vai Ora
- First XIII Rugby League
- First XVI rugby
- School Productions
- Stage Challenge
- Various sports teams

And much more so I guess you could say that Tokoroa High School definitely kept me busy, however I wouldn't have had it any other way.. I will miss everything about Tokoroa High School, The calm conversations with Mrs Faagalu, The laughs I had with Mr Chandra and will never forget the hurtful but much needed growlings from Miss Tarai and Mrs Solomon. The love and pride I have for this school will always be strong and forever I will hold on to the many memories I have created whilst at Tokoroa High School.

Head Boy 2021 signing out ..... Peace !!!.

Tala Letoga

I can hardly believe it. My secondary schooling has come to an end. I remember being that over excited Year 9 student, ready to tackle anything that Tokoroa High School had to throw at me. Camp, PBN, Sports, School Ball, Wearable Arts – I wanted to do it all. The best part about this, is that I did get to do all these things and more. How many students can say that they got to attend school the same time as all their older siblings? Well in 2017, when my sister Lahaina was Head Girl, I was in Year 9. My brother Keawe was in Year 10, and my brother Hawea was in Year 12. That was such a good year, and the other four years of my time here at Tokoroa High School is now a part of history.

Am I looking forward to the next part of my journey??? Yes, I'm not even gonna lie – just as I was excited back in Year 9 to begin my education here at Tokoroa High School, I'm excited to go on to university. But I don't want to leave without saying thank you to this school, for everything that I gained and everything that I had the privilege of being a part of. I got to see different places because of the activities that I was involved in and the classes that I took. I gained knowledge from people who I consider to be experts in their field, people with a passion for teaching and the betterment of their students. I was able to grow my passion for sports, which I absolutely love, grow in leadership, and achieve excellence in my studies every year that I attended this school. But more importantly, I was able to be Cook Island. For me and my siblings, this is something that stands out for us. What other school could grow our identity as Cook Islanders? This is where I say Meitaki Atupaka to my Dean, mentor, Cook Islands teacher, Puna tutor, and so much more. "No'ou ei to'ou purotu" Maine Tarai.

There are so many other people to thank, people who have always been there along my journey right from the start of high school – Mr and Mrs Manu, Mr Reid, Mr Tahau, Miss Tavai, Mrs Henderson, and of course Whaea Piki. Thank you also to Mr Ford for every opportunity. For a small school, we get to do so much. I just want to send some love to my family. I had big shoes to fill when I came to this school. All of my older siblings had achieved so much while they were here, achievements in so many facets of the school. They set a path for me, where the natural thing to do was just follow. My family have always been there and I'm so grateful.

Finally, to my fellow students – make the most of the opportunities given to you. Don't be those kids who sit there and wait for everything to happen. Be the ones that make things happen. To the rest of my year group, the Year 13's, I wish you all the best on your new journey.

**IF is a two-letter word that separates your dreams from reality. It sits in the middle of LIFE. Don't say or think the word IF when you want your dreams to come true.**

"Noku ei toku purotu, No roto i te kutikuti o te rangi e, Iekoko!

Hoana-Rose Solomon



# Deputy Head Students

Hauraki ki uta Hauraki ki tai kia mau kia ita ki te kirikawa whakangau tonu atu whakangau tonu atu niwhaniwha ki te rakau kirikawa ki te mata kai kutu ki te mata kai waka taku pakai riri taku matapopore ki te po ki te ao ki te ruahoeroa tihei mauri ora.

Tena koutou ko Tamatea Ngapo-Lipscombe ahau - I am the Deputy Head Boy at Tokoroa High School, and I have been privileged enough to receive amazing opportunities this year. I would just like to take this opportunity to thank my peers for working with me. Thanks to the heads and deputies for allowing me to give my all to the job it has been my pleasure working alongside you this year.

I'd like to send out a big thanks and mihi to a few who have helped me and shaped me this year. To my Dean of Te Rito - Mr Ngapo. Thanks for allowing me to represent our Māori tutor group. Māori leadership is important and so I'm glad for being able to lead our tutor group which is special and unique. I support our future Māori students to aim high and always drive for excellence in all that you do. Mr Ngapo will always support all our Māori students.

To my teachers, I would also like to thank you all as well to the senior management team, especially Mrs Manu who always guided me and showed me the way, very proud to know you.

What can I say, a huge thanks must go out to Miss Sanjeena Chandra, for supporting me with my business venture; joining the yes programme where I designed my own water bottles was a dream come true. If it were not for you my Waihuarere business wouldn't have been a success. These water bottles were based on the whakapapa of Te Waihou in Te Reo and English and this product was successful and gave me the opportunities of a lifetime. For example, I was selected to travel to Latin America but due to covid 19, a group of 14 students attended a domestic version of the program. We travelled to Hamilton, Wellington, and Dunedin learning all about the Latin American culture and how to conduct business in these countries. I met heaps of amazing peers and mentors, and this was a life changing opportunity.

I also recently received the 1st place regional award for Māori culture in business and received 2nd place for the Rangatahi Māori Business Award out of 4700 businesses. I do feel honoured to receive this recognition.

I have also done the Puna Waiora Health Programme, but this was cut short due to covid lockdown. Te Rito has been a big support for me at Tokoroa High School and was a great support for Māori kaupapa for example our Te Wiki o Te Reo Māori week. This was made possible by all our Te Rito tutors, so a huge thank you to you all.

This has been an amazing year at Tokoroa High School despite the covid hit. One of the biggest feats for me this year was leading our school at the Anzac parade where I was proud to represent our school and my Papa reverent Lloyd Ngapo where I got the chance to recite the ode in Te Reo Māori. Lastly, I'd like to thank all my whanau for all their self-belief in me. My mum, dad and brothers, uncles, and aunties; thanks for always being there. I hope to have made my grandparents proud and especially my Papa and Nana Ngapo who have always supported me and taught me to be me.

To all our year 13 students who are departing I wish you all well for the future and I know you will always do well. I hope to see you around and remember where we come from. Don't be afraid to give me a big kia ora, especially if you're coming to Waikato University next year.

*Ma punenga ma tutakarerewa ka puta ai a ihu onenga. Through hard work and perseverance comes great success.*

Nga Mihi  
Tamatea Ngapo-Lipscombe



The year 2021 came with its surprise. It was definitely a rollercoaster ride for us as Head Students. We had our laughs and we definitely went through our own obstacles as well as difficult challenges but nonetheless, we still rose against them together.

Tokoroa High School has provided so much for me during my schooling years. It has provided me with excellent teachers who have all greatly pushed me in both my academic achievements and my extracurricular activities. Along with these great teachers, I have met great peers who I can fortunately say, I still have them around me to this day.

Some of my Highlights were

- ✓ Going to the Cook Islands in Year 10.
- ✓ Completing a Rowathlon along with some of the Tokoroa High School staff.
- ✓ Completing Cactus in 2019.
- ✓ Participating in Puna Vai Ora with and against my family.
- ✓ Winning PBN 2021.
- ✓ Receiving the blessing of becoming Deputy Head Boy.

Without the support of the school and its staff, I wouldn't be able to participate in these activities so I took every opportunity I had to learn and experience the activities.

It has been a stressful year, but one of the best highlights of my life so far. For five years. I have been able to represent our shield on my sleeve and show it off to everyone. Although I wasn't able to represent the shield through sports, I decided to represent it through academics and volunteering at different places. The position of Deputy Head Boy has given me a lot of opportunities to give back to not only my school, but to my community such as participating in the ANZAC Dawn Service, the S.T.A.R.S Programme and the Leadership course at Waikato University.

Looking towards the future, I wish to become either a social worker or a teacher. These are my future aspirations because I wish to help our youth, especially now when they are always being observed and judged by the society we live in, then reported on social media. I would like to create a safe and healthy environment, not only in my class, but also in the school.

I am very thankful and grateful for my head students Hoana, Te Kahukura, Katelyn, Tala and Tamatea, along with all our prefects who have helped me on my journey along my schooling years. This year, especially, with the Covid lockdown that just happened recently and lifting the pressure of this role off my shoulders.

*"O le tagata ma lona aiga, o le tagata ma lona fa'asinomaga.  
Every person belongs to an aiga and every aiga belongs to a person".*



To me, this means in high school you not only get to make life-long friends who will become your family when you find the right people. Thank you to Mr Ford and all my teachers who have taught me life lessons, gave me growlings, fed me food and guided me.

Matthias Erika

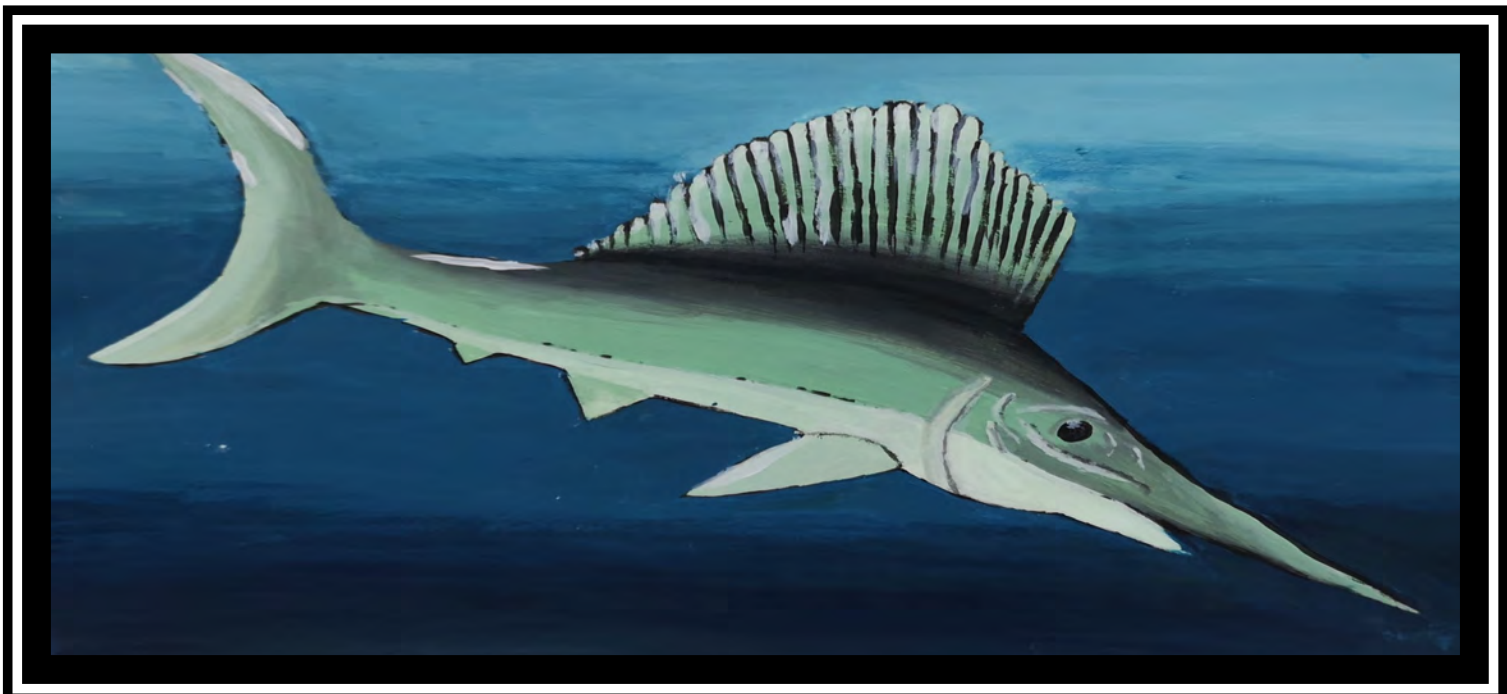
# STARS

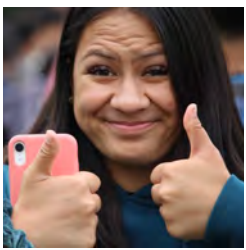
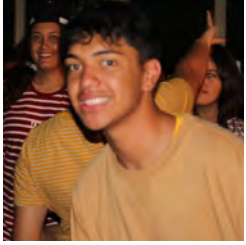
We have had another great year in Stars. Despite the restrictions of Covid19, we were still able to go on our Stars Adventure Camp, run several mentoring sessions, and also hold our Community Food Drive. Camp, as always was a highlight, with 50 mentors and approximately 120 Year 9's. Lakes Ranch is a familiar place for Tokoroa High School students, and the home of many exciting adventures – Swoop, YMCA Speak, Camp Cooking, ABL, Horse-Riding, Slippery Slide, Pool Activities, Camp Concert, Raft Building, Mud Run, Lake Swim, Kayaking, Burma Trail, Night Sports and of course our favourite – Capture the Flag. We couldn't have done all of this without our staff, volunteers and community organisations – YMCA, WERA and YOUTH INTACT.

In our sessions this year, we developed a more effective way of engaging with our Year 9's, which we called 'Power Sessions'. We split the gym up into 12 stations, with three mentors at each station. The mentors have chosen a topic connected to the overall theme of the day to speak on. All of the Year 9's are already split up into 12 groups. In the 'Power Sessions', each group of Year 9's rotates through the stations and spend one minute there. After a minute, a timer calls STOP, then SWITCH, which lets everyone know that the groups have to move on to the next station. After about 20 minutes, the groups have completed all of the stations and then we have Quiz Time. In Quiz Time, the groups are given questions by the mentors that relate to their stations. The mentors did a fantastic job of their small power sessions, coming up with acronyms or catchy phrases to help connect the Year 9's to an overall important message.

Our Community Food Drive was an important highlight for us as a school. Our community have been hit hard by Covid19 and we wanted to be able to help out. We held a school mufti day, and instead of paying to wear mufti, students were asked to bring a food item. Our school collected approximately 900 food items to donate to the local Food Bank. This was a great effort by our school.

2021 has been another great year for Stars!





# The Lighthouse Learning Programme

**THE END OF AN ERA. 2014 - 2021**

In 2014 I was assigned to run a new learning programme to help year 11 students who had learning and behaviour challenges here in Tokoroa High School. The name of this programme was initially called ABC but was changed to The Lighthouse learning programme in 2016. It was a new initiative created by our principal Mr Ford and I was charged to run it. Covering new ground it was a very experimental programme with the added challenge of helping chosen year 11 students achieve NCEA LEVEL ONE.

The type of students that were chosen for this programme relished in the fact that our programme was based on a constant timetable and not a rotating timetable which helped students to settle well into this programme. Also having our own home room or base was a great help. Consistency was a key factor in our programme which included also having the same main teacher which was myself. By myself I found it very hard but with the help of a lot of kind teachers who volunteered their time and expertise over the years we were able to find a good balance.

It was a daily grind but to achieve NCEA LEVEL ONE at the end of the year made all the hard work worth it. Students who completed the course to the very end were very satisfied achieving NCEA LEVEL ONE. In fact we maintained a 100% success rate over all the eight years the programme has been running. Unfortunately, those students who did not see the year out would fall short of the mark.

I am truly grateful for our principal Mr Ford for the wonderful and challenging opportunity to run this unique course as I have learnt so much as a teacher and how to create and adapt learning programmes. I was challenged, I was stretched in all areas of learning but I came out a better teacher and a better person for the experience. Thank you to all the teachers who taught, who helped, who supported our programme. I am also truly grateful for all the students I was able to teach, to help and to guide over the past eight years and all the good times, the tough times and the rough times that **we had but we got there in the end. Don't forget our Lighthouse reunion at 6pm 7th December 2024.** The Lighthouse is now officially closed

The Lighthouse Keeper

Matua Billy Maea



## COUNSELLING HIGHLIGHTS FOR 2021

We began the year working out of a very hot and airless room next to the staffroom and as it was only one space when Gaylene and I were here together on a Wednesday one of us would have to leave so the other one could have a conversation that was confidential.

However, the opening of our Health and Wellbeing Suite in March has provided us with such an amazing space to work. Although there have been one or two hic-cups we all feel so blessed to have a beautiful, purpose-built area to work in. We have incorporated the Health clinic into our space and what a difference this has made for us and our students. The nurse is here every day and the Doctor comes once a week and so we are all able to provide wrap around care and support for our students.

We have had a change in Drug and Alcohol counsellors coming into school from the beginning of Term 3. Colleen has become a senior practitioner with Care NZ and now works out of a Hamilton office. We have welcomed Caitlyn to our school and she works here on a Tuesday.

We have also been lucky to have Irene coming in most Tuesdays as she works towards getting her hours to gain full membership of our registration body NZAC.

Gaylene and Pam continue to job share – Pam Mondays-Wednesday and Gaylene Wednesday-Friday. We have continued to see large numbers of our students as they navigate high school and teenage issues. However we have also noticed an increase in the anxiety our young people are carrying as we all get

used to COVID, lockdowns, vaccinations and not being able to travel or see our loved ones like we used to.

Stay safe and well.





This year, our Tokoroa High School was fortunate to be part of the Ministry of Education's **Ka Ora Ka Ako**- Healthy lunch program in schools. Every student in our school had access to free healthy packed lunches every day of the week. According to the Ministry of Education, Ka Ora, Ka Ako aims to reduce food insecurity by providing access to a nutritious lunch every day. Research indicates that reducing food insecurity for children and young people:

- ❖ improves wellbeing
- ❖ supports child development and learning
- ❖ improves learners' levels of concentration, behaviour, and school achievement
- ❖ reduces financial hardship amongst families and whānau
- ❖ addresses barriers to children's participation in education and promotes attendance at school
- ❖ boosts learners' overall health

To run this program efficiently, Senior Prefects (Y13) and Breakfast Club volunteers (Y10) students helped in distributing lunch.

Tokoroa High School Year 12 Business Studies students also initiated "kaitiakitanga" project, where they started with recycling and reducing waste by starting their school greenhouse and compost. Every day a class is rostered for afternoon duties to help keep our



## Breakfast Club Volunteers Reporting

A group of year 10 students volunteered to run breakfast club at school and help with lunch distribution. These students start school early so they can get a hot milo, toast and Weetbix ready for students from 8.30-9.00. These students not only develop leadership, communication and organizational skills, but also learn to give back and support the community, as they sacrifice their morning tea time and arriving to school early.



**Breakfast Club Volunteers**

*Front row: Allen Kinney, Sharidan Medina, Jhanell Aballe*

*Back row: Ava Hulme, Gus Wilson, Carl Sobrepena*

*Absent: Te Rangi McKenzie*

*"We feel highly privileged to be part of this program. Helping out has brought us opportunities to interact more with not just our fellow students but also teachers. It's given us a sense of duty and helped us grow interpersonal, communication and leadership skills. Seeing a smile on students' faces when they see something they like and hearing a simple "thank you" makes coming out of class a little earlier all the more worthwhile. We really hope that the kids enjoy receiving both the school lunches and milo as much as we enjoy handing them out".*



# IT'S BUSINESS TIME @THS!

2021 has been another year of a blast for the Business Studies students at Tokoroa High School, despite the many offsets during the year due to the worldwide pandemic. Our students have learnt that resilience is the key to keep things moving in the right direction and they never gave up.

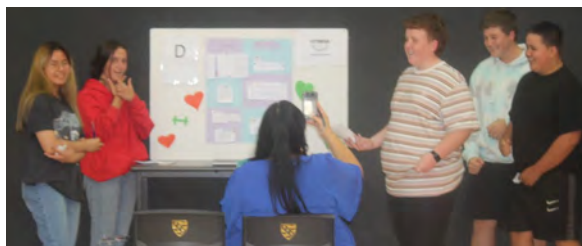
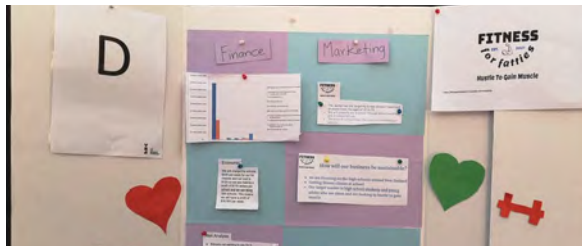
Hence the wise words of Sir Winston S. Churchill

***"Success is not final, Failure is not fatal: It is the courage to continue that counts".***

Students from Level one, two and three participated in several events and activities during the year, which gave them the best opportunity for authentic learning.

## EVENT ONE: BP BUSINESS CHALLENGE

About 60 students from Levels one, two and three participated in a three-day BP Business Challenge. During the three-day program, students are mentored by experienced course facilitators from the Young Enterprise Program, where students work in small groups to produce an innovative business concept, investigate how their ideas could be turned into a business and present it to a panel of judges on the final day. Students are engaged in this challenge and learn vital skills, such as problem solving, teamwork, confidence, and creativity. Students can also gain 10 NCEA Level three credits.



## EVENT TWO: SCHOOL GALA



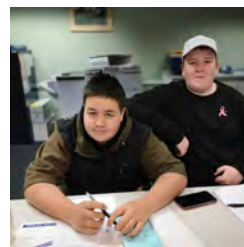
THS Twilight Gala went ahead despite the looming uncertainties of Covid 19 lockdown restrictions and weather. Like previous years, the school gala was a huge success, with a lot of stalls being run by Business Studies students, either to sell their actual product, MVP or fund raising towards their start-up capital.



## EVENT 3: PINK RIBBON BREAKFAST



In Term Two, Business Studies classes and Hospitality students combined to host Pink Ribbon Breakfast to give back to the community and show their Manaakitanga. This event was a great success and a total of \$675.20 to the Breast Cancer Foundation



## EVENT 6: YES REGIONAL AND NATIONAL CHALLENGES

Tokoroa High School falls in the Rotorua/Taupo/Tokoroa region, which is managed by a Regional coordinator based in Rotorua. Being part of the YES program is a privilege and an amazing experience for the students, but it also requires hard work and commitment. Teams must work consistently throughout the year to submit several different challenges to the Regional Coordinator to qualify for the regional and national awards at the end of the year. Apart from submitting online and video entries, the teams also pitched in front of the judges from different businesses and organisations around the region. Three companies that were part of the YES program were: Vitanic, Happy Toes and Wai Huarere.

### VITANIC

Vitanic produced portable garden for a convenient and cost-effective way to access fresh produce, which encourages a healthier lifestyle throughout New Zealand. They recycled the damaged school desk and used their own seedlings for organic gardens. Vitanic featured in different social media throughout the year, such as South Waikato newspaper, Online Stuff News, NZ Gardener magazine and Radio Station. Team members were: Charla Stretch, Ayush Menon, Bree Williams-Healey, Damian Te Mana, Brooklyn Tukaki.

Team Vitanic won the following Awards from YES:

- Top Regional winner for Commitment
- 3rd Place for the National Excellence Award on Sustainability



### school desks into portable vege gardens

Luke Kirkeby · 05:00, Jul 19 2021



LUKE KIRKEBY/STUFF

Vitanic's Charla Stretch, Brooklyn Tukaki, Ayush Menon, and Bree Williams-Healey with their portable vege garden.

When you picture a school desk, vegetables are unlikely to come to mind. But, at Tokoroa High School, that's exactly what you'll find.

### HAPPY TOES

**Happy Toes'** produced a very own unique socks held with a heartfelt meaning behind them to spread awareness and bringing the attention it needs towards Mental health/Taha Hinengaro. Students hand dyed quality socks and had the personally designed butterfly embroidered on the socks to spread the message that **"you are not alone"**. Members of the team were : Tiana Manu-Griffen, Jaye Redden, Shakaiya Popata, Herbie MaClouley, Te Atamira Brodie Karepe, Casey Forrester.



### WAI HUARERE

**Wai Huarere** vision was to promote Te Reo Māori and knowledge about NZ's waterways. By branding the company through its unique design and narrating the whakapapa of Te Awa Waihou (Putaruru) in English and Te Reo, Wai Huarere successfully produced and sold over 100 bottles.

Wai Huarere won the following awards at the YES Regional Finals:

- Regional Top company for Cultural Sustainability
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Place for the National Excellence Award for Rangatahi Entrepreneur.



## TEACHER AWARD

Mrs Chandra was awarded Sir James Fletcher Award for Most Inspiring Teacher, 2021. It is one of the National Excellence Awards under the Young Enterprise Scheme.



## ON-LINE LEARNING, IS IT NEW OR IS IT OLD?

The Volcanics eLearning Community is a group of North Island schools that work together to offer wider, more flexible opportunities in secondary education. Courses are offered on-line, via ZOOM meetings, and are offered to students that have timetable clashes or cannot access a subject in their own school, for example, psychology or a language. Did this method of learning arrive with Covid-19 along with masks and lockdowns? No, it did not, it has been in our school for many years.

Mathematics is a subject that people either see the logic or get completely confused. On-line learning has given students the opportunity to extend their mathematical expertise by competing with other schools. This year, at Year 9 level, two teams from Mrs Fa'agalu's class entered a competition. Team A consisted of Nevaeh Reid, Jack Grant and Kyle Aculana while Team B was Michael Alloway, Quentin Sager and Logan True. The eTeacher, Mrs Meier from Ohope, reported that both teams were polite, friendly, well behaved and a pleasure to work with. However, it was Team A that received the 'Overall Winners' certificate.

'Well Done!' to both teams.

*Yvonne Voss, eDean.*



# SCIENCE SPINNERS - CREATIVE WEB LAB DAY



**IS THE WAY OF THE FUTURE!**

In March 2021, ten of our Year 9 students got to experience a range of 'hands on' activities at this year's 'Science Spinners' lab day in Hamilton. This allowed them to dabble in the world of Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths (STEM). The aim of the lab day was to introduce students to STEM and to open up their minds to possible career pathways for the future.

The event was run by the KuDos Scientific Trust, whereby scientists and industry leaders from around the region came together to share their expertise with students from all around the Waikato. The students designed health drinks, investigated some of the micro 'beasties' found in our waterways, tested their physical limits, and used lasers to test their reaction rates – just to name a few! The unanimous highlight was the ice-cream making, which always goes down a treat. A very fun day was had by all and we look forward to going back again next year!



## INTERNATIONAL CHEMISTRY QUIZ

On the 29<sup>th</sup> of July 2021, we had 23 students from Year 9 to Year 12 sit the online International Chemistry Quiz. This involved answering 30 multiple choice questions. This tested the student's skills as they were required to analyse graphs, complete calculations and apply their own chemistry knowledge to a variety of scenarios.

This quiz is held in 21 countries around the world and had over 95,000 students participate this year. It was fantastic to see our students taking part and challenging themselves at an international level.



## SUPER FUN SCIENCE PROJECT

Mrs Lal's Year 9 Science class made giant bubbles. The ingredient list seemed bizarre, the cornflour didn't completely dissolve, didn't seem slick and slippery like store-bought bubble solution. But that did not deter Dre and his friends practising the entire class time to come up with the perfect giant bubbles.

The best weather for making bubbles is to pick a cloudy or overcast day, with high humidity and very little wind. The reason being that sunshine and wind will dehydrate your bubbles, causing them causing it to pop. Students also made their own wand. They used two drinking straws, and a length of yarn that was six to eight times longer than the length of one straw. All they needed to do was to thread the yarn through the straws, tie a knot, and they were good to go!

## YEAR 9 DISSECTIONS

One of the best ways for students learn is through 'hands on' activities, but sometimes students get a little more than they bargained for.

This year, the Year Nine students got to examine cows eyes, hearts and lungs. It is always great to see students challenging themselves to bust out of their comfort zones and do something different, and this year was no exception. With scalpels in hand, students examined each part of the eye, and were surprised to learn that the lens can be used as a magnifying glass. They learnt about the tapetum – a layer of pua coloured cells attached to the retina, that reflect light back into the eye, increasing night vision for many nocturnal animals. Cool eye !

As always, the heart/lungs dissection was a hit, with several students able to inflate the lungs, and see just how spongy and expandable they are. The beauty of dissections are the links that can be made between human and animal anatomy. By examining the cow, they are (sort of!) learning how parts of their own bodies function, and what they look like. I commend the students on their maturity and bravery during our practical sessions!

Many thanks to South Waikato Homekills, for their donations of the cow organs.



# HUITAU 2021 - THS KAPA HAKA GOES TO KAIKOHE, NORTHLAND, NZ.

This year the Tokoroa High School Kapa Haka team attended the Huitau Kapa Haka festival held in Kaikohe on the 2<sup>nd</sup> of April 2021. The group was tutored by Matua Billy Maea and managed by Matua Poutapu. We were able to take a group of 50 people in total, including our stage team of 38 students and our adult supporters and drivers. We stayed at the Kaikohe Wharekura and would like to thank Aunty Tina Brown and son Char for organizing our accommodation and also for shouting us MacDonalDs. A big thank you to Mr Manu who organized our transport. We would also like to thank our drivers, Mr Dean Tereu, Mr Rob Kapoor, Matua Poutapu and Mr Manu.

We practised very hard to prepare for the Kapa Haka festival. We practised every Saturday of Term One from Week One to Week Eight to prepare for the festival. Our practises would last for five long hours every Saturday. We also practised every interval and lunchtime during term one. It was very hard as none of us have ever performed at a kapa haka festival. The hard work paid off as we grew confident in ourselves and our bracket of performance.

We practised to perform a full competition kapa haka bracket which consisted of a waiata tira or choral item, a whakaeke or entry, a moteatea or traditional song, a poi, a waiata a ringa or action song, a haka and finally a whakawatea or exit. All our items were composed and arranged by Matua Billy. Gypsy-Rose Koteka helped us with the poi actions. Mr and Mrs Drower taught us sign language which we used for our action song. Matua Poutapu organised our performing uniforms. Mama Moeroa helped sew our boys' pake or shoulder cloaks. We were also very fortunate to have our Kui Heeni – Raiha Dunn as our tour guide up north and our tikanga advisor.

We were also fortunate to have rehearsed our bracket to several groups including Te Kahui Whetu, North School, Tokoroa High School assembly, our dress rehearsal for family and also our fundraiser performance for Mrs Manu and the THS Maori students achievement night. Thank you Mrs Manu and Mr Keinan Ngapo for your financial support. Nothing however could compare to our performance at the Huitau Festival.

We performed second out of nine groups for a huge audience from all over Aotearoa. We were the only Rangatahi or youth group there. We were very nervous before taking the stage but we had practised lots so knew we would be alright. The crowd made us feel good when we walked on to the stage. We went hard and left it all out on the stage. The crowd applauded quite a few times but we were just glad it was all over. We felt good when our performance was all over. Our Tutor was very happy too. Then we could relax and enjoy the rest of the festival and our trip.



# Speak UP STAND TOGETHER STOP BULLYING

KÖRERO MAI, KÖRERO ATU, MAURI TŪ, MAURI ORA

Tokoroa High School celebrated and supported Pink Shirt Day 2021. We created and designed a range on treats that helped our students become aware of this special and beautiful cause.

Pink Shirt Day is about working together to stop bullying by celebrating diversity and promoting kindness and inclusiveness.

It's about creating a community where all people feel safe, valued and respected, regardless of age, sex, gender identity, sexual orientation, ability, or cultural background.

Alongside New Zealanders in Aotearoa we were encouraged to Kōrero Mai, Kōrero Atu, Mauri Tū, Mauri Ora – Speak Up, Stand Together, Stop Bullying!

Celebrated annually around the globe, Pink Shirt Day began in Canada in 2007 when two students took a stand against homophobic bullying after a new year 10 student was harassed for wearing pink. We've been celebrating Pink Shirt Day in Aotearoa since 2009 and the campaign grows stronger and larger every year and have been celebrating Pink Shirt Day for the last couple of years.

We will continue to support this beautiful cause and encourage our community to get involved.







# TOKOROA HIGH SCHOOL SERVICE ACADEMY

The Tokoroa High School Service Academy (SSA) has had an extremely busy and positive year.

At the start of the year during Term One, 10 students traveled to Waiouru military camp for a 10-day induction course, alongside six other SSA from other areas in the central north island. Working with the New Zealand Defence Force (NZDF) Youth Development Unit (YDU), students learnt a number of various skills including parade drill, physical training and adventure-based learning

During Term Two, five students were selected to take part in the SSA Basic Leadership course at Ohakea air force base in the Manawatu. For five days these students learnt a variety of different techniques to help them become more effective leaders.

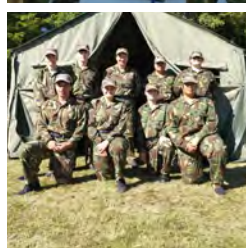
11 Students also attended the SSA Bushcraft Course at Whirinaki National Forest Park. Throughout the term students had learnt various skills such as the environmental care code, pitching tents, cooking safely in the outdoors, and endurance training the 5-day course was the culmination of all this learning.

In Term Three, two students were selected to attend the SSA Advanced Leadership course once again in Ohakea. These students were able to further refine the techniques taught to them on the Basic Leadership course. At the end of the course the students planned a formal dinner which was attended by the OC of Ohakea Airforce Base, and this was the first time that they had done this.

Halfway through the term the students were given the opportunity to get their first aid certificates however halfway through the course we went into lockdown. This meant a rescheduling once we got back, but we managed to get through it and the students got their first aid certificates.

During Week 9 of Term Three, was the SSA Adventure Challenge. This was a five day course designed to push everyone (directors included) both physically and mentally. This camp was attended by 12 other SSA from around the central North Island. This presented several challenges due to the covid restrictions that were still in place. Thanks to the efforts of the YDU the camp was still able to go ahead and was strictly monitored by the YDU to be compliant and keep everyone safe. Challenges that needed to be completed were Mountain biking, Tramping, The Tough Guy/Gal challenge, White water rafting and Mental/physical Olympics. Tokoroa High students received several compliments from the YDU staff on their resilience and perseverance during these activities.

The students in the academy have grown during the year and have learnt that what they thought were their limits, are nowhere near what they can achieve when they really push themselves. They also have become a tight knit family group who look out for each other and will help others when they see someone needing assistance.



# Te Kahui Whetu

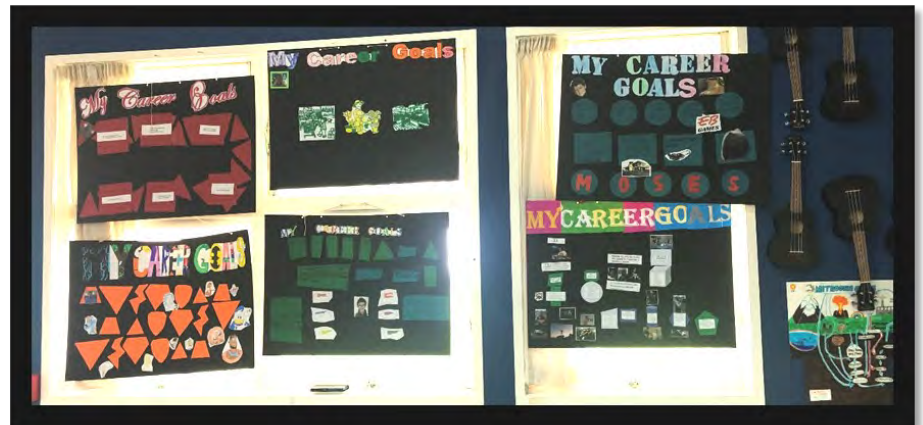


Before lockdown level 4, we were very lucky to be able to visit the Sensory Room in Hamilton.

We then had lunch at the children's playground and enjoyed wandering around the Hamilton Gardens.



We worked with an organisation who do jump jam dancing, we had to do it via zoom.



In term 2,3 and 4 we developed our Career Goals with Ann-Marie Daniels from "Career Moves" a Supported Employment Agency.

We are continuing to do more work with her in the school holidays and also in 2022 .



In term 2,3 and 4 we worked with Miss Prasad on different Science projects, we learnt about the carbon cycle, nitrogen cycle, water cycle and climate change.

# Careers, Gateway and Trades 2021

A mihi nui goes to Ms Latisha Kelly as she exited from running the Future Career Pathway Dept at our school, across to working at the Ministry of Education.

In her wake came a team of Careers staff in the forms of Mrs Manu, Ms Ford, Mr Tahau, Mr Kakaraia, Miss Tavai and Ms Collins. Each of these team members running a year level, and different area of careers, and all working in together to help our students transition and move to where they want to be in the world.

There were 32 students taking part in Trades Academy in 2021, this was held off campus in a variety of places; Toi Ohomai hosted students each week in both the Tokoroa and Rotorua Campuses, some students attended Yoobee Colleges in Rotorua, and others attended noho trades at Te Whanau a Noa with Te Wananga o Aotearoa. These trades students undertook courses of study in agriculture, construction, Automotive Engineering, Outdoor education, Hospitality, Hair and Beauty, computing, animation and creating digital portfolios, all these students gained practical skills in their areas of interest.

It has been fabulous to see the skillsets and personal confidence levels of our students rise as they have navigated studying at a tertiary institute, and have been very much in charge of managing themselves using bus services, and finding their way around tertiary campuses for attending their courses of learning.

A number of students participated in Gateway working at local businesses this year, Gateway is a great way for our students to explore the world of work, before leaving school. It is very easy for our rangitahi to quickly decide if the career path they think they want, is actually what they do want, there is a wonderful quote from Katherine Whitehorn which applies to Gateway *"Find out what you like doing best, and get someone to pay you for it"*

Our partnership with the local Police and Bluelight has continued with a Gateway Police Big Day out and Tokoroa Hospital has continued to open for our students to engage in work place work experience there.

We ran a number of work preparation courses through 2021, with students gaining

their forklift licences, barista skills, bar manager skills, workplace health and safety certificates, sports leadership among other areas that our rangitahi were interested in.

Bus trips to universities and polytechs, private learning institutes and local workplaces were engaged in and thoroughly enjoyed by all who went.

Our students attended the South Waikato Careers Expo where they were able to engage with local employers, nationwide tertiary education providers, look at a variety of careers and make connections with what their potential future might look like.

A selection of our school leavers attended a speed-meet with Business owners and Managers from over 30 different employers in the South Waikato. This was an eye-opening morning with students learning about vacancies that are open and urgently needing filling within our region – many with apprenticeships and an ability to work and stay local – which a number of our youths wish to do.

Our year 12 students attended the Teen Driver Expo and were shown how a booze bus works, how the jaws of life are used by our firemen, what happens when police attend an accident, how ambulance officers work in an accident scene, and how the three work in together. Alongside presentations on the negative outcomes of drink or drugged driving. This was an eye opening experience for many of our students.

We have been fortunate again this year to have had drivers licences funded by the SWIFT fund, this has made a big impact on our students and helped many to gain access to driving lessons, and attain their drivers licence. We would like to sincerely thank the SWIFT fund for this support of our tauira and helping them to remove barriers to future employment via having their licences prior to leaving school.

Somehow each week, we were busy! We look forward to meeting 2022 head-on and prepared to see our rangitahi flourish.



## FORKLIFT COURSE



## WANANGA O AOTEAROA STUDENTS PLACING THEIR PĀ KIRIWAI KOHA AT TŪAHU URUPA



## TEEN DRIVER EXPO



**HOSPITALITY L3 STUDENTS LUNCH AT TOI OHOMAI**



**SPEED MEET**



**TEEN DRIVER EXPO**



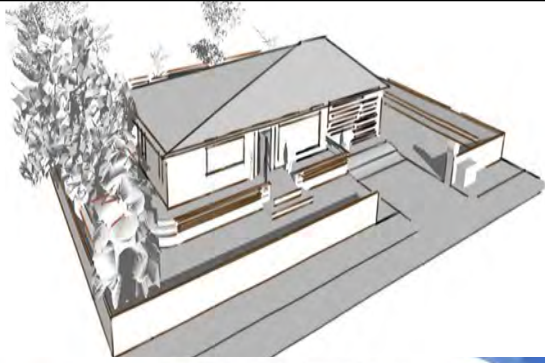
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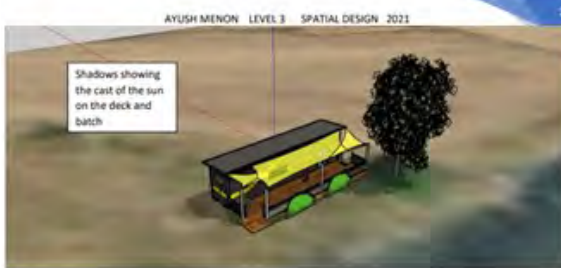
**JOSH ACULANA WINS THE YOOBEE COLLEGE CREATIVE EXCELLENCE**



# BUILDING/ WOOD TECHNOLOGY/GRAPHICS - ENJOY SOME OF THE CREATIONS



AYUSH MENON LEVEL 3 SPATIAL DESIGN 2021



Shadows showing the cast of the sun on the deck and bench



Front View of the Bench. This view captures what the Bench looks like. I can comfortably say that the Bench does not look like a shipping container. It has blended in as a house.



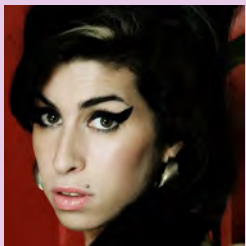
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TWO POINT PERSPECTIVE



# "Let's Do This!"



lockdown, we were finally able to put together our second concert of the year on the 22<sup>nd</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> of September. For this concert, students were able to choose pieces that inspired them. The lockdowns not only delayed the concert, but also meant that the amount of time that students had with their instrument teachers was scant, despite efforts to conduct online lessons.

Despite the challenges, our performers demonstrated their resilience to put together the **"Let's Do This!"** concert and complete their assessments.

From Year 11, bassist Satriani Thompson performed "You Know I'm No Good" by Amy Winehouse. Vocalist Pete Kinny presented "You are the Reason" by Calum Scott and "Cry for Me" by Twice, and drummer Chevy Thompson gave an enthusiastic rendition of "Holiday" by Green Day.

Our Year 12 students didn't disappoint, with vocalist Paris Bennion-Lindsay performing "Big White Room" by Jessie J. Drummer Peter Barlow went metal with Iron Maiden's "Infinite Dreams" and Robyn Pascoe performed "Thanks for the Memories" by Fall Out Boy.

This was the final performance for our highly talented Year 13s, and I wish them all the best for their future endeavours.

Vocalist Braxton Kohere's final performance programme consisted of "Japanese Denim" by Daniel Caesar and "Confetti" by Tori Kelly.

Pianist Jackira Ngatamariki's final performance programme included "Dancing Queen" by ABBA and "Before You Go" by Louis Capaldi.

Guitarist Connor Wilson's final performance programme comprised of "Don't Dream It's Over" by Crowded House and "Always with you, Always with me" by Joe Satriani.

The audio-engineering for this concert was conducted by the highly competent Paige Watson.

There were some very ambitious pieces performed in this concert which speaks to the commitment these students have towards developing their musicianship.

# Classical, Jazz and World Music

On the 26th and 27th of May our senior music students performed their Classical, Jazz and World Music concert as part of their NCEA assessment. This concert encourages students to explore styles of music that are outside of their comfort zones and can therefore be very challenging.

Year 13 Connor Wilson started the programme performing "Classical Gas" by Mason Williams and "Homura" by Lisa, on guitar.

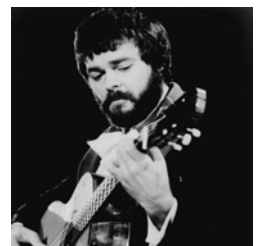
We had a line-up of strong performances throughout the night including, from our year 11's; bassist Satriani Thompson who performed "I Shot the Sheriff" by Bob Marley, guitarist Josh Whareaitu who presented a very confident rendition of "Chaconne 2" by Yurima, drummer Chevy Thompson who gave a highly convincing performance of "Smooth" by Santana and vocalist Pete Kinny who performed "Torete" by Moira Dela Torre.

Our Year 12 students were represented by drummer Robyn Pascoe who performed "Soul Station" from Trinity College. Fellow drummer Peter Barlow chose the reggae inspired piece "Jahmake Ska" from the Rock School collection. Vocalists Isabella Erika performed "Pua Kiele" by Josh Tatoi and Shakaiya Popata demonstrated her vocal talents with "Kimihia" by Maisey Rika.

Year 13 Jackira Ngatamariki completed the first of his piano programmes which included "Reminiscent" and "Maybe" both by Yurima. Braxton Kohere gave us a convincing programme that consisted of "Misty" by Ella Fitzgerald and "You've Changed" by Eva Cassidy. Finishing off the concert was bassist Fiky Aboud with "Pirates of the Caribbean" and "Bass Romance".

Our audio engineers for this concert were James Vaeau and Tama Farrelly who did a great job ensuring our performers sounded their best.

This was a fantastic concert with our performers demonstrating their range of musical skill.



# TE RITO ROUND-UP

This year has been a mixed year with covid hitting us all and disrupting our school calendar. This also put a stop to our full group tutor meetings and noho marae. We look forward to next year and all that it brings. Hopefully we should have a bit of normality.

It has still be great to see our tutor group share in their academic and extra curricular activities. Congratulations to all the students for making it through the year and for gaining their NCEA level one two and three.

Seeing my students achieve and gain national success in business studies and sports teams really does make me proud.

I would like to thank my tutors for all their hard word and determination this year in supporting the students. Pastoral support is imperative especially during the cocos pandemic. The work you have done does not go unnoticed.

- Thanks Ms Prasad for your help this year as a newcomer to Te Rito you have shown great support for your students.
- To Carle thanks heaps for what you do for our Maori students. Your staunch support of our Maori students is awesome.
- Beau your always their to support the students. You go out of your way to help them. Picking them up taking them to trainings. Your like Superman.
- Chantel your wonder woman always their keeping your boys in check no one steps out of line.
- Hayden another new comer thanks for what you have done for your kids they know your awesome their to support them. And our trekking master Misha your really great at motivating our kids the relate well to you and the look up to your leadership skills.
- Matua Poutapu thanks for your help on the marae and with your kids. Your total immersion tutor has resonated well with your kids and keeping the reo strong.
- Ms Lal you have done a great job looking after the seniors this year managing them is not an easy task.

All in all it has still been a great year. I would like to pay special mention to all my year thirteen Te Rito students who are making their way in the world. Go forth and conquer and don't forget who yiu are and where you come from. Te Rito and Tokoroa High School will always be your home.

Thank to the support of our Senior Management Team and to our principal Mr Ford and our Board of Trustees for always supporting our students and Te Rito. Our tutor group is special and unique. Te Rito started as a way to support our Maori students and to give them a place which supports their growth. 'Te' meaning 'the' and 'rito' meaning 'the shoot'.

Kia kaha kia toa Kia manawanui.

Matua Ngapo



# Year of the Dragon

## King & Queen



JUAN MONGA & LIARNA SEMA

## Prince & Princess



AVEI LUATUA & SHARI MAJ

## Best Couple



DARJ TAKIRI & MADISON UMAKI

## Spirit of the Ball



MATTHIAS ERIKA & JESSELLE TRAINOR

## Best Hair



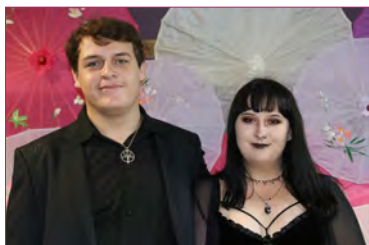
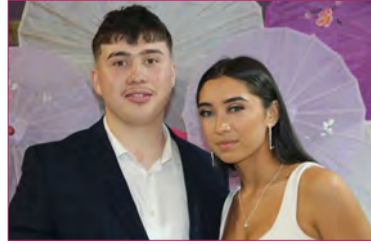
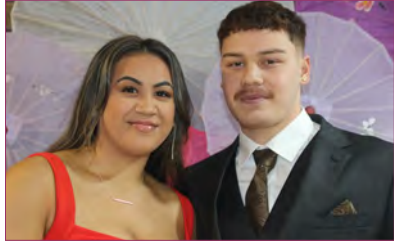
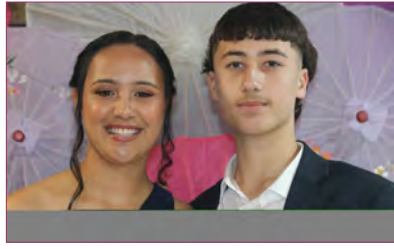
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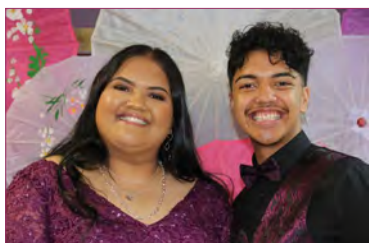
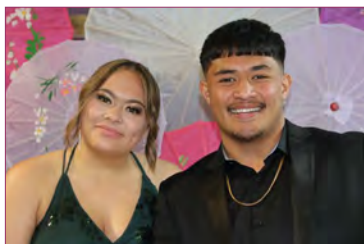
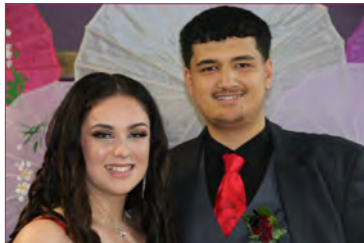
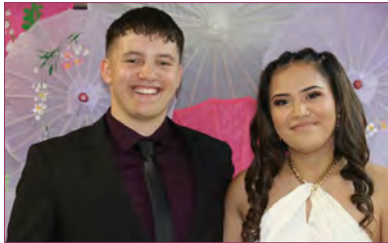
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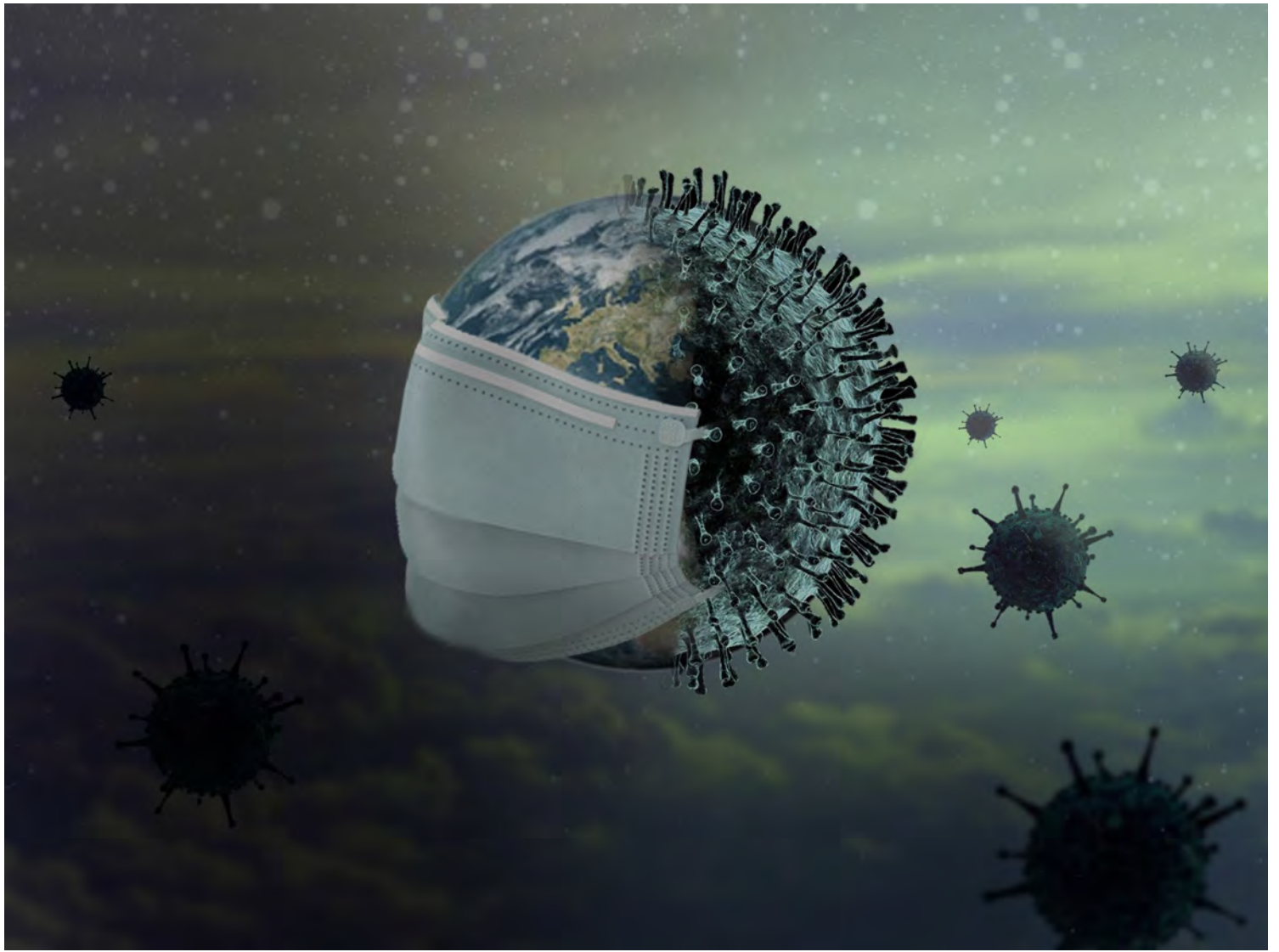


TALA LETOGA & LILY TEAO









# Athletic Day Results

	JUNIOR GIRLS CHAMPION Lyric Vano			JUNIOR BOYS CHAMPION Deyshawn Leaf Wicky		
EVENTS	First	Second	Third	First	Second	Third
100m	Shannon Heat Uatuku	Lyric Vano	Bonny Tahere	Dayton Hughes	Tamati Tatana	Deyshawn Leaf Wicky
200m	Lyric Vano	Caitlyn Syben	Ata Te hokowhitu-Wynne	Tamati Tatana	Dayton Hughes	Nooroa Paora
300m	Lyric Vano	Caitlyn Syben	Ata Te hokowhitu-Wynne	Tamati Tatana	Deyshawn Leaf Wicky	Dayton Hughes
800m	Lyric Vano	Ciarah Daine		Tamati Tatana	Bailey Parker	Deyshawn Leaf Wicky
1500m	Lyric Vano	Ciarah Daine		Bailey Parker	Tamati Tatana	Deyshawn Leaf Wicky
Discus	Nevaeh Reid	Deisharn Wilson-Jenkins	Leilani Cox	Toa Turia-Meti Rec: 35.45m	Joseph Sinclair	Bailey Parker
Shotput	Ryliegh Cadman-Buckley	Bonny Tahere	Shannon Heat-Uatuku	Tyreese Ratu	Dayton Hughes	Toa Turia-meti
Javelin	Ryliegh Cadman-Buckley	Jacqueline Jones	Nevaeh Reid	Joseph Sinclair	Deyshawn Leaf Wicky	Dawn Sinclair
High Jump	Caitlyn Syben	Keira Riki-Pahewa	Phoenix Harrison Lyric Vano	Nooroa Paora	Deyshawn Leaf Wicky	Tamati Tatana
Triple Jump	Phoenix Harrison	Lyric Vano	Ryliegh Cadman-Buckley	Bronson Curtis	Nooroa Paora	Anthony Mayes
Long Jump	Phoenix Harrison	Ryliegh Cadman-Buckley	Lyric Vano	Deyshawn Leaf Wicky	Dayton Hughes	Bronson Curtis
Relay	Totara	Kowhai	Kauri	Kowhai	Totara	Kauri
	INTERMEDIATE GIRLS CHAMPION Kiera Russell			INTERMEDIATE BOYS CHAMPION Christian Vano		
	First	Second	Third	First	Second	Third
100m	Kiera Russell	Sasha Popata	Xaylem Kharli Frohlich	Christian Vano Rec: 0.11.50 Set in Heat 2	Jayjay Douglas	Roman Reddy Te Mana
200m	Kiera Russell	Sasha Popata	Maiya Tuakana	Callum Ward	Avin Winikerei	Cade -Tutehiwi Seymour
400m	Kiera Russell	Sasha Popata	Maiya Tuakana	Christian Vano	Callum ward	Cade-Tutehiwi Seymour
800m	Kiera Russell	Sasha Popata	Janelle Bartie	Tellus Russell	Jayjay Douglas	Callum Ward
1500m	Kiera Russell	Maiya Tuakana	Janelle Bartie	Tellus Russel	Callum Ward	
Discus	Taylah Gillett	Olivierre Kapene-Tereu		Harvey Shaw	Josuah Whareaitu	Joseph Maea
Shotput	Zoe Fraser	Mia Vano	Miselo Teu	Harvey Shaw	Josuah Whareaitu	James Ratai
Javelin	Isabella Erika	Olivierre Kapene-Tereu		Josuah Whareaitu	Avei Luatua	Jayjay Douglas
High Jump	Jade Cortesi	Maiya Tuakana	Janelle Bartie	Christian Vano	John Coaing	Jadath Garmonsway Cade -Tutehiwi Seymour Avin Winikerei
Triple Jump	Kiera Russell	Sasha Popata	Paige Kohere	Christian Vano	Cade-Tutehiwi Seymour	Gianni Pene
Long Jump	Kiera Russell	Paige Karepe	Xaylem Kharlic Frohlich	Christian Vano	Cade-Tutehiwi Seymour	Harvey Shaw
Relay	Kowhai	Kauri	Totara	Kowhai	Totara	Kauri
	SENIOR GIRLS CHAMPION Brodie Karepe			SENIOR BOYS CHAMPION Herbie McAuley		
	First	Second	Third	First	Second	Third
100m	Brodie Karepe	Maissyn Draper	Adriana Monga	Tremayne Eiao	Itu Davey	Porter Kennerly
200m	Brodie Karepe	Maissyn Draper	Zareah Putu	Porter Kennely	Sonny Burnett	
400m	Brodie Karepe	Madison Umaki	Aliana Maea	Tremayne Eiao	Herbie McAuley	Sonny Burnett
800m				Herbie McAuley	Christian Vano	Corrin Cody
1500m	Brodie Karepe	Geraldine Lagas		Herbie McAuley	Corrin Cody	
Discus	Rhiarn Wilson-Jekins	Honey Rikiona	Jaye Redden	Darj Takiri	Eruera Rangi	Hezekiah Carlson
Shotput	Madison Umaki	Juliyah Restall	Jaye Redden	Hezekiah Carlson	Darj Takiri	Luka Peraua
Javelin	Honey Rikona	Shakaiya Popata	Madison Umaki	Itu Davey	Darj Takiri	Hezekiah Carlson
High Jump	Brodie Karepe			Louis Billett Rec: 1.80m	Karasharn Hunter	Porter Kennerly
Triple Jump	Madison Umaki	Hoana Rose Solomon	Jaye Redden	Izzy Aukuso	Sean Hayes	Herbie McAuley
Long Jump	Brodie Karepe	Madison Umaki	Maissyn Draper	Tremayne Eiao	Herbie McAuley	Karasharn Hunter
Relay	Kowhai	Kauri	Totara	Kowhai	Totara	Kauri







# AXILIA



Tricking in 2021 has come a long way for the Axilia Tricking Guild here at Tokoroa High School since 2020.

At the beginning of the year Tremayne Eiao entered the New Zealand Tricking Gathering competition and scored 3rd place in the 1v1 finals in January. This was a rather incredible feat by someone who has only been tricking for 1 year by this point and was going up against adults with 10+ years experience. This victory showed the New Zealand community that there is some mad potential and talent here in our humble town.

As the year had progressed, Axilia had its own 1v1 Battles. Here new up and coming talent was spotted as Carl Sobrepena took out the win, with Allen Kinney coming a close 2nd in the Beginners 1v1 bracket. A heated battle in the final of the Spartans division between Gus Wilson and Shayden Anaru saw Gus take the crown and highlight that the Jnrs are a force to be reckoned with. The last division (the coaches) saw Jedi Master Mr Parkinson and Padawan Tremayne Eiao go face to face in a 1v1 battle. Unsurprisingly Tremayne took the win (by a long shot) but it was a moment to show that a student can surpass their teacher, which was no doubt inspiring to many.

Throughout the year we had our normal trainings on Fridays and Sundays at the school gym. To spice things up we even had a themed training where students dressed up as their favourite anime character and completed a series of challenges to earn prizes, such as the 'spiciest' tornado kick. And in between all this the kid's love and passion for tricking and the community we have built here at the school has only grown stronger.

Last but not least, we have been filming Episode 2 of the Axilia Documentary series which will be released on November 14th. This episode goes over everything discussed here and much more. It really shows the passion and the love for tricking the kids have developed better than words on a page ever will.





# TOKOROA HIGH SCHOOL MOTORCROSS

This year we entered our schools first ever motocross team in the New Zealand Secondary Schools Motocross Championships. We had a very small team of three. These students were Year 10's Bailey Parker, Damien Snowball and Year 9 student Breanna Rodgers. Our team did extremely well with Bailey and Damien competing in their first official motocross competition. The boys both showed impressive skills on the racetrack with Bailey coming away with a 3<sup>rd</sup> equal and Damien placing in the top 10 overall. Breanna only just missed out on taking the #1 position in the open girl's division. She placed 2<sup>nd</sup> overall with the fastest lap time of the day.

Thank you to Maree Rodgers who organized the team race shirts, so we were able to represent our school. Also, to all the parents who travelled to make this trip possible and to Miss Ford for organizing our team registrations, school sign offs and being supportive of our goals to race.

Looking forward to what is going to come in the future for our motocross team!

*By Bailey Parker*



# HOCKEY

Message from member of the team; Kylah McCabe

This year I had the pleasure of being a part of the Tokoroa High School girl's hockey team. Throughout terms two and three we played in the Bay of Plenty 'C' Grade tournament, and although we didn't bring back any wins, it was great to see our improvement as a team as the season went on. We worked very hard as a team and trained and played rain, hail or shine. We had an excellent back line of defenders, with some great saves made by our goalie Zoe Fraser, and our full backs Ashlyn Cox and Madison Fanning. In the energetic midfield we kept our ground, with Latia Fitzpatrick, Xaylem Frohlich, Janelle Bartie and Kaelin Savage standing out on the turf. After putting in the work both on the midfield and on the backline, the ball made its way up to the goal circle, where Nyla Jones and Angel Dempsey made successful shots at goal. The range of skills and ages in the team made for a very interesting game, working together to stop the opposition from winning by no more than two or three points.

We wouldn't have been able to play if it wasn't for all the hard work that was put in behind the scenes. First of all, I would like to thank our incredible coach Angela Taniwha, for not only passing down her extensive knowledge of the game, but also providing her patience for those in the team who had no previous experience with the sport. The second person I would like to thank is Kim Fraser. She played the role of team manager and worked relentlessly around the clock finding sponsors for the team, providing uniform, offering first aid support for our inevitable injuries and organizing transport so we as a team were able to get to and from our games as safe as possible. The final group of people I would like to thank are our supporters. The commitment you all showed to us didn't go unnoticed, whether it was just you sending a text asking how the game went, or showing up on the sideline cheering us on, we appreciate all of you so much.



*-Comment from our captain,  
Xaylem Frohlich-*

*"Thank you to all our supporters, parents and coaches for showing commitment to the team. Well done to our girls for trying your best, we did well for a new team :)"*



# THS under 15s Rugby Team 2021

*aka Boil up Boys*

This year we enjoyed a very good rugby season. Last year we only had three games because of Covid 19 but this year we were able to have more games. However, going into lockdown again this year cut off our season. That was ok because we played a mean game against Forest View under 15s to end the season on a high.

Our coach, manager and teacher in charge of our team was Matua Billy Maea. I don't know how he did it because he is a very busy man with a very big family. Thank you Matua Billy! We only had 16 players in our team and some games we even played with 14 but that didn't bother us. We just wanted to play rugby. We had six players who had never played rugby before, but it was all good because Matua Billy didn't care about the score he just wanted us to be safe and have fun.

Our first game, we played Te Awamutu and got thrashed 62 – 10. Our Second game, we played Te Kuiti and lost 42 – 7, but we were getting better. Our third game, we played Hamilton Boys High and just beat them 15 – 12. We were very happy, especially our coach who was sick of reporting losses in staff meetings. The very next week, on a high, we lost to competition leaders Matamata 21-12. In our fifth game we managed to beat Fraser High School in a friendly. We drew with Cambridge High School 15-15 but lost by one point to Otorohanga College 15-14. We played our final game against Forest View High School in a thriller under the lights on the Oval, the number one field on the Memorial Sports Ground. But despite our greatest efforts we just lost 22-19. It was an awesome way to close our 2021 campaign. Thanks to Isaac Boss for the Pizzas.

As the Captain of the THS under 15s rugby team I would like to thank our Coach and Manager, Uncle Billy Maea, our Sports Co-ordinator Tama Teaukura, all our referees, all our parents, especially our drivers, our supporters and last but not least the players and the team spirit we built. Bring on 2022.

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**Le Bron Maea, (Captain THS u15s rugby.2021)**



# GIRLS FOOTBALL

The Tokoroa High School girls football team had an awesome season, with massive numbers enjoying each other's company and having the time of their lives as they "competed" against schools from Rotorua, Taupo as well as our local neighbours from Forest View.

Forget Celtic v Rangers, Real Madrid v Barcelona, Liverpool v Manchester United, Inter v AC Milan- if you want to see local rivalries at its best pop along to the state of origin like THS v FVHS girls football games! Spurred on by an army of passionate (and slightly crazy!) supporters the THS girls were able to clean sweep the three matches this year, although the games were always tight affairs.

Year 9 players Phoenix Harrison and Latia Fitzpatrick were able to show their outstanding potential, with Phoenix scoring an incredible amount of goals including in the big games against FVHS and the invincible JPC, whom we gave the scare of their lives before losing only 3-2 to a team that has not lost for years!

Our goalkeeper Zoe Fraser also deserves special mention for some ridiculous saves that had the crowds in awe! Zoe certainly needs her COVID 19 Jab as she catches everything! (old football joke).

Other highlights of the season were the leadership displayed by Ashlyn Cox and the pride of farewelling our Year 13s in style with the 1-0 victory over FVHS. The 15-0 victory over Tauhara, who had stirred the hornets nest so to speak, was also memorable. However, by far the longest lasting memory will be the friendships, laughter, away trips, fish and chips, selfies? and awesome spirit displayed by all of the girls who played this year and JUST HAD FUN!



# BOYS FOOTBALL

2021 saw the Tokoroa High School boys football team take a massive leap forward as they stepped up into the Baywide Youth Under 19 competition. Starting off in Division Two, the boys were able to record some very impressive wins and were promoted into Division One halfway through the year. The standard of opposing teams and individuals was a massive step up, but our boys showed they deserved to be there with several close losses and tight wins.

The speed of the game, tactics of the opposition, concentration required and individual ability of every opposing player meant THS had to raise their standards and they were able to. With two tough trainings weekly and lots of analysis of games, the boys were all able to improve hugely with special mention to our keeper Alex “the cat” Hounslow who produced some incredible saves over the season including with his face!

They are a great bunch of boys who always played the game in the right manner- earning plaudits from opposing coaches for their team spirit, willingness to run all day and high level of skill.

**Most Committed Player:** AVEI LUATUA

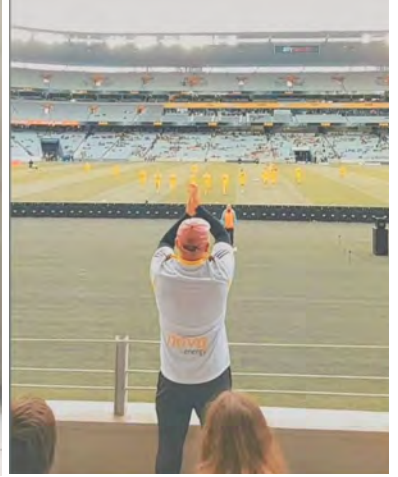
**Most Improved Player:** ALEX HOUNSLOW

**Dixon Cup for Player of the Year:** DEYSHAWN LEAF WICKY

**THS Player of the Year:** SONNY BURNETT



# THE YELLOW ZONE!



The Tokoroa High School football fraternity had an amazing experience when they attended the Wellington Phoenix v Perth Glory match at Eden Park on Sunday. As part of a fun-filled, boisterous and entertaining Yellow Fever zone, the passion and energy that only football crowds can provide was embraced and enjoyed by the 25 strong travelling party. The game was an enthralling 2-2 draw with incredible goals, near misses, rough tackles and even a last minute missed penalty!

Football has been growing in the school and Mr Tereu and Mr Chandra's passion for the game is starting to filter through to the students, who even invented their own versions of the Yellow Fever songs! A wonderful day spent enjoying the beautiful game and creating memories that these young people will hold onto forever. Who knows- maybe there's a future Phoenix player amongst them?

The kids are already planning the next game and with the Women's World Cup being co-hosted in New Zealand next year, the girls team will have inspirations and role models to aspire to.



## CLASH OF THE CODES

In a clash of the codes and the sexes that Riggs and King would have been proud of, the "girls" football team defeated the junior boys rugby team 5-3 in a hilarious, fun filled end to the year. Star guest player Michelle Parkinson stole the limelight with two incredible goals, especially considering he was dressed as a watermelon! The rugby boys were awesome and gained a new found respect for the fitness required to play football. Players to stand out, for various reasons were Espen, Ethan, Joe and James Messi Ratai. Paige Salah, Sonia Burnett and Josephine Knight stood out for the girls.

**RUMOURS OF A REMATCH NEXT YEAR AT LEAGUE ARE BEING INVESTIGATED!**



# Girls Futsal 2021

The world of Futsal will never be the same again after the Tokoroa High School girls team invented some of the craziest moves ever seen!

The Rabona, Cruyff, Ronaldinho and Ronaldo have been replaced by the Statue, Motor Bike, Fakey and Nesting Hen as our girls displayed some truly unbelievable (as in we could not believe what we were witnessing!) moves that entertained the crowd of fanatical spectators who followed them to every game.

Futsal is a quick paced game, full of tricks and flicks with an emphasis on individual technique and close ball control. The THS girls decided to take an alternative approach with an emphasis on fun, laughter, sportsmanship, and basketball?

Winning the local tournament hosted in Tokoroa and competing in the Sunday Rotorua module has exposed our girls to the standard required to succeed in futsal and Phoenix Harrison and Zoe Fraser in particular show enormous promise.

The whole team can be proud of themselves as they represented our school with massive smiles on their faces and made every game a truly enjoyable occasion.



# Volleyball

**ONE MINUTE WHERE ALL GO, THE NEXT MINUTE IT'S A NO.  
WE START WITH GOOD FLOW AND THEN IT'S LIKE BRO....**

**WHAT'S GOING ON?**

**WE'VE HAD NO VOLLEY IN SO LONG.**

**WE JUST WANT TO GET OUT THERE AND SHOW THEM WHAT  
WE'VE GOT, BUT OF COURSE COVIDS GOT OTHER PLANS AND  
IT'S JUST A BIG FLOP.**

**WE'VE TRAINED HARD AND WE HAVE THE PASSION, AND  
KNOW THAT WE HAVE WHAT IT TAKES TO THRASH EM.**

**YES HERE WE GO WE'RE AT LEVEL TWO THEN ALL OF A SUDDEN  
BOO HOO HOO.**

**AH BUT HERE WE ARE IT'S ALL GOOD TO GO.**

**WE GOT THIS BROTHERS LET'S PUT ON A SHOW.**

**Ok done the rhymes...**

Our volleyball season almost come to end. However, we have been given a few weeks to compete in the Waikato Regionals competition.

Our boys are in the first division where we are up against; Hamilton boys A, Hamilton boys B, Hillcrest High Prems, Te Awamutu, Ngā Taiatea, Matamata and Rototuna A.

We have had some challenging games but have proved we have what it takes to be a winning team. Our team is made up of juniors. The team is: Bronson Curtis, Dennon Maea, LeBron Maea, Saawan Chandra, Preston Solomon, Seajay Winitana-McCaskill, Jo Maea and John Caoing.

Our boys also trialed for the U15 Waikato Team and the following were selected: Bronson Curtis, Dennon Maea, LeBron Maea, Saawan Chandra, Preston Solomon, Seajay Winitana-McCaskill, Jo Maea and Douglas Winikerei. There were 60 athletes from the Waikato region and Tokoroa High was the most represented on the squad. These boys will play against other regions in New Zealand and fight for the top spot.

We would like to acknowledge the hard work, effort and skills our coach Natu continues to share with our team. He sacrificed his time and energy to help our boys grow and develop to where they are now.

Natu without your dedication, skills and passion our boys would not be where they are today.

Also, to our boys. You are all passionate and inspiring. You all work hard and continue to amaze us with your talents, humble attitudes and determination to get better. You have experienced success on the court but also in the class. We thank you for making it easier for us.

Also, thanks to Whaea Meegan for helping coach and develop our girls team who have started this year. Our girls have the passion and determination to show their skills and talents and experience success on the court.

From Mr Tahau and Mrs Ford we love our team and can't wait to watch you all improve and grow.





# Sports in Education 2021

## From the desk

Sports in Education (SIE) is a program that uses sports as a vehicle to deliver educational outcomes and improves student engagement. We have developed supportive systems to help achieve academic success for the students in SIE. Some of the key initiatives that have been implemented are active pedagogies, integrated assessments and cross curricular learning.

Over the past four years the SIE program has gone from a single year level program, across two curriculum areas, with three teachers and 25 students ... To now having a program in every year level, across seven curriculum areas, with 12 teachers and 100 students. This growth has provided students at Tokoroa High School with another avenue for them to achieve success in their learning.

The SIE program has a great working engine which allows these types of results and experiences to take place. The teachers that have come on board have been instrumental in the programs development and we thank them for all the work that they have done in establishing this program at Tokoroa High School.

2021 has been a challenging year for all but we commend our students for not only achieving their qualifications, but doing it in a manner that will benefit them over time. Next year we will continue to make developments in the program by introducing more learning pedagogies to support our students in their learning.

From all of the team in the SIE Department we want to thank our Principle, SMT, BOT, Staff and students for all the work they have done in supporting Sports in Education at Tokoroa High School.

**Carle Hakaria (Sports in Education Project Leader).**



# Sports in Education 2021



## Year 9

Lead by Mr D. Manu this cohort developed a strong classroom culture. With the help of their core teachers the Year Nine's were able to find their feet fast and build strong foundation to work from. Highlights from 2021 have been seeing this cohort be actively involved in all schooling events and doing this with a positive attitude (from the fitness challenges in lockdown, to athletics Day). Being their first year these students gained a lot of learning experiences to help them as they move into Year 10.

Finally, we would like to thank Mr D Manu for all his support and we wish him well as he moves on to pursue his dream in Rugby League.

## Year 10

The Year 10 cohort has continued to develop and build on from 2020. This year they have demonstrated further development in both their academics and sports. Over lockdown the Year 10's showed good work ethic's and were able to get some training sessions done, via zoom. Highlights for 2021, 98% of the students passing Year 10 Junior Diploma, winning the year level sports challenge and going on the end of year class trip. Next year they will start NCEA Level One and become seniors at Tokoroa High School.

## Year 11

This group of students have been in the SIE since Year Nine. They have had a lot of changes since 2019, but this cohort have still stayed engaged in their learning. This focus has seen the Year 11's develop a strong bond over the past 3 years.

2021 being their first year doing NCEA they have worked hard, and it is with great pleasure to be able to say that they ALL successfully achieved NCEA Level One, with a handful gaining NCEA Level One Endorsements and Subject Endorsements. Other highlights from the year have been the work this cohort done during the Language weeks, winning the year level sports challenge in turbo touch, and being able to celebrate the year with the many awards students won from this class.

## Year 12

We have had a lot of changes since 2018, but this cohort have still stayed engaged in their learning. This focus has seen the Year 12s develop a strong bond over the past 4 years. This year the Year 12 SIE students were all successful in passing NCEA Level 2 with a few of the top students gaining endorsements and subject endorsements. Further to this success two students were honored with head student honors in 2022: Herbie McAuley—2022 Deputy Head and Shakaiya Popata—2022 Head Girls.

This group of students have been in the SIE since Year Nine and will be the first group to go through all year levels. 2022 brings for them their last year at Tokoroa High School, but the first cohort to go through SIE from Year Nine to Year 13.

# KI-O-RAHI

We took a young team up to Waiatangi last week to participate in the NZ Secondary Schools Ki-o-Rahi National Tournament. They placed really well, making the top eight. We are so proud of our team's efforts, their humility and positive attitudes



## CONGRATULATIONS MS VOSS

We as a school acknowledge and congratulate Ms Voss on this mile stone and her dedication and commitment to swimming.

How fortunate are we to have Ms Voss part of our staff, who not only has a passion to help support our students and staff but she is super passionate about swimming. Ms Voss officiates major swimming events as a starter, turn and stroke inspector.

## SUCCESS IN THE ARENA

On 5<sup>th</sup> June this year Kirsten Syben represented Tokoroa High School at the Inter-Schools Show Jumping held at St Peters, Cambridge. Kirsten and her pony Indiana Magic competed in the 1.00-1.05m classes. Competing against some of the top riders in the country she came away with a 4<sup>th</sup> in the second class. This was a brilliant effort and we are very proud of them both.



## BASKETBALL DREAMS

Congratulations to Bronson Curtis who was selected to attend the U14 NZ Basketball Camp held in Rotorua, Tui Ridge

# THE SURVIVORS 2021



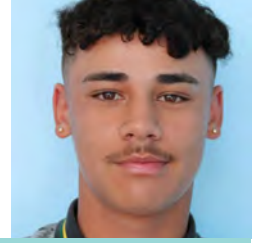
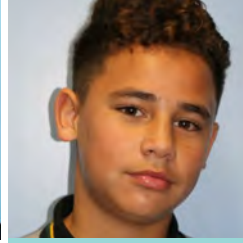
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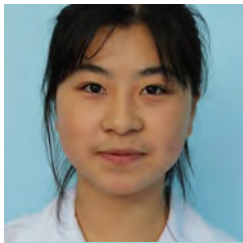
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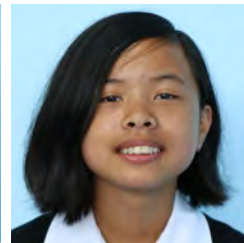
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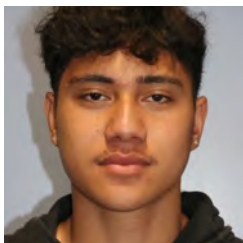
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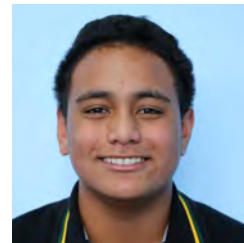
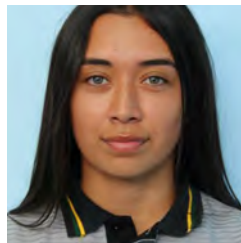
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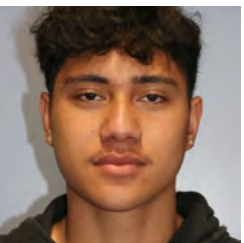
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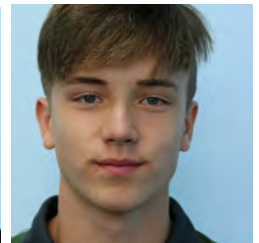
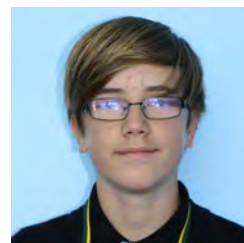
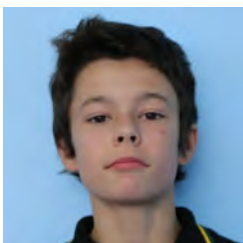
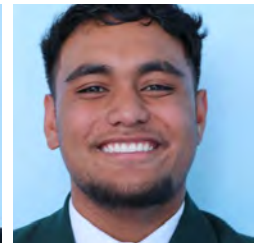
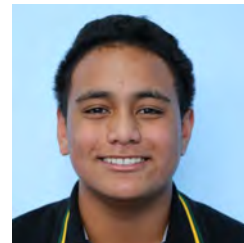
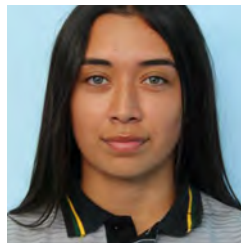
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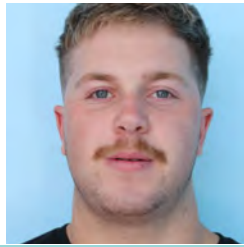




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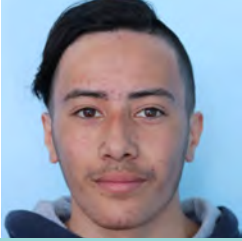
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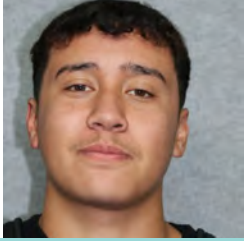
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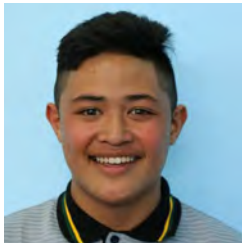
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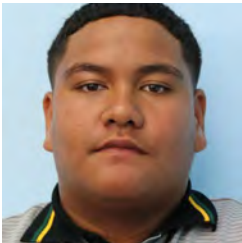
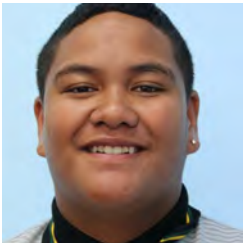
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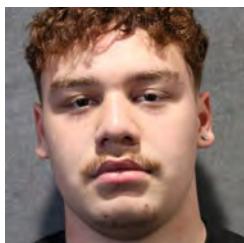
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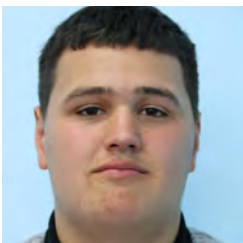
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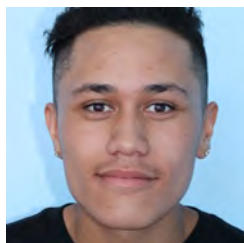
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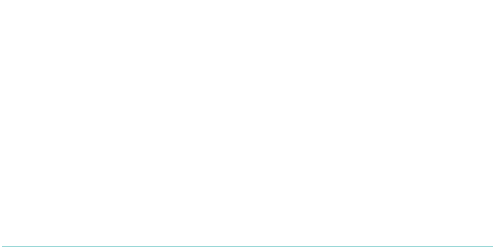
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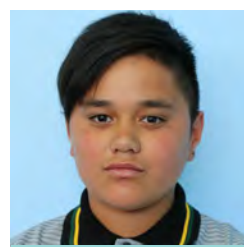
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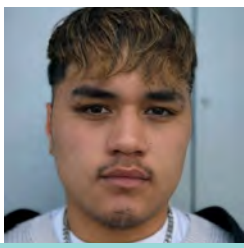
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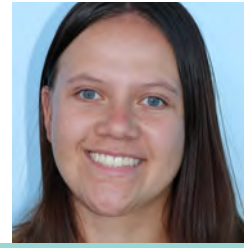
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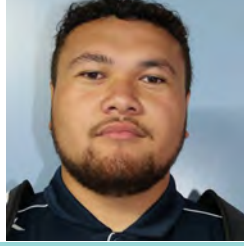
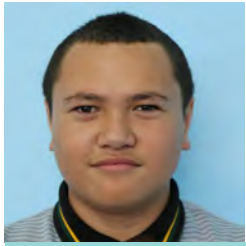
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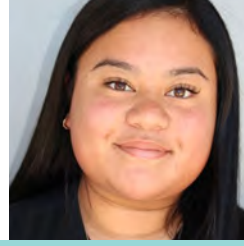
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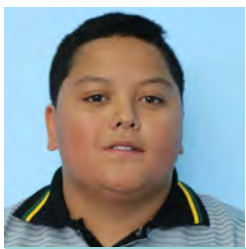
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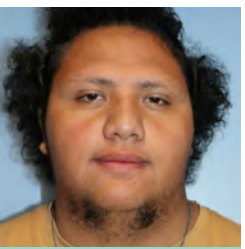
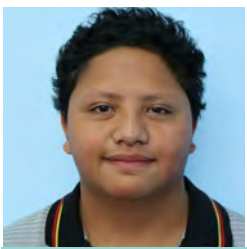
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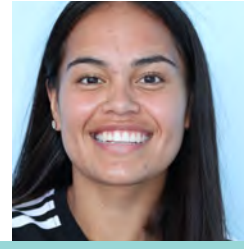
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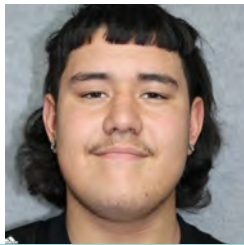
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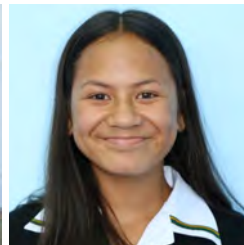
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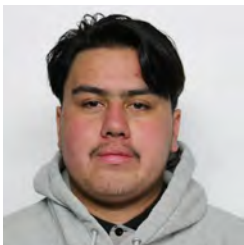
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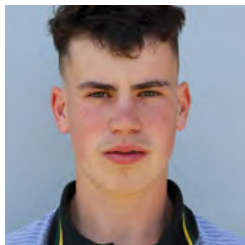
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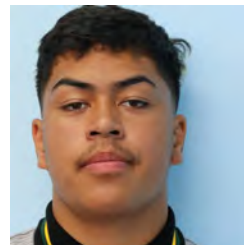
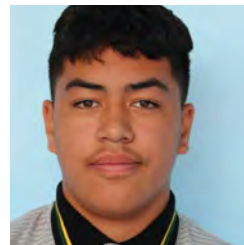
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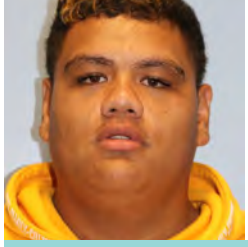
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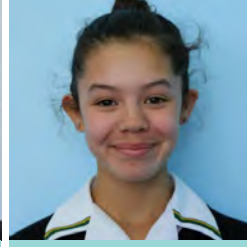
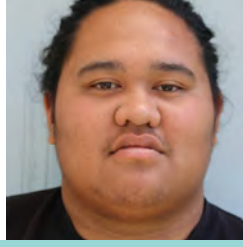
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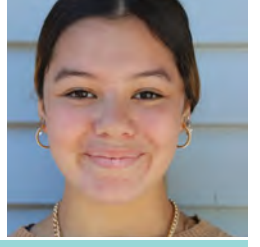
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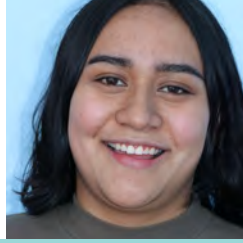
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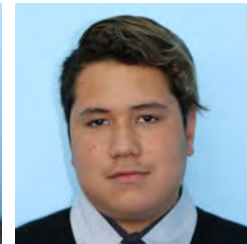
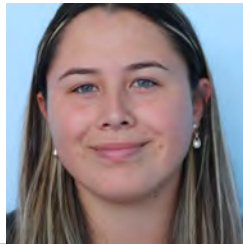
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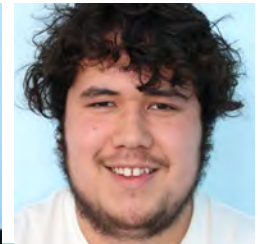
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**RHIARN WILSON JENKINS**



**CONNOR WILSON**



# Sports Prizegiving

## TRICKING

Coach: Misha Parkinson  
Axilia Spam Dubz Award: Tremayne Eiao



## EQUESTRIAN

THS Most Outstanding Equestrian: Kirsten Syben

## TRIATHLON

JTK and Ford Trophy for Most Outstanding Triathlete: Bailey Parker



## GOLF

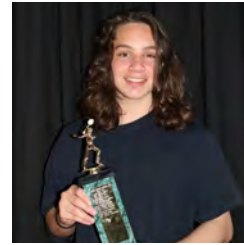
Barry Paltridge Trophy for Golf Champion: Din Jitrak

## CYCLING

THS Cyclist of the Year: Taylah Barber

## MOTOR CROSS

JTK Trophy Motor Cross Athlete of the Year: Breanna Rodgers



## BADMINTON

Badminton Most Improved Player: August (Gus) Wilson  
THS Most Valuable Player: Sherita Cannon/Ammi Camia

## BADMINTON SPECIAL AWARDS

Badminton Sporting Player: Carl Sobrepena

## FUTSAL

Coach: Dean Tereu  
Most Committed Player: Phoenix Harrison  
Most Improved Player: Linela Misa  
Most Valuable Player: Zoe Fraser

## BOYS SOCCER

Coach: Dean Tereu  
Manager: Heather Farr  
Most Committed Player: Avei Lutua  
Most Improved Player: Alex Hounslow



## GIRLS SOCCER

Coach: Dean Tereu/Rory Carroll-Maher  
Manager: Heather Farr  
Most Committed Player: Nyla Jones  
Most Improved Player: Ashlee Treleaven

## SOCCER SPECIAL AWARDS

Dixon Cup for Player of the Year: Deyshawn Leaf Wicky  
THS Soccer Player of the Year: Sonny Burnett  
Molleman Cup for the Most Improved Soccer Player: Paige Kohere  
THS Sport Trophy for Girls Leading Goal Scorer: Phoenix Harrison  
Kerbers-Graham Cup for best contribution to Soccer: Ashlyn Cox  
THS Trophy Girls Player of the Year: Zoe Fraser  
Teague Trophy for Female Footballer with the Most Potential: Latia Fitzpatrick  
Brian Tereu Memorial Trophy for Most Outstanding Soccer Player: Itu Davey



## GIRLS RUGBY

Coach: Isaac Boss  
Manager: Nooroa Manu  
Most Committed Player: Jaye Redden  
Most Improved Player: Olivierre Kapene-Tereu



## BOYS UNDER 14'S

Coach: Rosey Siaki/Denzil Manu  
Most Improved Player: Samuel Patena-Tiare  
Most Committed Player: Ramone John

## BOYS UNDER 15'S

Coach: Billy Maea  
Most Improved Player: Ethen Uri  
Most Committed Player: Daniel McNae

## BOYS UNDER 16'S

Coach: Avin Winikerei  
Manager: Carle Hakaria/Jo Ngatipa  
Most Improved Player: Ben Wilson  
Most Committed Player: Joevic Wilson



## 1<sup>ST</sup> XV

Coach: Nooroa Manu/Jason Hema  
Most Improved Player: Isaac Hema  
Most Committed Player: Sean Hayes



## RUGBY SPECIAL AWARDS

Puke Transport Trophy for Girls Forward of the Year: Rhyleigh Uatuku  
Oil Jet Hydraulics Trophy for Girls Back of the Year: Juiyah Restall/Te Atamira Karepe  
Surf Most Valuable Player of the Year: Tyrese Ratu  
THS Trophy for Most Outstanding Player of the Year: Nathaniel Morunga  
THS Trophy for Most Outstanding Player of the Year: James Ratai  
THS Trophy for Most Outstanding Player of the Year: Avin Winikerei/Callum Ward  
Grant Robinson Memorial Trophy for Most Outstanding 1<sup>st</sup> XV player: Darj Takiri  
THS Trophy for Girls Most Outstanding Player: Keira Russell  
THS Player of the Year: Sean Hayes  
Max Kuka Memorial Trophy for Most Outstanding Rugby Player of the Year: Devlin Salale



## VOLLEYBALL

Coach: Natu Tumanuvao

Manager: Beaudine Tahau and Tairi Ford

### JUNIOR BOYS

THS Most Improved: Saawan Chandara

THS Most Dedicated: Dennon Maea

THS Most Valuable Player: Seajae Winitana-McCaskill

### SENIOR BOYS

THS Most Committed Senior Boy Player: Itu Davey

THS Most Valuable Senior Boy Player: Douglas Winikerei

### VOLLEYBALL SPECIAL AWARDS

Volleyball JTK Most Improved Player: Dennon Maea

Tokoroa High School Most Outstanding Volleyball Player: Douglas Winikerei

## TURBO TOUCH

Coach: Chantel Tavai/Carle Hakaria

Tokoroa High School Turbo Touch Girls Player of the Year: Hoana-Rose Solomon-

Tokoroa High School Turbo Touch Boys Player of the Year: Callum Ward

## BASKETBALL

Manager: Chantel Tavai

### JUNIOR GIRLS

Coach: Anna Vano

Most Improved Player: Taylah Gillett

Most Committed player: Lyric Vano

Most Valuable Player: Lyric Vano/Mia Vano

### JUNIOR BOYS

Coach: Christian Vano

Most Improved Player: Deimon Garmonsway

Most Committed Player: Bronson Curtis

### SENIOR GIRLS

Coach: Apii Solomon

Most Valuable Player: Hoana-Rose Solomon/Maiya Tuakana

### SENIOR BOYS

Coach: Christian Vano

Most Improved Player: Herbie McAuley

Most Dedicated Player: Callum Nairn

Most Valuable Player: Callum Ward

### BASKETBALL SPECIAL AWARDS

Jerry Cowley Memorial Cup for Most Improved Junior Basketball Player Male or Female: Deimon Garmonsway

Manu 5 for Most Potential Junior Boy: Bronson Curtis

E.Winder cup for Most Potential Female: Hoana-Rose Solomon/Maiya Tuakana

Manu 5 Overall Attitude and Commitment to Basketball: Bronson Curtis

Vano Family Trophy for Best Defensive Player: Jadath Garmonsway

**Kingi Jo Trophy 'The Man':** Callum Ward

## HOCKEY

Coach: Angela Taniwha

Manager: Kim Fraser

THS Most Improved: Ashlyn Cox

THS Most Potential: Angel Dempsey

THS Most Committed: Layken Smit

THS Player of the Year: Xaylem Frolich

## NETBALL

### JUNIOR 9A NETBALL

Coach: Lani Daniels

Most Improved Player: Keira Riki-Pahewa

Most Committed Player: Olivierre Kapene-Tereu

### JUNIOR B NETBALL

Coaches: Darnel Manu/Teokotai Tarai

Most Improved Player: Nevaeh Reid

Most Committed Player: Madison Fanning

### SENIOR A NETBALL

Coaches: Nicole Bartie/Sarah Bass

Manager: Darnel Manu

Most Committed Player: Maissy Draper

### Netball Special Awards

Ngaio Reeves Trophy for Most Promising Year 9 Player: Ata Te Hokowhitu-Wynne

THS Player of the year Junior 9A: Ata Te Hokowhitu-Wynne

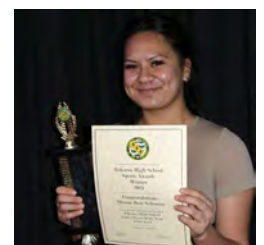
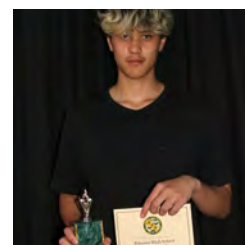
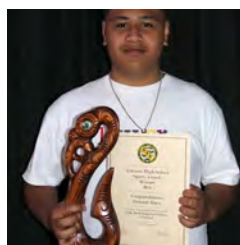
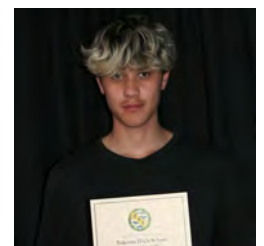
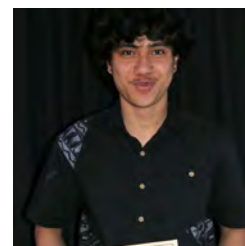
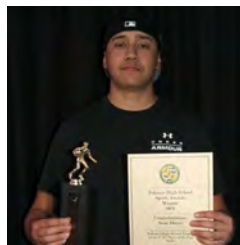
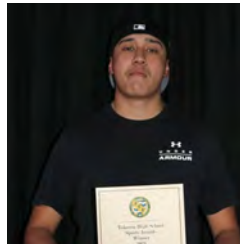
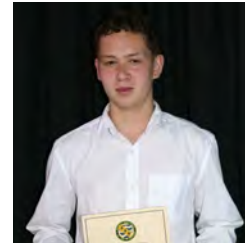
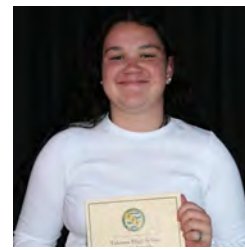
L Reid Trophy for Most Outstanding Year 10 Netballer: Taylah Gillett

THS Player of the year: Latia Fitzpatrick

Kopu Trophy Overall Excellence and Commitment to Netball: Hoana-Rose Solomon

Moeroa Maea Trophy for the Most Improved Player in the A team: Taylah Gillett

Lani Daniel Senior A Trophy for Player of the Year: Madison Umaki



## KI-O-RAHI

Coaches: Apii Solomon/Shane Tito

THS Most Outstanding Female: Hoana-Rose Solomon

THS Most Outstanding Male: Callum Nairn

## TOUCH

Coach: Carle Hakaria

THS Most Outstanding Female: Keira Russell

THS Most Outstanding Male: Olo Petero

## RUGBY LEAGUE GIRLS

Coaches: Xrysian Pakoti/Raquel Anderson-Pitman

Assistant Coach: Josh Te Kowhai/Jade Hawkins

Teachers in Charge: Dean Tereu /Tairi Ford

Most Improved Player: Lionel-Lee Tipene

Sportsmanship and Commitment: Olivierre Kapene-Tereu

Raquel Anderson-Pitman Player of the Year: Vinnie Manu

Joseph Manu Excellence in Rugby League and Academic Achievement: Sasha Popata

## RUGBY LEAGUE BOYS

Coaches: William Ford/Nooroa Manu

Manager: Tama Teaukura

Ono Kata Premier Player : Tala Letoga

Takiri Nooroa Memorial Trophy for Excellence in Rugby League and Academic Achievement: Itu Davey

Ricky Bennion Memorial trophy for Sportsmanship and Commitment: Corrin Cody-Pio

Joe Horn Memorial Trophy for the most Improved: Presley Wallace-Ford

New Zealand Representative in Rugby League: Devlin Salale: Ford Trophy for Player of the Year: Tala Letoga/ Devlin Salale

## ATHLETICS

### ATHLETICS CHAMPIONS

THS Student Council Trophy for Junior Girls Champion: Lyric Vano

THS Student Council Trophy for Junior Boys Champion: Deyshawn Leaf Wicky

G.H.McEwen Cup for Intermediate Girls Champion: Keira Russell

L.H Riley Trophy for Intermediate Boys Champion: Callum Ward

G Wilson Cup for Senior Girls Champion: Te Atamira Karepe

L.H Riley Trophy for Senior Boys Champion: Herbie McAuley

## CROSS COUNTRY

P. Barrett trophy for Junior Girls Champion: Breanna Rodges

THS Sport trophy for Junior Boys Champion: Tamati Nepia

THS Student Council Trophy for Intermediate Girls Champion: Sasha Popata

R.W.I.H.A Cup for Intermediate Boys Champion: Preston Solomon

## Swimming

THS Marama-Lyon Intermediate Boys Swimming Champion: Bailey Parker

## REGIONAL AND NATIONAL AWARDS

### REGIONAL HONOURS

Tokoroa High School Regional Representatives 2021

Din Jitrak - Waikato Interprovincial Golf U19s

Douglas Winikerei - U17 Waikato Boys Volleyball Team

Keira Russell - Bay of Plenty U16 Girls Touch team

Olo Petero - Bay of Plenty U16 Mix Touch team

Lyric Vano - U13 Girls Waikato Country Basketball

Nooroa Paora - U13 Boys Waikato Country Basketball

Mia Vano - U15 Girls Waikato Country Basketball

Bronson Curtis - U15 Boys Waikato Country Basketball

Callum Ward - U15 Boys Waikato Country Basketball

Karasharn Hunter - U17 Boys Waikato Country Basketball

Jadath Garmonsway - U17 Boys Waikato Country Basketball

### NATIONAL HONOURS

Tokoroa High School National Representatives 2021

Tremayne Etiao – New Zealand Tricking Gathering

Breanna Rodgers - Blu Cru Yamaha New Zealand Junior Team for Motor X

Hezekiah Carlson – North Island powerlifting for New Zealand Champion 105+Kg Section 2021

Keira Russell - U16 New Zealand Girls Touch Team

Hoana-Rose Solomon – U20s Cook Islands Basketball

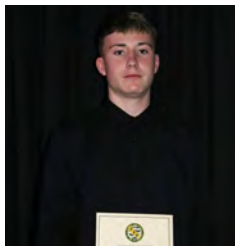
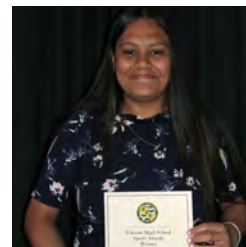
Lyric Vano - U14 Basketball New Zealand National Development Camp

Nooroa Paora - U14 NZ National Selection Camp

Bronson Curtis - U14 NZ National Selection Camp

15 New Zealand National Selection Camp

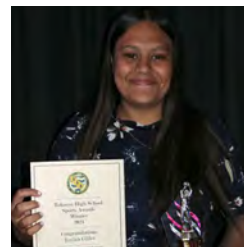
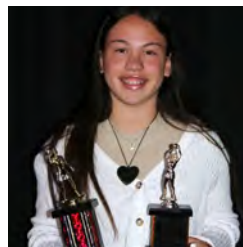
U16 Basketball Pacific Team



# SUPREME SPORTS AWARDS

## THS STUDENT SPORTS COACH OF THE YEAR

Nominees  
 Jadath Garmonsway  
 Hayley Chesterman  
 Jaye Redden  
 Hoana-Rose Solomon  
 Winner: Hayley Chesterman



## TE KAHUI WHETU SPECIAL AWARD

Cody Habib



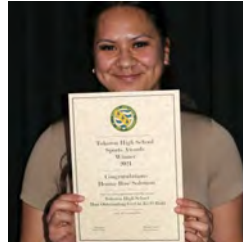
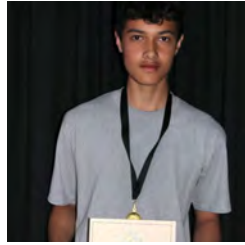
## MONIQUE WILLIAMS CUP FOR TRACK & FIELD

Champion Nominees  
 Tamati Nepia  
 Hezekiah Carlson  
 Callum Ward  
 Bronson Curtis  
 Winner: Hezekiah Carlson



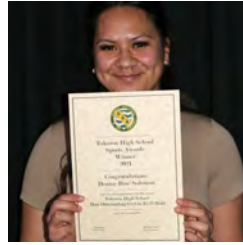
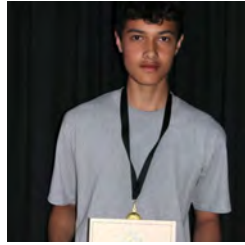
## SPORTS TEAM OF THE YEAR

Nominees  
 Triathlon U14s Team  
 Soccer Girls  
 First XI Soccer Boys  
 Basketball Senior Girls  
 Winner: First XI Soccer Boys



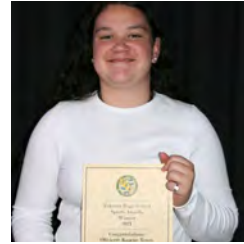
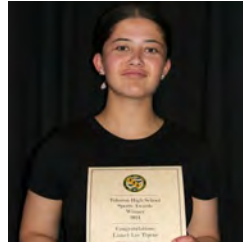
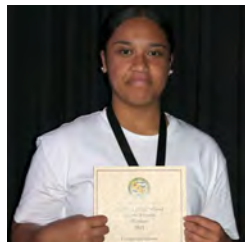
## AMY TURNER TROPHY FOR EXCELLENCE IN SPORTS

Nominees  
 Keira Russell  
 Hezekiah Carlson  
 Hoana-Rose Solomon  
 Sasha Popata  
 Lyric Vano  
 Winner: Hoana-Rose Solomon/Keira Russell



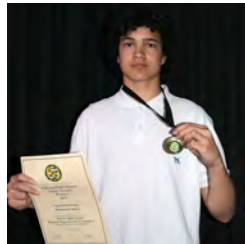
## THS TROPHY FOR MOST OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT IN AN INDIVIDUAL SPORT

Nominees  
 Kirsten Syben – Equestrian  
 Breanna Rodgers – Motorcross  
 Hezekiah Carlson – Athletics and Powerlifting  
 Din Jitrak – Golf  
 Tremayne Eiao – Tricking  
 Winner: Breanna Rodgers and Din Jitrak



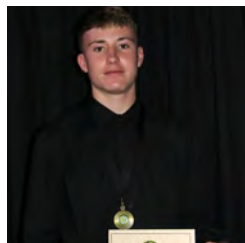
## THS TROPHY FOR MOST OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT IN SPORT

Nominees  
 Breanna Rodgers - Blu Cru Yamaha New Zealand Junior Team for Motor X  
 Hezekiah Carlson – North Island powerlifting for New Zealand Champion 105+Kg Section 2021  
 Din Jitrak – Golf  
 Keira Russell - U16 New Zealand Girls Touch Team  
 Hoana-Rose Solomon – U20s Cook Islands Basketball  
 Bronson Curtis - U14 NZ National Basketball Selection Camp  
 U15 New Zealand National Basketball Selection Camp  
 U16 Basketball Pacific Team  
 Winner: Hezekiah Carlson



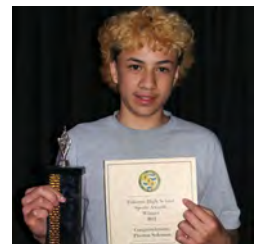
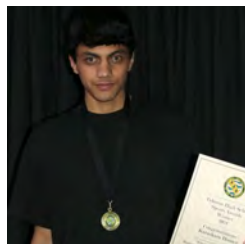
## NATIONALS SPORTS TEAM OF THE YEAR

Nominees  
 Ki-O-Rahi  
 Volleyball Junior Boys  
 Volleyball Senior Boys  
 Winner: Ki-O-Rahi



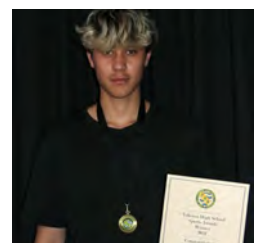
## COWLEY AND MORRISSEY TROPHY FOR ALL-ROUND SPORTSWOMAN OF THE YEAR

Nominees  
 Sasha Popata  
 Hoana-Rose Solomon  
 Keira Russell  
 Breanna Rodgers  
 Winner: Keira Russell



## NEWBROOK TROPHY FOR ALL-ROUND SPORTSMAN OF THE YEAR

Nominees  
 Herbie McAuley  
 Callum Ward  
 Hezekiah Carlson  
 Bronson Curtis  
 Winner: Callum Ward





## Year 9 Excellence Awards

The following Year 9 students have achieved their Junior Diploma with Excellence and have graduated from the STARS program

Michael Alloway          Riley Cawston          Latia Fitzpatrick          Breanna Rodgers

Quentin Sager          **Tāmami Tahana**          Leonard Togia          Logan True

Ata Te Hokowhitu-Wynne

The following Year 9 students have achieved their Junior Diploma with Excellence and have graduated from the STARS program and has 95% or above attendance for the year.

Kyle Aculana          Taylah Barber          Jack Grant          Jacob Greenbank

Anthony Mayes          Taelyn Nathan-Dowling          Samuel Patena-Tiare          Andy Mingji Qin

Nevaeh Reid          Keira Riki-Pahewa          Jewel Sobrepena          Caitlyn Syben

Lyric Vano          Paetyn Winikerei

The following Year 10 students have achieved their Junior Diploma with Excellence

Janelle Bartie          Emma Bass          John Caoing          Bronson Curtis

Ciarah Daine          Angel Dempsey          Dennon Maea          Le Bron Tai Maea

Te Rangitairi McKenzie          Sheridan Medina          Lineta Misa          Sasha Popata

Lionel-Lee Reti-Tipene          Kaelin Savage

The following Year 10 students have achieved their Junior Diploma with Excellence and has 95% or above attendance for the year.

Saawan Chandra          Zoe Fraser          Kylah Mc Cabe          Kingstone Pene

Harrison Sunnex          Reaghan Winiata-Sweet

## Year 9 Board of Trustees Awards

Kyle Aculana          Cleveland Reardon          Taylah Barber          Nevaeh Reid

Samuel Patena-Tiare          Paetyn Winikerei          James Parsons          Lyric Vano

Emillo Erisco          Breanna Rodgers          Taelyn Nathan-Dowling          Nevayah Tunui

Latia Fitzpatrick          Rodney Sharp          Tamia Metuatini          Logan True

Jack Grant          Dawn Sinclair          Jaya Metuatini          Mana McCoullough

Noah Kapene          Caitlyn Syben          Ata Te Hokowhitu-Wynne

Anthony Mayes          **Tāmami Tatana**

## Year 10 Board of Trustees Awards

Jhanell Aballe          Saawan Chandra          Taati Tahana-Vaeau          Ethen Uri

Bronson Curtis          Zoe Fraser          Gus Wilson          Seiya Veens

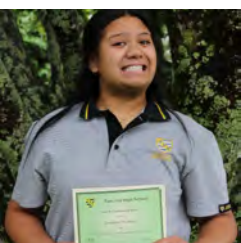
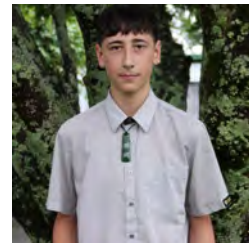
Taylah Gillet          Kingston Pene          Kaelin Savage          Harrison Sunnex

Ava Hulme          Olivierre Kapene-Tereu          Ngametua Heke-Tereroa          Jesse Parsons

Allen Kinney          Paige Kohere          Bayla Morgan-Toroa          Lineta Misa

Dennon Maea          Jo Maea          Sharidan Medina          Daniel McNae

Le Bron Tai Maea          Kylah McCabe



# Year 9 Subject Awards

Kyle Aculana	1st in Mathematics 1st in Physical Education 1st in Japanese 1st in Art 1st in Financial Literacy	Michael Alloway Caitlin Blundell Ava Bonnar Cameron Duncan Jack Grant	1st in Music 1st in Literacy 1st in Art 1st in Digital Technology 1st in Digital Technology 1st in Financial Literacy 1st in English 1st in Social Sciences 1st in Art 1st in Physical Education 1st in English 1st in Literacy 1st in Literacy 1st in Art 1st in Mathematics 1st in Physical Education 1st in Technology Food 1st in Music 1st in English 1st in Technology Food 1st in Te Reo Maori 1st in Digital Technology 1st in Social Sciences
Max Thompson Phoenix Harrison Jocey Isaraela Ramone John	1st in Mathematics 1st in Literacy 1st in Science 1st in Science 1st in Physical Education 1st in Cook Islands Maori 1st in Music 1st in Financial Literacy 1st in Technology Food 1st in Music 1st in Literacy 1st in English 1st in Technology Food 1st in Te Reo Maori 1st in Digital Technology 1st in Social Sciences	Agnes Hirawani Te Hiko Micah Kennerley Jj Kopu Maia-Lee Low-Hornfeck Anthony Mayes	1st in Physical Education 1st in English 1st in Literacy 1st in Art 1st in Mathematics 1st in Physical Education 1st in Technology Food 1st in Music 1st in Science 1st in Literacy 1st in Financial Literacy 1st in Technology Food 1st in Music 1st in Science 1st in Literacy 1st in Financial Literacy 1st in Technology Food 1st in Music 1st in Social Sciences 1st in Technology Food 1st in Financial Literacy 1st in Literacy 1st in English 1st in Mathematics 1st in Art 1st in Digital Technology
Jaya Metuatini Logan True Taelyn Nathan-Dowling	1st in Financial Literacy 1st in Technology Food 1st in Music 1st in Literacy 1st in English 1st in Technology Food 1st in Te Reo Maori 1st in Digital Technology 1st in Social Sciences 1st in Art 1st in Digital Technology 1st in Technology Food 1st in English 1st in Mathematics 1st in Science	Ace Mokaraka-Vakatini Mingji Qin	Ata Te Hokowhitu-Wynne
Jewel Sobrepena Keira Riki-Pahewa Samuel Patena-Tiare Caitlyn Syben	1st in Financial Literacy 1st in Technology Food 1st in Mathematics 1st in Physical Education 1st in Social Sciences 1st in Music 1st in Digital Technology	Duuel Winitana-McCaskill TĀ•mati Tatana Breanna Rodgers	Nevaeh Reid
Latia Fitzpatrick	1st in Art 1st in Digital Technology 1st in Technology Food 1st in English 1st in Mathematics 1st in Science	Ocean Marshall	
Jacob Greenbank	1st in English 1st in Mathematics 1st in Science		
Lyrice Vano	1st in Financial Literacy 1st in Technology Food 1st in Mathematics 1st in Physical Education 1st in Social Sciences 1st in Music 1st in Digital Technology		



# Year 9 Special Awards

Kyle Aculana Natalia Edmonds Anthony Mayes Jaya Metuatini Tamati Nepia Leonard Togia	The Mathematics Trophy for the Top Year 9 student in Mathematics The Logan Cup for Oratory for winning the Year 9 Speech Competition The Leuii Cup for Music as the Top Year 9 student for Music Alesana Letoa Trophy for Year 9 student in Puna Vai Ora Poihakena Phillips Cup of Excellence in Te Reo Maori for the most outstanding student in Year 9 Te Reo Maori. The THS Jowett Year 9 Supreme English Cup for the Top Year 9 student in English The Science Award, for the top Year 9 student in Science
Nevaeh Reid	The Mathematics Trophy for the Top Year 9 student in Mathematics The "Aunty Matu'u Memorial Cup" for overall excellence in Year 9 Physical Education
Caitlyn Syben Ata Te Hokowhitu-Wynne Lyrice Vano	Te Rito Cup for Year 9 Overall Contribution to Te Rito Chandra Cup—Overall Year 9 student in Sports in Education



# Academic and Sporting Diligence Awards

Neveah Reid Lyrice Vano Kyle Aculana	Year 9 Cup of Academic Excellence Year 9 Nicky Reid Trophy for Academic and Sporting Diligence Year 9 Student Council Trophy for the Student making the greatest effort in all areas of school life
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## Year 10 Subject Awards

Jhanell Aballe	1st in Mathematics	Emma Bass	1st in Science
	1st in Japanese	John Caoing	1st in English
	1st in Science		1st in Physical Education
Saawan Chandra	1st in English		1st in Music
	1st in Mathematics	Ciarah Daine	1st in Technology Food
	1st in Technology Wood	Angel Dempsey	1st in Social Sciences
Kevin Dredge	1st in Digital Technology	Zoe Fraser	1st in Technology Wood
	1st in Technology Food		1st in Art
Jacqueline Jones	1st in English	Olivierre Kapene-Tereu	1st in Te Reo Maori
Espen Kennerley	1st in Technology Food	Shila Kiff	1st in Technology Food
Le Bron Tai Maea	1st in Science	Kylah McCabe	1st in English
Sharidan Medina	1st in English		1st in Mathematics
	1st in Science		1st in Physical Education
	1st in Digital Technology		1st in Social Sciences
	1st in Art		1st in Music
	1st in Technology Food		1st in Science
Bayla Morgan-Toroa	1st in Art	Kingston Pene	1st in Mathematics
Sasha Popata	1st in Dance		1st in Technology Wood
Roman Reddy Te Mana	1st in Technology Wood	Keira Russell	1st in Dance
Nicholas Sager	1st in Technology Wood	Kaelin Savage	1st in Physical Education
	1st in Digital Technology	Laykin Smit	1st in English
Harrison Sunnex	1st in Physical Education	Carl Sobrepena	1st in Mathematics
	1st in Social Sciences	Chassidy Te-Whiu	1st in Dance
	1st in Cook Islands Maori	Anahera Wikohika	1st in Physical Education
	1st in Digital Technology	Reaghan Winiata-Sweet	1st in Social Sciences
			1st in Music



## Year 10 Special Awards

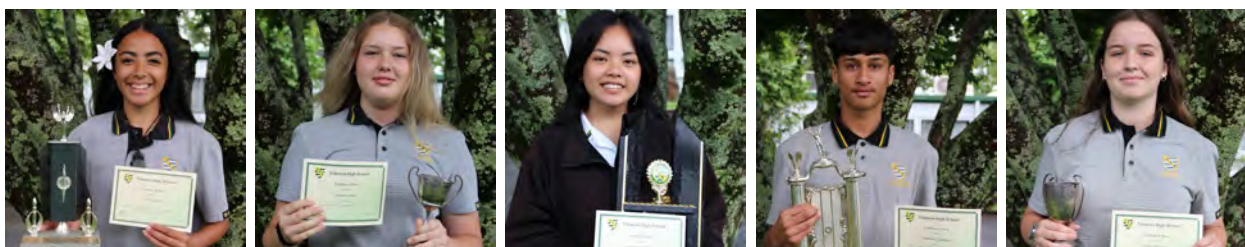
Jhanell Aballe	<b>The TJ's Music and Appliances Music Achievement Trophy for achievement in Music</b>
Saawan Chandra	The "Uncle Mag Memorial Cup" for overall excellence in Year 10 Physical Education The Year 10 Mathematics Trophy for overall excellence in mathematics Tavai Cup- Overall Year 10 student for Sports In Education The Alesana Letoa Trophy for the Top All Round Junior student in Te Manava.
Kylah McCabe	The Supreme year 10 English Trophy for being the Top Year 10 student in English The Fortitudo Cup for Overall Academic Achievement by a Year 10 student. The Science Trophy for overall excellence by a Year 10 student <b>The Olsen's Social Studies Cup for the top Year 10 girl in Social Studies</b>
Te Rangitairi McKenzie	Poihakena Phillips Cup of Excellence in Te Reo Maori for the most outstanding student in Year 10 Te Reo Maori. Te Rito Cup for overall Excellence by a Year 10 student in Te Rito.
Terekia Monga	The SWPICS trophy for contribution to both school and community
Bayla Morgan-Toroa	<b>The O'Donnell Cup for Junior Oratory</b> The Leuii Cup for Art, as the top Year 10 Art Student
Harrison Sunnex	<b>The Olsen's Social Studies Cup for the top Year 10 boy in Social Studies</b> The Alesana Letoa Trophy for the Top All Round Junior student in Te Manava.

## Academic and Sporting Diligence Awards

Kylah McCabe	Year 10 cup for Academic Excellence
Saawan Chandra	Year 10 Mace Trophy for Academic and Sporting Diligence
Sharidan Medina	Year 10 Student Council Trophy for the Student making the greatest effort in all areas of school life







# YEAR II SUBJECT AWARDS

Ace Thompson	Business Studies Music	Construct Ltd Award South Waikato District Council
AJ John	<b>Café Operations</b>	Moving Mountains NZ Award South Waikato District Council
Andrew Winikerei-Wilson	Sports in Education English	South Waikato District Council
Callum Ward	Physical Education	South Waikato District Council
Chevy Thompson	Music Performance	Construct Ltd Award South Waikato District Council
Chloe Aculana	Art	South Waikato District Council
Corey Dalziel Takiri	Digital Technology	Tokoroa Locksmiths
Houng Hu	Hospitality	South Waikato District Council
Josh Lee	Mathematics for Numeracy	Moving Mountains NZ Award
Kyah Townsend	Mathematics	Joseph Manu Award
Kye Matchitt	Professional Sports Pathways	South Waikato District Council Tokoroa Locksmiths
Maiya Tuakana	Cooks Islands Maaori Sports in Education Mathematics	Tokoroa Locksmiths South Waikato District Council
Page Wairua-Heitia	Te Reo Maaori	Moving Mountains NZ Award Tokoroa Locksmiths
Paige Watson	Graphics	South Waikato District Council Tokoroa Locksmiths
Pete Kinney	English Geography Science History	South Waikato District Council Tokoroa Locksmiths South Waikato Veterinary Award South Waikato District Council
Sagar Prasad	Building Construction	Moving Mountains NZ Award
Sariel Solomon	Health	Hauora Trophy
Tui Elliott	Mathematics with Statistics Building Construction	South Waikato District Council Tokoroa Locksmiths



# YEAR II SPECIAL AWARDS

Andrew Winikerei-Wilson	Diligence and/or service
Caylee Daine	Diligence and/or service
Chloe Aculana	Effort and involvement across all subjects
Kyah Townsend	Diligence and/or service
Kyle Munden	Diligence and/or service
Maiya Tuakana	Diligence and/or service
Pete Kinney	Top Academic
Satriani Thompson	Oratoray



# YEAR 12 SUBJECT AWARDS

Annette Mayes	Services Academy	Shattock Cup
Ayush Menon	Graphics	Graphics Award
Brayden Taylor	Te Kahui Whetu Trades Academy Top Student	Moving Mountains NZ
Brooke Jansen	History	PMD-Inc Ltd
	Digital Technology	Paramount Services Award
Brooklyn Tukaki	Te Reo Maaori Rangatira	Arohanui Award & the Raukawa Voucher
Callum Nairn	Physical Education	Paramount Services Award
Catherine Dennis	Most improved Services Academy Student	Moving Mountains NZ
Charla Stretch	Business Studies	Graham's Paper Plus Cup
	Biology	South Waikato Veterinary Award
	Building Construction	Paramount Services Award
Corrin Cody-Pio	Physics	South Waikato Veterinary Award
	Mathematics with Statistics	Paramount Services Award
	SIE English	Paramount Services Award
Fontay Te Huia-Peacock	Numeracy	Paramount Services Award
George Nathan	Building Construction	THS Award
	Chemistry	Chemistry Trophy
Gianni Pene	Mathematics with Calculus Level Three	Calculus Trophy
Isabella Erika	Dance	PMD-Inc Ltd
Jaye Redden	Physical Education	Paramount Services Award
Josh Aculana	Mathematics	BNZ Cup
Joshua Letoa	Cook Islands Maaori	PMD-Inc Ltd
Miiana-Tupuna Ngatamariki	Health	Health Trophy
	Music	Paramount Services Award
Peter Barlow	Music Performance	Paramount Services Award
	Earth Science	Paramount Services Award
	Art	Bridget French Award
Presley Wallace-Ford	Gateway	Gateway Trophy
Rhyle Watene-Hakaria	STEM	South Waikato Veterinary Award
Robyn Pascoe	English	Paramount Services Award
Shari Maj	<b>Café Operations</b>	Paramount Services Award
Sonny Burnett	Professional Sports Pathways	Joseph Manu Award
	Hospitality	Paramount Services Award
Taylah Cox	Hospitality, Food & Beverage and Culinary Operations	Paramount Services Award
	Best Overall Achievement in Trades	BOP Futures Academy
Thirell Naidoo	Geography	Trades Award
	Dance	PMD-Inc Ltd
Tiana Manu-Griffin	Tourism	Paramount Services Award
	Japanese	PMD-Inc Ltd
Waru Tau McTaggart	Te Reo Maaori	WACT Award
	Literacy	Paramount Services Award
William Steadman	Hospitality, Food & Beverage and Culinary Operations - Most improved - Most improved	Moving Mountains NZBOP Futures Academy
Xianthea Kohere	Hair, retail and beauty	BOP Futures Academy



# YEAR 12 SPECIAL AWARDS

Dilligence and/or Service to the School

Avei Lutua | Brooke Jansen | Gianni Pene | Herbie McCauley | Honey Rikona | Joseph Knight | Miiana-Tupuna Ngatamariki | Paris-Manea Bennion-Lyndsay | Rhyle Watene-Hakaria | William Steadman

A deserving student returning to school next year

All students will receive the Combined Churches Trust Scholarship

Bree Williams-Healey | Brooklyn Tukaki | Cameron Pihama | Charla Stretch | Corrin Cody-Pio | George Nathan | Isabella Erika | Tiana Manu-Griffin | Tiriti-Manawa Hunupo-Moetu

Ayush Menon	Oratory	Ngapo Cup
Brooke Jansen	Completion of NCEA Level 3	Newbrook Cup
Corrin Cody-Pio	Best All Round Year 12 Student	Talanoa Ako Award
Presley Wallace-Ford	Diligence, effort, performance and humility.	Prime Ministers Award
Shakaiya Popata	Excellence in Vocation	E Paa Memorial Taonga
Tiana Manu-Griffin	Most outstanding student in SIE	Lions Cup
	Effort and Involvement Across All Subjects	



# YEAR 13 SUBJECT AWARDS

Ammi Camia	Business Studies History Japanese	Pitstop Award Paramount Services Award Moving Mountains NZ Award
Braxton Kohere	Geography Music	Lions Club Tokoroa District Award Gateway Glass Award Paramount Services Award
Connor Wilson	Music Performance Outstanding Contribution to Music	Lawry Cup
Fiky About	NZ Certificate in Automotive Engineering - Most improved	BOP Futures Academy
Ha Bui	Top Mathematics student Mathematics with Statistics	Milne Cup South Waikato Veterinary Award
Hayley Chesterman	Biology English Dance	South Waikato Veterinary Award Waikato Graduate Women Educational Trust Award Pitstop Award
Hoana-Rose Solomon	Physical Education Cook Islands Maaori	Paramount Services Award Lions Club Tokoroa District Award
Indica Taylor	Hospitality Physics	Gateway Glass Award South Waikato Veterinary Award
Itu Davey	Top Science Student Art	South Waikato Veterinary Award Gateway Glass Award
Izaak Philip	Digital Technology	Lions Club Tokoroa District Award
Jackira Ngatamariki	Health Tourism	Health Trophy Lions Club Tokoroa District Award
Maissyn Draper	<b>Café Operations</b>	NL Law Award
Saraiah Rikiau	Professional Sports Pathways Te Reo Maaori	Joseph Manu Award Waikato Graduate Women Educational Trust
Sean Hayes	Chemistry	South Waikato Veterinary Award
Tamatea Ngapo-Lipscombe		
Teagan Gillett		



# YEAR 13 SPECIAL AWARDS

## Diligence and Service

All student receive the Construct Ltd Award

Teagan Gillett | Juan Monga | Dallas Tarai | Izaak Philip | Ha Bui | Modang Paisaree | Aliana Maea | Indica Taylor

## Communication and Cooperation

All students receive the TACS Award

Katelyn Hall | Ammi Camia | Josh Hare

Hayley Chesterman

Student BOT Representative

BOT Award

Nyla Jones

Contribution to Fortitudo

Fortitudo Trophy

Ashlyn Cox

Integrity and Positive Role Modelling

Ryan Family Trophy

Katahzia Te Kooti

Prefect of the Year Award

Holsters Award

Te Reo Rangatira

Maori Women's Welfare League Te Reo Rangatira Trophy

Entrepreneurialship

Young Enterprise Entrepreneur Award

Tamatea Ngapo-Lipscombe

Communication and Cooperation

TACS Award

Contribution to Te Rito

Te Rito Trophy

Contribution to Puna Wai Ora

Nigel Stuart Memorial Trophy

Outstanding Contribution to the School Community

Tala Letoga

Contribution to Puna Vai Ora

Stavert Trophy

Head Boy

Head Boy Medal

Integrity and Positive Role Modelling

Ryan Family Trophy

Creative Arts

Bridget French Award and the Creative Arts Cup

Matthias Erika

Contribution to Te Manava

Utanga Memorial Trophy and the Talanoa Ako Award

Excellence in Peer Mentoring

Graeme Dingle Foundation Award

Ongoing commitment to THS & the wider Pasifika community

SWPIC Scholarship

Integrity and Positive Role Modelling

Shattock Award

Effort and Involvement across all subjects

Council Cup

Itu Davey

Excellence Performance by a Cook Islander in Science

Tere Mana Ariki Tangaroa Memorial Science Trophy

Top Pacific Island Math Student

Howard Rota Trophy

Excellence and Service to the School

Kelly Cup

Performing Arts

Trebilcock Cup

Contribution to Puna Vai Ora

Stavert Trophy

Hoana-Rose Solomon

Year 13 Speech Winner

Shattock Award

Outstanding Contribution to the School Community (Girl)

Impact Photographic Voucher

Best all round performance by a senior Pacific Island Student

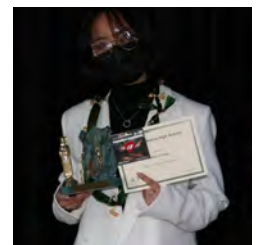
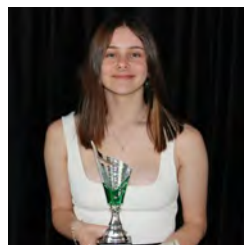
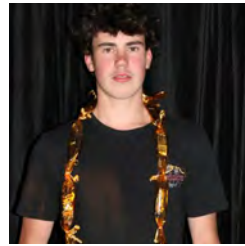
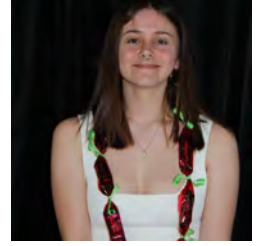
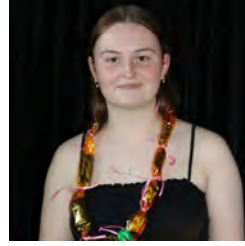
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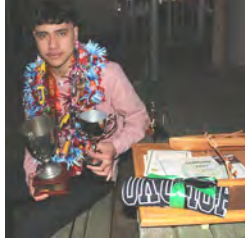
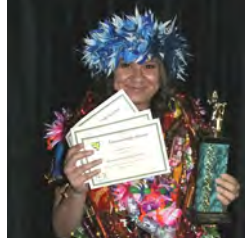
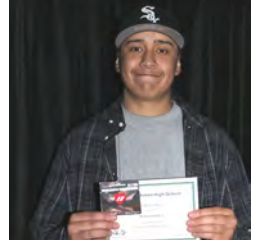
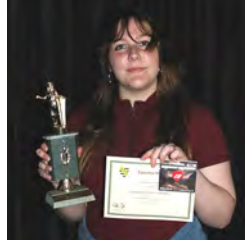
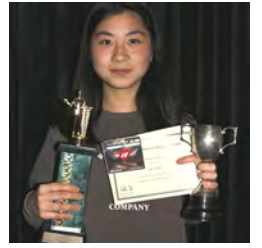
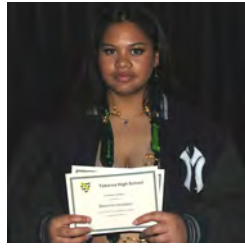
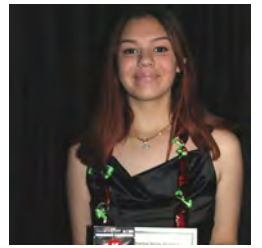
Ongoing commitment to THS & the wider community

Vaerua Meitaki Award sponsored by the "Sisters"

Head Girl

Head Girl Medal





**DUX**

## HOANA-ROSE SOLOMON

Academic Excellence by a Cook Island Student  
*Maea Cup*

Academic Excellence by a Maaori Student  
*Ngatauiwi Lloyd Ngapo Trophy*  
*E.W. Evans Scholashrship*  
*Tokoroa Host Lions Scholarship*

**Dux**

*DC Lance Dux Trophy*



**PROXIME ACCESSIT**

## AMMI CAMIA

Proxime Accessit  
*RSA Trophy*  
*Geoff Burridge Memorial/Lions Club of Tokoroa City Award*



**THIRD OVERALL**

## BRAXTON KOHERE

Third overall top student  
*The Double Happy Cup*  
*Step Up Generation Award*



Jhan, Jhanell, Fiky, Chloe, Josh, Kyle, Hunter, Naketa, Chaz, Isabella, Hayden, Fleur, Michael, Mark, Moses, Shayden, Mickey, Zhaylei, Izzy, Arthur-John, Logan, Jaydesy, Taylah, Jo, Lucas, Peter, Janelle, Emma, Chaise, Terau, Shakira, Emilly, Paris-Manea, Esther, Trio, Louis, Kaydence, Caitlin, Ava, Abby, Lara, Jordan, Murphy, Amelia, Ha, Krystal, Sonny, Ryleigh, Ammi, Sherita, John, Hezekiah, Donna-Lee, Lyric, Tertia-Rose, Riley, Sumalee, Saawan, Legion, Hayley, Lily-Rose, Juan, Magnum, Corrin, Jade, Tyra, Brad, Ashlyn, Taylah, Leanne, Losivale, Jayden, Lucas, Bronson, Caylee, Ciarah, Corey, Itu, Kato, Jayla, Tiare-Io, Angel, Catherine, Mackenzie, Jayjay, Maissyn, Kevin, Nikau, Cameron, Jyriss, Natalia, Tremayne, Tui, Isabella, Matthias, Emilio, Soraya, Madison, Tama, Rayanne, Latia, Casey, Connor, Max, Jesse, Zoe, Lillian, Xaylem Kharli, Dennis, Roger, Deimon, Jadath, Taylah, Teagan, Māni, Jack, Isaiah, Jacob, Rodger, Cody, Nas, Isaac, Katelyn, Rachael, Phoenix, Alliyah, Joshua, Jestah, Phoenix, Qian, Skye, Sean, Shannon, Ngametua, Isaac, Paris, Rhivym, Braidy, Ashanti, Agnes, Kaelen, Jean, Delos, Vincent, Alex, Houg, Lin, Dayton, Ava, Tiriti-Manawa, Karasharn, Jocey, Brooke, Din, Aj, Ramone, Jacqueline, Nyla, Lucas, Noah, Olivierre, Matthais, Paige, Te Atamira Brodie, Kelsey, Espen, Micah, Porter, Shila, Ngahia, Elijah, Tru, Allen, Pete, Joseph, Braxton, Paige, Peyton, Xianthea, Jj, James, Geraldine, Amon, Kyle, Deyshawn, Josh, Greece, Shyne, Joshua, Tala, Kiaan, Leilani, Maia-Lee, Avei, Cade, Dre, Baylee, Aliana, Dennon, Jo, Le Bron Tai, Ryan, Kp, Shari, Snea, Tiana, Manaia, Ava, Caprize, Ocean, Skyla, Aria, Kye, Annette, Anthony, Herbie, Kylah, Kayden, Mana, Carter, Charlotte, Hayden, Te Rangitairi, Daniel, Destiny, Waru Tau, Jackie, Sharidan, Ayush, Jaya, Tamia, Keely, Roimata, Taitum, Dannielle, Lineta, Tavita, Jack, Ace, Jordan, Adriana, Juan, Terekia, Mary-Leigh, Bayla, Mexia, Chad, Javontaye, Nathaniel, Strickland, Kyle, Thirell, Callum, George, Maiti, Taelyn, Tāmāti, Tamatea, Jackira, Miihana-Tupuna, Katreece, Laneia, Syar, Beau, Modang, Nate, Xrysiān-Aroha, Kellita, Nooroa, Kaeden, Bailey, Christian, Jordan, James, Jesse, Robyn, Samuel, Harlyn, Devon, Gianni, Kingston, Arona, Bella, Luka, Tokerau, Mana, Olo, Myles, Izaac, Antony, Billie, Dayton, Zarah, Cameron, LILD, Zeb, Sasha, Shakaiya, Kora-Waiana-Kotiro-Te Paea, Sagar, Ashley, Zyon, Andy, Pita, Ariston, Jason, Kiana, Ty, Eruera, Jaia, Aalina, James, Adan, Tyreese, Hunta, Raymond, Cleveland, Jesse, Jaye, Roman, Cruz, Kaiden, Nevaeh, Paul, Corey, Juliyah, Nyomi, Palu, Lionel-Lee, Keira, Saraiah, Honey, Hosea, Zoe, Breanna, Madison, Arapeta, Keira, Tellus, Nicholas, Quentin, Devlin, Victor, Summer, Alexis, Mata, Benji, Kaelin, Alex, Liarna, Cade-Tutehiwi, Rodney, Harvey, Anahera, Dawn, Joseph, Laykin, Damien, Carl, Jewel, Hoana-Rose, Preston, Sariel, Starden, William, Campbell, Charla, Harrison, Exavier, Caitlyn, Kirsten, Thomas, Taati, Bonny, Stacy, Selyc, Darj, Jim, Terangi, Dallas, David, Manawa, Bevan, Brayden, Cobain, Indica, Leigha, Ata, Katahzia, Zion, Damian, Atawhai, Sativah, Mirinoa, Ki'arna, Fontay, Chassidy, Mountain, Tetahuri, Krisari, Pj, Kydin, Ali'Arna, Chevy, Max, Santahna, Satriani, Shonnita, Sky, Troy, Johnny, Zak, Leonard, Rachel, Kyah, Jesselle, Shay, Ashlee, Logan, Konnar, Maiya, Brooklyn, Nevayah, Cavelle, Rhyleigh, Madison, Varn, Ethen, James, Tua, Jaydis, Taylah, Waats, Lyric, Mia, Seija, Leo, Page, Presley, Callum, Lennox, Paige, Paris, Tyrone, Rhyle, Hohepa, Jaeda, Paige, Cylis, Casey, Harmz, Justin, Joshua, Torotoro, Kiita, Zedakiah, Wiremu, Anahera, Bree, Amethyst, Ben, Connor, Gus, Jovic, Tamatoa, Rhiarn, Briez, Deisharn, Jade, Reaghan, Ali, Avin, Douglas, Paetyn, Andrew, Duuel, Kayliana, Seajae, Keira, Jayden.