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Napier Boys' High School

Newsletter



2017 Leavers group

From The Headmaster's Office

Information Evening



What you as Parents and Caregivers need to know about what boys are saying about pornography and relationships

Wednesday 29 November

7-8.30pm

School Memorial Library

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I trust you all enjoyed the long weekend break and that our seniors used some of this time to focus on final assessments or exam preparation. Now is the time, more than any other during the year, to sacrifice a few of the pleasures in exchange for hard work. There will be plenty of time for relaxation once the examinations are completed and the boys can look to holiday work or the start of their life beyond school.

As part of this focus, we held a successful and well-attended "Sons going on to tertiary study" evening arranged by our Careers' Advisor, Ms Carola Laurs, with presenters from a range of tertiary institutions plus the local ASB. What is clear from all the tertiary providers is the extra emphasis placed on the pastoral care and mentoring of young students. This change has been occurring over many

years but your sons today can expect much greater wrap around support than our generation received.

By now you should have also received notice of your son's benchmark examination results. This will give you a guide as to their expected performance in November. In some cases, it will reveal what they don't know; the good news, there is time for them to rectify that both through personal study and in class time.

As such there should be no need to wish our seniors luck for their examinations; they will have created their own luck through hard work and perseverance. These characteristics are vital components for academic improvement irrespective of ability and I am sure will be rewarded come mid-January 2018 when final results are released.

From The Headmaster's Office

Two notable external celebrations occurred recently too: the EIT Trades Academy prize giving and the Hawke's Bay Secondary Schools' Sports Awards. At the former, it was fantastic to see five of our boys (Dylan Smith, Aaron Gilmour, Jacob Gray, George Vrieze and Luke Mettam) receive awards in their fields from the tutors. At the Sports Awards, we were honoured by the success of Ethan Martin (top footballer), Daniel Rowe (tennis), Jacarn Webber (volleyball), while Guy Harrison was top Para-Athlete of the year.

The boarders have been excited to take possession of the first stage of the Dorm 4 and 5 rebuild – this has been completed to a superb level and these boys can revel in first class accommodation; I know there is competition about who will be there next year! We expect to take full possession as stage 2 (the final 14 beds) is completed in December. The whole project is a triumph for architect and Old Boy, Gary Pidd and the team from

Alexander Construction.

I would thank all families who have generously made payment of the school donation for this year. This tax deductible donation is a valuable source of funds at a time of capped operational funding. We wish to continue supporting the widest possible range of activities – both in and out of the classroom - with the best resources possible for your sons.

Finally, I look forward to celebrating the success of many of our students at upcoming special assemblies and prizegivings. A full record of these achievements will appear in the 2017 Scindian magazine to be published in late term one next year.

Matt Bertram - Headmaster



Information Evening

What you as Parents and Caregivers need to know about what boys are saying about pornography and relationships.

Wednesday 29 November
Napier Boys' High School
7-8.30 pm in the School Memorial Library

This evening will provide parents and caregivers with information on a range of aspects to do with pornography and relationships from boys' perspectives presented by experts including Jan Broadley (Health Promoter), Kate Davis (DHB), Mark Moorhouse (NZ Police)

Topics of discussion will be:

- Media and gender stereotypes - what our children are watching, and the impact it is having.
- Consent and what you need to understand for your child's sake.
- Porn is no longer a centrefold - things to know about porn and young people.

There will be an opportunity for questions and answers. Light refreshments will be served at the conclusion of the evening.



AWARDS INVITATION

You and your whānau are invited to:

Napier Boys' High School Maori Achievement Night Awards

Wednesday 8th November 6pm – 8pm

Napier Boys' High School, Henderson Hall

Karakia and Mihimihi 6pm

Presentation of Awards

Guest speaker

Refreshments 8pm

Sport & Cultural Prize Giving 2017

Sport Prizes 2017

Athletics

School Cup for Senior Cross Country *Bradley Christison*
 Cornford Cup for Open Handicap Road Race *Oliver Marshall*
 Bickerstaff Cup for Senior Sprint Events *Ben Lewis*
 P F Martin Cup for Best High Jumper *Jorge Akers*
 Parents' League Cup for Intermediate Athletics Champion *Toby Archer*
 Bryan Derwin Cup for Under 16 Cross Country *Oliver Marshall*
 Fraser Smith Memorial Cup for Excellence in Multi Sport *Thomas Christison*
 Brian Smith Cup for Year 9 Cross Country *Sam Elliott*
 Etheridge Cup for Cycling *Thomas Christison*
 Huck Berry Trophy for Interhouse Athletics Competition *Scinde House*
 School Cup for Junior Athletics Champion *Hugo Lynch*
 School Cup for Junior Athletics Champion *Baylee Foote*

Golf

Outstanding Golfer *Adam Winter*

Orienteering

Derek Morrison Trophy for Most Improved in Orienteering *Oliver Burns*
 Espana Alcala de Henares Trophy for Outstanding Orienteering *Bayley Stephens-Ellison*

Cricket

Gifford Memorial Cup for Bowling *Robert Brigham*
 Geddis Cup for Batting *Daniel Sharplin*
 Monro Cup for Fielding (1904) *Daniel Sharplin*
 Freer Cup for Most Dedicated 1st XI Cricketer *Mitchell Williams-North*

Football

Wooden Cup for Most Improved Football Player in 1st XI *Sam Murphy*
 McGlashan Trophy for the Most Dedicated Football Player in 1st XI *Ethan Martin*
 Scindian Trophy for the Best Junior Football Player *Baylee Foote*

Hockey

Brown Cup for Most Improved Hockey Player *Mason Lowe*
 School Cup for Outstanding Contribution to Hockey *Shaun Tahau*
 NBHS 1st XI Hockey Cup for Most Valuable Player *Lucca Burley*

Basketball

Wooden Cup for Most Improved Basketball Player *Kobe Kara Goodson* – Greenhalgh Prize for Most Coachable Basketball Player *Yu Qing Jiang*
 Trophy for Most Valuable Senior Basketball Player *Tyrese Davies*
 Trophy for Most Valuable Junior Basketball Player *Yu Qing Jiang*

Volleyball

Volleyball Cup for Outstanding Achievement *Jacarn Webber*
 Trophy for Best All Round Senior Volleyball Player *Jacarn Webber*
 Trophy for Best All Round Junior Volleyball Player *Tomas Senior*

Swimming

C Bowen Cup for runner up to Senior Swimming Champion *Jack McGhie*
 Masters Cup of 1905 for Junior Swimming Champion *Joseph Avison*
 Alex White Memorial Cup for Intermediate Swimming Champion *Samuel Whiteside*
 Wills / Beaumont Long Distance Swimming Trophy *Trent Kamper*

Canoe Polo

Wim Barendsen Cup for Outstanding Contribution to Senior Canoe Polo *Zavier Jones*
 Kelly Hepburn Shield for Outstanding Performance in Junior Canoe Polo *Timothy Loughlin*

Tennis

Thompson Cup for Senior Tennis Doubles Champions *Daniel Rowe*
 Thompson Cup for Senior Tennis Doubles Champions *Roman Walewski*
 Prime Cup for Junior Tennis Champion *Max Clifford*

Shooting

Franklin Bate Cup for Trap Shooting *Bayly Ellison*
 Newcombe Trophy Highest Score Small Bore Shooting *Luke McIntosh*
 Shooting Cup – Most Improved Claybird Shooter *Alex Cardno*

Badminton

Ellis Trophy for Singles Badminton Champion *William Hollis*

Squash

Cup for Squash Champion *Yon van Raders*

Softball

Roger Aranui Cup for Contribution to Softball *Kupa Isherwood*

Rowing

Napier Boys' High School Elite Performance in Rowing (donated by George Sproat, Max Williams & Russell Dodd) *Joseph Lawson*
 Harrison Family Cup for contribution to Rowing *Connor Molloy*

Motocross

Scheele Trophy for outstanding contribution to Motocross *Jacob Beal*

Rugby

NBHS 1st XV Trophy for Most Valuable Player *Joshua Bokser*

Napier Boys' High School

E R G Steer Cup for Tackling *Jacob Lochore*
Chadwick Romans Kerr Cup for Best Forward in 1st XV *Tyrone Thompson*
M Mohi Cup for Most Enterprising Back in the 1st XV *Humphrey Sheild*
E R G Morley Memorial Cup for Captain of the 2nd XV *Jock Dodgshun*
Ged Smith Memorial Cup for the Best Team Man in 2nd XV *Bennett Manson*
Junior Rugby Trophy for Best and Fairest Player *William Robinson*
The Head Family Cup for Best Newcomer to the 1st XV *Lolani Faleiva*
Cup for the Best Year 9 Rugby Player Gilgal *Leutele Malasia*

Service To Sport Award

Service to Sport Award - Football *Matthew Aitchison*
Scott Cup for Community Service *Thomas McDermott*

Cultural Prizes 2017

Maori Culture

Rangatahi Prize for Contribution to Maori Culture *Wiremu Young*
Lord Trophy for Most Improved Year 10 in Maori (taiaha) *Mikaera Workman*
Lord Trophy for Most Improved Year 10 in Maori (taiaha) *Craig Hancy*

Community

Brocklehurst Prize for Head Librarian *Luke Thorburn*
Scinde House Award for a Year 11 student *Robbie Thomsen*
Napier Boys High School Top Career Attitude - donated by BNZ Napier *Aaron Argent*
Black Knight Chess Champion *Sebastian Ayson Macfarlane*
Russell Jones Memorial Essay prize *Andrew Donovan*

Pipes

School Shield for Most Improved Junior Piper *Liam Reid*
Brass Shell Case for Junior Piping *Euan Argent*
School Shield for Pipe Band Drumming *Samuel Heal*

Orchestral

Prize for Junior Brass *Chase Tawera*
Prize for Junior Woodwind *Mark Cornes*
Prize for Senior Brass *Christopher Daniels*
Prize for senior Woodwind *Sean Gourley*

Percussion

Prize for Junior Keyboard *Ivan Wu*
Prize for Senior Keyboard *Jacob Barber*
Prize for Junior Percussion *Harry Stilwell*
Prize for Senior Percussion *Felix Landon*

Guitar

The Music Machine Prize for Junior Guitar *Daniel McGregor*
Music Machine Trophy for Senior Guitar *Jack Landon*

Voice

P M Williams Cup for Voice *Joshua Nichol*
Prize for Junior Voice *Jackson Stone*

Strings

Prize for Junior Strings *Oliver Wright*
Prize for Senior Strings *Nicholas Wright*

Speech And Debating

Storkey Cup for Junior Prepared Speech *Benjamin Shirley*
Senior Impromptu Speech *Tomairangi Henare*
Prize for Year 12 Prepared Speech *Connor Molloy*
Prize for Year 13 Prepared Speech *Harry Averill*
Prize for Contribution to Debating *Cameron Madams*
Brian O'Connor Cup for Most Promising Returning Debater *Tawhiwhi Watson*

Drama

Prize for Junior Drama *Tommi Joyce*
School Production Trophy for Contribution to School Musical *Joshua Nichol*
Shakespeare Trophy for Contribution to Shakespeare Festival *Jonty Scoular*
Parents League Prize for Contribution to School Drama *Felix Landon*
Ira Gannaway-Gardner Memorial Award for contribution to Backstage *Jonty Scoular*

Special Prizes 2017 (Sports And Cultural)

Ken Spiller Cup for Active Community Service *Jade Wills*
Nathan Waiwiri Memorial Trophy for Diligence in Year 10 *Tipene Maxwell*
Harris Cup for Service to Drama *Harry Champion*
Parents League Prize for Commitment to School Music *Felix Landon*
Peter Williams Cup for Top Senior Musician *Jacob Barber*
Band Cup for Leadership – School Music *Felix Landon*
Prize for Composition *Jacob Barber*
Fraser Cup and Music Machine for Top Junior Musician *Fergus Cardwell-Dray*
Rotarians Prize for Public Speaking – The Brooks Cup *Connor Molloy*
McKay Cup for Debating *Liam Silverwood*
Sir James Henare Cup for Multi-cultural Leadership in the school *Tomairangi Henare*
Mendelssohn Cup for Senior Tennis Champion *Daniel Rowe*
School Trophy (1895) for Improvement in Athletics – presented by Mr Ross Macfarlane *Max Taylor*
Baird Cup for Senior Swimming Champion *Hadlee Dyer*
Old Boys' Challenge Cup for Senior Athletic Champion *Bradley Christison*
McLean Cup for Captain 'A' Basketball *Malcolm Doherty*
School Trophy for Captain 1st XI Football *Campbell Hantler*
McLernon Clock for Captain 1st XI Cricket *Daniel Sharplin*
Brian Mahoney Cup for Captain 1st XV Rugby *Joshua Bokser*
Monty Arnott Cup for Captain 1st XI Hockey *William Dixon*
Clifford Cup for Interhouse Competition *Scinde House*



Māori

Waka Ama

Te Urunga o Te Rā, in association with Waka Ama New Zealand, were the proud hosts of the 2017 Te Wānanga o Aotearoa Long Distance Nationals held here for the first time in Ahuriri, in October. Our very own Nukuroa also won Silver in the W1 10km - Junior 16 Men (Ruddered) Race, with a time of 1:17:52. Ka wani kē koe Nukuroa!



Ringa Toi Student Exhibition 2017 – Celebrating Student Success

This year, Wiremu Young and Maia Briggs submitted two Art Pieces to the Ringa Toi Student Exhibition 2017 – Celebrating Student Success in September. This year's exhibition was held at the Asteron Centre, Wellington. Hosted by the New Zealand Qualifications Authority (NZQA), the exhibition celebrates the work of secondary school students working towards achieving NCEA Levels 1–3 with a focus on Toi Māori. The exhibition showcased a range of Māori art forms including raranga, kākahu, tukutuku, tāniko, whakairo, kōwhaiwhai, mahi-tā, uku, whakapakoko and mahi-mati-hiko. Both Wiremu and Maia submitted pieces made of card, paint and ink. Ka pai kōrua!



Ko taku whenua taurikura – Wiremu Young



Taku hoa piri pono – Maia Briggs

Community Service

On Thursday 26th October, a small group of Kapa Haka boys were again invited to attend a local Citizenship Ceremony held by the Napier City Council at the MTG Century Theatre and perform a couple of items. The boys enjoyed partaking in their share of community service, and also upholding local tikanga and kawa to welcome visitors. The performance was led by Harris Gannaway. Autaia rā koe, e tama!



USA History Tour



On the 28th September, a group of 18 boys accompanied by Mr Englebretsen and Mr Boulton departed Napier for Houston on the 2017 NBHS USA History Tour. The next 17 days saw an incredible tour through both the Southern States of America and a taste of the East Coast.

Our journey began in Houston, from there we travelled to Dallas and Jackson before heading down to New Orleans. From New Orleans, we flew to Washington D.C. before catching the train to New York. In these cities, we saw notable sites such as: the NASA Johnson Space Centre in Houston, Dealey Plaza in Dallas (site of the JFK assassination), the Oak Alley Plantation and French Quarter in New Orleans, Arlington National Cemetery and the National Mall in Washington D.C. before finishing with a trip to South Manhattan and Liberty Islands in New York City. We also had an in depth look at presidential history along the way, visiting the presidential libraries of both George H.W. and George W. Bush, the estates of George Washington, Franklin Roosevelt and Theodore Roosevelt and, of course, Trump Tower.

A huge thank you must be given to Mr Englebretsen and Mr Boulton for making this incredible trip possible, the amount of ground covered in just 17 days was staggering and all the boys benefitted from the immense knowledge of US history and culture that we gained along the way.

Thomas Wright



NBHS Pipers Out Front

The first week of the holidays began with the Ross Shield tournament in Napier, and at the request of the rugby union five NBHS boys and teacher Mr Arrell led the parade of the teams through Emerson Street. "It was an honour to be asked," said Mr Arrell, and the boys played their standard march repertoire with "real feeling and technical precision." The boys are also gearing up for the up-coming pipe band competitions in Palmerston North (December 9th) and the Turakina Highland Games (January 27th, 2018). Naturally Mr Arrell is always hopeful that new learners will visit his classroom at Napier Boys' High School and give piping or drumming a go.

Euan Argent, Liam Reid, Ali Haider, Mr Robert Arrell, Bass Drummer - James Matheson, Side Drummer - Jonathon Baker
(Photo: Sue Matheson)



DAG DRIVE!!

FOR THE SHEEP FARMERS OUT THERE



The school is organizing a Dag Drive – to collect as many sheep dags as possible and turn them into funds to support the 2018 Japan Tour. Mr Newman (rnewman@nbhs.school.nz) is happy to take the details of any farmers willing to donate their 'dags' to the school, and he will pass those on to Mr Steve Fussell who will organize the collection or drop-off and turn them into useful funds. Thanks for your support.

ECNI Road Race Championships

We nearly did it. So close to being a clean sweep of all three titles and all six team events at this championship.

The year 9 boys got us off to a great start. Sam Elliott showed his class by winning this event by the widest margin of the day. Charlie Tattersfield finished in 4th and Jamie Denton in 5th. These three easily took the 3 man team title. They were joined by Jack Bower, Tim Lecheminant-Reid and Kairon Pimms. To take out the 6 man team title by a huge 38 points.

The junior boys' race over 4km was the most anticipated race. How would Oliver Marshall go against Mitchell Snell from Lindisfarne? The race seesawed for the first 3km with both athletes leading at different stages. With 800m to go Oliver made a surge and Mitchell was not able to stay with him. At the finish line Oliver had a sizable margin and Max Taylor who ran an excellent race also nearly caught the Lindisfarne runner. So it was great to see two of our runners on the podium. They were joined by Ethan Green 6th to easily win the 3 man team. Raymond O'Rourke, Josh Abel and Reid Livingston completed the 6 man team who also won easily.

The senior race looked to be a one horse race with Bradley Christison the hot favourite. Bradley showed his class on the last lap when he increased the pace and no other athlete was able to stay with him. Jacob Barber ran a well judged race to finish in 4th. Zac Manning completed the 3 man team. They scored 14 points exactly the same as Lindisfarne. On a count back Lindisfarne were given the win. So one place was the only thing that stopped us making a clean sweep of all nine titles.

The Senior boys did better taking out the 6 man team event. With Logan Stevenson, Thomas Christison, and Kingston Webb making up the six man team.





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SUMMER SCHOOL UNIFORM

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TUESDAY 3 - 4.30PM
THURSDAY 1.10 - 2.10PM

Please contact Norma Bellamy on 833 5900 extn 204
or email uniforms@nbhs.school.nz if you have any queries

SUMMER UNIFORM PRICE LIST 2017

Item	Price
• Summer Shirts (Size 12 – 6XL)	\$43
• Summer Shorts (Size 11-12 – 6XL)	\$50
• Socks	\$14
• Jerseys (Size 2XS -7XL)	\$95
• School Jacket (Size 13-14 – 4XL)	\$90
• PE Shorts	\$33
• PE Shirts	\$38
• Caps	\$25

Years 12 & 13 (Optional)

• Senior Polo Shirts	\$45
• Grey Trousers	\$58
• White Shirts	\$45
• Ties	\$25
• Blazers – Prefects & Snr Sports Players	\$200



PLEASE NAME ALL UNIFORM

If it's named and handed in to the office as lost property we return it to owner immediately.

ALL HIRE UNIFORM NEEDS TO BE RETURNED TO SCHOOL

There is a limited number of hire uniform – we require it all back so it is available for others. If there are hire blazers & grey pants at your home please ensure they are returned. If not returned replacement cost will be charged to your son's account.

Waka Paddle Presentation



At a recent assembly Jim and Marie Edwards came to school to present a taonga to the school for a constant involvement with the waka stationed at the Clive River. Napier Boys' High School has been using the waka rides as part of their Ladder to Manhood day for Year 9 student for the past 8 years.

Mr Smith was happy to receive the beautifully carved waka paddle in recognition of the partnership between the school and Mr Edward's organisation.



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Camps 2017

Classes attending camps 3 and 4 have had the forms given out and have had the activity options explained to them.

The next step is to complete the consent form and return it to the office.

Organisation for the catch up from camp 2 will start soon. We will first ask you to confirm your attendance and activity choice.

Gear lists will be distributed closer to the date of the camp. They are activity specific and include the menu.

Any queries or questions please email me at twyatt@nbhs.school.nz.

Camp	Classes	Dates	Leaving	Returning	
SPRING CAMP SEASON					
3	10Jn, Oc and Se	20 – 24 Nov	9 am	3 p.m.	
4	10Ja and Fe Plus 10 from camp 2	27 Nov - 1 Dec	9 am	3 p.m.	From camp 2 Daywalk, bike, fishing And tramp
Catch up	10Ap, JI and No Kayakers and Walk and Raft	4 – 7 Dec	9 am	3 p.m.	

Dates of Camps – By core academic class.



NAPIER BOYS' HIGH SCHOOL

Term Four 2017

Week Four

M	6	Nov	Year 13 Valedictory assembly
Tu	7		Prefects dinner
W	8		Study leave starts for all seniors. Year 13 - period 4, Year 12 - lunch time, Year 11 - period 5.
Th	9		NCEA exams start
F	11		Napier Caledonian Ingleside – Pipeband 7pm
F/Sa	10/11		Hawkes Bay Open Junior Volleyball seeding Tournament

Week Five

M	13	Nov	Year 8 testing at Napier Intermediate – 9am
Tu	14		Year 8 Testing at Tamatea Intermediate – 9am
Tu-Th	14-16		Year 8 course selection interviews (day students)
W	15		Year 8 Hostel Orientation and Testing Day
W-Fr	15-17		Junior exams
F	17		Year 8 testing at Taradale Intermediate - 9am
F/Sa	17/18		Hawke's Bay Junior Volleyball tournament - Gisborne



Week Six

M-F	20-24		Year 10 camps – 10Jn, 10Oc, 10Se
W	22		Improv Battle - Woodford House
Th	23		Junior Music Gig
F/Sun	24/26		HOSTEL EXEAT WEEKEND

Week Seven

M	27	Nov	
Tu-F	28-1	Nov/Dec	North Island Junior Volleyball championships - Auckland
M-F			Year 10 Camps – 10Ja, 10Fe
M-Th	27-30		Junior Cricket tournament
Th/F	30/1	Nov/Dec	Junior Tennis quad – away
F	1		Last day of NCEA exams
F-Su	1-3		National Athletics - Hastings
F-Su	1-3		Condor 7's Rugby tournament



Week Eight

M	4	Dec	
Th	7		PRIZE GIVING
F	8	Dec	Last day of school, some students in, staff farewells etc



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