



REPOROA COLLEGE WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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TERM 4, WEEK 1 begins Monday 8th October to 12th October 2007 starting with Day 1

PLEASE NOTE: WEEK TWO—SENIOR ASSESSMENT WEEK—All students MUST attend for the whole week.
Year 7 and 8 Recreation starts again next term—students will have PE or Recreation every day and will need PE gear.

Kia ora koutou katoa *Sadly, we are saying farewell this week to two very special members of staff—*
Mrs Chris Page our Executive Officer is leaving the College after 11 years of service. In recent years, she has been instrumental in the planning and funding of such projects as the Wellness Centre, the Canteen, the Video Conference suite and the refurbishment of the Hall, Library and classrooms. We will miss Chris' expertise and her friendly, professional manner in her work with people.

Mrs Mary-Anne O'Reilly our Principal's Secretary is leaving the College office after 13 years. She always has a smile and a friendly greeting for visitors to the office. Special thanks to Mary-Anne for her superb events management of the Sports and Performing Arts evening, Prizegiving and special events at the College. Mary-Anne has also given tireless service for many years in leadership positions on the Reporoa College PTA.

I wish to personally thank Chris and Mary-Anne for their strong and unfailing support during my time at the College. Both staff members are moving on promotion. Chris has been appointed as the Principal's PA at Tauhara College and Mary-Anne has been appointed as the Office Manager for the Wairakei Estate. We wish both Chris and Mary-Anne every success in their future careers.

I would also like to wish everyone a safe and happy holiday.

Ka Kite ano, Sue Winters, Principal

SCHOOL UNIFORM REMINDERS

School Shorts: purchase from the school office. If wearing shoes with the school shorts—boys must wear long grey socks and girls long white socks, with them.

Long Black Pants: Must be worn with socks and shoes NOT sandals. NO track pants/NO fashion labels showing.

Black Skirts: These need to be straight but not too tight or short (at least knee length). NO fashion skirts with pleats or frills. Sandals or long white socks and shoes may be worn with skirts.

Sandals: Leather Black/Brown NO scuffs or beach footwear.

CONGRATULATIONS to:

**Andrew Winters
Michael Fitzgerald
Danielle Forde
Emily Langridge**

**8JG Pupils who have
achieved
Excellence in Science**

VISUAL ARTS DEPARTMENT

Congratulations on the good results in the internally assessed Achievement Standards in both Art and Photography, of which must be mentioned:

Lisa Schumacher gaining Excellence in Level 3 AS 90660 and AS 90664 and

Tina Brownbridge with Excellence in Level 2 AS 90477.

It is countdown time for students to create artwork for external moderation.

Folio boards due for:

- Level 1—26th October
- Level 2—2nd November
- Level 3—12th November

Extension classes are being held after school every Monday 3.30—5.00pm in the art room till the folios are due.

Also a two day workshop is being offered in the holidays on:

**Wednesday 3rd October and
Thursday 4th October**

For our Photography students, next term, there is a weekend Photo School Seminar on the 13th and 14th October which is being offered as a STAR funded opportunity for our students, to be held at Taupo-Nui-A-Tia.

*For more information please see
Ms Tyler, HOD Art*

Year 12 English Tutorials Holidays—Tuesday 2nd October

10.00am to 12noon—Room 8

Term 4—Week One—Lunchtimes

Monday to Thursday—Room 8

Weeks Two to Five—Afterschool

Tutorials can be arranged by students or parents.

All Year 12 English students are welcome. Ms Kate McCormack

Senior Geography

**Term 4 Tutorials - Monday and
Wednesday lunchtimes.**

After school on Wednesdays if requested by students or parents.

Mrs Kathy Gordon, HOD Social Science

**Level 3 Calculus and Statistics/Level 1
Mathematics** Mrs Nelson will be available Monday 24th to Friday 28th October for any of her students.

CONGRATULATIONS to: Pete Smits and Daniel Chatterton who were in the team which were placed 6th in Juniors and 27th overall in the Day/Night Mountain Biking Thriller. *Well done to Darryl Plumridge, Brendon Imlig and Lyall Russell who also entered a team and rode well.* Chase Dawson and Cyris James who have been selected to play for the Bay of Plenty League Team. *Well done boys!*