

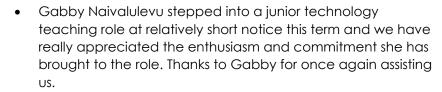
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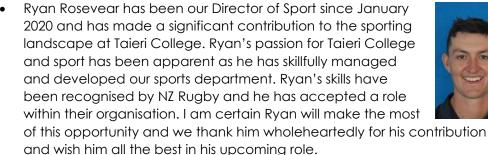
Kia ora e te whanau

With next Friday being Easter Friday, this will be our final newsletter of Term 1. As we near the end the term we bid farewell to several staff members who are leaving us.

Sarah McKinley joined our English Department at the beginning of the term as a long-term reliever for Liz Hurst who is on extended leave. Sarah has fitted into the role exceptionally well and made a valued contribution to our English Department. Thanks Sarah, for the way you have expertly and efficiently handled the role.



Bruce Todd has been our Property Manager for the past five years and his practical skills have been invaluable during that time. Bruce has an incredible ability to solve problems that arise with property and buildings and his contribution to making our campus so well kempt has been appreciated. We thank him for his service and wish him the best in his next ventures.



Finally, my gratitude once again to our community for their continued support throughout yet another unique and challenging term. I wish everyone a healthy, safe and relaxing Easter break and following school holiday.

Regards

Dave Hunter PRINCIPAL

Key Dates

9-10 April 2022 Senior Otago Volleyball Championships

11 April 2022 Year 7 Vision Screening more information further in newsletter

12-13 April 2022 L3 Class Play

14 April 2022 Prepared Reading Finals L1 SPR Beach Trip End of Term 1

2 May 2022 Start of Term 2



Senior Assessments Due Next Week

7-14 April 2022 L1ENG/ENE 90857 Speech L3ENG/ENC 91476 Presentation

11 April 2022 L2 PED/ AS 2.4 Aquathon (4 credits)

12 April 2022 Level 1 Health AS90971 Take action to enhance an aspect of personal wellbeing

11-15 April 2022 L1MAS AS91030 Measurement [3 credits] L1MAT AS91032 Rightangled triangles [3 credits] L2MAF US28096 Insurance [3 credits] L2MAS AS91268 Simulations [3 credits]







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Taieri College Sports Council

Mission: 'To promote and encourage sport at Taieri College and on the Taieri'

Taieri College's Sports Council is a committee made up of both parents and teachers. We rely heavily on the generosity of sponsorship to keep our programmes in place; to fund teams and individuals; to supply equipment; to upgrade playing areas, and to purchase school vans to transport our students. We aim to give our young athletes every opportunity possible.

Our Sports Council is always welcoming and very appreciative of any new sponsors wishing to come on board. If you think this is an area you can help, please contact The Sports Office (sport@taieri.school.nz).

There are four LEVELS of Sponsorship: PREMIER (amount is by negotiation), PLATINUM (\$2,000 + GST per year), GOLD (\$1,000 + GST per year) and SILVER (\$500 + GST per year).

Each MONTH the Sports Council would like to SHOWCASE one of our valued sponsors. Where possible we urge our Taieri College families to support these generous businesses just like they support us.

PLATINUM SPONSOR OF THE MONTH - McDonald's Dunedin

Sports Council would like to extend a very warm welcome to Eterei & Justin Stonelake, franchisees and owners of Dunedin and Invercargill's, McDonald's Restaurants. Eterei and Justin are joining us as Platinum Sponsors. We are thrilled to also welcome Eterei onto our committee. Your business sense and ideas will be a real asset to the council.

Taieri College Sports Council is proud to work alongside the following sponsors. McDonald's Dunedin, LJ Hooker – Lachie McLachlan, Braveheart Decorators, Mastercraft Mosgiel Kitchens, Sportsmed Mosgiel, Waihola Surfacing, Reece Building Consultants, DS Builders, Promo-X, Cramond & Craig, Dixon Roofing, TAK Flooring, Loan Market, Otago Polytech Institute of Sport, Exercise & Health, CREDIFLEX Otago, Willow & Silk and Beauty Lane.

Junior Touch

Congratulations to the Taieri College Roosters Year 7 and 8 Touch team who won the Open Elite Taieri Module on Monday night.

The team also represented Taieri College in the Metro Module at the Oval, Dunedin last night and were playing off for 3rd and 4th.



L2 Kepler Tramp

Last Monday, 22 intrepid explorers ventured to Te Anau to complete one of the great walks of New Zealand, The Kepler Track. Over 3 days, the group completed over 60kms of walking, 2 nights of camping and climbed nearly 1000 meters in elevation. The gruelling 3-day tramp is often recommended to be completed in 4 days however the class decided to do it in 3! Mr Hull, Mr Knowles, Mr Waldron and Mrs McHutchon chaperoned the class and couldn't be prouder of their efforts over the walk! When interviewed, Mr Waldron stated it was the first time he has taken a class that could keep up with him in the mountains!

Mr Hull L2SPR







L3 PED/SPR Triathlon



Waterpolo









L3 SPR Kayak Skills in the Pool





Year 7 Vision Screening

The Vision Hearing Technicians from Population Health team, Southern District Health will be visiting your school to screen all year seven students for distance vision on Monday 11 April 2022.

Distance Vision (Amblyopia & Hyperopia)

This determines how well your child can see at a distance. It involves reading an eye chart. (This free vision check is not required if student wears glasses and/or is currently under care of ar optometrist or eye specialist).

If you do not wish your child to be screened, please fill out an opt-out slip, which is available at the school office before our visit. Any questions, please contact Jared Peacock, Assistant Principal on jpeacock@taieri.school.nz















Experienced makeup Artist

Contact me if you would like your makeup done for the up coming school formal. (Or any occasion)

Arrange a small group, \$30 per student.

Look and feel fabulous

Contact Lisa 0210334196





Youth East Taieri is preparing for the next intake of Ground Zero. Programme runs on Wednesday evenings from 25 May 2022—6 July 2022. Ground Zero is open to students in Year 7. Forms can be printed from below or collected from the school office.

Ground Zero focuses on identifying & developing strengths, through fun challenges and activities designed to build confidence, leadership and communication skills.

Enquiries to Larissa Pearce (youth worker) 021 0867 1157 yetworker@gmail.com

