Kia ora e te whanau

Staff and students have returned refreshed and ready for Term Two. Students will now have a clear idea of their course requirements, and for those who are working towards NCEA they should also have a clear idea as to when critical assessments are due. Effective time management becomes very important during this term as the balance between part-time jobs, winter sports, cultural activities and schoolwork is formulated. Our advice is for students to formally prioritise their commitments, with top priority given to academic obligations.

During the holidays we had 31 senior students touring through Vietnam exploring the diverse aspects of Vietnamese history. The feedback I have received has been extremely positive and by all accounts the trip was a rewarding and enjoyable experience.

Saturday marks the start of the winter sports season for a large number of our students. I wish all Taieri College teams good luck for their seasons. I ask everybody to be competitive, respect opposition and officials, and be proud to represent our college.

Nga mihi nui

Dave Hunter
PRINCIPAL

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NZQA Fees
Year 11-13 Students

This fee of $76.70 is due to be paid to the college office by Friday 30 August 2019. If you receive a Work and Income or Study Link benefit, or have (or are entitled to) a Community Services Card, you can apply for financial assistance on a form available from the college office. The NZQA fee would then reduce to $20.00. Students who were eligible last year would have received a pre printed application to complete and return.
2019 Taieri College Formal - Dunedin Town Hall  
Saturday 22 June 2019 at 7.00pm - $95 per ticket

The information and consent forms for this year’s formal have been issued to the Year 12 and 13 students. Last day for payment is Friday 7 June 2019.

If you are paying tickets by internet banking please remember to bring your consent forms to Mrs Evans at the Student Support Office.

Taieri College – 03-1725-0106800-00

Particulars – Surname, Code – First Name, Reference - Formal

We would like to thank the Taieri College Students Council for the grant we have received which has enabled us to keep the ticket price down. The ticket price is strictly set to cover costs of the event only; we do not set this to make a profit. The price of the ticket covers entertainment, access to photographer’s website, hire of venue, dinner and transport to and from the venue. Any questions regarding this please telephone Monique Evans, Student Support Administrator 489 3823 ext 111.

Sport Report

The next couple of weeks have a lot happening with our winter sports getting in to action. During this week we had the start of our girls’ rugby with both senior and junior teams having good wins. It should be a good season ahead. This weekend we have the start of our Year 7 and 8 netball at Taieri Plain’s Junior Netball. We have many girls involved in this and thank you to all the coaches and managers who have put their hands up to help out. We have a few sports kicking off next week which include our hockey, football and A Grade basketball teams. Ben Baines, one of our awesome para athletes at Taieri College was in Australia competing and doing really well with pleasing results. If there are any students who are keen to play any winter sports please go to the Sports Office and sign up sooner rather than later please. There are a lot of sports out there to play so get out there and give it a go. Sports hoodies are also here to pick up if you haven’t already. Good luck to all winter sports teams for this season.
On Thursday 23 May 2019 all Year 9 –13 students will be involved in the Student Work Day, for the student council, and will therefore not be at school. Funds raised by the students during Work Day are collected by the student council and used for the benefit of the student body e.g. purchasing picnic tables, installing water fountains and helping fund sports and cultural trips for students.

Work Day has also provided an opportunity for the whole teaching staff to have a Teacher Only Day. As a result the school will not be open for instruction for our Year 7 and 8 students.

Therefore, on Thursday 23 May 2019 the school will be closed for instruction. It should also be noted that there will be no school buses running on Thursday 23 May 2019.

We appreciate your support as staff develop new skills for their teaching practice and Year 9 –13 students raise funds for their student council.

The Taieri College Eco Warriors will be selling beeswax wraps at the Farmers Market Harvest Celebration on Saturday 11 May 2019

Hope to see you there!
Art

Year 10 Art Design have created a small display for the Performing Arts Centre. The display will be up for two weeks and then we will have senior art on display.

TAIERI COLLEGE
BOARD OF TRUSTEES ELECTIONS 2019

Nominations are invited for the election of six parent representatives to the board of trustees. A nomination form and a notice calling for nominations will be posted to all eligible voters. Additional nomination forms can be obtained from the College office. **Nominations close at noon on 24 May 2019** and may be accompanied by a signed candidate’s statement.

The voting roll is open for inspection at the College and can be viewed during normal College hours. There will also be a list of candidate’s names, as they come to hand, for inspection at the College. **Voting closes at noon on 7 June 2019.**

Signed
D Seddon
Returning Officer

Photobook 2019

You will see an advertisement later in the newsletter with regards to the Photobook. This is a Taieri College [and TTHS] tradition that has a photo of every form class for the year and all staff.

These can be purchased through the office for $10 [Colour Version] $5 [ Black And White]
These are a great reminder of your child’s years at Taieri College.

Year 11 Prepared Speech Finals

On Thursday 2 May the Year 11 Prepared Speech Finals were held. Topics and tone varied from the serious to the comedic. A strong effort from all participants, leaving the judges suitably impressed. Congratulations to our top 5 speakers:

1st – Jasmine Rixon 11MC – Animal Testing
2nd – Shinae Stanley 11MC – Santa Claus: A criminal that needs punished
3rd – Ben Irvine 11MC – Power
4th – Emily Faulkner 11MN – Abuse
5th – Jackie Wallace 11CL – Suitable age for cell phone use
Mosgiel Junior Badminton Club
2019 Season

Starts Friday 3 May 2019 7.00pm – 8.30pm
Mosgiel Memorial Stadium
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New social and competitive players welcome. It’s a fun night so come and join us. Coaching lessons available. For more information contact Mark on 021 276 8802 or email MosgielJuniorBdmntn@gmail.com

University of Otago Senior Science Quiz

The University of Otago Senior Science quiz is open to interested Year 11, 12 and 13 students. The cost is $6 and entries to the school office by Wednesday 8 May 2019. No late entries can be accepted. See the flyer below.

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Representatives and Development Netball TRIALS

This is a reminder that there are trials for representative teams and development squads beginning NEXT WEEK.

Under 17 trials are this Monday 6 May 2019 at 5.45pm - 7.15pm and Monday 13 May 2019 at 5.45pm - 7.15pm

Under 19 trials are Monday 6 May 2019 at 7.30pm - 9.00pm and Monday 13 May 2019 at 5.45pm - 7.15pm

Registrations close tomorrow and can be completed on the DNC website under the Representative section and then click the Team [e.g. Under 17] and then there is a "Click here" button

Development registrations for Under 14 and Under 15 can also be found on the Dunedin Netball Centre Website under DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMMES.

Development  U14 & U15
May 15 2019 - Programme Trials.
Dates if accepted: May 22, 29, June 5, 12, 19, 26
Time: 700pm - 8.30pm
Edgar Centre.  Programme Cost: $80.  Links are on the DNC websites under 'PROGRAMMES'
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