



# Marlborough Boys' College Newsletter

December 2017



Year 13 performing the Haka at the Leavers Parade



## *From the Principal*

Nga mihi mahana ki a kotou

In term 4 we celebrated the achievements and involvement of students in academic, arts and sports and diploma prizegivings and I congratulate all those who were recognized in these.

In assemblies we acknowledged junior students who had achieved academically in national and international competitions. In the ICAS English competition Jack Guard earnt a Distinction for being in the top 6% of year 9 participants in NZ and Pacific region and Frederick Duncan earnt credit for being in the top 13%. Lachlan Mackie, Euan Marshall, George Turner and Jack Guard were semi-finalists in the NZ Future Problem Solving competition. George Turner came runner up in the National Spelling bee competition final at Te Papa in Wellington. The organizer (Janet Lucas) noted "George was an absolute star at the event and it became a gruelling workout between him and winner. They spelled their way through 20 rounds and he was naturally devastated when he tripped up on coriaceous and the winner went on to correctly spell, pusillanimous." Gus Varney received a gold medal, Keelin Bell a silver and Bill Wellbourne a bronze medal for the level of mastery they achieved in Mathletics.

Different groups of boys were provided with some wonderful opportunities during term 4. On top of the sporting opportunities described elsewhere groups were involved in waka trips in the Abel Tasman, sailing on the Spirit of Adventure out of Auckland, the summer Rotoiti Camp and taking part in the Cactus programme.

Service is a value we hold as very important and I was pleased to attend the 10 year anniversary of the MBC Leos Club. The members of this club in their actions personify what we admire in young Marlborough Men. During the past 10 years, the MBC Leos have made considerable contributions to both our school and community.



The 2017 Leos group celebrating 10 years of active service.

Other groups have also been involved in service this term most notably students who have painted a mural at the stadium and those that have contributed to the tuku tuku panels in the hall.

Regarding the new schools, while there have been frustrations regarding the Ministry of Educations (MOE's) processes on acquiring the co-location site, they have helped us in many ways in preparation for it that are supporting students NOW. It has been good to observe staff and students utilizing with enthusiasm the flexible learning spaces the MOE have allowed us to construct in science, art and the top of A block. Anytime you are in the school ask to have a look at these facilities.

It is with sadness that I record resignations from two long serving staff members who have given valuable service to different areas of the school. Phil d'Auvergne began in 1987. Phil will be remembered for his 30 year contribution as an accomplished mathematician, a Board Member and a major contributor to sport and the building of the Goulding pavilion.

Ray Russell began in 2001. In his 16 years at the college Ray has played significant roles as Hostel Manager at Innes House, in the International students' programmes and most noticeably in music.

I wish to thank Julian Adamson who after four terms as deputy principal returns to his permanent position at MGC and Margaret Pringle who finishes her role as Arts Co-Ordinator. Both have had very positive impacts on our school.

We are very much a community school and I would like to thank all the people who have supported our boys to get involved in co and extra curricula activity. This includes the Toe-by-Toe volunteers helping students with reading, the coaches, managers of sports teams, those who support our drama productions, cultural groups, choirs, musicals and service activities. It also includes families who have taken international students and billets into their homes. To our teaching and support staff, the members of our Board, the PTA, Old Boys' Association and MCCF who give so much of their time and talents - I thank you.

Have a great Christmas and new year.

Wayne Hegarty

**HEAD BOY 2018**  
James Hammond



## 2017 JUNIOR ACADEMIC PRIZE WINNERS



## IMPORTANT DATES

### 2018 TERM DATES

Term 1	31 January - 13 April
Term 2	30 April - 6 July
Term 3	23 July - 28 September
Term 4	15 October - 12 December

### 2018 START UP DATES

31 January	Years 9 & 13
1 February	Years 9 & 12
2 February	All years

### Term 1 Key Dates

5 February	Yr 9 Wairau BBQ
6 February	Waitangi Day
7 February	Yr 9 Waihopia BBQ
8 February	Yr 9 Opawa BBQ
9 February	Yr 9 Awatere BBQ
12-24 February	Nydia Camp No 1
27 February	Athletics Sports
28 February	Meet the Teachers (Year 9 & 10)
1 March	Meet the Teachers (Years 11-13)
5-17 March	Nydia Camp No 2
19-23 March	Tournament Week
30 March - 3 April	Easter Weekend



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# From the Board Chairman

Kia Ora,

This year the Board of Trustees are pleased to have engaged in extensive consultation with our community in a broad range of areas, which although stimulated by the new college co-location discussions, have enriched the College through these open communications. The Board has monitored and enhanced focus around ensuring our boys today get the best through the learnings of these consultations. Enhancements are evident in many areas of the College, and most importantly in our key pillars of focus, that is academic, arts, sport, leadership and service, which were evidently clear at the Senior Prizegiving where all major award recipients were celebrated with our community.

The Principal continues to lead the College extremely well and continues to make changes to adapt to the challenges that each year presents. To all the staff that support our young men I wish to acknowledge and thank you for your efforts and expertise.

I wish to acknowledge the continued support of our community in many areas including coaching, managing, fundraising and so many other areas, your efforts do make a difference.

I also wish to thank the other Board of trustees for your strategic vision, guidance and support.

To whanau I wish to thank you for entrusting the education of your son to our college, Marlborough Boys' College.

To our fine young Marlborough men I wish them success in their exams, and happiness in life choices beyond.

Kind regards,

Sturrock Saunders



## Farewell from the Head Boy 2017

2017 has been an amazing year and I am thankful to all those who have supported me in my role as Head Prefect. At the beginning of this year, the Prefects and I set out to improve involvement within the school and its activities. We planned and organised numerous events, from Athletics Day earlier in the year to Academic Week - Chris Grammer and Jack McRae's 'brain-child'. With many students taking part and contending for house points, the event was such a success, they ran it a second time in Term 4. Athletics day was another success with one of the largest turn outs to date. We as a group also solved the issue of hydration by supplying a massive water container for everyone to use! Thanks Chris Perrin. In my absence over the Term 3 holidays, my deputy Anaru Anderson took the helm, and organised the annual MBC Games which was another hit among the competitive house members, getting behind their house.

A lot of our success throughout the year has been due to the strong connection we had as a team and I'd like to thank all of the Prefects of 2017, for doing outstanding work! To next years leadership team, I wish you luck on your endeavour to push the bar that little further and continue to be fantastic role models for the junior students! Handing over the Head Prefect role to James Hammond for next year, I wish you luck in everything you do, remember to always have confidence in everything you do! I'm sure you'll smash it! Thanks for a good year, and I wish you all luck.

Regards,

Seth Robinson



From left: Seth Robinson (Head boy), Harry McLaughlan (International Prefect), Fraser Cowie (74<sup>th</sup> Otaki Scholar) and Mr Bill Wick (Deputy Principal)

## Cultural Prizegiving

# Thank you for the Music

This year's Cultural Prize giving held on 25 October not only provided parents and friends with a varied programme of entertainment and rewarded students who had excelled in their chosen performance areas, but also formally acknowledged the incredibly valuable contribution of Ray Russell to the Performing Arts at MBC over the past 17 years.

Ray, himself a talented musician, has made an enormous impact on the musical life of MBC and his retirement marks the end of an era. Ngarie Searle spoke of his impact and contribution to the school over his time here and as Manager of Innes House, erstwhile home to many Kiwi and International students of MBC and MGC. Bryce Blackmore followed this with a humorous and touching rendition of ABBA's Thank you for the Music.

Attendees were treated to pre-concert nibbles prepared by Carolyn Brown and her team of student caterers; a slide show of photos by Mark Grammer brought back memories of Evita; video clips from performances throughout the year showed our drama students at work.

Items were presented by The Kapa Haka Group, The Pasifika Performing Arts Group, Marlborough Soundz, The Jazz Combo, The Jazz Ensemble, a Year 11 Rock group and The Stage Band as well as individuals Jonty Zydenbos, Jack Mc Rae, Stephen Simpson.



Ray Russell

### Major Cultural Prize Winners

Arts Performer of the Year: Jonty Zydenbos

Arts Performance Group of the Year: Team Evita (cast, crew and band)

Arts Performance Technician of the Year: Joshua Webb

David Nightingale Scholarship for continued Singing Tuition: Bryce Blackmore

Campbell Trophy for Excellence in Musicianship: Jonty Zydenbos, Jack McRae

James Rodgers Cup for Excellent Contribution to Vocal Music: Justin Cook

MBC Warriors Trophy for Leadership and Contribution to Pasifika Performing Arts: Tino Vakaloa

MBC Trophy for Leadership and Contribution to Kapa Haka: Tama Baker

MBC Trophy for leadership and Contribution to Theatrical Arts: Harrison Cook



Above: Ray Russell with The Stage band



### Top awards

Pictured left:

Justin Cooke, Jack McRae, Jonty Zydenbos, Bryce Blackmore and Joshua Webb



# SPORTS REPORT

This term has been another busy one, with boys completing and doing well in Junior and Senior Sevens, Junior Touch Rugby, Junior Volleyball, Junior Waterpolo, and Junior Cricket. We also had the Shooting team, Mountain Biking team and the Cycling Team involved in events during the term 3 holidays – all which went well.

Early in the term we held the annual Sportsman Of The Year Dinner in which we celebrated the success of our athletes in 2017. It was a great event made better by an inspiring speech by Buxton Popoalii who talked about how he's overcome hurdles that life has thrown him.

Congratulations to all the winners on the night.

Many teams are well into the planning for next season so make sure you check out the school notices and facebook page for information - <https://www.facebook.com/MarlboroughBoysNews/> As always we are looking for any help we can get – coaches, managers, sponsors etc to help out our boys. If you can be of any assistance please email me [joshh@mbc.school.nz](mailto:joshh@mbc.school.nz)

I would like to take this opportunity firstly thank all those who and help our boys out this year and to wish everyone good luck with their summer sporting ventures and look forward to seeing more in 2018.

**Josh Harrison, Teacher in Charge of Sports**



Above: The d'Auvergne Trophy for best all round sports person - Heath Murphy

Below: Sports Team of the Year 2017 – Softball



## MBC Sports Award Winners 2017

**Sportsman of the Year 2017**

William Macdonald - Softball

**Sports Team of the Year 2017**

MBC Softball

**The d'Auvergne Trophy for Best All Round Sports Person**

Heath Murphy - Cricket, Rugby and Swimming



Sportsman of the Year 2017  
William Macdonald – Softball

## **CONTRIBUTION TO SPORTS AWARDS 2017**

The following boys have assisted others with sport this year

**Ben Alexander** – rugby refereeing

**Cameron Alexander** – coaching a junior volleyball team, refereeing and scoring at Volleyball Nationals. Refereeing rugby.

**Eddie Ave** – for his contribution to videoing the 1st XV rugby games

**William Day** – rugby refereeing

**Tyler Herbert** – coaching a junior basketball team

**Breyton Jones** – basketball refereeing

**William Macdonald** – basketball refereeing

**Renz Narvadez** – coaching a junior basketball team

**Aiden Neal** – rugby refereeing

**Hunter Nicholls** - coaching a junior volleyball team

**Jack Pope** – coaching a junior volleyball team

**Matthew Wallace** – coaching a junior basketball team



# MBC HISTORY CLASSICS TOUR 2017

Special, memorable, fun, tiring, emotional and educational, the History and Classics European Tour 2017 saw a party of 21 boys, three parents and two staff (Messrs Olliver and Clark) embark on a 20 day field trip. After over a year of preparation and over 35 hours of travel, the group arrived in Rome to explore the tourist spots. Monte Cassino, Pompeii, London, and Paris followed.

A highlight for all was the commemoration for the Centenary of the Battle of Passchendaele. The boys produced a stirring haka for the occasion. Some fun was had in Singapore on the way home, including some shopping. Thanks to all those who supported the tour.



## YEAR 9 CRICKET

Whack! Another ball flies from the bat of Joel Pannell toward the boundary. This fine sight was one of many positive aspects of the cricket programme at MBC this term. The MBC Year 9 team played 6 matches this term, including the knock out final which was narrowly lost to Nelson. The high point of the year was hosting the South Island Year 9 Invitational Tournament at Horton Park. Teams from Christ's College, CBHS, OBHS, Shirley BHS and Nelson College took part in the three day tournament. The MBC team were: Kohri Brown, Dylan Burton, Alec Dodson, Eli Harvey, Ben Holdaway, Leighton Le Sueur, Tom Leonard, Sean Moran, Joel Pannell, Hugh Pearce, Billy Sloan, William Sutherland. Thanks to all who supported the tournament, especially our sponsors, Paradise Oysters.

Mr d'Auvergne coached the team alongside Mr Clark. Mr d'Auvergne is retiring at the end of the year. His many years of service have been greatly appreciated, especially by the hundreds of young cricketers that have benefitted from his considerable expertise. As he has indicated that he will keep helping with cricket, we look forward to seeing more of him in the future.



Mr d'Auvergne post match debrief with the Year 9 cricket boys





# INTERNATIONAL



This year we had long stay students from Japan, China and Germany. These boys all had very positive comments to make about their time at Marlborough Boys' College. We welcomed Jack Yang our first student from our sister school (the No. 9 school) in Ningxia. We also had a short stay visit from the Ningxia province in China which is the Marlborough District Council official sister region. My hope is that we can ultimately send some of our students on exchange to Ningxia the same way we do with our students to Jissen Gakuen our sister school in Japan. We also had short stays from other areas of China, South Korea and Japan including students from our sister school, Jissen Gakuen. Next year these groups will again be enrolled in short stay programmes, plus we have a new group coming from Habuka in Japan. I thank all our homestay parents who help our students experience a kiwi lifestyle.

The Korean students were on a joint scholarship programme between New Zealand and South Korea. For most, the scholarship was the first opportunity to travel outside of South Korea and is an important educational opportunity for them.



2018 Short Stay South Korean and Japanese Students from left of Picture: Minho, Shintaro, Koichi, Jae, Mathew, James, Jimin and Jingu. Three term student Shuzo Ohira from Japan second from right and MBC full time student Jack Yang from China, Jack has two more years at MBC. Teaching staff, Ms MacDonald & Mr Mulraney.

## Congratulations to our Junior Academic Prize Winners

### Year 10

**Year 10 Overall Excellence:** Eric Bekker

**All Round Endeavour:** Eric Bekker

**Top Scholars:** Jude Anderson, Eric Bekker, Keelin Bell, Patrick Neal, Jackson Purdie

**OTA Scholarships:** Jake Pacey and Harry Timpson

### Year 9

**Year 9 Overall Excellence:** Jack Guard

**All Round Endeavour:** Jack Flynn

**Junior Maori:** Keelin Bell

**Top Scholars:** Jack Flynn, Jack Guard, George Turner, Angus Varney, George Wilson

### YEAR 9 SUBJECT AWARDS

**ENGLISH:** Jack Guard. **TE REO:** Lachie Blathwayt. **SCIENCE:** Jack Flynn. **SOCIAL STUDIES:** Jack Flynn. **TECHNOLOGY:** Eli Harvey. **PHYSICAL EDUCATION:** William MacKenzie. **DIGITAL TECHNOLOGY:** Sam Neal. **DESIGN AND GRAPHICS:** Eric Null. **FOOD TECHNOLOGY:** George Turner. **DRAMA:** Jack Unwin.

**ART:** Angus Varney. **INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC:** Joseph Wegener. **MATHEMATICS:** John Wilson.

### YEAR 10 SUBJECT AWARDS

**CLASSICAL STUDIES** (yr 11): Jude Anderson. **TE REO:** Lucas Baker. **FOOD TECHNOLOGY:** Jayden Bassett. **AGRICULTURE AND HORTICULTURE:** Eric Bekker. **CALCULUS** (yr 12) Eric Bekker. **ENGLISH:** Eric Bekker. **ENTERPRISE STUDIES:** Eric Bekker. **GEOGRAPHY** (yr 11) Eric Bekker. **SCIENCE:** Eric Bekker. **SOCIAL STUDIES:** Eric Bekker. **DESIGN AND GRAPHICS:** Keelin Bell. **SPECIALIST ART:** Keelin Bell. **GEOGRAPHY:** Benjamin Blakiston. **TECHNOLOGY:** Nicholas Brown. **WOODWORK:** Ari Burrows-Keen. **ART:** Campbell Earle. **SPORT AND FITNESS:** Jaden Eathorne. **DIGITAL ART:** Devlin Grady. **MEDIA STUDIES:** Thomas Hayman. **DRAMA:** Joshua Leota. **DIGITAL TECHNOLOGY:** Michael McNeil. **SPECIALIST MUSIC:** Lavengamonu Moli. **MATHEMATICS** (yr 11) Patrick Neal. **PHYSICAL EDUCATION:** Patrick Neal. **ENGINEERING WORKSHOP SKILLS:** Jonathon Poswillo. **HISTORY:** Jackson Purdie. **MATHEMATICS:** Nathaniel Shipley. **MUSIC:** Hamish Timpson.

# Congratulations to our Senior Academic Prize Winners

## GENERAL and SERVICE AWARDS

Barker Award for courage and integrity	Matthew Patterson
Best College House (M W Girling Memorial Cup)	Wairau (James Hammond)
Community Service (Blenheim Round Table Award)	Benjamin Pope
Community Service (Inner Wheel Cup)	Patrick Schnarre
Head Librarian (Frank Mogridge Prize)	Mitchell Daubney
Leadership and Public Spirit (Pattie Cup)	Christopher Perrin
Leadership Potential in Taha Maori and Taha Pakeha (Don Mills Trophy)	Jontae MacDonald
Leadership within the College (RSA Trophy)	Seth Robinson
Maataa Waka Ki Te Tau Ihu Trust trophy	Tristian Taylor
Special Needs (Stephanie Doole Cup)	Rorie Kearse
Service to Juniors (Zonta Cup)	Edward Poswillo
Service to Others (Zonta Cup and Prize)	Joshua Webb
Service within the College (H L Sidaway Trophy)	James Hammond, Henry Thompson

### PTA Service Awards:

Service to Hospitality and Special Needs	Matthew Briggs
Service to Special Needs	Rorie Kearse
Service to House Competition	Cameron Alexander

## YEAR 11 PREMIER AWARDS

### The D M Wemyss Memorial Awards for Overall Excellence in Year 11

Mitchell Blake  
Hunter Davies  
Alexander Gasson  
Vincent Gray  
George Varney

## YEAR 12 PREMIER AWARDS

### The Port Marlborough Awards for Overall Excellence in Year 12

Eddie Ave  
Justin Cook  
Benjamin Shallcrass  
Steven Simpson  
Joshua Webb

## YEAR 13 PREMIER AWARDS

All Round Endeavour (The Fulton Cup)	Seth Robinson
Proxime Accessit (Marlborough Lines Award and John Hannington Goulding Memorial Prize)	Mitchell Daubney
Dux Litarum (Marlborough Lines Award and John Hannington Goulding Memorial Prize)	Jude Kalan

## SCHOLARSHIPS and OTHER AWARDS

Alan Corskie Scholarship and Trophy	Harry McLauchlan
George Graham Trust Scholarship, M W Girling Memorial Award	Edward Poswillo
James d'Auvergne Prize	Anaru Anderson
Nelson Marlborough Institute of Technology Award, Te Rangatahi o Wairau Award	Horouta Wilson
Nomination for the Dr John Innes Scholarship	Christopher Grammer
Old Boys Association Scholarships	Jude Kalan, Joshua Thomas
William Paul Hodgson Scholarships	Anzac Morel, Adam Rattray, Soren Subritzky



Left: Mitchell Daubney, Proxime Accessitt  
Right: Jude Kalan, Dux Litarum



## YEAR 11 SUBJECT PRIZES

Agriculture/Horticulture  
Art  
Design and Graphics  
Digital Technology, Drama  
Economics and Accounting (WK Advisors & Accountants Prize)  
Employment Skills  
English  
Furniture Making  
History (Jamie Parkin Cup)  
Hospitality  
Media Studies  
Music  
Physical Education (John Oliver Memorial Cup)  
Science (Devine Prize)  
Te Reo (Thomas Trophy)  
Te Waharoa  
Technology

Jacob Morriss  
Hunter Davies  
Felix Jackson  
Vincent Gray  
Kristopher Godsall  
  
Ronan Burgess  
Alexander Gasson  
Connor Reed  
Hunter Davies  
Cameron Miller  
George Varney  
Bronson Skipper  
Jack Winstanley  
  
Alexander Gasson  
Tristian Taylor  
Breyton Jones  
Aaron Lambert

Physics  
Rugby Academy  
Sport Studies  
Statistics  
Sustainable Marine Science  
Te Reo  
Technology

Jean-Luc Hauswirth  
Joshua Godsiff  
Zachary Douglas  
Joshua Webb  
Zachary Maunder  
William Macdonald  
James Southey

## YEAR 12 SUBJECT AWARDS

Accounting (WK Advisors & Accountants Prize )  
Agriculture/Horticulture (Paul Ford Memorial Cup)  
Biology  
Chemistry  
Classical Studies  
Construction  
Design & Graphics  
Design, Painting  
Digital Technology  
Drama, Music  
Economics (WK Advisors & Accountants Prize and ANZ Bank Cup)  
Electronics  
English  
Furniture Making (TH Barnes Trophy)  
Gateway, Career Development  
General Engineering (John Cuddon Trophy)  
Geography  
History  
Hospitality  
Mathematics  
Media Studies  
Outdoor Education  
Photography  
Physical Education (William Grant

Jean-Luc Hauswirth  
Joshua Milne  
  
Armand Dell-Yaxley  
Joshua Webb  
Armand Dell-Yaxley  
Jack Holdaway  
Hugh Kennington  
Danyon Croker  
Liam Pol  
Kodi Rasmussen  
Alexander Gasson  
  
Henry Thompson  
Eddie Ave  
Benjamin Kerr  
  
Edward Poswillo  
Matthew Winter  
  
George Varney  
Steven Simpson  
Siosuia Pahulu  
Benjamin Shallcrass  
Justin Cook  
Aiden Gane  
Mitchell Blake  
Milan Cunliffe-Post

## YEAR 13 SUBJECT AWARDS

Accounting (WK Advisors & Accountants Prize )  
Agriculture/Horticulture (Young Farmers' Cup)  
Art (Nigel Leeming Award), Painting  
Biology (Stratford Prize), Mathematics (Daniel Cup), Physics  
Calculus, Chemistry, Digital Technology  
Guy Tomlinson Memorial Trophy, NATCOL Design Technology Prize), Economics (WK Advisors & Accountants Prize), English (John Stewart Memorial Prize), English Literature (Dr John Innes Memorial Prize for Excellence in Literature), Mathematics (Daniel Cup), Physics  
Classical Studies (Peter Olliver Award)  
Commerce (Chamber of Commerce Cup), Statistics  
Creative Writing (B & G Collins' Prize)  
Design  
Design and Graphics (John Oliver Prize)  
English for Speakers of Other Languages  
English Literature (Clarkson Prize)  
Forestry (Ross MacArthur Trophy)  
Furniture Making, General Engineering  
Geography (Orchard Trophy), Media Studies  
Historical Research (John Davies Memorial Award)  
History (John Guard Memorial Award), Music  
Hospitality (Chef of the Year Award)  
Music  
Outdoor Education, Technology  
  
Photography  
Physical Education (Richards Cup)  
Science (George Spence Prize – Overall Excellence in Biology, Chemistry, Physics)  
Sport Studies  
Statistics  
Sustainable Marine Science  
Te Reo

Joshua Webb  
Heath Murphy  
Louis Woollcombe  
Christopher Grammer  
Jude Kalan  
Aidan Brown  
Mitchell Daubney  
Sam Smith  
Grace Williams  
Soren Subritzky  
Lucas Lopes  
Thomas Hyland  
Benjamin Shallcrass  
Liam Gee  
AJ Monk  
Seth Robinson  
Mitchell Daubney  
Daniel Brunel  
Jack McRae  
Lachlan Gray-van der Geest  
Joshua Thomas  
Anaru Anderson  
Christopher Grammer  
Joshua Godsiff  
Horouta Wilson  
Benjamin Goulton  
Horouta Wilson



# 2018 Commencement Arrangements and Start Dates

Returning students seeking course changes must contact their Dean directly or email [office@mbc.school.nz](mailto:office@mbc.school.nz). It is important not to wait until week one as the options are very limited by then.

**Monday 22 January 2018, MBC Office and Finance Office reopen**

**Monday 29 January , Tuesday 30 January 2018 - Any new students in Year 9 - 13 who have not already enrolled, report to College Office at 8.30am to complete enrolment.**

**School buses will operate at normal times from Wednesday 31 January 2018**

## **Wednesday, 31 January 2018 - Year 9, 13**

Year 9 and any other students new to the College, assemble at Francis Street gate for Powhiri (Hall if wet)

Returning Year 13 assemble on Parapet

8.50am – 10.30am Powhiri for new staff, Year 9, and other students new to the College. Parents welcome to attend.

Year 9 programme operates until 3.15pm

Year 13 programme finishes 1.00pm unless involved with Year 9 programme

## **Thursday, 1 February 2018 - Year 9, 12**

8.50am Year 9 go directly to Form Rooms

Year 12 assemble in Hall

Year 9 programme finishes 3.15pm

Year 12 programme finishes 1.00pm

## **Friday, 2 February 2018 - All students attend**

10.50am Year 10, 11 Assemble in Hall

All other levels go directly to Form Rooms

- Full programme for all students until 3.15pm

## Co-location Update

Thank you all for the engagement this year with our New School planning.

For full information and to sign up for our co-location e-newsletter please head to [www.marlboroughcolleges.co.nz](http://www.marlboroughcolleges.co.nz)

## The Marlborough Sports Hall of Fame 2017 Sports Roll of Honour Inductees

### **Williams MacDonald**

Softball - 2017 New Zealand Junior Black Sox Team

### **Torban Otway**

Tennis - 2017 New Zealand U17 Mixed Team

### **Liam Duncan**

Touch Rugby - 2017 New Zealand U16 Mixed Team

### **Josh Harrison**

Touch Rugby - 2017 New Zealand Men's 30's Team

**Iolo Adams, Caleb Barnes, Toby Gregory, Nikolas Link,  
Jake Morris, Jamie Thomas, Nick Williams**  
Yachting - 2017 New Zealand Secondary Schools Team

### **Ian Gardiner**

Yachting - 2017, New Zealand Secondary Schools Team

## 2018 Homestay host families required short and long term



We are seeking home-stay host families who can provide a comfortable, safe and welcoming temporary home to visiting International Students for up to 1-4 terms in 2017.

A weekly financial payment is made and all home-stay hosts are police vetted.

For more information please email [fionam@mbc.school.nz](mailto:fionam@mbc.school.nz)



## THE PTA UNIFORM SHOP

(Located on Stephenson Street)

### HOLIDAY SHOP HOURS (JUNIORS ONLY)

Thursday 18 January, Tuesday 23 January, Thursday 25 January – 12.00pm-3.00pm

Friday 19 January, Monday 22 January, Wednesday 24 January – 3.00pm-6.00pm

Saturday 20 January – 10.00am-1.00pm and 2.00pm-4.00pm

### HOLIDAY SHOP HOURS (SENIORS ONLY)

Wednesday 17 January 12.00pm-3.00pm, Tuesday 23 January 10.00am-1.00pm,

Friday 26 January 2:00pm-4:00pm

### NORMAL TRADING HOURS

(from Wednesday 31 January 2018)

Mondays 2.00pm – 5.30pm, Wednesdays 11.00am – 2.30pm,

Fridays 8.45am – 12 noon

## Nydia Bay Year 9 Camp



Nydia Bay Year 9 Camp 2018 is well on its way in terms of planning and preparation. You will receive more information via email before the end of Term 4. Please contact the school with any questions or concerns."



## Sponsors - thanks to the following organisations

MCCF

PTA

Old Boys' Association

Redwood Trust

Pub Charities

Pakn'Save

Pelorus Trust

NZ King Salmon

Ritchies Bus Services

Top Town Cinemas

ASB Bank Blenheim

Warehouse Stationary Blenheim

McDonalds Family Restaurant

Blenheim Subway - Stadium 2000

Aquatic Centre at Marlborough Lines  
Stadium 2000

Marlborough Hunting & Fishing

Lion Foundation

Air Rescue and Community Services

Ranui Construction

Heartland Bank



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