

YEAR 10 JUNIOR PRIZE GIVING

Today's prize giving brings to a close the school year for Year 10s. At this prize giving we acknowledge our top achieving year ten students and I congratulate those who received awards today.

Congratulations to **Annaliese Duke** - Bill Barnaby Memorial Award for Academic Excellence in Year 10. **Annaliese** was First overall in Year 10 and achieved Excellence in Year 10 Art, Design and Visual Communication, English, Mathematics, Science and Social Studies.

Jenna Lowe - Gerard Brady Memorial Award for All-Round Excellence in Year 10.

Callum Farmer - Ken Hemopo Shield for Best All Round Sporting Achievement.



CONGRATULATIONS 2018 HEAD STUDENTS AND PREFECTS

HEAD STUDENTS

Eleanor Cato, Angus Eason, Shey Eva, Kate Fryer.

PREFECTS

Amelie Blackett, Aleisha Neary, Jemma Norman, Esperance Withers, Eden Yin, Charlotte Colyer, Dannielle Aarts, Clarissa Taylor, Jordan Santry, Hayley Marx, Cameron Hooper, Anaru Tupuhi, Gabriel Wilson, Logan Smith, Teeabo Teeabo, Cameron Woods, Austin Singh, Reuben Crawford.

The prefects will be spread over the 8 student councils - Academic, Arts, Community, Cultural, Digital Citizenship (new), Environmental, Sport, Wellbeing.

STAFF LEAVING

This year we farewell six long-serving staff members who collectively have contributed over 98 years of service to this school and to the development of many students.

Mrs Lim – head of Business Studies; **Mr and Mrs Haynes** – canteen managers; **Mr Leffelaar** – Music teacher, stageband director and former Head of Music; **Mr Le Fevre** – art teacher; **Mrs Baker** – enrolments registrar.

As well **Mrs Lawry** is retiring, and **Mrs Edwards** and **Ms Mitchell** have taken up positions out of teaching. **Mr Shen, Mrs Gundersen, Mrs Stewart, Miss Gillingham** and **Mr Gardener** have secured new positions in other schools while **Mrs Tipene** – assistant principal – is on study leave and **Mr Wilson** and **Mrs Stutzman** are each taking refreshment leave.

We thank each for their outstanding and wide-ranging contributions to our school, our students and their families and we wish them well and relaxation in their new ventures.

This number of staff who are leaving represents a significant loss of experience and expertise from our school. However, despite the current shortage of secondary teachers, the response to our advertisements has been very positive and, at this stage, new staff have been appointed to all but three of the positions being vacated and it is expected that the remaining appointments will be made before the start of school next year.

KEY DATES FOR 2018

January 10 (approx)	NCEA results released by NZQA
Monday 22 January	Year 12 and 13 students timetables available for checking online via the Edge app
Thursday 25 January	9am Year 13 Peer Support Training 10am Year 12s with gaps in their timetable – course selection 1pm Year 13s with gaps in their timetable – course selection
Monday 29 January	Auckland Anniversary Day
Tuesday 30 January	Teacher Only Day
Wednesday 31 January	8:40 am All Year 9 and other new students, plus all year 13 students start Note: Buses run at normal times (leaving at 3:35 pm)
Thursday 1 February	8:40 am Remaining students start (i.e. year 10, 11 and 12) All students will need swimming, athletics and e-learning gear today.

MĀORI ACHIEVEMENT CELEBRATIONS

Logan Soole Whare Hiku Memorial Award for Whaikoorero (pictured above).

Sally Rickard Top All Round Māori Student - Year 13 (pictured above).

Abigail Johnson Top Year 13 Academic Māori Student - Nga Hau e Wha Trophy.

Devos Horton, Jordan Falepeau Top Māori Boy First equal - Year 13.

Eleanor Cato Top All Round Māori Student - Year 12.

Cameron Johnson Top Māori Boy - Year 12.

Clarissa Taylor Leadership in Tikanga Māori.

Bella Perham Top Māori Girl - Year 12.

James Martin Top All Round Māori Student - Year 11.

Jackson Wilcox Top Māori Boy - Year 11

Emily Perry Top Māori Girl - Year 11

Jarney Proctor Leadership in Tikanga Māori - Year 11.

Javan French Top Māori Boy - Year 10.

Jacob Shaw Top Māori Boy - Year 9.

Veronica Bagley Top Māori Girl - Year 10.

Malia Carter Top Māori Girl - Year 9.

WHARE WAANANGA OPENING DAWN CEREMONY

We warmly invite our community to the opening dawn ceremony for our Whare Waananga.

Date: Saturday 16 December 2017.

Time: 4.45am gather outside the school, by Gate 1 on Harris Street.

Nau mai, haere mai.

Any inquiries please contact Amy Tipene
ti@pukekohehigh.school.nz

SCHOOL OFFICE HOURS

School Office closed
12:00 pm 14 December 2017

School Office open
9:00 am – 3:00 pm 22 January 2018

UNIFORM SHOP HOURS 2018

UNIFORM GROUP manage and supply the Pukekohe High School onsite uniform shop. phone: 237 0117 x267

January

22 / 23 / 24 / 25	M / T / W / T	9:00 am - 3:30 pm
26	Fri	9:00 am - 2:00 pm
29	Anniversary	Closed
30 / 31	Tue / Wed	8:00 am - 12:30 pm

February

1 / 2	Thu / Fri	8:00 am - 12:30 pm
5	Mon	8:00 am - 12:30 pm
6	Waitangi Day	Closed
7 / 8 / 9	W / T / F	8:00 am - 12:30 pm
12	Mon	8:00 am - 10:00 am
13	Tue	1:45 pm - 2:30 pm
14	Wed	10:50 am - 12:50 pm
15	Thu	1:45 pm - 2:30 pm
16	Fri	1:45 pm - 2:30 pm

Here is the link to our uniform information:

<http://pukekohehigh.ultranet.school.nz/WebSpace/1558/>

Your uniform can be purchased online from <http://phs.uniformgroup.co.nz> or from the onsite school uniform shop. Shop opening hours, uniform prices and uniform regulations are all published on the Uniform Group website.

Stationery Lists:

Stationery lists for all year levels are posted on our website pukekohehigh.school.nz. These are also available at our Student Centre and The Warehouse Stationery.

e-Learning @ Pukekohe High School:

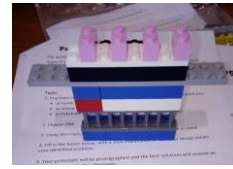
School recommendations for a suitable BYOD are on our website pukekohehigh.school.nz under the tab e-Learning, and on our stationery lists. Students will be using devices from the first day of school. Our local suppliers - Noel Leeming and Harvey Norman, and online suppliers PB Tech, are familiar with the best devices for Pukekohe High School.

'Step-Up to Year 10' Programme:

Year 9 students had a week with a difference, focussing on the future and the skills they need to get the most out of Year 10. One challenge which showed team work, problem solving and innovation, was the Lego Challenge. Winning designs included solutions to child abuse, starvation and the housing shortage.



Child Abuse Reporting Toy



Underground Housing



Starvation



TE ARA POUTAMA

This year we had 26 different camp groups of Year 10 students who got involved in our end of year Te Ara Poutama journeys.

These camps were student-led and organised, but were made possible by the hard working staff and parents who accompanied the groups and assisted the students on their various activities.

Groups based themselves all around the upper North Island for the week, with locations varying from as close to home as Pukekohe High School, and as far away as Lake Taupo.



START OF YEAR 2018

SCHOOL OFFICE HOURS

School office opens 22 January 9:00 am to 3:00pm

Normal office hours 30 January 8:00 am to 4:30pm

NEW ENROLMENTS

An enrolment package is available from the school office. Interview times will be arranged by phone.

START DATES FOR THE NEW SCHOOL YEAR

Thursday 25 January

9.00-12 noon	Year 13 Leadership Event
12 noon	BBQ lunch for Year 13 provided
10-12 noon	Year 12 course confirmation for those with issues
1pm-3pm	Year 13 course confirmation for those with issues

Tuesday 30 January Staff Only Day

Wednesday 31 January (all new students, including Year 9, plus Year 13)

8:45	Students to VF classes
3:00	Bus students to hall. Local students may go home
3:35	Buses depart – normal routes

Thursday 1 February (whole school)

8:40 Vertical Form time
Students in house groups for the day
Rotating around: ID photos, swimming prelims, athletics prelims, e-learning (togs, phys ed gear and device needed)

3:25 Day ends
3:35 Buses depart – normal routes

Friday 2 February (whole school)

8:40 Vertical Form classes
Normal timetabled classes

TERM DATES 2018

Term 1	Wednesday 31 January to Friday 13 April
Term 2	Monday 29 April to Friday 5 July
Term 3	Monday 22 July to Friday 27 September
Term 4	Monday 14 October to Friday 12 December

UNIFORM SHOP HOURS – 09 237 0117 x267 Information line (outside of school hours use John Street entrance) AND **STATIONERY LISTS** are both on www.pukekohehigh.school.nz

Feedback

The school would appreciate feedback from parents, guardians and students on items in this newsletter or on other school issues that you wish to raise. Send your comments to feedback@pukekohehigh.school.nz

Year 10 Excellence Awards

Name	Surname	Subject	Award
Ethan	Adams	Excellence in Year 10 Drama	
Ashley	Armstrong	Excellence in Year 10 Social Studies	
Zachary	Avis	Excellence in Year 10 Science	
Maese	Baroko	Excellence in Year 10 Music	
Matthew	Brady	Excellence in Year 10 Science	
Annelise	Brebner	Excellence in Year 10 Social Studies	
Kaylee	Brooks	Excellence in Year 10 Food Technology	
Nicky	Brooks	Excellence in Year 10 Social Studies	
Reannah	Brown	Excellence in Year 10 Art	
Raniya	Buksh	Excellence in Year 10 Art	
Vincent	Bunning	Excellence in Year 10 Physical Education and Health	
Kayla	Buzeika	Excellence in Year 10 Food Technology	
Ethan	Campbell	Excellence in Year 10 Drama	
Kukenga	Chiyesu	Excellence in Year 10 English	
Chelsea	De Kock	Excellence in Year 10 Social Studies	
Bri	Doherty-Lawson	Excellence in Year 10 English	
Alice	Farrell	Excellence in Year 10 Art	
Danny	Fong	Excellence in Year 10 Science	
Blake	Fryer	Excellence in Year 10 English	
Tylah	Galvin	Excellence in Year 10 Art	
Connor	Gavin	Excellence in Year 10 Drama	
Christian	Grant	Excellence in Year 10 Science	
Tessa-Jane	Hamill	Excellence in Year 10 Art	
Kaitlin	Hansen	Excellence in Year 10 Fabric Technology	
Sophie	Harker	Excellence in Year 10 Art	
Raymond	Huang	Excellence in Year 10 Technology	
Holly	Jones	Excellence in Year 10 Drama	
Ramanjeet	Kaur	Excellence in Year 10 Food Technology	
Ryan	Kellas	Excellence in Year 10 Science	
Chloe	Ling	Excellence in Year 10 Music	
Victoria	Lowe	Excellence in Year 10 Art	
Amberleigh	Maartens	Excellence in Year 10 Art	
Ella	Madden	Excellence in Year 10 Social Studies	
Melody	Manga	Excellence in Year 10 Drama	

Eden	Marr	Excellence in Year 10 Technology	
Ella	Martin	Excellence in Year 10 Fabric Technology	
Bridget	McCrum	Excellence in Year 10 Physical Education and Health	
Casey	Morgan	Excellence in Year 10 Art	
Jet	Moyle	Excellence in Year 10 Business Studies	
Blaise	Nathan	Excellence in Year 10 Te Reo Māori	
Luke	Nicklin	Excellence in Year 10 Rural Science	
Eric	Nielsen	Excellence in Year 10 Drama	
Ploy	Nisaiyok	Excellence in Year 10 Art	
Joseph	Perry	Excellence in Year 10 Te Reo Māori	
Whitiora	Purua	Excellence in Year 10 Art	
Whido	Retitaake	Excellence in Year 10 Art	
Hannah	Ritchie	Excellence in Year 10 Digital Information Technology	
Sam	Robertson	Excellence in Year 10 Technology	
Lutila	Seymour	Excellence in Year 10 Art	
Simran	Singh	Excellence in Year 10 Art	
Bella	Small	Excellence in Year 10 Art	
Eli	Smith	Excellence in Year 10 Science	
Frima	Tauraoi	Excellence in Year 10 Drama	
Claire	Thomas	Excellence in Year 10 Social Studies	
Xavier	Troon	Excellence in Year 10 Physical Education and Health	
Nicholas	van der Vegte	Excellence in Year 10 Science	
Kavi	van Dijk	Excellence in Year 10 Science	
Sarah	Wekking	Excellence in Year 10 Design and Visual Communication	
Ben	Wellstood	Excellence in Year 10 Physical Education and Health	
Chloe	Wilcox	Excellence in Year 10 Food Technology	
Salma	Allahyar	Excellence in Year 10 Digital Information Technology and ESOL	
Jego	Amio	Excellence in Year 10 Art and Science	
Caleb	Buckley	Excellence in Year 10 English and French	
Xavier	Burger	Excellence in Year 10 Drama and English	
Isabella	Christoffersen	Excellence in Year 10 Digital Information Technology and Social Studies	
Blake	Elliott	Excellence in Year 10 Art and Physical Education and Health	
Callum	Farmer	Excellence in Year 10 Science and Social Studies	
Javan	French	Excellence in Year 10 English and Science	
Seth	Green	Excellence in Year 10 Drama and French	
Brosnan	Han	Excellence in Year 10 Business Studies and Science	
Gurnoor	Kaur	Excellence in Year 10 English and French	
Amber	Knight	Excellence in Year 10 Art and English	

Paige	Livingstone	Excellence in Year 10 Digital Information Technology and Physical Education and Health	
Carson	Loveday	Excellence in Year 10 Mathematics and Science	
Kaycee	Nelson	Excellence in Year 10 Art and Food Technology	
Taryn	Norris	Excellence in Year 10 Art and Physical Education and Health	
Hannah	Nunes	Excellence in Year 10 Art and Drama	
Emma-Rose	Sears	Excellence in Year 10 Art and Social Studies	
Simran	Singh	Excellence in Year 10 Business Studies and Science	
Joyce	Singh	Excellence in Year 10 English and Physical Education and Health	
Jessica	van der Loos	Excellence in Year 10 Design and Visual Communication and Science	
Jonathan	Westlake	Excellence in Year 10 English and Physical Education and Health	
Justyce	Whareaitu-Taewa	Excellence in Year 10 Art and Te Reo Māori	
Connor	Williams	Excellence in Year 10 Art and Science	
Veronica	Bagley	Excellence in Year 10 Music, Science and Social Studies	
Amrinder	Chhatwal	Excellence in Year 10 English, Food Technology and Science	
Meika	Curtis	Excellence in Year 10 English, Physical Education and Health and Rural Science	
Byron	Goldsack	Excellence in Year 10 English, Science and Social Studies	
Savannah	Hill	Excellence in Year 10 Art, English and Social Studies	
Amber-Lee	Kelliher	Excellence in Year 10 Drama, Physical Education and Health and Social Studies	
Emily	Liu	Excellence in Year 10 Art, Japanese and Science	
Keegan	Neate	Excellence in Year 10 Rural Science, Science and Social Studies	
Gemma	O'Connor	Excellence in Year 10 Art, Business Studies and Social Studies	
Cassi	Pitsillides	Excellence in Year 10 English, Food Technology and Social Studies	
India	Potton	Excellence in Year 10 Art, Food Technology and Social Studies	
Skylar	Ryan	Excellence in Year 10 Art, English and Food Technology	
Cody	Tuhaka	Excellence in Year 10 Digital Information Technology, English and Science	
Joely	Wardle-Stead	Excellence in Year 10 Art, English and Social Studies	
Mikayla	Younger	Excellence in Year 10 Art, Rural Science and Science	
Ella	Barwick	Excellence in Year 10 Art, English, Music and Social Studies	
Poppy	Gibson	Excellence in Year 10 Art, Design and Visual Communication, English and Social Studies	
Kara	Irwin	Excellence in Year 10 Business Studies, Digital Information Technology, English and Social Studies	
Katy	Jellyman	Excellence in Year 10 Art, English, Food Technology and Social Studies	

Charlotte	Newman	Excellence in Year 10 Digital Information Technology, Drama, English and Social Studies	
Richard	Petty	Excellence in Year 10 Art, English, Music and Science	
Stephanie	Reynecke	Excellence in Year 10 Drama, English, Physical Education and Health and Social Studies	
Brayden	Riggs	Excellence in Year 10 English, Physical Education and Health, Science and Social Studies	
Olivia	Roberts	Excellence in Year 10 English, Food Technology, Physical Education and Health and Social Studies	
Abby	Verrenkamp	Excellence in Year 10 Food Technology, Japanese, Physical Education and Health and Science	
Meg	Stevens	Excellence in Year 10 Business Studies, English, Food Technology, Physical Education and Health, Science and Social Studies	
Brianna	Grant	School Value Award – Community	Brianna is a member of both the Junior Girls and Senior Girls; Basketball teams, and is a referee for all grades. She has represented Franklin in the sport also. She is a valued member of our school senior concern band, the wind band and with them performed in the KBB music festival. She has participated in the 40 Hour famine and is seen as a future leader of the school. Brianna exemplifies the value we place on community at Pukekohe High School.
Keegan	Neate	School Value Award - Respect	Keegan goes out of his way to be helpful, providing extra voluntary work in the Horticulture Compound. He will go above and beyond what needs to be done in class. He is described as being very respectful to all other students and supportive of staff.

			Keegan's mature attitude means that he exemplifies the value we place on respect at Pukekohe High School.
Stephanie	Reynecke	School Value Award - Community	Stephanie is described as having a superb attitude, showing positivity, warmth, and enthusiasm for all that she undertakes. She has been on the well-being council, participated in the Relay for Life team, was a student ambassador for enrolment events, participated in the 40 hour famine and is a Duke of Edinburgh Bronze candidate. Stephanie is in the Football girls 2 nd XI team, who finished 6 th in a senior B grade competition. Stephanie exemplifies the value we place on community at Pukekohe High School.
Kayla	Havinga	Excellence in Year 10 English, Science and Social Studies	Tenth overall in Year 10 core subjects
Kyla	Fisher	Excellence in Year 10 English, Japanese, Science and Social Studies	Ninth overall in Year 10 core subjects
Olivia	Fausett	Excellence in Year 10 Business Studies, English, Mathematics, Physical Education and Health, Science and Social Studies	Eighth overall in Year 10 core subjects
Maddy	Hawkins	Excellence in Year 10 English, Mathematics, Science and Social Studies	Seventh overall in Year 10 core subjects
Alex	Coleman-Chaiman	Excellence in Year 10 Business Studies, Digital Information Technology, English, Mathematics, Physical Education and Health, Science and Social Studies	Sixth overall in Year 10 core subjects
Ayla	Johnstone	Excellence in Year 10 Drama, English, Mathematics, Science and Social Studies	Fifth overall in Year 10 core subjects
Camlyn	Allen	Excellence in Year 10 Business Studies (1 st equal in Year 10), English, Mathematics, Music, Science and Social Studies	Fourth overall in Year 10 core subjects

Abbie	Reid	Excellence in Year 10 Art, Business Studies (1 st equal in Year 10), English, Mathematics, Science and Social Studies	Second overall in Year 10 core subjects
Abbie	Reid		Junior Gold Diploma Fifth in Year 10
Olivia	Fausett		Junior Gold Diploma Fourth in Year 10
Jenna	Lowe		Junior Gold Diploma Third in Year 10
Camlyn	Allen		Junior Gold Diploma Second in Year 10
Ella	Barwick		Junior Gold Diploma First in Year 10
Callum	Farmer		Ken Hemopo Shield Best All Round Sporting Achievement
Amberleigh	Maartens		Progress on a Brass Instrument
Kukenga	Chiyesu		Winner of Year 10 Speech Competition
Jenna	Lowe	Excellence in Year 10 Business Studies, English, Japanese, Mathematics, Science and Social Studies Gerard Brady Memorial Award for All-Round Excellence in Year 10	Third overall in Year 10 core subjects
Annaliese	Duke	Excellence in Year 10 Art, Design and Visual Communication, English, Mathematics, Science and Social Studies Bill Barnaby Memorial Award for Academic Excellence in Year 10	First overall in Year 10 core subjects