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WHAKATAUKI

E tipu, e rea, mō ngā rā o tōu ao; ko tō ringa ki ngā rākau a te Matauranga hei ara mō tō tinana, ko tō ngākau ki ngā tāonga a ō tūpuna hei tikitiki mō tō māhuna; ko tō wairua ki tō atua, nāna nei ngā mea katoa.

Grow up and thrive for the days destined to you, your hand to the tools of education to provide physical sustenance, your heart to the treasures of your ancestors as a diadem from your brow, your soul to God, to whom all things belong.

POINTS OF INTEREST

- **2008 BOT Meeting**
- **2008 Term Dates**
- **Prize Giving List**
- **Looking Ahead 2008**
- **Senior Prize Giving**



BOARD OF TRUSTEES

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BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETINGS

The 1st meeting of the Board of Trustees will be 24 January 2008, 5pm in the meeting room beside the dining room.

TERM DATES 2008

Term 1	Thursday 7 February	To	Friday 18 April (98 half-days)
Term 2	Monday 5 May	To	Friday 4 July (88 half-days)
Term 3	Monday 21 July	To	Friday 26 September (100 half-days)
Term 4	Monday 13 October	To	Wednesday 17 December (94 half-days) *

2008 Holidays

Auckland Anniversary	28 January	Good Friday	21 March
Waitangi Day	Wednesday 6 February	Easter Tuesday	25 March
Easter Monday	24 March	Queen's Birthday	Monday 2 June
Anzac Day	Friday 25 April		
Labour Day	Monday 27 October		

LOOKING AHEAD 2008

1. There is no weekend leave for the first weekend of the school year (Friday 8 – Sunday 10 February 2008). This is to assist hostel routines to be established for the year.
2. The annual Service of Beginnings will be held on Sunday 10 February. This is a Special Character observation to mark the start of a new school year. The President of the Methodist Church of New Zealand – Te Haahi Weteriana o Aotearoa, Rev Brian Turner, will be the preacher. Rev Turner is an ex-pupil of Wesley College. The Vice-President, Dr Barbara Peddie will also be attending. All parents, caregivers and friends of the College are invited to be present.
3. Parents and caregivers are asked to check that their sons/daughters have a complete set of the Number 1 Uniform that fits. Please ensure that your son's white shirt is able to be buttoned up at the neck.
4. Wesley College is a Smokefree campus. Those incoming students who smoke are advised to take the necessary steps to "kick the habit" before the new school year.
5. All students are required to have school bag to carry their school equipment. Please ensure your son/daughter has a suitable bag.

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VAKANAMATA KI NA YABAKI 2008

E sa na vakatabui na nodra gole i vale na gonevuli curu e bure ena i matai ni vakacagicagi lekaleka (Vakaraubuka na i ka 8 – Sigatabu na i ka 10 ni Feperueri 2008). Na i naki oqo sa i koya na nodra vakamatautaki na gonevuli ena draki kei na i tuvatuva ni curu e bure.

Na i matai ni lotu vata ni tekivu e dua na yabaki vou ena vakayacori ena Sigatabu na i ka 10 ni Feperueri. Ena vakaitavi tiko ena lotu namaki oqo na Turaga Qase Levu ni Lotu Wesele e Niu Siladi – Te Haahi Weteriana o Aotearoa, Talatala Brian Turner. E turaga vuli oti talega e Wesley College na noda i Liuliu. E na maliwai keda tale tikoga na nona i vukevuke, Vukevuke ni i Liuliu, Dr. Barbara Peddie. Na kaci sa gole tiko yani vei kemuni na i tubutubu, dau ni veisusu, veitokani ni koronivuli mo ni yaco mai vaka lewelevu.

Sa kerei vei kemuni na i tubutubu kei na dau ni veisusu me ra vakaisulutaki vinaka na gonevuli ena nodra unifomu “Number 1”. E dodonu me bulukautaki vinaka na nodra sote vulavula na gonetagane me rawa ni ra vakanekeketi.

E vakatabui na vakatavako ena loma ni koronivuli. Sa kerei me ra vukei na gonevuli dau vakatavako me ra tamusuka rawa ni bera ni ra curu mai ki Wesley College.

E dodonu me ra vaka kato ni vuli kece o ira na gonevuli. Oqo me rawa ni dau tawa kina na nodra i yaya ni vuli. Kerekere vakabibi me laurai vinaka na tikina oqo.



MATAUPU TAU MO LE TAUSAGA 2008

E leai seisi e mafai na fai sana livi mo le vaiaso muamua o Fepuari ona o lo’o taumafai matua o le nofo tumau e faamasani tamaiti I le aoga .

O le Lotu amata Le Service of Beginnings i le aoga, o le a fai i le aso 10 o Fepuari. O se Lotu Taua i totonu ile aoga. O le a taitai, o le Peresetene o le Ekaleasia Metotisi-Te Haahi o Aotearoa Rev Brian Turner. E tatau ona tou iai i lea sauniga fa’apitoa mo le amataga o le tausaga 2008.

Ma le fa’a aloalo lava, fa’amolemole siaki uma ofu o togina o tamaiti.

O seisi tulafono fa’apitoa i totonu i le aoga. E sa le ulaula. Fa’amolemole talanoa ma fa’ailoa lea mataupu i tou fanau.

O tamaiti aoga uma, e a’e mai i le tausaga fou ma lana ato, e tu’u ai api/tusi aoga ma mea uma mo le aso, aua e tapuni le nofo tumau pea amata le aso aoga i le lotu o le taeao i 8.20am.



HE TIROHANGA MO 2008

Kahore e aheitia ana ngā tauria ki te hoki ki te kainga i te wā poto o te wiki tuatahi o te tau. (Rāmere 8 ki te Rā tapu 10 o Huitangaru

A te Rātapu 10 o Huitangaru te Karakia Timatanga. Ko tenei te rā Ahuatanga Whakahirahira hei tohu timatanga mō te tau hou o te kura. Ko te Perehitini o te Haahi Weteriana o Aotearoa, a Rev. Brian Turner, te Kai Kauhau. I kuraina ia i te Kura o Wetere i mua. Kei konei hoki te Perehitini tuarua a Dr Barbara Peddie He powhiri tēnei ki ngā mātua, ngā kaitiaki, ngā hoa o te kura, kia whakatau mai ki tē Karakia.

Ka korero ki ngā mātua, kaitiaki kia ata titiro mehemea e ō ana ngā Kākahu No. 1 a o ratou tama, wāhine ranei. Tirohia mehemea e taea ana te pātene te hāte mā ki te kaki.

He Auahi Kore te Kura o Wetere. Ko ngā tamariki hou e uru mai ana ki tēnei kura, e kai moki ana, ko te kupu tupato ki a ratou me “whakakorea tēnei ahuatanga” i mua o te haerenga mai i te tau hou.

Me whiwhi peke kura ngā tauria katoa hei kawae haere i o ratou pukapuka mahi i ngā wā katoa. Mā koutou mā ngā mātua me ngā kaitiaki e whai ake i tenei ahuatanga i te whiwhi peke kura.



TEUTEU ATU KI HE 2008

Ko e ‘uluaki uike ‘oku fokotu’u ai ‘a e ako he 2008, ‘oku ‘ikai ‘ataa ha taha ako nofoma’u ke ‘alu ki ‘api he Falaite ‘aho 8 ‘o a’u ki he Sapate ‘aho 10 ‘o Fepueli. ‘E tokoni ia ke fakaangaanga ‘a e fanau ako ki he founa ‘oku ngaue’aki he ngaahi falemohe.

Ko e Lotu Kamata Fakata’u ‘a e ako, ‘oku fai ia he Sapate ‘aho 10 ‘o Fepueli. Ko e lotu ko eni ke faka’ilonga’i ‘a e

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kamata 'a e ta'u fakaako 'o fakatatau ki he Natula Makehe 'o e 'apiako 'a e Siasi. Ko e malanga 'o e 'aho ko e Palesiteni 'o e Siasi Metotisi 'o Nu'usila, Faifekau Brian Turner. Ko e Faifekau ni foki ko e Kolisi Tutuku ia 'o e 'apiako Wesley. 'E 'i he malanga foki mo e Tokoni Palesiteni, Dr Barbara Peddie. 'Oku 'oatu ai 'a e fakaafe loto mafana ki he ngaahi matu'a mo e kau tauhi fanau kotoa pe ke mou me'a mai ke tau lotu. Ko e Sapate ko eni 'oku lau ia ko e 'aho ako, pea 'oku fiema'u 'a e fanau ako kotoa ke kau ki ai.

Kole atu ki he ngaahi matu'a mo e kau tauhi fanau ke mou kataki 'o fakapapu'i ange 'oku mauu pea fe'unga 'a e teunga ako (Number 1) 'o e fanau. Tokanga'i ange 'ae sote hina 'o e fanau tangata 'oku lava 'o fakama'u a'u ki he kia.

'Oku 'ikai ngofua 'a e ifi tapaka 'i ha 'elia 'o e 'apiako. Ko kinautolu 'a e fanau 'oku nau ifi, 'oku fiema'u ke fale'i leva ki he ngaahi founa ke ta'ofi 'aki 'enau ifi kimu'a pea fokotu'u e ako he ta'u fo'ou.

Kuo pau ke 'i ai e kato naunau 'a e tokotaha kotoa pe. Kataki 'o fakapapu'i 'oku 'i ai ha kato naunau ho foha/'ofefine.



CONGRATULATIONS

Solomone VAKA [Year 9] who was placed 4th in the New Zealand Secondary Schools' Track and Field competition in the Junior Boys' Discuss Throw. Solomone as a 14 year old was competing in the under 16 grade. In this competition Solomone established a new school record of 46.39m.

Frank HALAI [Year 14] who was named as the Franklin Sportsperson of the Year at the Franklin's Finest Awards held last week. This award recognises Frank's achievements as a rugby player and also as an athlete.

2007 Senior Prize Giving Recipients

YEAR 12

First Equal in Year 12 Design Technology

First in Year 12 Biology

First in Year 12 Travel & Tourism

First Equal in Year 12 Painting

First Equal in Year 12 Painting

First Equal in Year 12 Printmaking

First Equal in Year 12 Printmaking

First in Year 12 History

First in Year 12 Maori

First in Year 12 Economics

First Equal in Year 12 Life & Faith

First in Year 12 Food Technology

First in Year 12 Music

First Equal in Year 12 Design Technology

First in Year 12 Print Design

First in Year 12 Geography

First in Year 12 Horticulture

First Equal in Year 12 Physical Education

First Equal in Year 12 Physical Education

First Equal in Year 12 Painting

First Equal in Year 12 Printmaking

First Equal in Year 12 Life & Faith

First in Year 12 Physics

Daniel Siulua

Metui Talilotu

Jacob Biddle

Sione Tukuafu

John Luteru

Sunia Haunga

Michael Lea

Ashleigh Niunia

Tamati Maruera

Esafe Tonga

John Finau

Claire Pedersen

Claire Pedersen

Paulos Latu

Paulos Latu

Daniel Field

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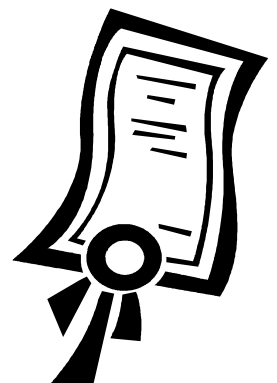
Brock Taylor

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Joshua Abbott

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First in Year 12 Chemistry	Joshua Abbott
First in Year 12 English	Joshua Abbott
First in Year 12 Mathematics	Joshua Abbott
<u>SERVICE AWARDS</u>	
The Franklin Rose Croix Service Award for a Boy	Te Rauroha Pokaitara
The Franklin Rose Croix Service Award for a Girl	Syra Nelson
Principal's Service Award	Junior Talavou
Principal's Service Award	Charles Piutau
Principal's Service Award	Chris Finau
Principal's Service Award	Tamati Maruera
Principal's Service Award	Pomana Taniwha
Leadership in Fellowship and Chapel	Te Rauroha Pokaitara
The Manihera Memorial Award for Dedication to Chapel Services	Te Rauroha Pokaitara
The Franklin Rose Croix Trophy for Best all Round Girl	Aneta Jones
Head Girl Award	Aneta Jones
Head Boy Award	Linford Hanipale
Head Prefect Award	Pomana Taniwha
<u>YEAR 13</u>	
First in Year 13 Design Technology (Carpentry Construction)	Siaosi Moala
First in Year 13 Travel and Tourism	Melissa Anderson
First in Year 13 Mathematics with Calculus	John Pedersen
First Equal in Year 13 Physical Education	Pomana Taniwha
First Equal in Year 13 Physical Education	Niko Ratumaitavuki
First in Year 13 Media Studies	Te Rauroha Pokaitara
The Aaron Bates Memorial Trophy for Senior Agriculture and Horticulture	Jamie Gilbert
First in Year 13 Chemistry	Kaufusihema Palefau
First Equal in Year 13 Art	Rina Nyman
First Equal in Year 13 Art	Waimirirangi Marino
First in Year 13 Web Page Design	Sifa Tukuafu
First Equal in Year 13 Art	Tuhulu Isileli-Fo'ou
First in Year 13 Geography	Albert Wolfgramm
First in Year 13 History	Candice Brooking
The Morley Cup for Academic Achievement by a Girl	Candice Brooking
First in Year 13 Maths with Statistics	John Pedersen
The NZIP Prize for First in Year 13 Physics	John Pedersen
Best Science Student	John Pedersen
Proxime Accessit	John Pedersen
First in Year 13 English	Te Rauroha Pokaitara
First in Year 13 Economics	Te Rauroha Pokaitara
First in Year 13 Life & Faith	Te Rauroha Pokaitara
Winstone Maori Leadership Award	Te Rauroha Pokaitara
Best Arts Student	Te Rauroha Pokaitara
Dux	Te Rauroha Pokaitara