



K Headlines KAIPARA

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ANZAC Day

Student Leaders placed 30 miniature crosses with the names of New Zealanders killed in the wars of the last 100 years on the lawn in front of the Student Centre on Monday. Behind them are small editions of the information boards now up around Helensville.

On Wednesday there was a special assembly to mark the Centenary of Anzac Day. Four of the Student Leaders read names of community men killed in World War I.

On the rear wall of the College hall is the Roll of Honour that lists the 130 former students who served in World War II. To make ANZAC Day more personal for students they were told the story of one of the boys on the Roll, Robert Birnie, one of fourteen former students who were killed during the war. Robert died when his Wellington bomber was shot down over Normandy on 9 January 1942. He has no close descendants to remember him. His story is remembered by the squadron he flew for and by the French boys who saw the bomber crash and were compelled to help at the crash site.

College students will be at the Anzac dawn service at Parakai at 5.40am and at the Helensville Parade at 11.00am.

We will remember them



Robert Birnie, aged 14, in Form 3 (Year 9) at the All Black test at Eden Park in 1931 with his black and white rosette on his lapel.



Pilot Officer Robert Birnie, aged 24, in front of his Wellington bomber of 458 Squadron shortly before his death.

Musicians Score First in World Cup

Kaipara College students Josh Somervell and Beth Stewart came 1st equal in the Fifa U-20 song writing competition with their original composition 'All For You'. They were awarded the opportunity to record their song at Neil Finn's prestigious Roundhead Studios along with a \$250 Rockshop voucher. The song will be used to promote the Fifa Under-20s Soccer World Cup which begins at the end of May. It will also appear on the 2015 Play It Strange CD. The judges remarked, "It's great that young songwriters are reaching new heights of excellence."



Try reading this

Matched by Ally Condie

On her 17th birthday, Cassia meets her match. Society dictates, he is her perfect partner for life. Except he is not...Do you like a book about defying society? Well then this would be the book for you. Book 1 of a trilogy.



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very much**

Sports News

DRAW: Starting Tuesday 28 April

HOCKEY

Thursday 30th April

Girls 1stXI vs Kristin 2XI 6.15pm Kristin Turf

Friday 1st May

Girls 2nd XI vs Wentworth College Friday 1st May;

Kaipara vs Wentworth 5.10pm on Harbour 2

NETBALL

Tuesday 28th April

9A vs WGHS 3 5.35pm Court 20

9B vs Orewa 3 4.45pm Court 6

Senior 2, 3 & 4 start Saturday 2nd May

Draw available on the Netball North Harbour website on Friday 24th April.

FOOTBALL

Girls teams start Wednesday 6th May

Boys team start Saturday 9th May

BASKETBALL

Boys teams

U15BL2 start at AUT Wednesday 6th May

U17 BL3 & U19 BL2 start Thursday 7th May at NSEC

RUGBY

All Boys teams start Saturday 2nd May

Netball Win



Our Senior 1 Netball has had a great start to their season. The team played in the Auckland pre season tournament on Sunday 19 April. They won four games and drew one!

vs 1Baradene Yr 10	28-15	win
vs Takapuna 1	24-24	draw
vs Westlake 3	20-10	win
vs Baradene Senior A	29-10	win
vs One Tree Hill Senior	27-14	win

Congratulations!

Driving Skills Reminder

Defensive Driving Course

7–9pm on three Wednesdays: 6 May, 13 May and 20 May.
\$175. Students and community members welcome

Rotary Youth Driver Awareness Day

Lift your driving skills and learn how to make good decisions while driving.

This is a free whole day course for Year 12 students supported by the Rotary Organisation.

Return permission slips to the Careers Centre as soon as possible, please.

Contact: Claire Couch (09) 420 8640 Extn 835

Another Waka Ama Title

The Waka Ama Long Distance Nationals were held at Marsden Cove next to the Whangarei Heads last weekend. Juniors paddled 12kms, seniors 30kms. Our U19 Girls' crew, Hakuna Matata, were one of twenty crews in the U19 division. Despite a slow start, they gained the lead at the 6km mark and never lost it, winning in a time of 1hour 9 minutes. Another title to their name!

Congratulations!

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COMING UP

27 April	Monday	Anzac Day Holiday
13-18 May	Weds-Sat	Senior Drama Production: "The Seagull"
1 June	Monday	Queen's Birthday
2-5 June	Tues-Fri	Exam Week for Years 12 & 13
15 June	Friday	RockQuest
26 June	Friday	School Ball
3 July	Friday	End of Term 2

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