



K Headlines KAIPARA

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Student Volunteers at National Children's Day Out

Last Sunday, Helensville Women and Family Centre took part in the nation wide Children's Day Out. Essentially the event is designed to highlight local services available to young families. There were also many fun activities available for the children who were in the under twelve age group. A group of Kaipara College senior students volunteered to help out. Arriving early in the day, they helped set up the activities and at the end they were there to clean and pack up. In between times they helped with many of the fun activities for the children. College Social Worker Tracey Roberts, who also works for the Helensville Women and Family Centre, commented on the enthusiasm the Kaipara Students displayed. "They were all positive, very helpful and fully involved from start to finish." she stated. This is the second year senior students, mostly Peer Support Leaders and members of the college branch of Young Leos, have helped out at the Children's Day Out. Well done folks – everyone loves a volunteer!



Above: Volunteers at Children's Day Out. (Thought you had to be under 12 to go on the bouncy castle).

NCEA

By now, all senior students should have received a small pamphlet for NZQA titled, **Information for students and their parents, whanau or caregivers for 2014 NCEA Qualifications**. It contains important entry and exam information. Please make sure your child has been given one of these pamphlets. If you have not receive the pamphlet please contact the school and we will send one to you. Invoices showing what subjects and standards your child has entered plus the cost and important dates for payment will be issued in early April.

Lost Property

There has recently been an upsurge of students leaving personal property on school buses. Three important matters arise:

- All student property should be clearly labelled with the student's name.
- Students must take responsibility for the security of their own property.
- While the college will make all practical efforts to help find and return property left on the buses, they will not accept responsibility for it.

Bus drivers have been instructed in future to collect any student property left on buses at the end of the day and deliver it to the college where it can be identified and picked up by the owners.

Whatever happened to Claire Lancaster? (Kaipara College 2001 - 2005)

Claire, ex-Head Girl, left Kaipara with NCEA Level 3, University Entrance and an AUT Vice Chancellor's Scholarship for Academic Excellence, all tucked firmly under her arm. She enrolled in AUT where she completed a Bachelor of Communication Studies majoring in Public Relations. From there she joined Pead PR, a brand building public relations agency as a junior account executive. She has since worked her way up in the same firm, to be Senior Account Manager with their food and beverage team. On the home front, Claire has recently become engaged, (to Caleb – wedding in 2015 – just thought you might be interested) and has recently moved into their new home on the Te Atatu Peninsula.



SPORTS NEWS

DRAW: Starting Monday 24 March

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| TENNIS | | | |
| | | Monday 24 March | |
| Boys 1 | v Westlake 9 | Raut Park | 3.45pm |
| Boys 2 | v Birkenhead 2 | Raut Park | 3.45pm |
| Girls 1 | v Pinehurst | Albany TP | 3.45pm |
| Girls 2 | v bye | | |

RESULTS: Starting Monday 17 March

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| TENNIS | | | |
| | | Monday 17 March | |
| Boys 1 | v Pinehurst 4 | 6-0 | win |

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| TENNIS | | | |
| | | Monday 17 March | |
| Girls 1 | v Westlake 2 | 2-4 | loss |
| Girls 2 | v St Marys | 6-0 | win |
| TOUCH MIXED | | | |
| | | Tuesday 18 March | |
| Senior 1 | v Mahurangi A | 3-5 | loss |
| Runners-up NHSS Mixed Touch. This team has qualified for the Regionals on Saturday 22 March. | | | |
| Senior 2 | v Birkenhead | 4-5 | loss |
| 8th place NHSS Mixed Touch | | | |

Kaipara Tumbles Records at North Harbour Secondary Schools Athletics Meet
 Under a hot sunny sky Kaipara athletes broke three NHSS records, one which had stood for over twenty years. Chicayne Pryor broke the 300m junior boys record twice, once in his heat and then again winning the final in 39.78 seconds. Malia Hemeheema broke the junior girls javelin record with a throw of 24.97m and Rina Paraone won the junior girls shot-put with a record breaking throw of 8.37m not beaten of more than twenty years. Congratulations to all these fine athletes who have represented Kaipara College so well.



Max Dakin



Chicayne Pryor



Emily Stroobant



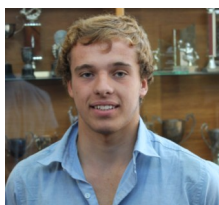
Anna Steele



Georgia Logan

PB for Billy

Head Boy, Billy Bowman swam a personal best of 2.24 minutes for 200 metres butterfly at the recent New Zealand Swimming Club Championships held in Hamilton. His time which was a very credible 6 seconds faster than his previous time placed him second in this event winning him a well deserved silver medal at the meeting.



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From the Sick Bay

At its worst, influenza can put you in hospital and can even be fatal. In many cases, influenza can keep you in bed for a week or two, and drain your energy keeping you from work, sport or just about anything that requires leaving the house. For adults and children with long-term health conditions, pregnant women and people aged 65 years and older, influenza can be an especially serious illness. For this reason the influenza immunisation is usually provided FREE to these groups. Check with your local Doctors.



COMING UP

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| 24-28 | March | Week 8 | Waka Ama Nationals (Rotorua) |
| 2 | April | Wednesday | Pathway Reporting Day – full school day and evening |
| 8 | April | Tuesday | College Golf Championships |
| 9, 10, 11, 12 | April | | Senior Drama Performance (Evenings) |
| 16 | April | Wednesday | Last day of Term 1 for students |
| 17 | April | Thursday | Teacher Only Day End of Term 1 |

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