

ROSEHILL REVIEW

Principal's News

Kia ora Whanau,

As we are reaching the end of Winter (thankfully), we are experiencing some really wet weather. Many students are coming to school absolutely saturated. We have very limited supplies of spare uniforms and because of this we would really appreciate you encouraging your child to wear a raincoat. We know they are not a fashion statement but they are practical.

If your child is really wet and cold we will contact you for a spare change of uniform.

Earlier this term we conducted a parent survey and appreciate the feedback we received. One comment that resonated with you was the need for better communication. We have taken this on board and will be updating our website with more current information and a full calendar. Hopefully, this will enable everyone to keep up with school events and activities.

Ngā Mihi

Maria White

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NEWS FROM THE BOARD

At the last meeting, we looked at the midyear assessment data for Maths, Reading and Writing.

While most students are making progress with their learning, there is a significant number of students who are performing well below their expected level.

In Year 7

20% of students are well below in Reading

23% of students are well below in Writing

21% of students are well below in Maths



In comparison,

Year 8

1% of students are well below in Reading

6% are well below in Writing

3% of students are well below in Maths



Because of this, the Board funds two additional part-time teachers to give support to many of these learners.

Please support your child to come to school so they can maximize the learning opportunities at Rosehill Intermediate.

EMERGENCY LOCKDOWN PRACTICE/HEALTH AND SAFETY

On Tuesday 3rd September we will run an emergency lockdown practice. This will require all students and staff to stay in their classes for approximately 10 - 15 minutes. You will receive a generated email notifying of this event. You do not need to take any action. Please do not contact the school during this practice.

LOCKDOWN

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COUNCIL NEWS

Thank you to everyone who supported our Crazy Hair day. We raised \$284 for Alopecia NZ. We also had a fun day!

Counties Cross Country at A & P showgrounds

Our Rosehill top 8 cross country runners represented our school at the Counties inter-school on Friday the 23rd of August. The course was by no means easy and included a few steep hills and some zig-zag corners, but our RIS runners never gave up and showed resilience until they crossed that finish line. Our Year 7 boys placed 1st overall, as well as our Year 8 girls placed 3rd. Congratulations to Harley O'Brien who won 1st overall for Year 7 boys and Libby Barben, who placed 5th overall for Year 8 girls, Ayaan Khan who was placed 6th, Year 8 boys and Miller Gordon who was placed 10th, Year 7 boys. Well done to everyone that competed, you should be very proud of yourselves. Also, a big thank you to our parent supporters cheering on from the sideline.



SPORTS CAMP HIGHLIGHTS

What an incredible week of sport we had at the recent sports camp at Totara Springs, in Matamata! All of the students were a mix of nervousness and excitement as we kicked off the camp, eager to learn new sports and meet new friends from other schools. It wasn't just about sports; we also learned about the importance of values (Quality Living Programme) and participated in Sports Quizzes each morning.

All of our teams showed amazing skill and determination, reaching 11 semi-finals and bringing home trophies in Tag, Bowls, Chess, and Human Foosball. We finished 4th overall out of 8 teams, a fantastic achievement! Another highlight was our 3rd-place finish in the Cheer competition—what a great effort!

A big thank you to all the parent helpers who made this trip possible – Mr Malloch, Mr Friend, Ms Greenwood, Mr Hales and especially Miss Brooks. We all came home exhausted, but with memories we'll cherish for years to come. We can't wait for the next camp in 2025.



Winners in: Totara TAG Girls, Bowls, Chess, Foosball, Quality Living

Runners up in: Girls Volleyball, Boys Volleyball, Caged Soccer, Petanque, Triathlon

Coast to Coast Intermediate Sports Camp August 2024

Celebrating Success: Rosehill Intermediate's Strong Performance in MathEx 2024.

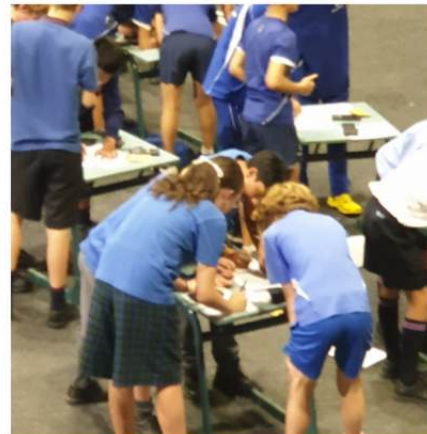
By Tabitha McCartney [Room 9]

The excitement was palpable as our school's teams gathered for the Mathex 2024 competition in Auckland. Raucous cheering and encouraging words burst throughout the Barfoot and Thompson Stadium as teams from all around Auckland sat ready to start. At 7:00 In the Year 7 category, both the A and B teams were ready to showcase their skills. Year 7 A team led by Campbell Osborne, with Eddy Zuo, Harry Purdy, Oliver Ross. The year 7 B team was led by Ryan Fletcher and his fellow teammates Cooper Gordon, Seb Waltham Harley O'Brien, with our sub Elly Kim. Year 8 team A led by captain Michael Phelan and his peers Ayaan Khan, Ruby Buchanan, and Charlie Kendall. Year 8 B Led by Tabitha McCartney and her team mates Harry Taylor, Nathan Jones and Pathey Mehta.



The competition was fierce, but the following students' collaboration and problem-solving skills shone brightly. As the day progressed, the atmosphere buzzed with energy and camaraderie. Each team brought their unique strengths to the table, and their collective efforts made all of our parents and supporters proud. Whether it was the strategic thinking of the Year 7 B team or the dynamic problem-solving approach of the Year 8 A team, every participant played a crucial role in making Mathex 2024 a memorable and inspiring event for all involved.

In conclusion, the MathEx 2024 results for Rosehill Intermediate reflect a commendable effort from our students across different year levels. For Year 7, the A team achieved an impressive score of 60, demonstrating their strong grasp of mathematical concepts and problem-solving skills. The B team, with scores ranging from 55 or 50, also showed notable performance, showing the overall strength and potential within this year group. Turning to Year 8, the A team recorded a solid score of 45, indicating their continued development and engagement in mathematics. Meanwhile, the B team excelled with a top score of 60, showcasing their exceptional capabilities and hard work.



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Rosehill Intermediate School Enrolment Process

The Rosehill Intermediate School Board of Trustees invites applications from parents who wish to enrol their child/ren at Rosehill Intermediate School for 2025. Hard packs are available from the school office from the 6th September 2024.

Parents of students who live within the home zone should apply as soon as possible to assist the school to plan appropriately for next year.

Enrolment at the school is governed by an enrolment scheme, details of which are available from the school office and online from our website www.rosehillintermediate.school.nz.

The deadline for receipt of applications for out-of-zone places is **27th September 2024**.

The Board has determined that 50 places for Year 7 and Year 8 students are likely to be available for out-of-zone students next year. The exact number of places will depend on the number of applications received from students who live within the school's home zone.

If the number of out-of-zone applications exceeds the number of places available, students will be selected by ballot. If a ballot is required it will be held on **14th October 2024** and parents will be informed of the outcome of the ballot within three school days of the ballot being held.

RIS Sports Mufti Day
Who's Your Favourite Athlete?
Dress up as your favourite Athlete
and you might win a prize!

Friday the 6th of September
Gold Coin Donation
All proceeds will go towards new sports gear for our school

Example: 1
Sam Kerr



Example: 2
Travis Kelce



Camp Day Opportunity for Roopu

We have luckily secured a booking for all our students to have a days learning and fun at Camp Adair (Hunua), in November of this year. The students will be going in their Roopu (Teams). Details will be in the next newsletter.

Upcoming Dates & Events

TUESDAY 3RD SEPTEMBER – EMERGENCY LOCKDOWN PRACTICE

FRIDAY 6TH SEPTEMBER – SPORTS MUFTI DAY

FRIDAY 6TH SEPTEMBER – 2025 ENROLMENTS OPEN

FRIDAY 27TH SEPTEMBER – LAST DAY TERM 3