

# HPC e-Bulletin

25 September 2020

Kia ora koutou  
Dear Parents and Whānau

**Unplugged:** Well done to all students who performed in *Unplugged* this week. A great evening with a vast range of talent.

**Subject Selection for 2021:** Years 10, 11 and 12 students will be given Subject Selection Guides in week one of next term. The Subject Selection Evening for current Year 10s will be on Thursday 15 October 7pm in the College Hall. The Subject Selection evening for Years 11 and 12 students will be on Thursday 22 October, 7pm in the College Hall.

**Practice Exams:** Senior students with external exams in Term 4 will have practice exams in Week 2 of next term. Exams will take place from Tuesday 20 October to Thursday 22 October of Week 2 in normal class times. Other classes who do not have exams will run as normal.

**Sports:** Congratulations to the following sports teams –

- First XV for their win in the Thames Valley Coulter Cup Competition. They travel to Taupo this weekend to play the King Country Champions Taupo-nua-a tia College.
- First XI Boys Hockey team who won the Waikato B Grade.
- Junior Boys Football team who won their division in the Waikato Comp and the Junior Girls Football who missed out winning by goal difference only.

A successful HPC Cross Country was held on Thursday at the School Farm, congratulations to all students who took part. HPC Cross Country Champions are:

- Year 9 Girl - Jessie Davis
- Year 9 Boy - Cullen Crowe
- Jnr Girl - Brooke McTaggart
- Jnr Boy - Zyon Ford
- Snr Girl - Libby Morton
- Snr Boy - Hamish Hart

## Term 4 Calendar:

Monday 12 Oct	Term 4 Starts
Thursday 15 October	Year 10 subject Selection Evening
Thursday 22 October	Years 11 and 12 Subject Selection Evening
Thursday 29 Oct 7pm	Sports Prize Giving
Monday 2 Nov	Year 9 Dilworth / Rototuna Exchanges
Friday 6 Nov 7pm	Senior Academic Prize Giving 7pm
Wed 2 Dec	Year 9 Junior Certificate Prize Giving 9:30am
Thu 3 Dec	Year 10 Junior Diploma Prize Giving 9:30am
Mon 7 Dec - Wed 9 Dec	Years 9 and 10 Camps

**School Uniform:** Wearing our uniform with pride is an essential part of the Hauraki Way. A reminder of the following from the HPC Prospectus. Thanks to parents for co-operating with our hard work in 'sweating the small stuff' i.e. taking a firm line on uniform expectations.

- Hair must be clear neat and tidy and be styled in reasonably conventional way including natural hair colourings.
- Long hair must be tied back at all times.
- Boys are expected to be clean shaven.
- The only jewellery students may wear is one plain silver or gold stud in each ear. Nose or other facial studs are not permitted.
- Students may be permitted to wear a pendant / taonga or tattoo if it has significant spiritual, cultural or sentimental values. The taonga or tattoo must not be visible.

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PRINCIPAL