



18 August 2017.

Dear Parents and Caregivers  
Kia ora katou

- **Team photos:** Thanks to coaches and managers who took time out to be part of team photos this week.
- **Subject teacher / River Guide conferencing:** Thursday 31 August 3:45 - 8:35pm. To make an online booking go to [www.schoolinterviews.co.nz](http://www.schoolinterviews.co.nz) which will go live from Monday 21st. The code to use is **xtmd3**. All students will receive a hard copy booking form as well.
- **Book Fair:** happening in the Hub from Friday 18 to Thursday 24 August. A great way to do some early Christmas shopping.
- **NCEA Fees and Financial Assistance:** *NCEA Fees* need to be paid to the College by Wednesday 6 September 2017.
- **Years 9 and 10 camps:** next week juniors will be bringing home information regarding the term 4 camp 4th - 8th December
- **Staff Professional Development Day:** happening on Friday 8 September to progress our *Positive Behaviour for Learning School Wide* initiative.
- **Hockey Success:** Well done to the First X1 Hockey Boys who came home with the Bethlehem Cup this week.
- **Full newsletter:** Friday next week.
- **Community news:**  
Jiading visitors in our school next week. Warm welcome to these visitors.

Doug Avery, recently recognised for services to Agriculture and Mental Health, speaking at the Morrinsville College hall Thursday 31 August 7pm. Also on sale his recent book *The Resilient Farmer*.

Ngaire Harris  
PRINCIPAL

*You will never reach your destination if you stop and throw stones at every barking dog.*

