



MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Parents/Caregivers

SPORTS CODE OF CONDUCT

The Winter sports season is upon us– it's always a delight to see the passion and pride our students put into their games.

The High School is committed to following the New Zealand Secondary Schools' Sports Council (NZSSSC) Integrity Framework, which includes a commitment to Fair Play. Therefore, I ask that all parents/caregivers and friends who watch our students play sport follow the NZSSSC Code of Conduct for supporters:

- 🔊 Positively encourage and support the efforts of all players.
- 🔊 Refrain from any criticism or abuse directed at coaches or officials.
- 🔊 Put an emphasis on genuine effort ahead of victory and encourage players to accept the outcomes of all games, irrespective of the result.
- 🔊 Recognise good play by either team and never ridicule an individual player in either team.
- 🔊 Display self-control on the side-line – remember young people play sport for their satisfaction, not parent or supporters. Teenagers hate parents abusing or criticising referees and other players – and what they really want is support for themselves and their team, rather than the spectators defining the experience.

I regularly receive compliments about our students' positive on-field behaviour, and ask that our supporters also conduct themselves in a manner that enhances the High School's reputation. Please remember also that when on the High School grounds watching sport, smoking is prohibited by law.

Martin Isberg, Principal

Please always be aware that when you are watching sport at the High School not to park on the "island" in the middle of the road outside the school. On a couple of occasions last year Hutt City Council sent a parking warden over to issue tickets (on a Saturday!) pointing out that there are a number of signs telling motorists "Do Not Park on the Island". So – be warned and let's leave the tickets to opposition supporters 😊.



REGIONAL NGA MANU KORERO COMPETITION



Jared Paku

Congratulations to Jared Paku (10RPA), Keanu Amiatu (9NMT), Wairua Kauone-Tepania (13AHP), and Tatiana Jury (13NMT) who competed yesterday in the Regional Nga Manu Korero Competitions at Waiwhetu Marae.

All attendees competed admirably and we came away with a number of great results. Jared Paku placed first in the Junior Maori section (Te Rawhiti Ihaka), Keanu Amiatu placed second in Junior English (Ta Turi Kara) and Wairua Kauone-Tepania placed second in Senior Maori (Pei Te Hurinui Jones).

We are so proud of you all for entering and representing the High School with mana and displaying all of our school values. In September we look to travelling to Taranaki for the National Competition.

Matauranga Te Rauna, HOF Maori



Keanu Amiatu

YEAR 9 STEMM COMPETITION

On Tuesday 09 May a group of four Year 9 Wainuiomata High School students competed in the Lower Hutt STEMM Competition at the Dowse Art Museum. STEMM is a Hutt City Council initiative involving Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics and Medicine.

In the competition the students had to answer a range of questions based on STEMM subjects, including practical and written, with four rounds of questions and a practical round in five parts. We placed fifth out of 18 teams of students from 11 schools in the Hutt Valley.



Wairua Kauone-Tepania

The students who attended were Jerry Zhu (9TFT), Ocean Steer (9NRT), Molly Neill (9TDT) and Arnez MacDonald (9TLB). It was a great day for the students involved and a huge learning opportunity. A big thank you to Mr Verma for organising and transporting the team.



Jerry Zhu and Ocean Steer

DRIVERS LICENCE NZQA CREDITS

Did you know your child can gain Level 1 and 2 NZQA credits for obtaining their New Zealand Drivers Licence through Recognition of Prior Learning? Note that this only applies if the Licence was issued after 27 February 2012.

The credits are assigned as follows.

- Obtain a Learner's Class 1 driver licence = 2 credits, NZQF Level 1
- Obtain a Restricted Class 1 driver licence = 4 credits, NZQF Level 2
- Obtain a Full Class 1 driver licence = 2 credits, NZQF Level 2.

To obtain a Recognition of Prior Learning, you can download the application form from the NZQA website by going to <http://www.nzqa.govt.nz/assets/qualifications-and-standards/qualifications/ncea/NCEA-subject-resources/Class-1-driver-licence/NZTA-Class-1-driving-licence-Recognition-of-Prior-Learning.pdf>
Alternatively, you can get a copy of the application form from the High School's Main Office.

Students should take the completed form, plus a photocopy of their Licence to the school office. The office staff will confirm authenticity, then pass to Mr Douglas Robb (Assistant Principal and NZQA Principal's Nominee) who will countersign the documents, load the results into the markbook, then file the application form and evidence in the student's main file.

Douglas Robb, Assistant Principal

SPORTING ACHIEVEMENT

Congratulations to Raymond Seumanu (11RJM) who has been selected by invitation to attend the VIIIth International Richard Tamulis Junior Boxing Tournament in Kaunas, Lithuania, Europe from 6-10 June 2017.

Raymond and his Head Coach will be heading to Lithuania in a few weeks and we wish him the very best of luck and look forward to sharing his experiences when he returns. Good luck Raymond!



NETBALL REPRESENTATIVE SELECTIONS

Congratulations to the following students who have been selected to represent the Hutt Valley in Netball: Sarah McLeod-Venu (10RFE), Angela Milovale (9NPK), Jordan Brown (12TFC), Cerie Milovale (11NPK) and Preslee Hoare (13NPH).



*Sarah McLeod-Venu
(Under 15 Rep)*



*Angela Milovale
(Under 15 Rep)*



*Jordan Brown
(Under 17 Rep)*



*Cerie Milovale
(Under 17 Rep)*



*Preslee Hoare
(Under 19 Rep)*



**WEDNESDAY
24 MAY 2017!
HIGH SCHOOL
AUDITORIUM
10:00AM – 3:00PM**

COLLEGE SPORT WELLINGTON APP



For families keen to follow the sporting updates of their students, the new **College Sport Wellington App** has recently been launched (it is available free through both [Apple App](#) and [Google Play](#) Stores. The aim of the app is to give all College Sport 'families' (students, their families and all those who support them) immediate and up-to-date access to their College Sport Wellington Competitions.

While it has a focus on College Sport Wellington competitions management – where you can choose to get alerts specific to only codes and grades of interest – it does contain other key features including a Google Maps link to every school and virtually every sportsground in the region.

TEAM OF THE WEEK – PREMIER 01 GIRLS NETBALL

This team has gotten off to a great start with two wins in the last few weeks against Taita and Naenae Colleges. Coach, Kyra Pukeroa, says that “while proud of the girls’ achievement in such a short time, we are not getting ahead of ourselves with the early success as we still have a lot to learn and a lot of hard work ahead of ourselves”. The team would like to thank and acknowledge their 2017 sponsor “Wellington Pipelines Limited” for their new team uniform, which the girls love (shown below).



Pictured back (L-R) Jamie-Rose Kydd (12RHR), Preslee Hoare (13NPH), Sarah McLeod-Venu (10RFE), Ashleigh Rawiri (12NRT), Bree Itula (12ASE), Cerie Milovale (11NPK, front (L-R) Jaymie Brown (13TDT), Maddison Rua (11RFE), Katelyn Olsen (11NRN), Jordan Brown (12TFC)

SPORTS DRAW AND RESULTS

College Sport Wellington have provided Wainuiomata High School with a link on our High School website to easily track our upcoming games and results in the Winter Sports Season.

To access the draws and results, by team or sport, go to www.wainuiomatahigh.school.nz and click on the "Sports" tab, then select Draws and Results. The page that shows is specific to Wainuiomata High School and our teams, showing a fortnight of upcoming games and the results of previous games.

In addition to this we have two photo folders set up on our Facebook page for Sports Draws and Sports Results, which are updated weekly. If you LIKE our "Wainuiomata High School" Facebook page you will receive notifications as these draws and results are uploaded.

Peter Cowan, Sports Coordinator



COMING UP

Wednesday 24 May

Friday 26 May

Tuesday 30 – Wednesday 31 May

Thursday 01 June

Friday 02 June

Saturday 03 June

Monday 05 June

Careers Expo, Auditorium (10:00am-3:00pm)

Pink Shirt Day (Anti-Bullying Mufti Day)

Wainuiomata High School "On Tour"

Wellington Regional "Stage Challenge"

Teacher Only Day

Senior Formal at Te Papa

Queen's Birthday