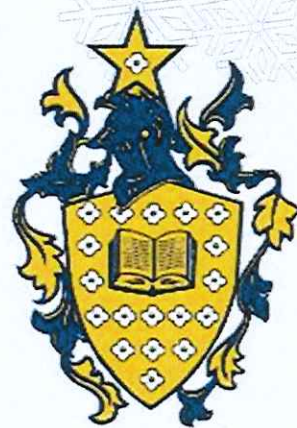




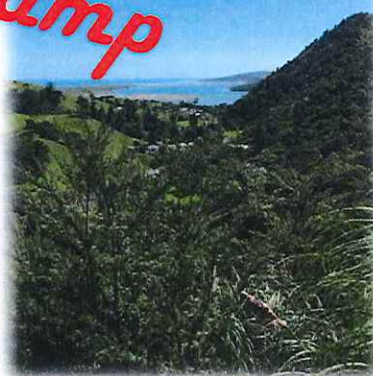
Congratulations to the
winners of the Blue
Light PCT Challenge.
A great achievement.



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Rimu Camp



Daily Student Notices ...

These are published daily on
our school website
[www.fairfieldintermediate.
school.nz](http://www.fairfieldintermediate.school.nz)

School Hours ...

8.45	School Starts
11.10 - 11.35	Interval
12.50 - 1.35	Lunch
2.55	School Ends

School Absentees ...

Phone: 855 9718 Ext 5
Text: 021 250 5968
Email:
[absent@fairfieldintermediate.
school.nz](mailto:absent@fairfieldintermediate.school.nz)

This should be done by
9.00 am each and every
morning your child is away.

**Absenteeism, due to ill
health, of more than three
consecutive days must be
accompanied by a doctor's
certificate.**

Kia Ora Koutou, Greeting

A fantastic first school camp for Rimu House has just been completed today. They were very fortunate with the weather and the wonderful support from the parents who attended and contributed to the camp's success. Welcome back!

Our school is hosting a visit from an ERO team next week. The team focuses on our teaching and learning programmes that can assist students in accelerating their learning. We have a wonderful range of programmes and opportunities in our school that we are looking forward to sharing with the ERO team. There are also opportunities for students and parents to meet with the team and discuss the school's focus and how these programmes have benefited students.

A reminder that the entertainer/comedian Pio Terei is offering a parenting workshop in our auditorium next Friday night to our local community. This event starts at 7.00 pm. Feel free to bring your children as well. We would warmly invite you to attend and hear some of his strategies for success with our young people.

Andrew Shortcliffe
Principal



Education Review Office (ERO) will be visiting Fairfield Intermediate School next week. As part of their visit the ERO team would like to hold a parent meeting on Tuesday 13 March. The meeting will be held at 3.00pm - 4.00pm in the school staff room. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Learning Conferences – These will take place on Monday 19 March and Tuesday 20 March. All relevant information will be coming home on Monday. Please note that the **school will be closing at 12.45 pm on both of these days.**

NZEI Union Meeting – This is to be held on Thursday 22 March which all teachers that are Union members are entitled to attend. **School will be closing at 12.30 pm** on this day. Union meetings are taking place nationwide. We apologise for any inconvenience.

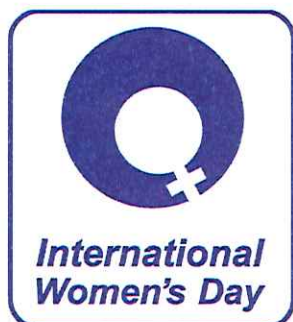
Student Notices – Term 1 is always a very busy time at school and there are always lots of notices for the students regarding sports, academics, meetings, etc. Please feel free to check out the Daily Student Notices which are put up on the school website daily - <http://www.fairfieldintermediate.school.nz/>.



On behalf of the Fairfield Intermediate PTA, we invite you to attend our Annual General Meeting on **Monday 19 March** at 7.00pm, in the School Staffroom. Parking is available at the back gate off Kensington Place. Everyone is welcome to attend.

AIMS GAMES 2018

Parent information meeting **20 March** from 6.00 to 6.30pm. This is an opportunity to discuss AIMS Games 2018, team options, fundraising, etc. All welcome to attend.



Special acknowledgement for some of our past and present Leadership Academy School Leaders who met at school at 6.30am on Thursday to cook, serve and perform at the International Women's Day Breakfast held at the Fairfield Community House.



Academy Trials continue...



Student Acknowledgments ...

We congratulate and acknowledge the following students who received certificates at assembly for their efforts and achievements.

Room 1	James Windsor	For his courage, developing commitment and for having a very positive attitude.
Room 2	Rylea Te Tai	Showing courtesy consistently in class.
Room 3	Brody Murphy	For consistently displaying courtesy to staff at FIS.
Room 4	Emily Cox	Her quiet determination to achieve excellence in all that she does.
Room 9	Breanna Smith	Great contribution and effort during our mathematics sessions. Keep it up!
Room 14	Anika Harrison	Her constant positivity and perseverance with all tasks that she approaches.
Room 15	Hayden Lam	Always displaying courtesy and co-operation inside and outside the classroom.
Room 17	Isaak Janssen	His fantastic Te Reo language skills used in class. Well done!
Room 26	Nopera Abrams	Consistently completing your work to a high standard - keep it up!
Room 30	KT-Leenah Morrison	Showing courtesy and being helpful by keeping our classroom organised.
Performance	Charlie Ngamare	His determination to learn a chord structure.
MakerSpace	Karloz Diamond	Impressive commitment to his tasks in MakerSpace.
Hauora	Isaak Janssen	Your positive attitude in Hauora and for being a risk taker with your food choices.

Congratulations!

Community News ...



WAIKATO DIOCESAN SCHOOL FOR GIRLS Open Day 2018

Anglican Boarding School for Years 9 to 13.

Friday 16 March from 10.00 am to 12.00 pm. Come and experience what Dio has to offer at our Open Day 2018. 10.00am – Principal's welcome in the All Saints Chapel followed by tours of boarding and the day school. On-site parking at Martin Street entrance (off McNicol Street). No registration required. For further information phone 07 855 2038 Ext 2703, email admissions@wdsq.school.nz or visit www.waikatodiocesan.school.nz.

FRANKTON JUNIOR RUGBY WANTS GIRLS & BOYS TO PLAY RUGBY WITH US!

Weigh-in -

Thursday 8 March 2018 5.00-6.00pm and

Saturday 10 March 2018 10.00am-12noon

New Players please bring a copy of your Birth Certificate or Passport with you. Any questions please contact Sheralee on 021 64 6030 Monday-Friday after 5.00pm, weekend anytime or Haley on 0210 590 036.



HAMILTON WANDERERS JUNIORS FOOTBALL

Registrations available for 5th grade and above - boys and girls. Grading/Muster for 9th grade and above (born 2009 and earlier), Sunday 18 March - Porritt Stadium. For further details please contact wanderersjuniors@gmail.com.



WAIKATO SYNCHRONISED SWIMMING CLUB

HAVE A GO AT SYNCHRO!

If you are 7 to 12 years old, a good swimmer but getting a bit bored with swimming lengths, love to dance, or enjoy the flexibility in gymnastics – you should think about taking up synchronised swimming. Come along with your friends and have a go at Synchro!!

First lesson free: Sunday 18 March 12pm – 1.30pm at Gallagher Aquatic Centre.

For enquiries contact Sophie on 027 229 2278 or waikatosynchro@gmail.com.



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SUBURBS COMMUNITY SPORTS CLUB 2018 JUNIOR RUGBY WEIGH-IN

Sunday 11 March 10am-2pm at Suburbs Community Sports Club, Flagstaff Park, Commodore Ave, Hamilton. Ages 4-12 years, boys and girls all welcome. All new players are required to bring a birth certificate or passport. For further details go to www.hamiltonsuburbs.co.nz or contact Brendon Stone 0274 846 013.

HAMILTON MARIST JUNIOR RUGBY CLUB

Competition Grades 2018 Teams - ****Pre-season Skills & Fitness Training****

Calling all 11th–13th Grade Rugby players. Sunday Sessions 10am – 12pm at Marist Clubrooms on 11th, 18th, and 25th March. Please be there as from these sessions we will be developing the competition grades for the 2018 season. The 25 March sessions will be simulated games to create the teams.

Also if you are keen to coach or manage a competition team grade team please contact us. Steve Burgess on 027 335 8866 or email Hamilton.marist.junior.rugby@gmail.com.

Please remember to bring a drink bottle, boots or sneakers and a great attitude!!

REFUGEE SUPPORTS VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED



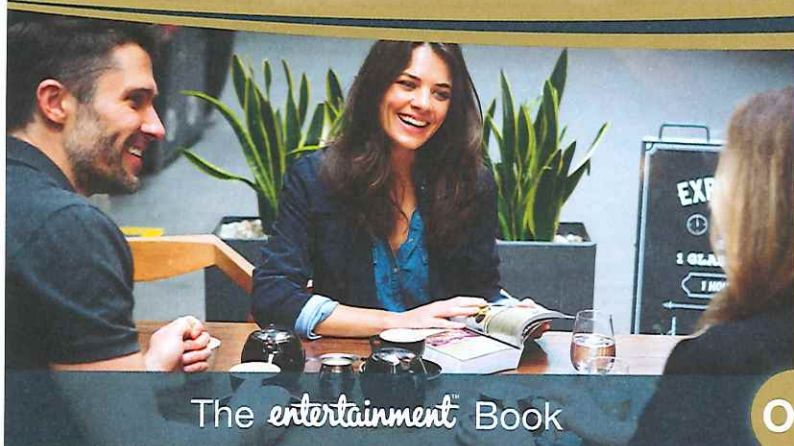
New Zealand currently welcomes 750 refugees each year under its quota. Over the next two and a half years, an additional 600 places will be made for Syrian refugees. We offer settlement support to former refugees during the first 12 months of their resettlement journey. We also provide employment support for former refugees which is available for several years after arrival. Refugee support volunteers are essential to the work that we do.

Anyone with a passion for helping people and an interest in welcoming new Kiwis can be a Red Cross Refugee Support Volunteer. No previous experience in this area is required, as our comprehensive training equips you with the skills you will need.

Free training courses are offered every two months. The next course will start on Tuesday 20 March 2018. For more information please contact Juergen Pothmann on 07 850 4663 or 021 228 2065 or email Juergen.Pothmann@redcross.org.nz.

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Gold coin donation

Light refreshments provided

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For registrations and further information please
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Community Centre

Ph. 07 855 2728 or 027 855 2728
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