



Wesley College

PRINCIPAL'S NEWSLETTER

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MIHI

E te Iwi
Tēnā koutou
Tenei te mihi kia
koutou i roto i tenei,
te Tau Hou

“He Tau pai te tau
He Tau ahuru te tau”

“A good year
a prosperous year”

Nau mai, haere mai.

POINTS OF INTEREST

- **1st BOT Meeting**
8 February 2007, 5pm
- **BOT Elections**
- **Special Charter Obligations**
- **College Collegian**
- **Boarding Hostels**
- **General Info Handbook**
- **Term Calendar**



College Webpage

Parents, caregivers and guardians can access up-to-date enrolment, sporting, and other information of interest by logging on to www.wesley.school.nz

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Mr Norman Johnston	09 5757524	Mrs Unise Smythe	09 2385871
Rev John Murray	09 4118393	Ms P Unasa-Samoa Saleupolu	
Mrs Hera Dixon	09 2387384		092634484
Mr Jeff Johansson	09 2381373	Mr Roger Biddle	09 2370224
Mr Barry Burrell	09 2675439	Mr Uini Atonio	Student Rep
Anna Bristowe	09 2662311	Mr Ian Faulkner	09 2370224

Board of Trustees Elections

What is a school board of trustees?

Every state and state integrated school in New Zealand has a board of trustees. Boards bring families, communities and school together to work for a quality education for our children.

The board of trustees is a Crown entity, it is the employer of all school staff and sets the school's overall strategic direction. The school's Principal is the board's chief executive and manages the school operation in line with the board's policies.

Wesley College is a state integrated school with the board membership consisting of elected parent representatives, an elected staff representative, an elected student representative, the Principal and the proprietor's representatives; For further information on 'what being a trustee involves' log on to the college webpage on www.wesley.school.nz, click on the home section and then the Board of Trustees section or alternatively contact any of the above listed Board of Trustee members.

SPECIAL CHARACTER OBLIGATIONS



I invite family and friends to attend the Service of Beginnings to be held Sunday 11 February, commencing at 11am in the recreation centre. This very special service welcomes all our new students, families and staff to the college. I also welcome to the College Mr Derek Tomkins, TTC, Dip Tchg. Mr Tomkins will be teaching Accounting, Economics and Junior Mathematics.

The Service of Beginnings sets the tone for the year and is part of the celebration of our Special Character.

The Service will be led by Rev Dr John Salmon, President of the Methodist Church of New Zealand: Te Haahi Weteriana o Aotearoa, and Mrs Mary West Vice President.

STUDENT CHECK LIST

TERM ONE 2007

Boarders check in Tuesday 6 February between 1:20pm—3:30pm. Parents depart by 4pm.

We recognise that some boarders and their families will be involved in Waitangi Day celebrations that may delay their return to Wesley College until 7 February.

Day students report by 8:20am Wednesday 7 February.

CLOTHING

Please ensure all items of clothing are named and your student has a full set of the number one uniform, their white shirts are able to be buttoned up at the neck and their ties are the right size.

STUDENT MONEY ENVELOPE

All personal money should be handed into the office. Students' money is kept in an envelope for safe keeping.

STUDENT ACCOUNTS

Parents please contact the school office to give clear instructions about your child's student account. If there are **no clear instructions, no money will be given to students.**

A student must have:

- their student account in credit
- clear parental approval

No money will be given to students until the end of the school day.

MEDICATION

Please ensure all medication is handed into the Matrons on arrival with instructions for its use.

CELL PHONES

Please give your son/daughter clear instructions about the use of cell phones. Cell phones may not be used during teaching time and the College will not take responsibility for any misuse, damage or loss of a cell phone. There are card phones in several locations around the school/hostels and phone cards may be purchased from the office.

2007 BOARDING FEES

Have you returned your letter advising the college of what arrangements will be in place for the payment of your child's 2007 Boarding fees? If not, please return your letter on or before 7th of February, or contact Mrs Barabara Thoresen on (09)2370547 to discuss arrangements.

2007 TERM DATES

Term 1	Wednesday 7 February	To	Thursday 5 April
Term 2	Monday 23 April	To	Friday 29 June
Term 3	Monday 16 July	To	Friday 21 September
Term 4	Monday 8 October	To	Friday 14 December

2007 Holidays

Good Friday 6 April

Easter Tuesday 10 April

Queen's Birthday Monday 4 June

Easter Monday 9 April

Anzac Day Wednesday 25 April

Labour Day Monday 22 October

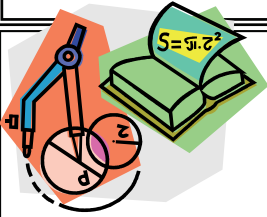
2006 COLLEGE COLLEGIAN

Unfortunately as of this date the 2006 College Collegian (school magazine) has not been delivered by the printer. The Collegian will be posted as soon as it arrives at the College.

2007 BOARDING HOSTELS—GENERAL INFORMATION HANDBOOK

Please note that enclosed with this newsletter is the '2007 Boarding Hostels General Information Handbook' for boarders. I request that parents and caregivers of boarders read this handbook with your son/daughter. Please sign the attached yellow return slip and return it to the office when you return your child to board on the 6th of February.

2006 NZQA RESULTS



The New Zealand Qualifications Authority [NZQA] have released the 2006 results. Congratulations to the following students who have achieved these awards.

NCEA LEVEL 1

ASSEFA, Sara	HANIPALE, James	LUTERU, John	SUAFO'A, Neemia
ATTWOOD, Jamie	HARRISON, John	MANU, 'Aisea	TALILOTU, Metui
BIDDLE, Hakopa	HAUNGA, Sunia	MATATIA, Dayne	TANIWHA, Hakaraia
CHAPMAN, Megan	HAUNGA, Tevita	NGATA, Elisha	TAYLOR, Brock
DAVIS, Dwayne	IMMS, Mark	NIELSEN, Matthew	TEKULU, Melanie
DAVIS, Joshua	KARAKA, Ngahau	PERI-ELLIOT, Harry	TUKUAFU, Sione
FAASISILA, Hotini	KAVA, Taniela	ROPETI, Fagaloa	TUKU' AHO, Sitiveni
FA'AUMU, Uluaki	KAWITI, Lindsay	SELUPE, Tiofilusi	TUPOU, Sefesi
FIELD, Daniel	KERISIOME, Tiana	SIBISOPERE, Salumata	YASA, Tevita
FINAU, John	LACEY, Anthony	SIULUA, Daniel	
FISIIAHI, Glen	LEA, Michael	SNOWDEN, Joshua	

NCEA LEVEL 2

AHIO, Mavae	HANIPALE, Linford	MORRISON, Sean	PULU, Augustine
ANDERSON, Melissa	HARRISON, Dylan	MUAULU, Tokoiti	ROGERS, Mathew
ATONIO, Uini	ISILELI-FO'OU, Tuhulu	MUAULU, Aufata	ROSENTHAL, Samantha
BROMWICH, Conall	JONES, Aneta	NELSON, Syra	TAGICAKIBAU, Vuga
BROOKING, Candice	KOLIO, Simei	NIELSEN, Christopher	TANIWHA, Pomana
CAMA, Tevita	LEAAETOA, Toni	NYMAN, Laurina	TAUFUI, Ana
CUDBY, Hayden	MAAFU, Linda	PEDERSEN, John	VAKA, Tamoua
CURRIE, Malcolm	MAREKO, S imi	PENE, Heremaia	VEA, Puniloa
FERRARO, Stephanie	MARINO, Waimirirangi	GREWE, Benjamin	GILBERT, Jamie
MATAIA, Tyson	MAU, Rhys	POLE, Siosifa	WOOD, Joel
POWELL, William	POKAITARA, Te Rauroha		RATUMAITAVUKI, Nicholas
FAKAHAFUA, Josephine	TUITUPOU-KUTU, Thomas		WOLFGRAMM, Albert

NCEA LEVEL 3

BIDDLE, Maria	KAMIRA, Catalina	TAYLOR, Jeremiah
FAKAILOATONGA, Mary	KAVA, Inoke	THOMPSON, Kalolaine
GEE, Damian	KAWITI, Wiremu	TLHASELO, Lesily
HENRY, Henry	KEPU, Mele	YAKAS, Lea
HIMONE, Te Teira	MATAMU, Otele	
IOSEFA, Poloma	POUVALU, Falehufanga	

UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE

FAKAILOATONGA, Mary	KEPU, Mele	TAYLOR, Jeremiah
GEE, Damian	LATU, George	THOMPSON, Kalolaine
HENRY, Henry	MATAMU, Otele	TLHASELO, Lesily
KAVA, Inoke	NAI, Faiva	YAKAS, Lea
KAWITI, Wiremu	RAYNELL, Gary	

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Vuga Tagicakibau (Year 11 2006) and Seremaia Tagicakibau (Year 13 2006) who have been selected to represent Fiji at the International Rugby Board (IRB) U19 World Cup to be played in Ireland in April.

