

Well done to all Junior students who presented exhibitions at the Science Fair. Some really interesting and innovative ideas. Good to see some parents and whānau show an interest.

**Junior Reports:** These have been issued today and interviews with Junior subject teachers will take place on Thursday 10 June (4-8pm). Information for making appointment times will be given in next week's e-Bulletin.

**Senior Reports:** These will be issued on Wednesday 26 May and interviews with Senior subject teachers will take place on Wednesday 2 June (4-8pm). The reason for the Senior interviews being made earlier is to ensure that Seniors have time to action feedback prior to the end of Semester A. The bookings for Senior Parent Teacher Report Evening will go live on Monday 24 May. More information and the booking code will be published in next week's e-Bulletin.

**Senior Mathematics Tutorials:** Tutorials are held in Room 23 weekly from Tuesday to Thursday during second break. Students are encouraged to attend tutorials, particularly Level 1 students, who have not gained any numeracy credits.

**Sports:** A reminder to students involved in winter codes that they are expected to attend regularly and follow the Hauraki Way at school. Any student whose attendance or behaviour is unacceptable risks a stand down from a game and thereby letting the team down. If the college offers a particular sport, students are expected to play for the college. If there is a genuine reason for wanting to play for an outside team, exemptions are considered. Please email [sportsdir@haurakiplains.school.nz](mailto:sportsdir@haurakiplains.school.nz) for an **exemption application**.

**Cross Country:** Thursday 20 May at South Farms, South Road, Mangatarata. Students will be meeting in the bus bay at 11am, returning at 2.30pm. Parents are most welcome to come and spectate. HPC will also be hosting the TVSS Cross Country Champs on Tuesday 1 June, at the same venue.

**Ministry of Education Teacher Only Day:** Secondary teachers across NZ have been given a number of days to prepare for significant curriculum changes ahead. One of these given days is happening on **Wednesday 19 May**. No classes will be happening on this day. College buses will not run; however those with Primary School students will run as normal.

**Transition Period from Summer to Winter Uniform:** Our transition period from summer to winter uniform finishes today. All students are expected to be in full winter uniform by Monday 17 May 2021.

## Events Coming Up:

**Wednesday 19 May** - Ministry of Education Teacher Only Day

**Thursday 20 May** - HPC Cross Country Champs  
<https://fb.me/e/4qXF5p8xd>

**Wednesday 26 May** - Senior Reports issued

**Thursday 27 May** - Waikato SS Swim Champs  
- Board of Trustees Meeting

**Tuesday 1 June** - TVSS Cross Country Champs

**Wednesday 2 June** - Senior Parent Teacher Interviews (4-8pm)

**Thursday 3 June** - Whānau Consultation (6pm). This consultation meeting is to share changes under NCEA with a focus on Mātauranga Māori.

**Monday 7 June** - Queen's Birthday

**Thursday 10 June** - Junior Parent Teacher Interviews (4-8pm)

## Community News:

**Bus Route Concerns:** After the meeting held at Kopuarahi, a one term extension was granted on the Oronga Corner and Maramarua bus runs. Local MP Scott Simpson has agreed to take letters regarding this issue to Parliament. Any one concerned, whether parents, grandparents, members of the public, students, business owners are able to express their concern on this issue. Please email your concerns to ([busroute2021@gmail.com](mailto:busroute2021@gmail.com)) by Friday 21 May 2021. If assistance is required to write your email please contact:

Lisa Wiggins 07 867 5547

Angela Jolly 07 280 0929

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**AUT Research:** An invitation is extended to Māori rangatahi to help understand your experience of engaging with health services in Aotearoa. The aim of the research is to understand rangatahi views of health service engagement, looking at what works and what needs more attention. As the experts of your lives, we would appreciate hearing your views about this kaupapa. If you are aged 16-18 years old and are interested in having your say on a kaupapa Māori research project please contact: Te Wai Barbarich-Unasa on 021730692 email ([twai.barbarich-unasa@aut.ac.nz](mailto:twai.barbarich-unasa@aut.ac.nz)). Information sheet attached [here](#).

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