



Tamatea Intermediate

# MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A VERY HAPPY NEW YEAR!

7 December 2017

Today's Prize Giving Assembly was a celebration of success. This was our chance to recognise and reward those who have achieved at the highest class or school level. Our congratulations go to all award recipients (a full list is included), you can all be very proud of your achievements. Many thanks to all the parents, caregivers and whānau who came along to support their child(ren), to our guest speaker Paora Winitana, our Board of Trustees and a big thank you also to our own Head Boy Hunter Piercy and Head Girl Olivia Lee for their excellent 'final word' speeches.

Our final day for the year is **next** Thursday 14th December and we will be finishing at the **earlier time** of **12.30 p.m.** **Please note** - The Westshore & Napier Terrace Buses will run at the earlier time of 12.30 p.m. The **Bayview Bus** time cannot be changed so we recommend that parents make **alternative arrangements** for their child to get home.

**End of Year reports:** Tomorrow (Friday) you will be receiving your child's end of year report via an email from your child's teacher as well as a paper copy coming home with your child. If you would like to update your email address or do not receive a report, please contact your child's teacher directly.

This will be our **last** newsletter for the year so I would like to wish all of our community a **Merry Christmas** and **Happy Holiday Season**. To all our Year 8 families who are leaving us, **thank you** for sharing your child/ren with us over the last two years. To all our Year 7 families, we look forward to seeing you all again on **Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> January!**

**ICAS SCIENCE**  
Distinction: Jack Turnbull

**ICAS MATHS**  
Distinction: Jack Turnbull

## PRINCIPAL AWARDS

### Year 7

Jada Henare  
Nathan Leicester  
Hannah Suckling  
Wade Browne

### Year 8

Jordyn Papistock  
Mia Anderson  
Freya Davidson  
Eden English

## 2017 Award Winners

Head Girl	Olivia Lee
Head Boy	Hunter Piercy
Deputy Head Girl	Kiki Lind
Deputy Head Boy	Manaia Rangihuna
Head of Sport	Aria Southwick
Head of Sport	Kingshouse Tupuola
Head of Culture, Art & Music	Mia Anderson
Head of Culture, Art & Music	Izayah Ruhi
Head of Culture, Art & Music	Anaru Kopu-Neera
Mathematics Excellence	Jack Turnbull
Sporting Excellence	Alana Bennett-Konia
Artist of the year	Andre Nicholls
Citizenship Award	Kiki Lind
Academic Excellence	Jack Turnbull
Diligence in Technology	Katie Moorcock & Chloe Nielsen
Music & Performing Arts	Bailey Wilkins
House Cup	Wakarara

### SPORT TROPHY WINNERS

Swimming Y7 Girls	Bella Drain
Swimming Y7 Boys	Ryan Hurley
Swimming Y8 Girls	Aria Southwick
Swimming Y8 Boys	Tasman Stuart
Cross Country Y7 Girls	Caitlin Astwood
Cross Country Y7 Boys	Daniil Bailey
Cross Country Y8 Girls	Olivia Lee
Cross Country Y8 Boys	Kace Elsworth-Robertson
Athletics Y7 Girls	Caitlin Astwood
Athletics Y7 Boys	Quinnell Gray
Athletics Y8 Girls	Olivia Lee
Athletics Y8 Boys	Kingshouse Tupuola

## OTAGO MATHS EXCELLENCE

Liam Ferguson  
Dylan Wolland  
Liberty Fowler  
Eden English  
Ben Tindall

## ICAS ENGLISH

High Distinction: Jack Turnbull  
Distinction: Kiki Lind



## PRIZE GIVING MERIT AWARD RECIPIENTS – Well done!

Aaliyah Reihana, Aaron Rarere-NgereNgere, Andre Nicholls, Aria Southwick, Bailey Wilkins, Emily Arrowsmith, Emily Figure-Manson, Emma Drysdale, Georgie Brown, Hannah Oliver, Hannah Todd, Hunter Piercy, Jaime Kinder, Jake Finlayson, James Leon, Jessica Arnold, Jordan Thompson, Julien Da Silva, Justinna Chheur, Katie Moorcock, Kaylah Nielsen, Kiki Lind, Kirsten Greene, Liberty Fowler, Madison Lansdown-Cunningham, Manaia Rangihuna, Mia Anderson, MJ Lang, Niall Henman-Joyce, Pippa McMillan, Rosie Young, Ryley Hamilton, Sam Adams, Sarah Fenwick, Seth Howes, Sophie Freeman-Pointon, William Bunn, Zac Perfect, Zoe Holland, Zoltan Jung.

**TECHNOLOGY MERIT AWARDS TERM 4:** Mackenzie Bell, Andrew Biggs, Famoss Hohipa-Wanoa, Tiana Bell, Kaylah Nielsen, Kayla Baillie, Jazmine Otter, Jaime Kinder, Sophie Freeman Pointon, Zoltan Jung, Evanna Read, Aaron Rarere-NgereNgere, Mia Anderson, Andre Nicholls, Damien Da Silva, Rayarn Zammit, Nathan Leicester, Liberty Fowler, Hannah Todd, Tainui Pineaha, Seth Howes.

### DONATION OF SECOND HAND UNIFORMS :

Year 8 students who are leaving and wish to donate their school uniform to the school for re-sale are asked to bring the articles to the Hall Foyer on **WEDNESDAY 13 December**. This is **not** compulsory as we realise there are students with siblings coming through that the uniform is being passed on to.

- Donated uniforms **MUST** be in **GOOD CONDITION**, (that means no holes!!), washed and ironed.
- **FOLDED** neatly and placed in a named plastic bag
- Students must provide a note from home (signed by Parents/Caregivers) giving permission to wear mufti and donate uniform items or text Vicki on 027 3415373.

*Students must donate more than 4 items of clothing to be eligible to wear mufti or their Leavers T Shirt for the last day and a half of school. (Wednesday, Thursday morning).*

***Only those students who donate their school uniform to the school for re-sale are able to wear mufti or their Leavers T-shirt.***



### **MATHS MIND MOVER!!**

Miss Hooper and Mrs Morrison left camp at the same time. They drove along a 200km straight highway towards school. Miss Hooper drove at 60km/ph, but stopped along the way to rest. Mrs Morrison drove at 50km/ph. They both arrived at school at the same time. How long did Miss Hooper stop to rest? ***Please remember to put your name and room number on your entry and show your working! Entries close TOMORROW BEFORE INTERVAL!***

**NAPIER LIBRARIES READING PROGRAMME:** Free reading programme for age 11 and up. Participants read throughout summer, reviewing three books, they can then come into the library and choose a prize book to keep. They can earn up to four prize books. Please register at Napier or Taradale libraries and get your review booklet.

### **SOCIALS:**

Wow!  
Everyone looked amazing at our socials!!





MERRY CHRISTMAS  
FROM US ALL  
AT TAMATEA INTERMEDIATE!



Joanne Smith  
PRINCIPAL

