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***Yearbook
2000***



YEAR BOOK 2000

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A very special thanks to Sandra Umaki for all her time and effort in producing the Sports Section of the Year Book.

I appreciate your help this year very much.

And lastly thank you to my family who, for the past three years, have put up with me being stressed out and unavailable for two months of each year and who have willingly helped out more at home to give me the time I needed to get the book together. This is definitely the last time!

I wish my successor all the best for future productions.

Mrs Standen
Chairperson
Year Book Committee



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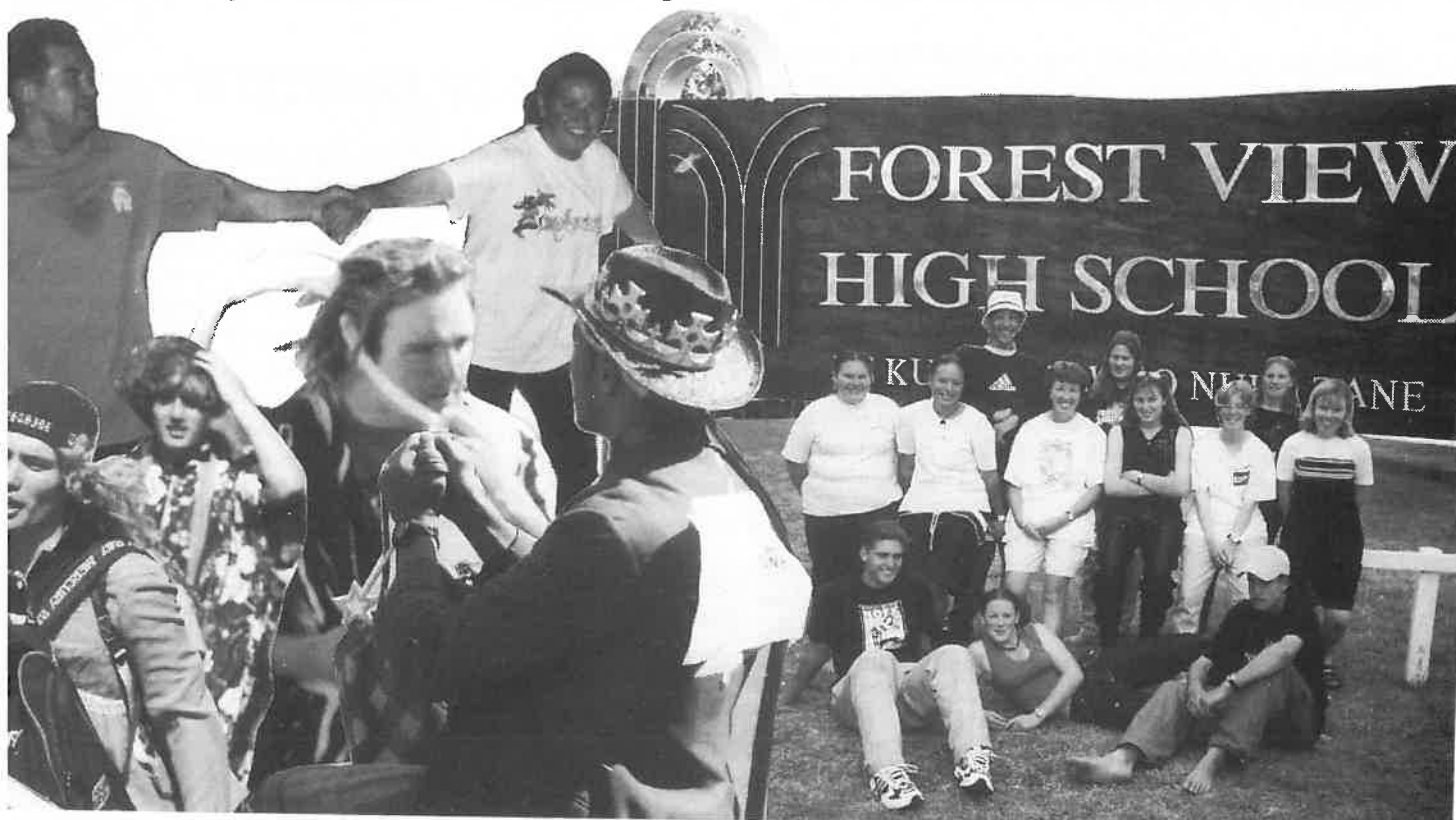
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PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Cultural learning and understanding has long been an important part of education at Forest View High School. Over the years many FVHS students have spent a year overseas with AFS, and just as many families have taken the advantage of hosting AFS students in their homes. Next year we have 10 students heading off to different parts of the world for their "experience of a lifetime".

In recent years we have also developed a close relationship with two schools in Japan. Forest View and Tokoroa High School have had a formal "sister-school exchange" with Kurayoshi Agricultural High School since 1996. FVHS actually had its first exchange with Kurayoshi in 1994. Misato Kita High School has also visited FVHS five times; twice in 1997 and once each year since then.

During the Term 3 holidays I was fortunate to visit both Kurayoshi and Misato Kita. Both schools were extremely hospitable and made sure I had a wonderful time. Misato Kita High School is in Saitama Prefecture, one hour north of Tokyo. The school is in a city area, still really an extension of Tokyo city. There were four adults and three students in our group, and our hosts went out of their way to show us around and give us a real taste of Japanese life. I visited Kurayoshi on my own. This school is in Saitama Prefecture, on the western end of Honshu Island. It's in a wealthier, rural area. The school grounds were beautiful, with flowers, vegetables, fruit and dairy farming sections. The surrounding district was also beautiful and I saw rice fields being harvested, mountains and springs. The hospitality I received was unforgettable. FVHS students who have visited Japan have really enjoyed the experience and remember the kindness and hospitality of the people. I'm sure that our Forest View families who host students also provide an enjoyable experience for their guests, and I'd like to take this opportunity to thank you all for this.

Continuing on the cultural front, congratulations to our Performing Arts groups who had a successful trip to Dargaville this year, and to the Production cast and crew for "Murder at the Music Hall" which had a very successful season.

This has been an excellent year for Forest View Rugby. A major highlight for the year was when our 1st XV won the Tricolour Trophy off St John's College on 5th August. This is a very prestigious trophy and is generally held by the top rugby schools in the Waikato. The French Rugby Team first presented it in 1961. FVHS first held the trophy in 1982. It was a big day when our team won it off Church College, with Mark Cawood as captain and Ian Foster as 1st five-eight. The school held the trophy several times in 1985, 1986 and 1987. The team included well-known rugby players Jason Goldsmith and Jamie Cameron, plus Nooroa Manu and Simon Williamson who still have connections with the school. It was last held by FVHS in 1989, with Steven Franklin as captain. Congratulations to the 2000 team with Braden MacPherson as captain.

Our other rugby teams have also had an excellent season, particularly the under 15 team who won their Waikato Secondary Schools Championship, the Under 14 team who

were runners-up in the Waikato, and our FVHS-THS combined Girls team who were joint champions. Congratulations to all of these teams, and to all of the other codes again. Forest View has had excellent participation, results and fairplay. Fairplay has been a major emphasis at FVHS this year, with our banner proudly displayed at sports fixtures and our students "living the principles" – we surely deserve to be a finalist in 'Fairplay School of the Year'. We have also been designated as a 'Sportsmark' school because of our organization and development in this area.

Each year the Multi-Serve Education Trust honours 30 teachers in New Zealand who have given excellent service 'beyond the call of duty' and this year we are proud to say that Mrs Heather Williamson has received one of these awards. Mrs Williamson has given 25 years of service to the students of FVHS as well as being involved in Netball up to National level, and leading the Information Technology Department in a time of huge change to make it one of the leading departments in New Zealand in this subject area. Mrs Williamson is one of the many teachers at FVHS who work hard to meet the needs of our students.

Congratulations to our many students who continue to achieve academically. We are looking forward to an excellent set of external examination results this year, and our present students moving on to success in our new century!



BOARD OF TRUSTEES

At the start of the new millennium, this magazine gives us an insight into the talent and creativity of FVHS students.

The academic, sporting and cultural achievements of our students displayed in these pages is very rewarding especially for the school Trustees who spend time and effort resourcing and maintaining the school to the highest possible standards and for the wider community. We appreciate the very substantial support and goodwill of parents and caregivers, the professionalism and enthusiasm of the teaching staff and the efficiency and friendliness of the school's support staff. We thank Mr Blucher and his senior administration for their excellent leadership.

Congratulations to the students of FVHS for another fulfilling year. We are proud of your successes and we would encourage you all to achieve to the best of your ability, for in your efforts you will find satisfaction and will develop skills for a lifetime.

Ian Kirkby
Chairperson

HEAD GIRL

I knew that 2000 was going to be a big year for me when I took on the role of Head Girl, but in hindsight, I really had no idea.

The role of Head Girl has brought with it many challenges and new experiences for me. Speaking at Assembly was rather daunting at first, and took quite a while to get used to. Chairing the School Council with Ben has been an experience that I have really enjoyed. It was a good opportunity to further my leadership skills, and make positive changes in the school.

Highlights of this year have included: Helping to welcome Mr Ferguson, meeting Graham Dingle and being involved in some rather "interesting" interviews for the local newspaper!

Being Head Girl has been a great honour for me, and one that I have loved doing. Although at times, I have been forced to make extremely tough decisions, they were made easier by having such a great partner, and I would just like to thank Ben for the great job that he has done this year.

Thank you to everyone who has supported me this year in my role, including our deputies Rachel and Iain, the students, and the teachers who have been there for guidance. To the students of 2000 – I have tried to do my best this year, to represent you and be a positive role model, and I hope that I have achieved this.

Thank you
Katherine Luxford



HEAD BOY

Being Head Boy for the year 2000 was a truly challenging, but ultimately rewarding experience for me. It gave me the opportunity to learn, develop my leadership skills and experience things I never could have if I had not been Head Boy.

The Anzac day morning service was personally a real eye opener. Running 'Council 2000' under the new format was tough, but the team handled it well – I've got to say thanks here to the guys and gals in the student council for all your hard work this year. Speaking in front of the millions...(and millions!) of FVHS students was always fun, and the "fame" that came with the position was a bonus, and always appreciated! Representing the school in the Waitara, Tauhara and Dargaville exchanges was a great honour, and fun as well.

Most importantly, the best thing about being the Head boy was the people. Representing the students of Forest View has been a humbling experience for me, and I've given it 100%. To Katherine, thank you for making the job easier and a whole lot of fun (and yes, there IS a reason I'm Head Boy!) To Iain and Rachel, the deputies and masters of the tuckshop voucher, thanks for all your hard work and 'back-up' this year. To all the teaching staff, thank you for your guidance in helping me be a better Head Boy. Finally, to the millions...and millions of FVHS students I've met over this past year, and in all my years at school, thanks for making this job worth it.

Hopefully I have done my job well enough for you, the students, and fulfilled my promise of becoming "the most electrifying Head Boy in the world today".

"There is no such thing as failure or success - only results".

Ben Tafau



STAFF OF 2000

SENIOR MANAGEMENT

Principal:

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Mr Les Earney Dip Tchg

Asst Dean Maraetai:

Mrs Carleen Blucher TT Cert Dip Relig St

Asst Dean Ohakuri:

To be appointed

Asst Dean Whakamaru:

To be appointed

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Mrs Tapu Potoru, Mrs Julie Barnett, Mrs Rebecca Hoani (TTEC),

Mrs Audrey Uerata (TTEC), Mr Tony Rikona, Mrs Charmaine Riley

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Office Assistant:

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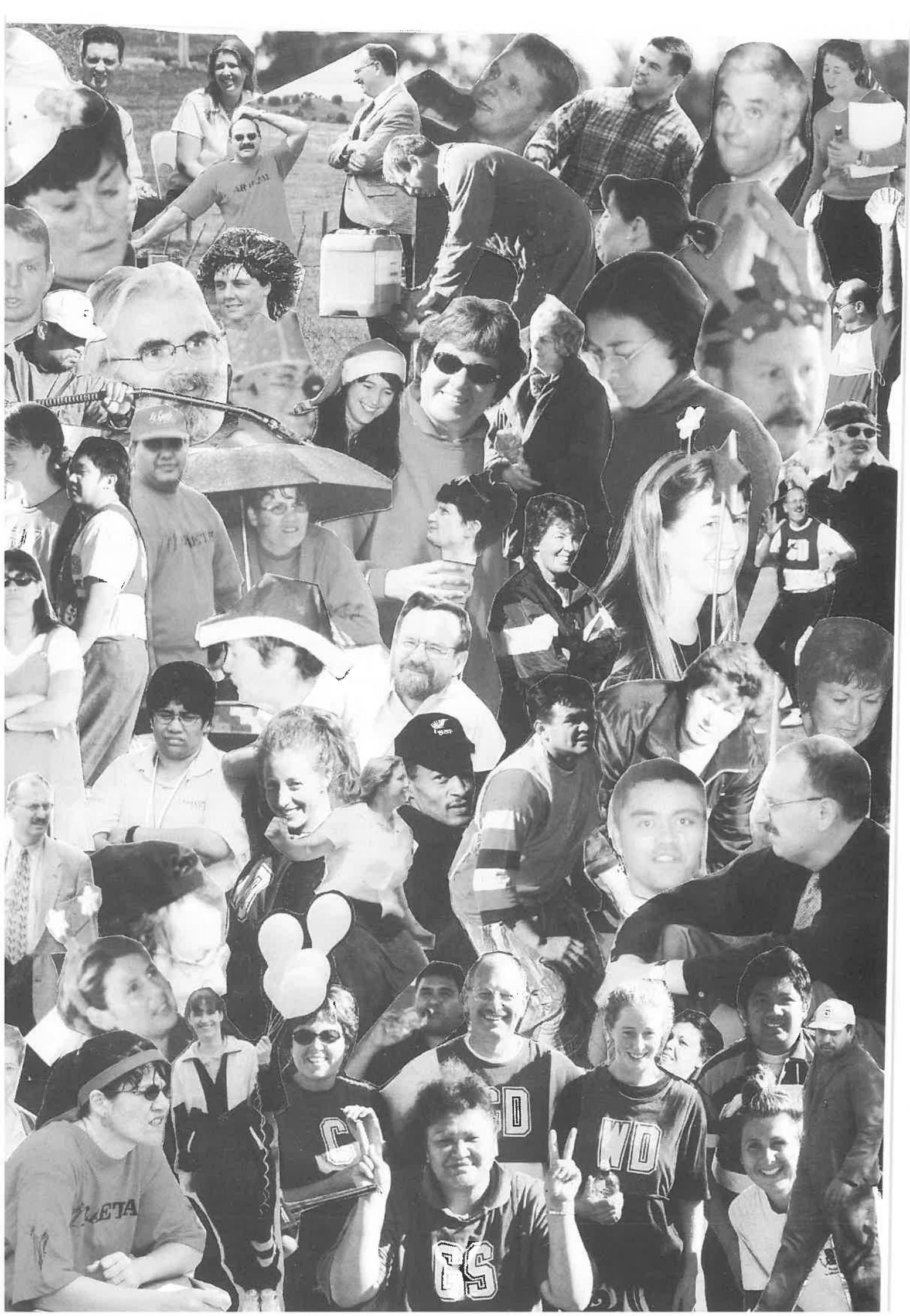
Canteen Manager:

Mrs Jackie MacDonald

Cashier:

Mrs Wendy Ainsley





STAFF NOTES

Once again the millennium has brought the scribe out of time warp to describe and record the deeds of the staff in 2000.

At the commencement of the year we were inundated once again with hordes of little blue people. Very quickly we found that they were not Smurfs nor did some of them have the pleasant attributes that we remember from the days when we could watch TV in peace and quiet. Those days without the stress of NCEA on top of other mundane things like exams, marking, reports, lates, uniform, detentions.....

With new and not so new staff this year we were introduced to many unusual and colourful habits. Ferg's jokes at morning briefing, Jo Hudson's ability to lose the keys and appear at the ball like Cinderella: Maynard and his love of basketball and extended holidays, the Manu's - ditto. Finally Norman Treasurer's reappearance in the guise of a part time staff member but as day months and weeks went by there seemed to be a transmogrification into a full-time, full on super teacher, complete with bandanna. Was this the person who organised those all night report parties attended by Manu and Ford?

Other happenings saw Ms Chemis on leave to begin her family. Ms Crosby follow the sun to the great rugby country of Northland [but without the shield]; and Mr Beaver, ever the surf-bunny type go on a study tour of Australian beaches and return to depart for Tauranga and the Pacific Coast. Mrs Douglas also left us for pastures green. That Ohakuri colour must have got to her. We hear she likes to wear it regularly - Eau de Parfume of Cow Pat.

On the technical side the Super K's improved their camera and art skills in the school printing and photography contest

After the Olympics, whose results are not worth mentioning and the departure of the shield to some obscure South Island team, it is easier to look at the sporting achievements of the staff. Once again the basketball team covered itself with glory, not only playing in style but also winning. The Touch team could hold its head up; assisted by some student support and the Round the Lakes Walkers have begun a tradition of exercise and participation. Though rumour has it that Ms Govan wants to walk with someone slower next time. Always the cheerful and caring voice of Ms Hein has been heard saying words to the effect of 'keep fit or die' or 'get involved you lazy....'

Once again we have lost staff and gained staff as situations have altered through the year. Mrs Scherer, Ms Spencer and Mrs Clarke, are but two of the many who have helped out when staff have been on leave or left. Mrs Manu, Mr Farnsworth, Mr Hemachandra and Mr Woodlock have all been attracted to our climes by the weather, the camaraderie and the sheer delight of our student population at being enlightened with knowledge and learning.

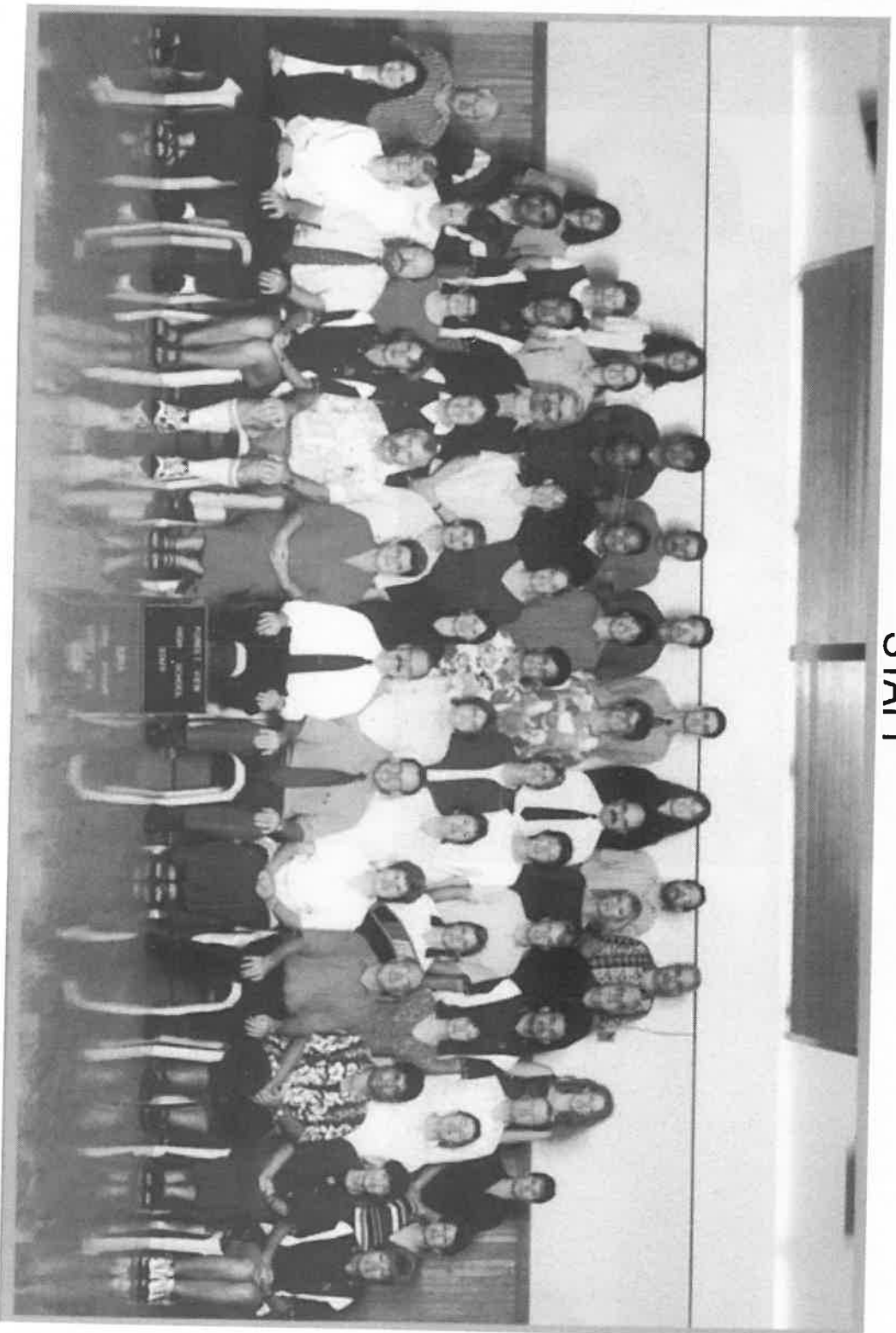
On a more serious note, this year we have missed the presence and vigour of Ms Eivers, who after a very serious car accident has been on leave. We all wish her well in her road to recovery.

There is always much more that could be mentioned and my apologies to those who feel that I have glossed over their triumphs in and out of the classroom (I include here Mr Manu's driving skills). The relievers who came in day by day at Ferg's behest thanks to you as well for reminding us that there is a life outside coffee, lost exam papers and administration deadlines.

But as some one once said, "You have to be born to teach" I think he left out the reference to the degree of sanity required. So have a good break. Enjoy the end of year do organised by Sue and we just might see you next January when the whole life cycle starts over again.



FOREST VIEW HIGH SCHOOL - 2000 STAFF



Back Row:

Mrs K. Standen, Mr M. Erece, Mr K. Jeffs, Mr P. Arthur, Mr J. Knightly, Ms C. Govan, Mr B. Dowdle, Mr K. Haines
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Ms B. Smith

3rd Row:

Mr C. Hakaria, Mr W. Ford, Mr W. Telfer, Mrs C. Blucher, Miss S. Crosby, Mrs A. Sefto, Mrs S. Gibbons, Mrs C. Yukich, Mr J. Beaver, Mr N. Mann,
Mr K. Grounds, Mrs S. Salale

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Mr L. Earney, Mrs R. Paki, Mrs K Watkins, Miss L. Hollis, Mrs A. Deihl, Mrs C. Telfer, Mrs J. Slade, Mrs W. Ainsley, Mrs C. Riley, Mrs M. Mathis,
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Mrs S. Umaki, Mrs R. Sommerville, Ms D. Hein

Absent:

Mr H. Clark, Mrs S. Luxford, Mrs M. Elvers, Mr T. Rikona, Mr G. Leckey, Mr V. Robertson, Mrs E. Lunam, Mr M. Waters, Mrs J. MacDonald, Mrs M. McKenzie,
Mrs T. Potoru, Mr T. Potoru



ARAPUNI HOUSE

Dean:	Mrs Clark
Assistant Dean:	Mr Earney
Leaders:	Amy Tyrrell, Aidan Harrison, Hilary Mathis, Anthony Meacheam
Tutors:	Mrs Standen, Mr Ford, Mr Erece, Mrs Roberts, Mrs Brear, Mr Arthur
Supporters:	Mrs Brown, Ms Watkins, Mrs Gibbons, Mrs Sefo, Mr Jeffs

Arapuni started off the year strongly with a win in Athletics due to excellent performances from our seventh formers Anthony Meacheam and Elizabeth Boss, helped along by our strong junior participants. We were in the race for the Lake Trophy. Awesome Arapuni talent again showed through at the Cross Country with another win and our streak continued with a second placing in the swimming sports.

Well done to our sporting superstars at school, regional and national level, in particular Lucas Daniela who has recently represented New Zealand U18 Rugby League in Australia and Amy Tyrrell who will represent New Zealand at the Oceania Roller Skating Championships. On the intellectual side Ailsa Wilson continued to excel on the piano.

We started this year with four bright, new and enthusiastic leaders, who all got right into the lake spirit and always took part in everything. Aidan - often sporting blue spiked hair, was always persistently encouraging others to take part. Anthony always set an excellent example for others to follow on the sporting field. Hilary was always lively and at the sideline supporting fellow 'Arapunians' and Amy consistently came up with bright ideas to boost lake spirit. The four worked as an excellent team who were well organised and efficient.

We also purchased new gear to boost our lake, like our soft toy shark, wooden shark (thanks Mr Jeffs), a new banner and inflatable sharks for classrooms.

After several years in the desert Arapuni is on the map and heading for the top. All in all a blue sharky feeling is gradually taking over ----- watch out!!!

Every time we blink, we are taking photos of what we see. When we close our eyes at night, they develop in our minds to make our dreams.

What a great perspective on life

Simonne

MARAETAI HOUSE

Acting Dean
Mr B Rothman



Tutors:

Mrs C Blucher (Assistant Dean)

Mr B Dowdle	Ms E Look	Ms J Chemis
Mrs D Manu	Ms L Hollis	Mr N Treasurer
Mr C Hakaria	Mr N Manu	Mr M Woodlock

House leaders:

Frances Bailey Renee Kapoor Renee Metu
Kimberley Wellings

Maraetai's year started like no other and may we express the wish that it will never start again in this manner. At the very beginning of January Ms Teddy Eivers was involved in a horrific traffic accident that left her incapacitated for the rest of this year. We are not quite sure when she will return. A second unfortunate car accident during the July holidays has effectively put Renee Kapoor out of action for the last half of the year. Ill health has had its part to play, leaving Mr Hakaria incapable of taking up all his duties. We also had to do without Ms Chemis's services, but for happier reasons. Her first offspring arrived during the second term. All these people are wished the very best for the future.

No we don't really have that many tutors, only eight. Mrs Manu did Ms Chemis's tutor group while she was away and Mr Treasurer took charge of Mr Hakaria's tutor group during the last half of this year.

This year was also the year in which we had the luxury of an Assistant Dean. Mrs Carleen Blucher most ably fulfilled this role. She was in charge of the very first activity of the year, namely the Peer Support programme.

It is a programme through which Year 9 students are assisted with their integration into Forest View. She also organised our House assemblies and oversaw House Council meetings.

Maraetai did not win all the inter-house competitions, but we took part in all of them. Thanks to those students who did their bit in representing Maraetai. We did, however sport both the Head Girl and the Head Boy for 2000. Our leaders were great in organising Lake day 2000. It was great seeing our students working with those from other Houses.

As we wave 2000 and the start of the millennium farewell and head towards 2001, we wish all of our students who are leaving, all of the very best.

Haere ra.

Butch Rothman
(Acting Dean)



OHAKURI HOUSE

Dean: Mrs R Sommerville

Tutors: Mr D Clark, Mr K Haines, Mrs R Paki, Mr C Rice, Mrs H Williamson, Ms S Crosby/Mr P Hemachandra, Mrs L Douglas / Mr S Farnsworth

Lake Leaders: Melissa Tippet, Naomi Moore, Brook Luxford, Huw Jones (left during year for AFS in USA). A big thankyou to these students for their commitment and excellent effort during the year.

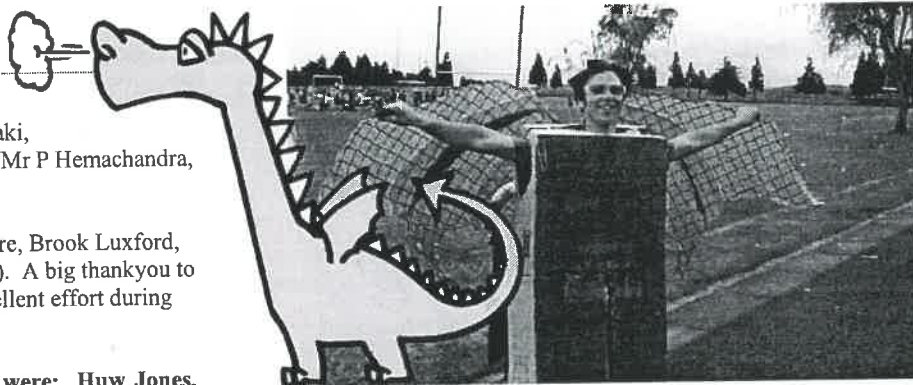
Ohakuri Peer Support Leaders this year were: Huw Jones, Aimee Fuller, Jess Woodley, Melissa Tippet, Brook Luxford, Rebecca Dowdle, Annmarie Farrar, Naomi Moore, Dianne Deihl, Sian Waerea, Sarah-Jane Westbrooke, Mathew Sheldrake, Robert Lamb, Nancy-Jo Tahere, Braden McPherson, Marie Swanson, Lisa Norris, Simone Bridson and Arran Martin. All gave their time willingly during the both Peer Support training and the programme so our 31 new Year 9's were well supported. **Brook Luxford, Huw Jones and Melissa Tippet** were the Sexual Harassment contact students for our Lake.

The Lake Council was formed early in the year and this was made up of the four Lake Leaders along with: **Laura Titjen, Willie McDonald, Rebecca Dowdle, Sarah-Jane Westbrooke, Anita Petero, Luke Kelly, Carlie Yukich, Catherine Sheerin, Lysandra Mani, Talia Henry.** The Lake Leaders along with **Carlie** as the Junior Rep shared the responsibility of attending the School Council and **Brook** was on the Sports Council.

On the sporting scene a number of Ohakuri students reached very high honours at New Zealand level. **Monique Williams** was in the NZ team to the Pan Pacific games in Australia where she gained a gold medal and a place in the team to the Junior World Champs in Chile. **Dianne Deihl** was in the NZ Roller Skating team that went to both the Junior World Champs in the USA and the Oceania Champs where she gained a silver medal. **Peter Petero** represented NZ at the Australian Gymnastics Champs. These students along with **Rebecca Dowdle** all received McDonalds' Scholarships. Rebecca was selected for the NZ Secondary Schools Orchestra. Congratulations for these outstanding efforts. Added to these **Bart Rall** was a NZ champion in gymnastics and **Luke Kelly** competed in the NZ GoKarting Champs.

C14 changed into an Art room for the first big event of the year – Athletics day. Faces and bodies turned green. Out came our dragon mascot and wonderful banner. Our athletes did us proud and we ended the day Runners-Up. **Monique Williams** and **Dominique Yukich** were the Intermediate Champions with **Alesha Winter** being Junior Runner Up. **Monique** and **Talia Henry** went on to represent the Waikato in the North Island Secondary Schools event. We won the Swimming Sports thanks to the great effort of a small number of students. It would be really good to see greater participation next year. **Victoria Gorter, Alesha Winter, Jacob Hale, Alice Joynt, Anna Willoughby, Doug Van Der Molen, Bart Rall, Luke Dixon** all gained Championship placings. It was runner-up again in the Cross Country, with **Huw Jones, Monique Williams** and **Dominic Yukich** each gaining first placings. Well done to all those who participated in each of these event especially to the place winners.

Braden McPherson, James Kamana, Jacob Hale were selected for Waikato Teams in Rugby. **Braden**, along with **Ben Barlow** played provincial Rugby League, **Nancy-Jo Tahere** Netball Under 17 Waikato South team, **Anna Willoughby** was selected for the Bay of Plenty Hockey Under 18 team, **Matthew Gorter** was 2nd in the Year 9 + 10 Waikato Mountain Biking Champs, **Anna Butler** and **Jana Rall** participated in the North Island Secondary Schools Gym Champs.



The Lake Council decided to have our own Ohakuri T Shirt and **Marie Swanson** did a great job on the graphics. The Ohakuri dragon was there for all to see. [Not Mrs Sommerville either!] Lake Day took place in September. After many meetings it was decided that the Lakes would combine to hold a Slave Auction as the main event for the day. Thanks to **Naomi, Brook, Braden** and **Melissa** who were prepared to be sold off to the highest bidder and do whatever it was they had to do! The chop suey and rice to be sold as a fundraiser was ably cooked by our chefs **Talia Henry** and **Lysandra Mani**. Thanks also to Mrs Kelly who organised the wonderful donuts, **Rebecca Dowdle, Melissa Tippet, Lysandra Mani, and Talia Henry** who put in a lot of time to organise the Lakes' Social and **Sarah-Jane Westbrooke** who ably took care of the Mufti money.

On the cultural scene it was great to see **Rebecca Dowdle, Naomi Moore, Luke Dixon, Carlie Yukich, Amber Luxford, Abby Erskine-Shaw, Rebekah Stevens, Jennifer Watts** in the School production and giving so much of their time to make it a success. **Gonzalo Jaramillo** (our Chilean AFSer -who will forget his drumming performance?) and **Luke Kelly** were members of the school band that gave excellent musical backing. **Gonzalo**, as a member of 'Invitro' also qualified for the finals of the Smoke Free Rockquest. **Billie** and **Barbie Aukuso, Emily Mani, Nancy-Jo Tahere** participated in Te Piringatahi whilst **Jerome Tairi, Talia Henry** and **Boulton Campbell** represented us in Polinetia Fa'atasi. **Rebecca Dowdle, Jenni Riley, Abby Erskine-Shaw** and **Jennifer Watts** were in the choir.

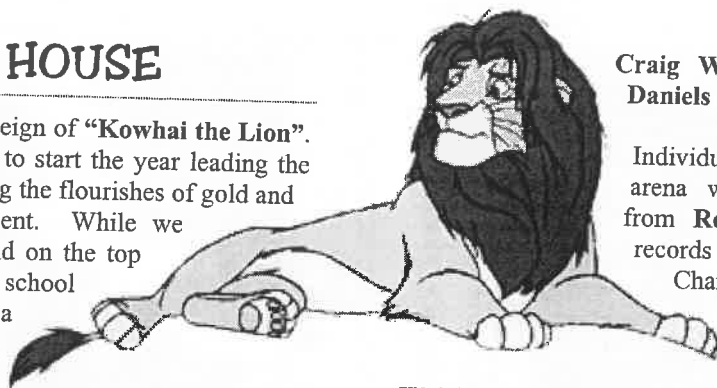
Seeking a global education experience were **Alice Joynt**, a member of the 'Youth to Everest' programme; **Huw Jones** now wowing the girls at his American school and also hopefully working hard to graduate; **Marie Swanson** learning to communicate in French in Canada and **Jerome Tairi** selected by AFS to go to Costa Rica in February.

On the academic scene **Jamie Galloway, Sarah Martin, Catherine Bosely, Laura Titjen, Monique Williams, Mark Veldhuizen** and **Alesha Winter** gained Credit in the Australian Maths, **Catherine** gained a Credit in the Australian English and **Carlie Yukich** gained Credit in the Australian Science Competitions. **Victoria Gorter** and **Elise Millar** represented the school with their Science Fair project whilst **Jordan Pinkerton, Hailey Riche, Barbie Aukuso, Matthew Gorter, Helena van Rijn, Jamie Bryant** and **Alesha Winter** were all commended for their efforts. **Carlie Yukich** and **David Wilson** took part in the Future Problem Solving group. **900** has done very well in the gaining of Merit Awards this year. Well done to all students who participated in these events.

Ohakuri ended 1999 as the overall winners of the Lake Championship, which was great, but this was a hard act to follow. 2000 has been a positive start to the Millennium. Our dragon has breathed fire and we have made our presence felt. Congratulations to all students who have excelled in such a variety of ways and many thanks to all the Ohakuri Staff and students who gave their best in all they did. They continued to help make Ohakuri the Lake that is "TOO HOT TO HANDLE".

WHAKAMARU HOUSE

2000 marked the start of the reign of "Kowhai the Lion". Our new mascot was thrilled to start the year leading the points table and enjoyed seeing the flourishes of gold and yellow at every sporting event. While we struggled to maintain our hold on the top spot through the major school sporting events, we still had a lot of fun trying!



Craig Wilson, Sarah Hoyte, Rhys Daniels and Birgitte Petersen.

Individuals achieved in the sporting arena with Athletics achievements from **Rose Rakei** who broke two records on her way to Senior Girls Champion, came first in 100m and 200m at Mid Islands and second in 100m and 200m at Waikato. **Gareth**

The year started with plenty of leadership in the form of **Rachel Bennion** as Deputy Head Girl; our House Leaders: **Mary Brown, Olivia O'Sullivan, Dean Wilson, Gareth Wright**; our Sexual Harassment Reps, **Rebecca McGrath** and **Gareth Wright**, and the Peer Support Team of **Sheena Aerts, Victoria James, Ben Rankin, Alana Blakemore, Karalee Pakoti, Kiri Ryder, Doug Hosking, Sarah Wilson, Genevieve Edwards, Rosalee Popata, Rebecca McGrath, Anthony Wong, Natasha Ward, Donna Holland, Angela Board** and **Adria Henderson**.

A tone of academic excellence for Whakamaru was set early in the year with School Certificate results showing **Jenny Blair** with three A passes and **Donna Holland, Olivia O'Sullivan, Ben Rankin** and **Sarah Simpson** each with one. **Jenny** and **Donna** also passed six subjects and **Adria Henderson, Olivia** and **Ben** each passed five.

Alana Blakemore continued the trend, being placed fifth in the NZIC Analytical Chemistry Competition. **Sarah Hoyte** also gained recognition as a member of the fifth best team for Future Problem Solving Round One, coming in the top 15% in the National Bank Maths Competition, gaining a Credit in the Australian Maths Competition and a Distinction in the Australian English competition. Also successful in the Australian Maths Competition were **Danielle Blair, James Wong, Raewyn Harvey, Mikaere Henderson, Amy Blakemore, Matthew Riceman** who all gained a Credit and **Gillian Stockman** who gained Distinction. **Amy** also gained Credit in the Australian Science Competition along with **Ben Rankin**. Also in Science, **Harley Mangi** came first in the Planet Earth section of the Science Fair and **Mikaere, Katherine Harrison** and **Kimberley Harris** also had their projects selected for the Waikato Regional Finals.

Whakamaru is also well represented in the cultural aspects with **Jenny Blair** and **Adria Henderson** enjoying their AFS experiences overseas, **Amy Blakemore** and **Allecia Swale** being involved in the Kurayoshi Exchange, **Natasha Ward** travelling on the school trip to Japan and **Birgitte Petersen**, from Denmark, displaying exceptional skills beside **Karla Marsh** in Te Piringatahi.

Brendan Plowright and **Rhys Daniels** from Invitro made it through to the regional finals of Rockquest. **Victoria James** followed music of a different style in Choir and **Doug Hosking** kept us in touch with Polinetia Fa'atasi.

We were also ably represented in Production 2000 by **James Race, Olivia O'Sullivan, Angela Board, Sheena Aerts, Karley Rawiri, Kerry Alloway, Sarah Wilson, Danielle Blair, Katherine Harrison, Sarah Seerden,**

Wright was Runner-Up Senior Boy and **Craig Wilson** was Junior Boys Champion.

Carly Cunningham excelled in the pool being Year 9 winner and Junior Girls Champion, coming second in Butterfly 50m / Third 100m Individual Medley at Waikato and gaining a Gold, two Silvers and a Bronze at the NZ Division 2 Champs. **Allecia Swale** and **Wayne Harvey** were runners-up Year 11, **Sarah Wilson** was runner-up Year 12 and **Sheena Aerts** and **Mary Brown** were winner and runner-up Year 13. **Sheena** and **Mary** also displayed their talents as two-thirds of a Triathlon Team and gained first place in the Senior Girls section at the Taupo Secondary Schools event.

Cross Country saw **Rose Rakei** come third in the Senior Girls and **Craig Wilson** as first Junior Boy. **Christine Liddell** and **Tania Lennox** represented the school at the Mid-Islands.

The winter sports season saw **Christine Liddell** being selected in the Bay of Plenty Under 15s - a winner of the North Island Tournament and **Scott Alloway** became Captain of the Bay of Plenty Under 15 Team and was selected for the NZ Under 15 Development Squad. In Netball **Rose Rakei** made it into the Under 17s for Waikato-South and in Basketball **Teupoko Natua** got into the Waikato Under 16 Team and **John Elder** into the Waikato Under 18s.

Delwyn Wright was an Under 14s Rugby Finalist and in League **David Harris** played for the Bay of Plenty Under 16 Team and **Gareth Wright** for the Waikato Secondary Schools Team. **Angela Board**, Senior Girls Soccer Captain was also selected for the Waikato/Bay of Plenty Senior Women's Team.

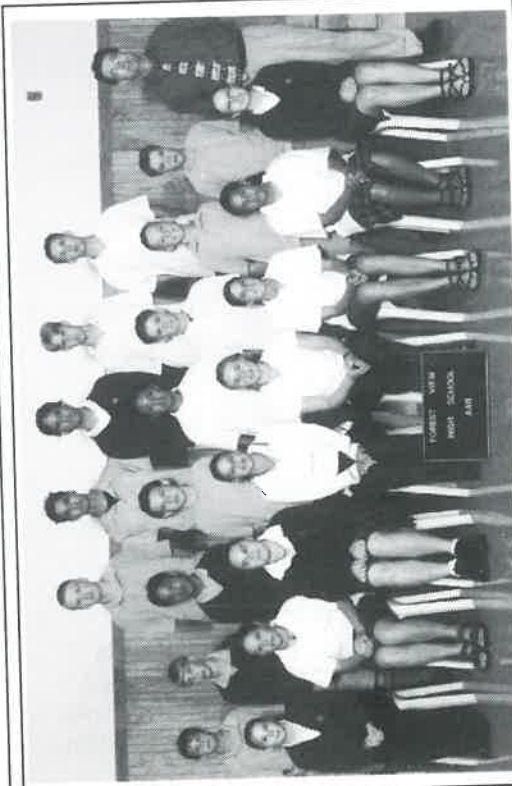
What did we do as a Lake? Lake Day this year was once again a joint effort and the sausage sizzle and slavery were both well liked! We continued our good service record by organising Daffodil Day and it was pleasing to see students digging deep into their pockets to support the cause. Thanks to **Mary, Olivia, Dean** and **Gareth** our efforts in the Inter-House sports were also creditable and the sideline support for teammates was often just as interesting as the games! House assemblies were regular though intermittent and tutor time saw **Ms Hudson, Ms Umaki, Ms Govan, Ms Smith, Mr MacDonald, Mr Clarke** and **Mr Telfer** being caring, helpful and enthusiastic - traits that are natural for any true Whakamaru person!

I would like to thank the Leaders for their organisation and teamwork and, of course, for filling my office with drinks!

AKAIZ



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Absent: R Boss, D Tuapou, W Steele, H Parai, Mrs M Brear (Teacher)

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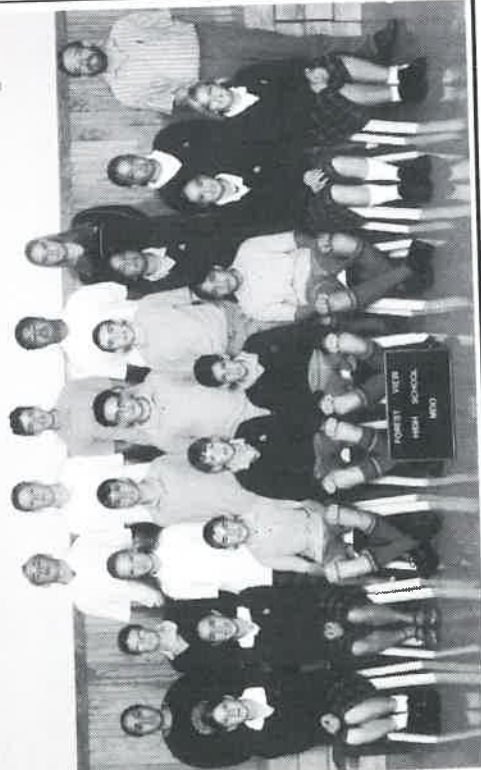


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 Mrs C Blucher (Asst Dean)
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Absent: M Tiorori, J Hawkins, R Kapoor, H Farrar



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 K Whitiwhiti, Mr B. Dowdle (Teacher)
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 A Tatlow. **Absent:** K Wilkinson, T Thompson, B King, E Davida



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WHANAU GROUP

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Front Row: K Ashton-Marsh, R Wilson, A Purnell, H Hoani, C Kapoor, K Dawson, H Cook,
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Absent: C Hill, J Mahia, J Nathan, C Black, V Uatuku, D Paul



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 Ms L Hollis (Teacher)
 Front Row: S Martens, K Wills, S Tekotia, K Luxford, K Luxford, K Pepper, E Patterson, T Stuart,
 D Mani; Absent: C Wilson



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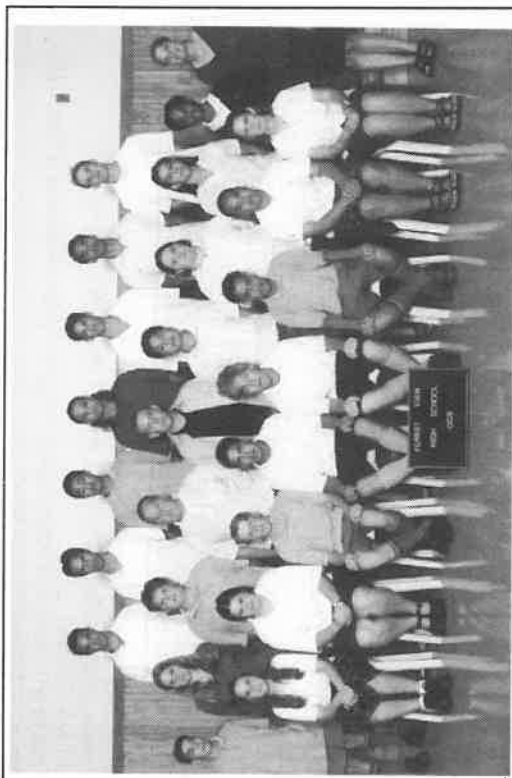
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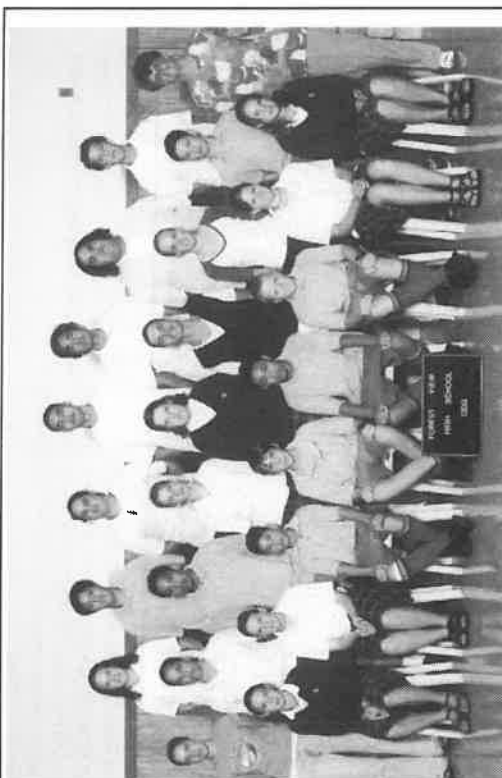
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 Mrs Paki (Teacher)
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 E Millar Absent: I Kuru, K Manuel, K Thompson



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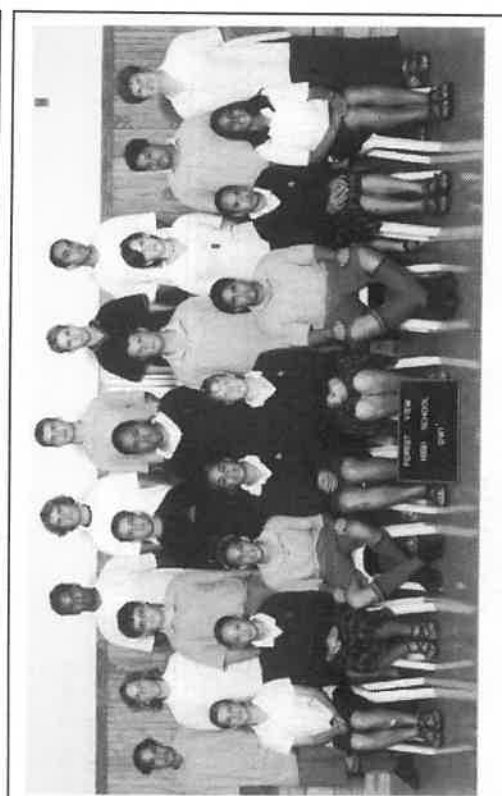


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 Absent: C Theunissen

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Front Row: R Bennion (Deputy Head Girl), M Brown (House Leader), G Wright (House Leader), D Wilson (House Leader), O O'Sullivan (House Leader)
Absent: V James



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Absent: A Walker, D Penny, J Pelford



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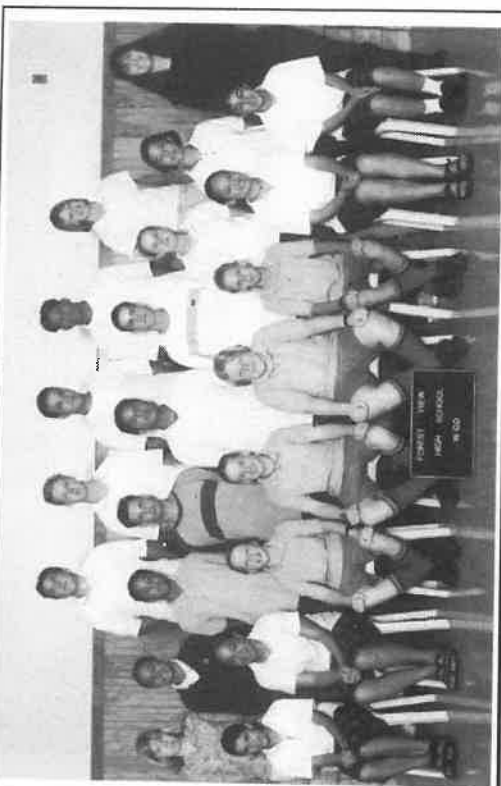


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Absent: S Cuff

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 Absent: S Pilisi, J Kendall, T Kuka, G Topia, L Goodwin



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 Absent: T Lemnox

STUDENT COUNCIL 2000

'Your link to the future'

As I write this report for the 2000 magazine during my "well deserved, long awaited" holiday, it gives me time to reflect on the most memorable events that took place, such as:

- Trying to stay financially afloat while supporting areas from sport codes to charities who required financial assistance
- The extra meetings that were held in order to come to a final decision – and
- The fact Monique Williams' named popped up in every single meeting!!

This year started off with a new teacher in charge, Mr Rothman. Away from school, it was off to the second floor of the State Building in order to create that 'team bonding atmosphere' and throw in ideas of what we wanted to achieve as School Council for the year 2000. I'm sure Hilary Mathis benefited from it more as we learnt the role of the Board of Trustees more than anything else! The day consisted of group activities, more bonding, 16 people for the Mufti committee (alone!), more Board of Trustees stuff, and still no Mission Statement! As usual, time went against us and so not all was accomplished for the day, not even a Mission Statement for the Council 2000 to be remembered by. But there was a fair idea of the role everyone had on the Student Council 2000.

The first of many meetings was where the newfound Mission Statement was decided. "*Your link to the future*" sounded appropriate in terms of being the 'link' between students and their needs, and as it was the start of the new millennium, it was also an outlook for the future generation of the students of Forest View High School,

and not some internet service which many may mistake the statement for! So with the statement in mind, we were able to stand by it in order to achieve the necessary tasks for the benefit of the students (awe, how sweet!)

We also found that former Student Council committees never informed the students of what they planned on spending the money on, so a survey was organised to see what students wanted. The end of the year project had everything discussed, from Cricket Nets, to a school grandstand, but finally a radio station was agreed upon in order for all students to benefit.

As I come to the end of my report I would like to take this opportunity to thank each and everyone on the Student Council this year. They deserve the recognition for all the underground work they produced in order to make the job look like a 'piece of cake'. A big thank you to Mr Butch "I personally think..." Rothman, who was able to listen to our views and stepped in at the right time with his philosophy for the Council 2000. And to the students and teachers of the school who also contributed in someway.

CHEERS!!!

STUDENT COUNCIL 2000 PHOTO

Back Row: H Jones, A Harrison, D Wilson
 2nd Row: M Tippet, N Moore, C Yukich, J Chapman
 Front Row: H Mathis, K Luxford, B Tafau, R Bennion, I THORNTON



GONZALO JARAMILLO

AFS STUDENT

Well here I am sitting and writing for the Forest View School magazine, the school that gave me so many assessments, 20% exam score and also made me shave and use the correct shoes and uniform everyday. But anyway the school gave me so many mates and cool Kiwi guys who were more than friends, they were my family.

When I arrived on a rainy day on the 1st February, I knew that my destination was Tokoroa. The first vision I had of Tok was a cool, big city. Half way from Auckland we made a stop. I was thinking, "This is Tok". We arrived in a really big house and I thought that this was my house, but no, all my happiness was over. After an hour of making plans my family told me "we are going to Tok now". I was really confused, where was I? The city was Hamilton. Well after another hour we arrived in a small town and finally my house. I just wanted to go to bed. I woke up about 17 hours later feeling very lost and confused, thinking in Spanish with very poor English.

Anyway, it was a really cool holiday for me in New Zealand, but not too long after my fourth day in New Zealand my holidays were over and the beginning of my school year was in front of me. With a nice pair of shorts, a white t-shirt, black shoes and a map, one of the hardest days of my life was beginning. OH s@%\$, I was lost, anyway I got some help and after a week I was Sweet As.

After eight months here in New Zealand and Tok, I realise how lucky I am, with heaps of mates, cool Maori dudes like Tucker and Sonny, and one of the most important things, my band Invitro and my girlfriend (but in Auckland, well Papakura, still was good).

I really enjoyed the time here in New Zealand and in the school, I met heaps of different people and played in heaps of different sports like Rugby, Basketball, Soccer and Sevens (that was a painful, really painful experience) also In-line Hockey and heaps of Snowboarding. I really enjoyed my time with the production band, Invitro and one night with the Polynesia Fa'atasi group. I hope to come back to New Zealand one of these days and probably visit my mates and my old school. The biggest problem of being with AFS is the money and the rules, but anyway sometimes you break it and give you heaps of troubles, stuff like that I enjoy.

Well take care and I hope that the people of this school remember me not just like an AFS student, even more like a friend.

Thanks for changing my style of life and making this one very easy and giving me a better vision of the world that is around me.

Siempre recordando los mementos en Tok...
Gonzalo Jaramillo.
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VIVA CHILE MIERDA!!! Y RANK - H²O

BRIGITTE PETERSEN

AFS STUDENT

The first thing I noticed about FVHS that was different from my school at home was that it was made up of one million small buildings, instead of one big one. Quite quickly I found out that that wasn't the only difference. Calling the teachers Mr and Mrs, wearing a school uniform and being much involved with school activities was all a nice thing for me.

During my year at FVHS, I was in the Production, played in the Badminton team (every time I remembered to come) and I was also in the Kapa Haka group. The Production was really great to be in, because at my school in Denmark we don't have one, so this was something new for me. Even though I didn't have a main part, I still had a really good time and learnt how hard and how much time it takes to make a good production. Of course I met heaps of nice people from the school and made new friends.

A thing I reckon is better at FVHS than my school at home is that you have cultural groups. Halfway through the year I started in Te Piringatahi and that was one of the best things I did this year! Practice every Monday, learning Maori songs, performing in Dargaville, meeting more people from the school and staying the weekend at the Marae is something that I know I'll miss when I go home. I've learnt heaps about Maori culture and a bit about the history as well. Even though the year is almost finished now we still have a few more performances to do and that's the high point of being in the group.

This year I've been on heaps of camps and the two best ones were 6th Form trip to Auckland and the AFS South Island trip in the last holidays, where we spent ten days in a bus travelling around and that was so much fun.

A thing that you should be happy about is that in New Zealand you start school at a very early age, and therefore finish early as well. In Denmark we don't start primary until we're seven so that means I am going to be stuck in the Danish school system until I'm 21. Now that's something I'm not looking forward to going home to.

This year has been the best year of my life. I've met heaps of nice people, learnt a lot about a different cultures and made friends I'll never forget.



TRIP TO MISATO KITA HIGH SCHOOL

This year we took a small group consisting of Natasha Ward, Amy Tyrrell, Sheree Christie, Mr and Mrs Gibbons, Mr Blucher and Mr Jeffs, to visit Misato Kita High School in Japan. It was our first visit to this school and an experience we will never forget. The school is situated about 1 hour from Tokyo and has approximately 800 students. The students at Misato Kita High School are friendly and outgoing and are keen to talk to you, to practice their English. When we arrived at the school we had a very warm welcome, all the students were sitting in **straight** rows in the gym and they all clapped for about 3 minutes as we walked up the middle row. They were pleased that we had come to visit them.

The first week was the Annual Cultural Festival, and all the students, including our own students, helped to get the school decorated and ready for this. Every class and club within the school did something for the festival, eg a dance group, classes done up like haunted houses, games, selling things etc. On the opening of the festival, all the classes and clubs had to perform a small skit to the school. The NZ kids presented a Poi Display, Sticks Game and some Polynesian Culture. They did very well even though one of the sticks ended up in the crowd! We even had a young Maori maiden with us...Natasha! The next day the festival was open to the public and about 1,000 people came. There were bands performing and entertainment all day.

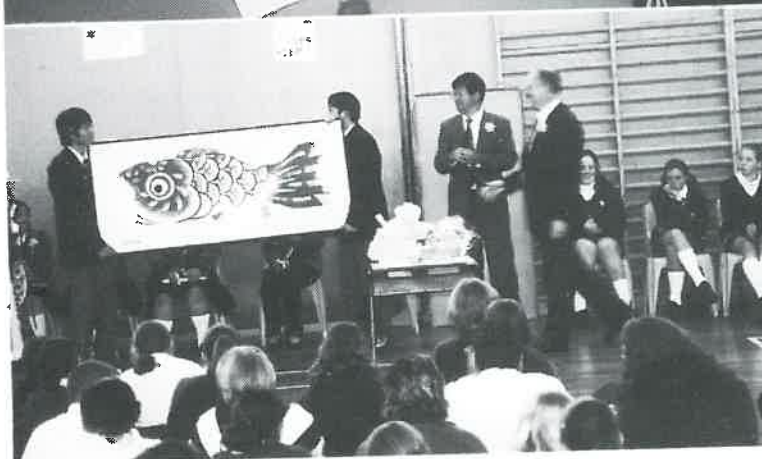
One day we went to Tokyo to visit the Tokyo Tower. We went on the biggest ferris wheel in the world and it took 30 minutes just to get around once. We also went to an enormous shopping centre. What a wonderful day out. On another day we went to Disneyland, couldn't go on all the rides as we were only there about 8 hours but, we did try!

Nearly everybody catches trains, as traffic jams are a common occurrence everywhere as there are so many cars and people around. As Sheree put it "trains are like 2 tins of sardines into one" they are soooo crowded and everyone seems to fall asleep, standing and sitting, Mrs Gibbons tried but was frightened she would miss the stop.

Amy became the queen of Soccer. Girls don't play soccer in Japan, but she showed the boys just how good our girls are. The form class that Amy was in while she was there gave her a class party on the last night. Just the kids in the class went out for dinner and then firecracker's down by the river. Some of the boys slept at the river that night.

Some of Sheree's favourite sayings "Boy, you should have seen that", "Man you wouldn't believe it" "I don't want to go home"

What a sad day when we left, so many friends were made, and what a wonderful country to visit. We are looking forward to the day when Misato Kita High School visits our school in August next year or when we go back to their school one day. Amy, Natasha and Sheree





KURAYOSHI

When I first arrived in Japan my emotions were mixed. I was confused by the language but most of the time all excited and filled with anticipation of what the next three weeks would bring. As the time passed I learnt a lot about Japanese culture and language and I would like to share some of that with you.

The most obvious difference in Japan was the language. In Japan I was almost completely immersed. Before long my host sister, Santomi and I developed a new language consisting of broken Japanese, broken English, lots of dictionary use and sign language. Some people could not speak any English and my host grandmother was one of them. She would come and talk to me in Japanese without stopping for a break. These conversations were always a challenge. However the majority of people I met could speak some English. Many teachers would say "I can not speak English" and then they would proceed to explain the whole lesson to me in English.

The food in Japan is probably just what you would imagine. During my time there I enjoyed (or at least managed to swallow) octopus, raw fish, seaweed and a lot more. One particularly unusual food was a traditional Japanese cake I was served. It was mashed beans wrapped up in a leaf. Another was what looked like play-dough wrapped up in bamboo leaves. Noise means appreciation In Japan. On the first night I sat on my knees listening to the whole family slurp up a large bowl of cold noodles.

One place I particularly enjoyed visiting was the Tottori sand dunes. These are a lot larger than the beaches in New Zealand. The sand is almost too hot to stand on. While there I also had the chance to on a camel. I also visited Osaka Castle the day after I arrived. It was huge and glistened with gold in the very hot sun. That same day we walked around Osaka. I could not believe the sheer size of the city. Every building was at least twenty stories high. There were also vending machines in rows everywhere you looked. These sold just about everything you could imagine.

In Japan I attended Kurayoshi Agricultural High School. Needless to say there is a strong emphasis on agriculture. Students take classes where they work in the fields, with the animals or in the glass houses. Also they each take turns after school doing 'toban'. This is when they work in the fields for an extra two hours after school. For those not doing this there are many after school clubs, which most students attend. Some clubs are Kendo, Sumo, Judo, Drums, Flower Arranging and Calligraphy. I was able to try these and found them very interesting as the students mostly run them. Some classes such as Science were very relaxed. The science lessons I attended were mostly watching movies, blowing bubbles or making slime. However math is a little harder. The students are not allowed to use calculators and still have to work out some very complicated stuff. At school, like most buildings in Japan you have to take off your shoes and put on 'slippers'. These are very uncomfortable plastic jandal type things. The students are also expected to clean the school every morning before lessons commence.



The people in Japan are really friendly. Everyone I met said hello, usually in English. People would walk up to me in the street and start talking to me. They were all so keen to make me feel welcome and this made my experience much more enjoyable and definitely unforgettable.

Japan has many contrasting aspects. In some areas there are rice fields as far as the eye can see, while in other places huge grey high-rise buildings surround you. The mornings are very hot and dry, yet by the afternoon it was usually pouring with rain. Japan is known for its technology, but still has mix of rich culture and tradition.

My time in Japan has completely changed my outlook on many things. It's not something you can explain; it is something you have to experience. I feel that this exchange has helped me develop more understanding of the Japanese way of life as I have almost lived it. This was an experience I am proud and honored to have had.

By Amy Blakemore

After 11 1/2 hours in a cramped space all we really wanted was to just get out and stretch and rest. We got lost in customs and we were hit by a huge heat wave. We spent a day in Osaka, which was a lot of fun.

We arrived in Kurayoshi and went with our host families, which was a little hard to begin with because they spoke little English. The first thing that I noticed about Kurayoshi was the way that the roads were small. There was very little footpath, no sections around the houses and rice paddocks took up the rest of the area. Our first day at school was a real shock, because of the burning heat and the new surroundings. The school was so much bigger than Forest View and it has half the number of students.

After school we all did activities, of which Sumo Wrestling was the most enjoyable for me. Nobody could beat Maggi and her rugby tackle, not even the sumo boy who taught us! Everyone at the new school was kind and welcoming to us and we didn't get into any trouble. The food was another challenge and it was very hard. All I can say I got used to was the rice. Having everything fried was definitely a new experience.

I really love the sand dunes, this was one place where my family took me and it was very beautiful. I had a ride on a camel too, which was another exciting experience. Another thing that I loved and will definitely miss about Japan was the shopping. The shops were huge and so easy to spend hours in!

I really enjoyed Japan and one day I'll definitely go back! I recommend it to anyone who is thinking about visiting Japan. It was an extremely exciting experience, which I will never forget.

Allecia Swale



YEAR 12 HISTORY TRIP

On Thursday 30th August our Year 12 History class assembled at the unearthly hour of 6.20 am! That is everyone except Amy whose "limo" was late. Miss Smith took the first of many cheesy photos of us to celebrate her first grown-up teacher trip and we set off into the darkness in our attractive, backfiring beige van. It began precipitating down soon after we left Tokoroa, but Miss Smith had overlooked her grown-up teacher responsibility of ensuring we all had raincoats, although she had one herself. Of course in her defence she thought it was obvious that we would need to bring a raincoat on a school trip.

We got to the big smoke in time for the rush hour traffic. The beige van stopped in Ponsonby and we progressed to the LYNX bus, where Miss Smith insisted on harassing the locals for directions and taking more cheesy photos. After much consternation about where to get off Kathleen took control, pulled the cord and led the way to the university library.

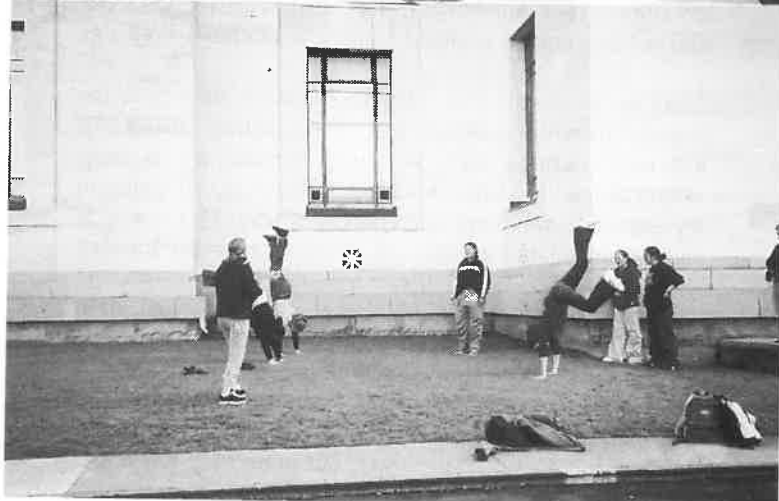
Armed with maps, we proceeded to get hopelessly lost in the nine-floor building, which had a whole lot of books and even better, REALLY fun lifts. Another cheesy Smith photo of us pretending to study and we were allowed to leave. Sadly(!) we had lost Angela. We waited a whole 10 minutes for her to turn up, but we were going insane with hunger, so we left for the cafeteria. Miss Smith waited a long 10 extra minutes for her to turn up, but also had to abandon her in favour of sustenance. We had lunch in the bird-infested cafeteria and emerged after half an hour with Angela, into the bright Auckland sunshine.

After some very impressive road crossing we reached the bottom of the Museum hill. We scaled what felt like a miniature Everest to the Museum where we were set loose for an hour and a half. Afterwards Sergeant Smith insisted on us having a race around the outside of the museum – which *she* won. Ever-energetic Smithy then wanted a handstand competition – which again she won! Then someone decided to roll down a hill and chaos ensued.

We started back to our beautiful van via another LYNX bus, and then it was back to the highway where Amy and Sarah S discovered that if you yell 'Hello' out the window loud enough, people in other cars hear you. We had an early tea at McDonalds on the Bombays, overwhelming the one staff member. Things were looking up at the promise of a Pokeno ice cream but someone, no names mentioned, took a wrong turn and missed it entirely. Nerves were stretched to breaking point as we whinged all the way home that we wanted an ice cream!

Finally we got back to Tok, where again *someone* had forgotten the office key, and some desperate car-pooling was done thanks to all the yuppies with cell phones in our class.

Overall we had a lot of fun. Much thanks to Miss Smith for putting up with us..... and remember, ALWAYS wear you helmet into battle!



HOLIDAY SEMINAR

During the holidays several nervous but excited students from FVHS travelled to Auckland University to experience life as university students for five days. The purpose of the week was to study topics of interest. These included astronomy, maths with statistics, rocketry, computing and archaeology. We got to choose two of them and attended lectures for the topics in the morning. We all learned a lot of interesting facts. In the afternoons all the students went on group activities such as playing sports at the University Sports Centre, tai chi, yoga, shopping, ice-skating and movies.

Living in O'Rorke Hall was really good. We each had a swipe card that was used to get into lifts and our rooms. The food was excellent with a wide choice and lots of it. There were about 80 secondary students from around New Zealand, some from far away as Christchurch. Forest View provided the biggest group from one school. All of us made new friends from other parts of New Zealand.

Reid Ferguson

I really enjoyed the seminar I went to in Auckland. I met a lot of new people, and I'm still writing to some of them. I learnt to ice skate, went to the movies and went shopping in Auckland city. I learnt about making pictures using co-ordination on the computer in my computing class, and enjoyed going back in time to Greece in my archaeology class. I got a lot out of the course, and I would definitely go again next year if I were invited.

Jessica Rice

The highlights for me were definitely the classes. I chose the history of the English Language and Philosophy and learnt a lot about both subjects especially English Language. Some of the things I gained from this experience were how to prepare for and live at a university. I learned a lot about independence and the supervisors treated us maturely. It changed a lot of my all-ready formed opinions about University life and tertiary education.

Jamie-Lee Chapman

The main highlights were Ice Skating, watching a movie at the cinema and one of the subjects I took where we made a rocket. Some other highlights I remember, even though they were as good as the others, were mistaking grapefruit juice with orange juice at the vending machine and losing my camera (but only temporarily). But overall it was a fun and exciting course to attend.

Richard Wellings

I had an awesome time. Highlights were staying at the hostel, meeting people and participating in group activities, outings such as yoga, movies, ice skating, sailing around the harbour and spending a day shopping in the city. I learnt about university life, what Philosophy is and about ancient English.

Catherine Boseley

I experienced hostel life. A tiny room, with a bed, desk chair, cupboard, and a window, queues for meals, and one TV per floor. We had to attend classes until lunchtime. I had Computers first, and it was not what I had expected. We learned how to do the graphics on the computer screens, and it was challenging, but quite easy when you got the hang of it. Then I had Archaeology. That was not what I expected either. Mostly, we used computers to

have a look at the Greek sites. In the afternoon we went sight seeing. That would have to be the best part. Some highlights for me would have to be going sailing on the harbour, meeting lots of new people from as far north as Kaitia and as far south as Christchurch, going shopping on our free afternoon. I learnt a lot, but the biggest lesson was how quick money could disappear!

Elise Millar

The trip to Auckland University for a week was one of the best experiences of my life. The Archaeology did not appeal to me as much as the rocketry.

David Wilson

I think that the Auckland Extension Holiday Seminar was really worthwhile. One of the main highlights was all of the new people that I got to meet. I made loads of mates in heaps of different places; the movies, classes, dining table or any of the other tons of activities we got to do. I would definitely do it again!

Fiona Mathis

ALICE'S ASIAN ADVENTURE

From the moment I landed in the 36° Heat of the Third World Country, Nepal I was in love. Besides the pollution the culture shock was huge. Beggars and street-sellers would try and barter with you to buy their cheap souvenirs and traffic never stopped on the unlaned, unmarked roads. That was Katmandu, but things were totally different in the Himalayan Mountains, which were to be my home for the next three weeks.

On our third day in Asia we flew to Lukla, a small village with a short runway on a 20° angle and with a sheer cliff at the end. Amazingly we survived. The next day we tramped to Pakdingma the school of San Guemele where we spent three days talking and playing with kids aged 5-13 and setting up a library system for them. We donated 1400 books all numbered with a proper a borrowing system giving them the best library in the whole Everest Valley.

The next village we visited was Namche bazaar (3460m) also known as the Trekkers Capital. A few minutes after we left this village we saw our first view of Mount Everest. At this point I realised how remote the region was. There were no cars, no power or modern conveniences. Here the people are subsistence living and relying totally on the money trekkers bring in to survive. The highest point our group reached on the trek was 5,500m where the altitude makes the air very thin and breathing HARD.

Oh returning to Namche bazaar, after visiting a monastery and other traditional Nepalese sites, we made a hangi for all our helpers and the village elders. Everybody loved it even after calling us "crazy white men" for cooking food in the ground. The next few days were spent walking back to Lukla to our plane and riding back to Katmandu. Katmandu hadn't changed. I was offered everything from Class A drugs to children and even marriage!

Nepal is an experience I loved and wouldn't give up for the world. I highly recommend it to anyone and hope that others will take up the challenge and give it a go.

SPRIT OF NEW ZEALAND

When I heard that there was a berth available on the Spirit from Picton to Nelson, I didn't know what I was letting myself in for. Spending ten days with 39 other people from around New Zealand, who I had never met before, sounded scary to say the least. Those ten days turned out to be the most amazing and exciting days ever.

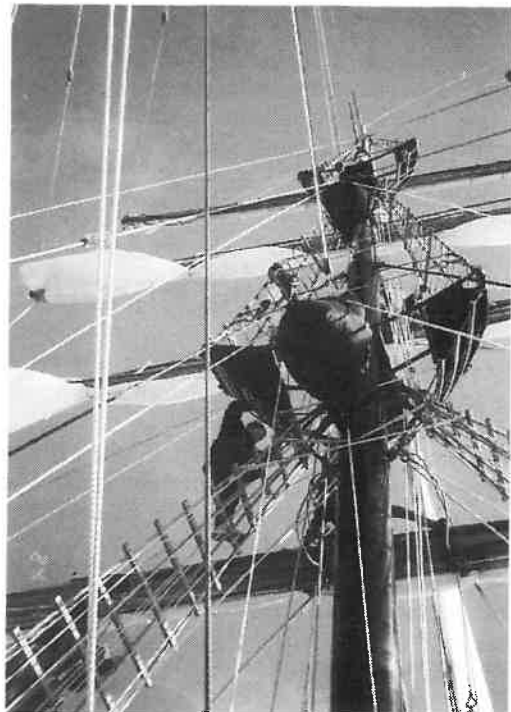
We started at Picton, travelling through Queen Charlotte Sounds, Pelorous Sounds, through the French Pass and eventually arriving in Nelson. I had the opportunity to see some amazing scenery that you would not get to see from the land. It was a great way to see some more of the South Island. It was also amazing when out in rubber rafts to see dolphins swimming alongside the ship, and being so close to seals that they could bite the end of your paddle.

Each day began with a swim at 6.30 am – cold, but a good way of waking up! Every minute on board was filled with new challenges: Learning how to sail, climbing to the top of the mast, and setting sails. We were not on board all the time, and sometimes went out to islands in rubber rafts. As we had all got our sea legs by now, it was hard adjusting back to solid ground, and many of us didn't seem to be able to walk in a straight line!

With being on a ship, you totally lose touch with the outside world, and reality such as school didn't seem to exist. I have so many memories from the ship, ranging from climbing to the top of the 31m mast, to the memory of people (not me) being harnessed to the side of the ship being sick! You make friends with everybody on board through being in such close quarters together. The ten days went by so quickly, and when it came time to go, I simply didn't want to. I made so many new friends from up and down the country, many of whom still keep in touch with.

The Spirit of New Zealand is a once-in-a-lifetime experience. If you get the opportunity to go on the Spirit, grab it!

Katherine Luxford



OPC

My week at OPC was an experience not to be forgotten.

On the first morning the guys went for a run (a short lived tradition) and after breakfast our group participated in team building and introduction games. After lunch we went down 'Jenny Craig's Hill' to the old OPC site and did abseiling and went 'superman styles' on the mondo flying fox.

After making our way back up 'Jenny Craig's Hill' we went back to our cabin and the boys generously 'decorated' our notice board.

The next day we built a raft and floated down the Tongariro River on it. This proved unsuccessful at first but as we continued it 'rapidly' improved.

On Wednesday Mel (our instructor) took us through some underground caves about a 45-minute drive from the camp. After taking us to the back of the caves, Mel took all of our torches off us and gave us a wee amount of supplies to find our way out, three candles, five matches and a map then he left. We had no idea where on the map we were therefore we had no idea how to find our way out - but we did. When we got back to OPC we did a low ropes challenge which we struggled with, then we did the trapeze which is a 15 metre high post which you climb to the top of then leap to grab a pole two metres away.

On Thursday we completed the low ropes challenge with a flourish (especially for Rhys) and all had a turn at THE BIG SWING before setting off for our overnight trip.

On the way there we walked down a 4-wheel drive track for an hour before bushwalking through the forest to the river. We then walked upstream till we found the cave we were to be sleeping in. Chefs Edwin and Rhys cooked the tea while the rest of us collected water and tried to keep the fire going. That night we sang, played Ralph and made an attempt at naming all the glow worms on the cave roof. The next morning we bushwalked uphill for a good 3 hours before coming across the 4-wheel drive track and followed that home.

The only bad thing about OPC was having to come home. During the time there I learnt that you could achieve anything if you put your mind to it and that it is even better when you have your team behind you.

Carlie Yukich

DUKE OF EDINBURGH

The year 2000 saw the beginning of a different venture in our school - The Duke of Edinburgh Award Scheme.

Three seniors have almost completed their Bronze Awards and three juniors have just started theirs. We have had two training trips - one at Reperoa over a weekend and another at Hamilton for a day.

The tasks set aside have been interesting and enjoyable to complete. The seniors are looking forward to doing their Silver Awards next year.



POLINETIA FA'ATASI 2000

The numbers have decreased this year – BIG TIME but who says that the smallest group can't have the most fun. Polinetia Fa'atasi, seen by the public as simple entertainment but really behind the scenes we are one big happy family. Yes it is true we have made it through another year (amazingly enough), unfortunately not with as many highlights as we expected but we still managed to put on a smile.

On March 25 the group travelled up to Auckland to observe the Polynesian Festival to see what other schools had to offer in the way of the Island culture, and to tell the truth – IT WAS THE BOMB!!!!.

From the 20 September through to the 22 September the group travelled up to Dargaville for the cultural exchange. The big buzz of the exchange was the performances. Well, it was for the Poly group because the people of Dargaville miss out on the opportunity to interact with the Pacific culture. Everyone had fun though. Kara was named "Doug's long lost sister" whilst up there, because everyone at their High School thought that they were brother and sister. Ru Turia was crowned "Tok High Immigrant" you shouldn't have to ask why. Talia, though, made best buddies with the cow's tits when she ended up

in her host families shed cow milking. Ben was really bright when he thought that a paddock full of sheep were chickens. Our tutor was a classic when she tried to get rid of some students because she was getting a bit thirsty on the last night in Dargaville, but this one is for you Richard "the hell good looking" (so he thinks).

Everyone would like to give the biggest hugs and kisses out to Auntie Mitch, Uncle Sy and Miss Umaki for pulling the group through another year, and thank you very much to anyone that had anything to do with the group in 2000. We appreciate it a lot. Hope to see you all next year.

Loving you plenty, Pam and Rach xxxooo



ABOVE - POLINETIA FA'ATASI

Back Row: B Campbell, R Honey, G Potoru, N Nooroa

Front Row: C Aitupuna, P Bridger, R Bennion, E Tuapou, T Henry

Absent: K Takapu, J Maa, C Parai, Moana Kikoro (Tutor), B Tiaki (Tutor), S Nooroa (Tutor)

TE PIRINGATAHI

We started off the year pretty slow. We had a lot of keen people starting off, but as the year progressed our numbers dropped. The remaining students still had the heart to continue and with the support from Mr Blucher who gave us the OK to get another tutor and the Board of Trustees' help finding the money to fund this, we were able to do so. Without their support we don't think there would be a Maori group at Forest View High School.

A young and energetic Ngairo Heretaunga has been travelling from Rotorua every Monday to tutor us for 2 hours. Our new tutor is only young but he has more knowledge and experience than our whole group put together. From doing the Poi to doing the Haka, he can do it all at a very high standard. Without his dedication and long hours spent putting songs together and travelling to and from Rotorua, there wouldn't be a Te Piringatahi.

Also the long hours put in from E Pa - even when he was sick he was still running around making sure everything was running smoothly.

Our year hasn't been too busy but a few things kept us occupied; Te Piringatahi went to Rakau Manga College in Huntly to support Te Ara Kuka and Matariki Solomon at the Regional Ngamanu Korero competition; The Powhiri for the new staff members; the Powhiri for the Tricolour Trophy the 1st XV brought back after not having it for 10 years and then there was the trip to Dargaville, which was an awesome experience for all involved.

Our heart-felt thanks go out to Ngairo and we hope he comes back next year to continue where he left off. Also Whaea Heather Motu who did an awesome job looking after the costumes and making sure we all looked good on stage.

Holly Farrar



INVITRO

Meaning: (of biological process) (performed or made to perform) outside the body of a person or animal in conditions created artificially by scientific equipment, esp. in a test tube: in-vitro fertilisation. [Lat., in glass]

In the Beginning... Picture a small garage, a set of beat up drums, a guitar player, a learning bass player and a very inexperienced singer. If you can imagine this then you have Invitro. We started with a group of mates mucking around and then one day our drummer moved. This stopped us for a while until we met an AFS student, Gonz. Now Invitro was at last a group. After a lot of fights, we had our first song 'Fake Love'; this song came around in the strangest way. This song started us off and is still the most entertaining song.

When we got to Rockquest heats we had to sit through all the bands before us, making it hell on our nerves. When it finally got to us we got on stage and wanted it to go as quickly as possible. To our surprise it did and after it we had a good feeling about making the Regional Finals. By the end of the afternoon our hearts were racing and when the judges finally read out the names we were getting more unsure by the second, but suddenly Invitro's name was read out and a cheer came out of all our mouths.

Before Regionals we had to perform a lunchtime concert. It started off pretty well, but after we played our last song, we asked for any requests and were screamed at to play our last song again. This song's content was not pleasing to the teachers ears so we got shut down half way through it. The students liked it that's all that really matters.

Friday night had finally come and the band couldn't be more excited. We sat around just talking for half an hour or so just waiting for our turn. The moment we walked on stage there was an uproar of screaming people who were there to give us support. 'Fake Love' went off without any problems, pants were ripped off at the right time, and the crowd went nuts over Rhys and Mike doing some pelvic thrusts just to pass the time. When it came to 'We won't Stop', Rhys mucked up the middle, but no one seemed to notice. At the finish of our songs again there was up roar from the crowd just to show that they enjoyed us.

It was very nerve wracking waiting for the results. All the bands came out on stage and it took so long for the judges to start giving the final results. Third place was called out 'Hate Theorem', second place 'Advocate' and finally first was 'Jeriko'. Many people were shocked at first place and even booed them off the stage. Of course we were disappointed, but we knew that we had done our best and we found out that they were all Hamilton bands and Hamilton judges. Is this just a coincidence? Maybe, maybe not, we will never know.

Invitro would like to thank:

- All of our supporters at school and at the Rockquest
- Thanks to Mr Arthur, without your help we would have no place to practice
- All of our families for putting up with all of our noise
- All of our friends, your support kept us motivated
- Sorry to anyone we have missed, but you are not forgotten

Guilty parties are:

Rhys Daniels (Vocals)
Gonzalo Jaramillo (Drums)

Brendan Plowright (Bass Guitar)
Michael Morris (Electric Guitar)



CHESS CLUB 2000

Lunch time, Forest View High School C, in Mr Farnworth's room on a wet, windy Tokoroa day. The room is buzzing with the sounds of cheerful conflict. Battles are won and lost, reputations are made and shattered as the schools cerebral gladiators meet to contest the title of Chess Champion of Forest View High School.

A typical scene; poised on the brink of victory one student eyes his opponent with barely concealed triumph and agitation. Will they see the trap? Who is the smarter, the most cunning, the most ruthless? But a counter-attack is launched with lethal results! Skakomato, Check Mate, the Persian for Kings Death, victory is the only moral solution. The bell rings and reluctantly the tiny battle grounds are folded up, tiny warriors laid to rest for another day.

Chess has existed for some three thousand years, with forms of the game existing in India and China. They used to use dice to decide the outcome of a battle between pieces, rooks were elephants in India, but the spirit of the game has lasted. In medieval times Noblemen used Chess to teach their sons battle tactics, a fore-runner of modern war games. Today it is a truly international game with matches being held on the Internet twenty four hours a day. There are around six billion possible outcomes of any game, maintaining the novelty of the sport through the ages. In fact it is so complicated that Chess has been used to test decision making processes in Artificial Intelligence computers.

It has been a great pleasure watching the young minds of Forest View being sharpened by their appetite for the game. I look forward to concluding the Chess Tournament and finding out who the King of the School really is.

AUTOMOTIVE SHOP

Forest View High School has operating its own Auto Shop that gives students the chance to work on a range of engines and complete cars. This allows the student to see if the motor trade is the place for them.

Civil Engineering firms in Auckland, Pilot Autos, Mobil Aotea, AutoMechanix and Baigents have donated the engines and the cars, so it is with a grateful heart that I thank them.

The Auto Shop is a hive of activity, where engines are stripped down, measured then reassembled to running order. Students are taught the history of the motorcar and the changes that have taken place over the years. We offer ten Unit Standards, which are part of the pre-apprenticeship scheme for students.

Beside the cars and engines that we have, we also have a small number of cars that come to us from the public and teachers upon which students are taught to carry out oil changes, tune-ups, and how to look after customers cars. Safety is also taught to the students along with hand tools and equipment use so that when they leave school and look at an apprenticeship, the time spent in a Polytechnic will be reduced due to the student gaining these Unit Standards.

Holden, Ford, Mitsubishi, Subaru, Toyota, and Nissan are all looked at - yes we even talk about the Mazda Rotary..... "Good as a Boat Anchor".... Yes we have Fun, Fun, and Fun....

The ambition of the Auto Shop is to produce young students of both sexes to become top quality Automotive Mechanics.

*Go grease
lightning!*



MATHS WEEK

Mathsweek has become a week of activities that everyone now looks forward to each year. Pupils in Levels 9 and 10 had the chance to explore Mathematics in some different ways and they produced everything from posters to basketball statistics cards.

We struggled to get Mathletics in as the weather was not favourable, but in the end all of the junior classes gained something from the experience. We have decided that the mathematical skills of Level 10 are far in advance of their ball handling skills!

As usual there were puzzles in the notices each day and the winners were rewarded with the true thrill of success that comes with solving a mathematical problem! (and a chocolate bar, of course!)

Staff were expected to play their part as well and they had to interpret the mathematical concepts behind some carefully produced "local" photographs. The Maths Department staff always enjoys the opportunity to enrich the minds of everyone at Forest View High School by involving them in Mathsweek activities and this year was no exception!

THEATRE SPORTS

Theatre Sports? What in the world is Theatre Sports? Is what you're probably thinking right now. Well, keep reading and I'll help you.

It was started in Term one by Miss Look and Miss Smith. About 15 people meet in D1 on Wednesday and Friday lunch times. Generally what we do is make fools of ourselves. We go about this by playing games like those on that program "Whose Line is it anyway?"

There are five main games. They are 'Weird Newscaster', 'Lets make a date', 'Freeze Frame', 'Party Quirks' and 'Scenes from a hat'. These involve a lot of improvising. For most games, most players have characteristics. These can be anything from Bill Clinton to wearing X-Ray goggles.

Theatre Sports is really fun, anyone is welcome to come along. The only condition is that if you are watching, you have to take part.



Back Row: W Steele, S Hill, W Revell

3rd Row: K Luxford, K Wills, A Koveskali, S Hoyte, K McCaskill, G Ilton, K Dennis

2nd Row: Ms B Look (Teacher), K Crockhart, A Race, A Board, S Jeffs, D Holland, D Blair, Miss E Look (Teacher)

Front Row: M Haratsis, J Kendall, V Knox, M Atkinson, J Pourau, A Jones, C Buchanan



LIBRARY

The new millennium has seen several changes in the library. Firstly the new security system donated by last year's student council was installed. Library staff and student librarians were trained to correctly issue and return books. Occasionally we got it wrong and embarrassed a student who had legally borrowed a library book. Oops-sorry. The student librarians tell me that I was the worst offender, probably true although I hate to admit it. The security system has made a big difference to the retention of our new books and I am looking forward to the annual stocktaking for accurate figures. Keeping the books in the library means we can really focus on developing the library collection. Earlier this year we surveyed students to see what suggestions you had for the purchasing of new books. In response to these suggestions we now have books on Extreme Sports, Teen issues and fishing. Many thanks to all the students who filled out the questionnaire. Don't forget we are always happy to hear from you so keep the ideas rolling in.

The second area of change in the library has been the availability of two computers for Internet Access with no charge to pupils. The Internet is becoming a popular means of information retrieval and it is excellent to see many of you becoming competent surfers. Keep it up. Hopefully we will have more computers available for this type of research next year.

Lastly thank you, thank you, and thank you to the small group of student librarians who once again made a valuable contribution to the smooth running of the library. Your help was especially appreciated during my knee injury and recovery. Well done. My only concern is that you ALL remember to turn up for next years Library photo.

Take care all,
See you again next year.

Kia Kaha

Mrs Smith alias Hoppy
and Mrs Roberts



DEBATING

The team this year consisted of Hillary Mathis, Aidan Harrison, Ben Tafau, reserve and professional bell ringer Naomi Moore and our Coach Peter Arthur.

Our first debate this year was against PioPio for the JC's debate cup round. The moot was "That New Zealand Made is Better" and we three gallantly went forth into battle. Unfortunately PioPio (no matter what they looked like) proved to be the better debaters and we lost by one point.

Our second debate against Tauhara gave us a second chance at glory with the moot "That There are Fairies at the Bottom of the Garden". The debate went well with the discovery of Samoan fairies in Tauhara and the expert opinion of our own fairyologist but the result ended up in a draw. Our own Ben Tafau picked up "Best Speaker" and we all agreed we put up a good fight.

Our final debate for the year, also of the fairy variety, was against Dargaville. With a rewrite of the debate on the bus trip and some practice that morning we went into the debate with some unsure, but high hopes none the less. Soon this was dashed however by the one judge, an ex Dargaville teacher and we were robbed. We did however pick up another "Best Speaker" by Aidan Harrison.

No matter how the debates went we did enjoy ourselves each time and many laughs were had over some of the topics this year. WE, the team would like to thank Mr Arthur for coaching us and we hope that we can continue this debating in the years to come.

Hilary, Ben, Aidan and Naomi

DARGAVILLE CULTURAL EXCHANGE

After a very lively hometown concert on Monday evening we travelled in two buses to Dargaville on the final Wednesday of Term Three.

We had lunch at Hatfield's Beach north of Auckland and arrived at Dargaville High School late in the afternoon. After a Powhiri we were placed with our billets and Te Piringatahi drove out to the Marae.

On Thursday we practised all day in our own groups and in combination with Dargaville groups.

The Thursday night concert was held in a packed hall with a really responsive audience and ended just before midnight. We drove back to school on Friday with a lunch stop at Mercer.



ABOVE - LIBRARY

Present: Mrs R Smith, R Wellings, R Win, Mrs A Roberts

Absent: R McGrath, N Patterson, S Martens, E Masters

BELOW - DEBATING TEAM

H Mathis, A Harrison, Mr P Arthur (Coach), B Tafau, N Moore





PRODUCTION

BIG LIL'S MUSIC HALL



Production 2000 - Murder at the Music Hall

The new millennium and a dream fulfilled – “The Bareboards and Passion Theatre” – but sadly, also, Drama was Eiverless. “The show must go on” is what we knew she was thinking, and with her very much there in spirit, IT DID!

Practices came and went and so did some of the original cast, but those that remained carried off the show like true professionals. Who would have thought at the start that everybody would have a special part and there would be no Chorus as such – the “ever evolving” tradition is one that we must not lose!

There were many, many moments at the practices that will be hard to forget: the looks on the faces of two boys who joined to work backstage and found themselves donning “boobs”; the Director and Luke (but who could do without him?); the magical steps of the dancers who tried desperately to remember the moves and the ritual of calling for people who, for some unknown reason, found it more fun playing chasey than waiting in the wings for their moment of glory!

Apart from the fact that we were a TEAM, the fact that everyone had ownership of the play because they wrote, choreographed etc, and the fact that we had a successful season again this year, what really made the Production memorable?

“We didn’t do it!” This line was used a lot more offstage and at rehearsals by a couple of “sisters” and a regal friend – not mentioning any names! “24 hours. 24 hours? 24 hours!...” a difficult line to remember!

Fitness and endurance, these were essential qualities for the cast and crew as was shown by the sprint of the Inspector into the audience, the backstage lollipop wrestling matches, the speed that the lighting crew expected the cast to exit the stage (was it a worry that they couldn’t see?) and the never to be forgotten Constable Break dance.

Then there were such non-scripted innovations as “Doctor D.R.E.” and the “Warehouse Microphone” scene! Not to be outdone by the writers of the play, a certain twosome also felt the need for extra humour and provided it in the form of a collapsible stretcher. Not content with the injury of “the boyfriend”, they then roughed up the “girlfriend” so much so that her hair fell down!

Seated at the front of the stage were our actors who enjoyed many a sideline conversation as well as providing the nuisance value to our invaluable Chairman. They did an excellent job of staying incognito as one primary school pupil was heard to say, “I was sitting right next to her and I didn’t even guess she was the murderer!”

We all know that there is always a lot of work going on backstage for any show and this year was no exception. We were busy sewing a certain dancer into her costume, making dying cat noises, knocking at doors, talking at breakneck speed into microphones, finding microphones, props, costumes and, of course, saying SHHHHHHHHH!

There was also the play within a play that took place backstage. There was “the dark room”, the saga of gun duels during “Mission Impossible” and the offstage dancing troupe which had Mama Mia down to a fine art by the final night!

The comments from the audiences and the letters from the visiting schools were enough to keep us all happy for another year, so until then, “CATCH YOU UP!”

Back Row: Ms Smith, Mr Grounds, Mrs Yukich, Mr Rikona, Ms Look
Fifth Row: Luke Kelly, Rhys Daniels, Gonzallo Jaramillo, Greg Ilton, Ben Bright, Wallace Revell, Michael Mason
Fourth Row: Jenny Watts, Rebecca Dowdle, James Race, Craig Wilson, Carlie Yukich, Stephen Farrar, Daniel Molyneaux, Amber Luxford, Birgitte Peterson, Milos Blucher, Ileana Mowbray
Third Row: Danielle Blair, Isaac Merrie, Sarah Wilson, Kaye-Marie McCaskill, Kirsty Tyson, Katherine Harrison, Angela Board, Kerry Alloway, Sarah Hoyte
Second Row: Ethan McCaskill, Karley Rawiri, Simonne Jeffs, Ben Tafau, Hilary Mathis, Katherine Luxford, Abby Erskine-Shaw, Luke Dixon, Kane Day, Adam Koveskai
Front Row: Rebecca Stevens, Sarah Seerden, Naomi Moore, Adam Tafau, Kimberley Wills, Tracey Gawn, Jeremy Pourau
Absent: Mr Haines, Mrs V Ten Velde (Director)





YEAR 12 AUCKLAND TRIP

6th form trip was a really great experience for all of us. We travelled by bus up to Auckland on Tuesday morning and stopped off at Auckland Zoo. There everyone had trouble finding the animal species called Togia until they realised it was related to the Lama.

On the way to the hot pools on Tuesday night Mr Manu and Mr Rikona decided to tag team and squash David under their bodies and against the side window but of course they later blamed it on the corners. The pools were a lot of fun with the ultimate water fights. With Birgitte and Alice teaming up against Huw and Doug, the girls became undefeated champions. The pain didn't end for David because, as he was taking a shower, the fire hose was turned on him by some anonymous boys. There also was a cool hydroslide there, and since we were the only people at the pools.... John, T.Y, Newton and Trieste decided they needed optimum speed but the mats weren't fast enough so..... they stripped off to their undies and found what they were looking for.

During the time at camp we went to IMAX and ice skating which was a lot of fun seeing everybody falling over and making fools of themselves especially Huw, Rikona, Lama and Trieste who couldn't keep upright. During the day we had a packed timetable having our career visits. Some went to the University taking all the free-bees they could find, others went to beauty salons, Police academy, and heaps more. We got lost in Auckland and hung around down town, some getting holes in all different places on their bodies (including nipples, not just the girls).

We also had interest visits. Some went to Sky Tower, Lion Breweries, Tip Top and others to Eden Park. We also went to Rainbow's End coming home. Also there was a mystery streaker who will only be known as the beanpole who ran through Aotea Square.

The last night was definitely the best night of all, especially for the girls.... well for two of them anyway who attempted mission impossible to find easy access down to the boys cabin after checking to make sure the teachers were asleep. Agents 000 and 001 are proud of their efforts. The girls played dares the whole night including an incredible dance by a person who shall remain nameless, and also another person who made a left over cream donut into a face mask for herself. But the boys on the other hand were too scared of each other so booby-trapped themselves into their cabins, which also trapping a certain teacher in them. Everybody had a lot of fun, as seen by Simonne's half-shaved eyebrow and Matthew Dean and Nats absent eyebrows.

But of course one of the things that made the camp was the teachers. They were really laid back and treated us like adults. They even created some fun and joined in with ours. Those stories that Stokes and Gibbons told us were very interesting, but are R rated not for your junior eyes.

6th Form trip was an awesome time getting to know everybody and enjoying playing practical jokes on each other. And who could forget the famous BOPIT!!!! Peace out!

By Naomi Moore







SENIOR BALL 2000

This year's ball was held on Saturday 5th August at the Samoan Hall. It was a great chance for the sixth and seventh formers to get all glammed up.

The Ball Committee worked hard to make the night a successful one. They worked on Friday and Saturday getting the hall ready for the big night, blowing up balloons and setting up tables. It all came together on the night.

Congratulations go to Beau – Mathew Sheldrake and Belle – Rose Rakai.

Thankyou to Mr and Mrs Marshall for making the entrance tunnel, Mrs Gibbons and Mrs Clark for the help on the Friday night, Ben Tafau for the help with the backdrop, Strutt and Advantageous for the decorations, the staff that helped clean-up and lastly a huge thanks to the helpers Naomi Moore, Sarah-Jane Westbrooke, Sheena Aerts,

Gareth Wright and Tracey Marshall.

FIRE & ICE









YEAR 13 PROFILES

Aidan "I'll steal it - I'll get in the least trouble" Harrison
PO: Inventor of industrial-strength hair gel

Aaron "Of course I've paid my bond" Reed
PO: Inmate for tax fraud

Alana "....." Blakemore
PO: Talk show host

Anthony "Quality not quantity" Redpath
PO: Stand-in for Doug Funny

Anthony "Got any money, cuz?" Meacheam
PO: The next Chris Cairns

Alissa "I get paid \$5 a lunchtime to do this" Fraser
PO: Still getting \$5 an hour

Ben "I'm brainier than I look" Tafau
PO: Janitor

Bryan "Muff Daddy" Sinclair
PO: Stone cold keep trying Bryan

Braden "Am I not up to your standards, oi?" McPherson
PO: Record for most sh*t stirred in the 7th form

Bart "I'm too sexy for my shirt" Rall
PO: Calvin Klein model

Brook "Smiles all round" Luxford
PO: Dentist pin-up of the millennium

Bryce "White men can jump!" Christensen
PO: Designer of the x-treme hockey stick

Chukka "I'm a clayton's student!!" Simiona
PO: Goku

Charlotte "Fish without a head" Hansen
PO: Aquarium Cleaner

Chinia "I can't, I've got Polinetia Fa'atasi" Parai
PO: Island translator

Caroline "Who's the hook-up?" Mourao
PO: Job?

Dean "Search party? I didn't see a search party" Wilson
PO: Judge Judy

Dianne "I'm never playing with you again, Braden" Deihl
PO: Model for singlet bras

Eric "Show us your ti#*ies" Hoyt
PO: Antique bra collector

Erin "Possum" Patterson
PO: Park ranger

Elizabeth "Not him, the other one" Boss
PO: Mail-order bride

Emma "Are you psyched, girls?" Taylor
PO: 2000 sumo champ

Frances "They're doing breast checks at the social?" Bailey
PO: Designer of "tuff-bum" jeans

Gareth "Always misunderstood" Wright
PO: Professional antagonist

Iain "I OWN this road!" Thornton
PO: African rally driver

Junior "I'm the hook-up" Aue
PO: All-round sports-person of the year

Janine "School? Where?" Roscoe
PO: Bakehouse girl

Jess "No worries, I can't find it either" Woodley
PO: The next Jordan

Kimberley "I ride horses, too" Wellings
PO: Professional rider

Katherine "I didn't mean to make him cry" Luxford
PO: Physiotherapist to all male sports-persons

Katharine "I'm a princess" Pepper
PO: Princess, sometime husband killer

Kane "Rumour Boy" Day
PO: Husband to many

Kaye-Marie "Rumour Girl" McKaskill
PO: One of the "many"

Kristy "Arrgghh! Not the banshee!" Koveskali
PO: Future alcoholic (hey, she got access), spokesperson for AA

Kiri "I wasn't hung over, I was tired" Ryder
PO: 2000 opposition for sumo championship

Kelly "Do I look okay in these?" Rakei
PO: Teacher in etiquette

Luke "I do enjoy wearing women's clothes" Dixon
PO: Still at school

Lucas "What common room?" Daniela
PO: Coach for the Warriors

Mary "My mummy still makes my lunch" Brown
PO: Professional organiser

Melanie "Thirty plus only need apply" Atkinson
PO: Caretaker at senior citizens rest home

Melissa "Squeak" Tippet
PO: Chinese Ambassador for New Zealand

Maria "Shake your bonbon" Baker
PO: ABBA's solution to Dancing Queen

Margaret "Let's talk" Rollo
PO: Psycho killer

Nathan "There's a difference in lycra and spandex, okay?" O'Hanlon
PO: Lycra technician

Nathan "Chocolate Boy" Crooks
PO: #1 poser for playgirl

Owen "www.international-e-stud.com.bzl" Joyce
PO: Student psychiatrist

Rachel "Please tell me...I won't tell anyone" Sowerby
PO: Gossip columnist

Rebecca "They pay me in food" Dowdle
PO: The next tuck shop lady

Rachel "What Rachel wants, Rachel gets!" Bennion
PO: Four-storey night club owner

Renee "I see you baby..." Kapoor
PO: Professional Aussie surfer

Ripeka "Men are horrible, chicks are chocolate" Ngapo
PO: Getaway driver

Renee "Jonah Lomu" Metu
PO: Managing director of Super Liquor

Sheena "Weena" Aerts
PO: The grand master pimp

Victoria "Yeah I've met him...well, on the net" James
PO: Owner of Internet dating service

EPWORTH CAMP

Seventh Form Camp was the epitome of fun, excitement and comradeship! The camp aimed to build teamwork, friendship, self-confidence and leadership. We had a visit from the Tertiary Liaison experts on the first evening and after that it was down to teambuilding activities and animated and lively discussions within our Lake Groups.

The evenings were filled with swimming (once we got the key!), physical challenges and ongoing! discussion (better known as bedside chatter!).

Everyone left with good intentions of building Lake spirit, studying earnestly during the year and gaining excellent exam results. At this late stage of the year we are pleased to report that all of the above has been accomplished – NOT!

SUMMER CODES

ATHLETICS

Once again Athletics began the year on a high note as we congratulated Monique Williams on becoming the New Zealand titleholder for the 800 metres at the Secondary School Championships. Monique also came third in the 400 metres.

Athletics Day at Forest View was greeted with even more enthusiasm than usual this year and there was a strong display of Lake colours and some intensely competitive events. Rose Rakei broke records in the long and triple jump and the overall points winners were: Teresa Boss, Caine Cuff, Craig Wilson, Monique Williams, Dominic Yukich, Rose Rakei and Anthony Meacheam.

The Mid Islands at Rotorua saw a team of approximately fifty attending. Overall we gained 15 firsts, 21 seconds and 13 thirds. The highlight of the day was Monique breaking the record for 800 metres. Previous to this the record had stood since 1980.

The Waikato Championships were a much more challenging event and 20 of the 30 who had qualified were able to attend on that day. Monique acquitted herself well again by breaking the 800 metres record and winning the 400 metres. Ailsa Wilson won the discus and came third in the long jump. Talia Henry came second to her teammate in the discus and Rose Rakei came second in the 100 and 200 metres. These good performances meant that Monique, Ailsa, Talia and Rose had all qualified as Waikato representatives for the North Islands.

At the North Islands, the competition was tough but Monique continued her winning reign in the 800 metres and came third in the 400 metres. She later became an International Champion at the Pan Pacific Games by breaking a record to gain a Gold Medal in the 400 metres and also winning a Silver Medal in the 800 metres. Monique has been selected to run in the 4 by 400m relay in the Junior World Championships in Chile later this year. Undoubtedly, she is a fine athlete!

This year the New Zealanders are in Hamilton and we hope to take a team to compete. It is a difficult time of the year to instil enthusiasm but we hope that some of the excellent performances that we have seen this year will serve as an inspiration!



CROSSCOUNTRY

As usual, the school Cross Country was greeted with cheers of enthusiasm as pupils of all ages donned their PE gear ran around fields and hurdled fences.

The six winners on the day were: Teresa Boss, Craig Wilson, Monique Williams, Dominic Yukich, Elizabeth Boss and Ben Tafau.

The next stage of events this year took place at Tauranga. The clash with exams meant we only had a small team and most were juniors. They performed very well with Teresa Boss having the best result for the girls at 4th and Hayden McKenzie coming tenth, which was the best result for the boys. Hayden continued on to the Waikatos and also competed in the Waikato Road Race and came eighth.

For a myriad of reasons, this year did not see large numbers competing at higher levels in Cross Country but, with the New Zealanders in the North Island again next year, we may see a renewed interest in 2001

GIRLS TOUCH

Although the touch season for the girls was short, it was an enjoyable one. The team had a good time competing against other schools and came fourth in the region. Cheers to Mr Manu not for your driving skills – this needs a bit of work – but for your coaching.

BOYS 1ST XI CRICKET

Forest View 1st XI had a very good season this year and were placed third in their competition. Led well by captain Gareth Wright, the team showed good talent with star performers such as Anthony Meacheam leading the way. Special thanks to coach Ronnie Motley and Denise Hein for making this team possible.

Luke "... you umpire" Dixon, with his stylish one-handed play, was always a trusty opener to have.

Kaz "Mullet man, too fast, too fast" Penwarden improved as the season progressed (he began to see the ball).

Bryan "The ball went this way, not that way" Sinclair who was the man with casual shots and could bat for a period.

Brooke "My bowls are supposed to hit the grass" Luxford - the reliable spinner of the team who was always willing to give anything a go.

Owen "No need for the gloves, my chest will stop the ball" Joyce - the wicket keeper/batsman who could always contribute to the team as long as it was every second week. The man who also knew the meaning of putting the body on the line as he took many body shots from the ball.

Ben "I'll play but I won't train" Wright - a good contributor. He had no style but could score runs.

Bart "I don't need to use my bat" Rall - always a good team man. He showed us what South African cricket was all about.

Scott "Nigel's brother" Alloway, who was the little soldier of the team - its just that everyone else outranked him - showed glimpses throughout the season of a good player.

Evan "Its cricket, not a boxing match" Penny was a player who showed some promising improvements throughout the season as he started to become a wiser player who did not put up with any crap.

Gareth "Scott go there, Scott go there cause I'm Captain" Wright, the fearless leader who only wanted captain to be put on his CV, showed he was a player who could lead from the front with strong bowling and very sensible batting.

Braden "Watch the flipper guys, well it wasn't supposed to go for 6" MacPherson - a very promising all rounder who always puts the pressure on when he bowls. He came into his own at the end of the season as he scored 78 and helped the team to their best win of the year.

Kane "He scores 50's, he scores 100's, he takes wickets, when? Shane Warne cricket 99" Day was someone who could pull off the sweep shot from any position and against any bowl. He showed good form with the ball and bat as his bowling gained some accuracy and he finally acquired a block.

Lastly, we have the star player of the team - Anthony "No need to run, 6's and 4's will do" Meacheam With an average of 104 with the bat, an opening bowler for Northern Districts as well as the under 17s, he was our saviour, our secret weapon and the player of the competition. He scored more runs than any other in the Waikato and carried the team through many games.

GIRLS 1ST XI CRICKET

The girls 1st XI had a rewarding season, beginning with a big win over Putaruru and ending with a convincing win over Cambridge.

Top Scorer: Angela Board (95 not out)
Most Wickets: Leeza O'Donahue (11)
First Wicket: Rebecca Pocock (Caught in short)

Angela "Don't worry girls I'll get some runs" Board
Rebecca "I caught it" Pocock
Katherine "Shut up you guys" Foster
Alice "I think that batters are more scared of me" Joynt
Natasha "I can stop it with my foot" Ward
Melissa "I'll drive us over" McGovern
Leeza "Ohh, is that another wicket" O'Donahue
Renee "That ball's hit over the fence" Kapoor
Jess "I'll hit a couple" Woodley
Rachel "Shut up Braden" Sowerby
Naomi "It's my brother's/My brother taught me" Moore
Mary "Ha Ha Barbie you can go home now" Brown
Anita "Bring it on" Petero

A special thanks to our coaches Mr Manu, Braden, Gareth and Luke for all the help. It was greatly appreciated.



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ATHLETICS & CROSSCOUNTRY

Back Row: R Metu, R Rakei, V Redden, C Wilson, W Revell, D Yukich, R Honey, C Wallis
2nd Row: Mr D Clark (Coach), Mr W Ford (Coach), A Wilson, M Williams, S Mason, L Togia, A Winter, T Ford, Ms D Hein (Coach), Mrs C Yukich (Manager)
Front Row: T Lennox, T Henry, F Mathis, T Boss, R Tolovae, H, McKenzie, C Liddell
Absent: L Hawkins, C Banfield, C Cuff, L Taylor, E Penny, R Standen, J Wilson

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TENNIS CHAMPS

Back Row: M Blucher, K Day, D Wilson, O Joyce
Front Row: S Wilson, H Cook, R Pocock, A Wilson, A Tyrrell
Absent: H Griffiths, D Carnahan

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BOYS NATIONAL TEAM

Back Row: T Aue, J Aue, B Wright
2nd Row: T Rikona (Manager), E McCaskill, D Joseph, C Stowers
Front Row: H Metu, J Kamana, N Thompson (Captain), L Daniels, T Noho
Absent: R Best (Coach), J Elder, C Hakaria, C Stuart



GIRLS

Back Row: S Stowers, R Metu, R Jones, A Board, Mr N Manu (Coach)
Front Row: A Willoughby, S Robson, T Kuka, N Whitiwhiti, R Rakei
Absent: N Tahere, A Purnell

1ST XV RUGBY

The entire squad has given 100% every game this season. With the small number of players available, compared with most teams played against, to rank in the top 3 of the Waikato is a credit to the team. With highlights of the season such as winning the Tricolour trophy, the team had a good season. The team showed they could beat anyone if they played to their potential with convincing wins against teams like Te Kuiti who won the competition and St Peters who were second placed.

Captain Braden MacPherson has led the team well this year, leading from the front by playing outstandingly as flanker.

Vice captain Gareth Wright has always led by example, whether it was from the midfield or the back of the scrum when required.

Prop James Mani has been the cornerstone of the tight forwards with fellow props Marcus Stow and Danny Tuapou making good progress through the season.

Hooker Luke Dixon was always outweighed but never beaten.

Lock Ben Tafau's work rate shows his commitment and Hayden Wright and Teau Aue have followed his example.

Kane Day on the flank was very effective with a knack of smuggling the ball in rucks and mauls.

Number eight Rhys Whaanga played with increasing maturity through the season channelling his strength and aggression to the team's benefit.

Halfback Malcolm Walker looks to have a bright future in the game as halfback or midfielder.

Newton Thompson made a huge contribution to the team with his ability and leadership. Drollett Joseph at first five is an astute reader of the game and always a danger man, but also showed plenty of attacking prowess and courageous defence.

Wings Anthony Meacheam and Junior Aue were always dangerous and excellent finishers.

Fullback John Elder has terrific potential, but injuries severely limited his playing time and young Ben Wright showed he could front up at this level when his opportunities came.

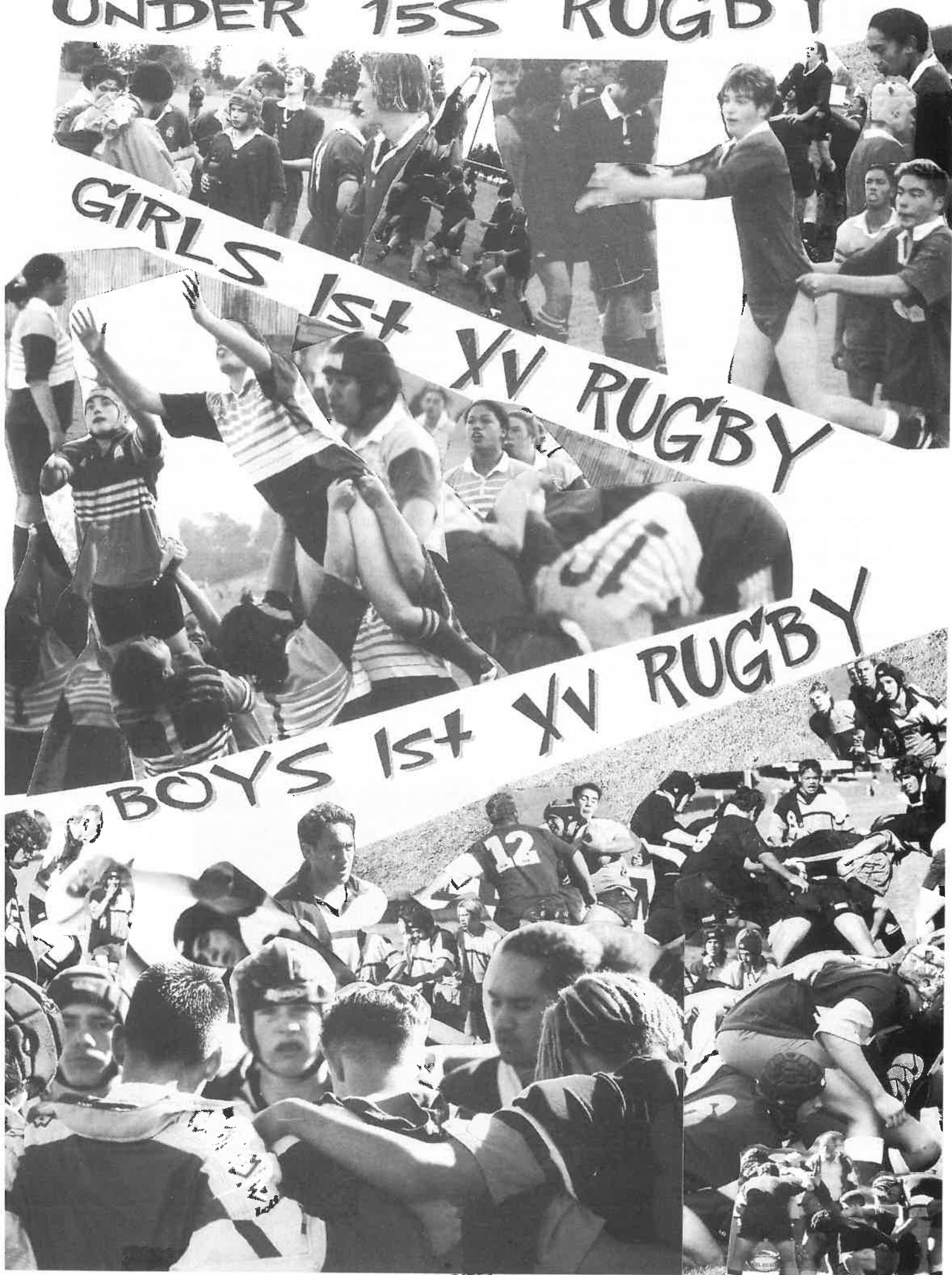
Another with limited playing time was Te Wai Neho who was still a great team man and has the talent to succeed.

Recognition is also due to Lucas Daniels who fronted up when able and Huw Jones until going overseas for AFS.

Managers Terry Fitzpatrick and Jon Hughes were once again very effective and many thanks go to them. Also a lot of thanks goes to Dave Finlay the coach, who helped the team to what they achieved and also Nooroa Manu who was the rugby organiser and back coach.



UNDER 15S RUGBY



UNDER 15 RUGBY

It was a season that the team had dreamed of all their rugby lives. A season where they would be feared by opponents, respected by critics and Waikato Under 15 Champions! A massive 588 points were racked up and just 56 conceded. This is an effort all the team and management could be proud of. Not bad for a side that no-one wanted to coach, until the brilliant Max Kuka and Vic Maaka stepped in to save the team from pulling out of the competition and what a great job they did.

The season started with comprehensive victories over the easy-beats, such as Tok High, Cambridge and St Peters, until Putaruru gave us a scare that made us realise that not everyone was beatable without putting in the hard yards. Other early season problems included discipline, training numbers and fitness, but the sheer brilliance of stars such as Kamana, Metu, Stuart and Kahui plus a strong forward pack with the likes of Penney, Tupai, McDonald and Bradley made sure the team stayed unbeaten. It was not until the middle of the season that the Forest View Under 15 side started to really hit their straps and show their true potential.

In the tough game against Te Kuiti, which was a big side, Forest found themselves without their star centre Kamana, who was on Waikato duties. However, on that wet miserable day, it all clicked. Superb forward dominance and a classy back play earned the team an 18 – 7 win over Te Kuiti, who had targeted us all season as the team to beat. From this game on the 'men in blue' were unstoppable, and in great shape for the last Round Robin match against the only other unbeaten side – Church College, and what an occasion it turned out to be.

The match was evenly fought with both teams battling for home advantage in the Semi-final and Final. It was not until the time was up on the clock and the last play of the game that, that Forest View snatched victory from the jaws of defeat, with a try that bought the ground to boiling point. Almost the entire team was involved in this thrilling try that was finished off by Kamana, and sent the team and crowd absolutely wild! It also secured a home Semi-final against Putaruru (who we gave a 60 point hiding), and then a home rematch of the epic game against Church College, except this time it was to decide the champion for 2000.

The match, played in wet conditions, was not to be a repeat of the two teams' last gripping encounter. This time Forest View was too good, and played a near perfect game to claim the prize. One got the feeling that as soon as the scoring started five minutes into the match, Forest were always going to dominate for the win. And win they did in great style and composure, by a margin of 25 points to 12. The dream of being winners had finally come true and celebrations continued into the wee hours of the morning. We were unbeaten, untouched and undisputed Under 15 Champions.

Special thanks to coaches Vic and Max, Manager Manu, Defensive Coach Darral plus Hone the Water Boy – we couldn't have done it without you. Also thanks to the McDonald family for the van and drink bottles, and finally a huge thanks to our loyal supporters who stuck with us all season.

Ryan Bradley



BOYS 1ST XI SOCCER

Boys' soccer, did someone say boys' soccer, is there even a team this year? Well that was the initial impression when only six players turned up to the first training of the long and arduous season.

Things came right and, despite losing all three of the opening matches of the season, we recovered, with a full team and actually started to play a little football.

I could highlight the low points in our expletive season this year, or cover the better things, like, uh...well I'll think of something. One saying can be reaffirmed this year more than any year I have spent playing football at this school, its all about having fun.

Thankfully, this was the team's motto, and we had a lot of fun. Alongside the fun though we managed to upset the best teams and finish the season in a respectable second place...even if it was in the fifth division.

The success of our team this year was definitely due to the commitment of the players who joined us for the first time, and the lasting commitment of the players who have played since third form.

I feel the need to pay tribute to the players leaving this season, and many thanks go to Brook Luxford, Matthew Keene and Dean Wilson, as well as myself, for all putting a lot of effort into the team and trying as hard as is possible to make the best of a bad year for senior football at Forest View.

It has been a long time since the First XI has tasted first division competition, but I think support in the ranks of our juniors has increased and the future of Forest View football is looking very good. Maybe the success of the past can be restored, but first we need the support of the wider school community.

I wish next year's team the best of luck and hope that someday the former glory of Forest View High School football can be restored.

My Forest View High School career ends with this statement.

The season started with six individuals, it ended with a team of winners. It's not where we placed that matters, its how we played and why we did it... to have fun.

Iain Thornton



GIRLS XI SOCCER

We had a great season, kicking off with a 9-0 win which resulted in our season of five wins, three losses and one draw. With our tactically skilled team we discovered that our forwards made better backs during our last game.

A big thanks to our coaches Evan Dickinson, Pete Simpson and our Manager Mrs Sarich. Also thank you to all the parents who provided transport throughout the season.

Angela "That had a can of whoop ass in it!" Board
Leeza "I'm an Eveready bunny" O'Donoghue
Natasha "Oh for ...!" Ward
Sarah "Yeah, yeah, I'm getting there" Wilson
Amy "I'm not that short look at Tash!" Tyrrell
Liz "Let's waste em!" Boss
Maria "Tash, where's the sideline!" Baker
Sheena "Sorry I got the goal for the other team" Aerts
Kimberley "Angela! It's a corner, lets do it" Wellings
Annmarie "I don't wanna be the goalie" Farrar
Jasmine "Shut up Evan!" Ford
Chrissie "I prefer my boots undone" Terry
Katherine "I can't get a ride in miss" Pepper
Theresa "Sorry I'm sick again" Couchman
Evan "Word to your mama!" Dickinson
Auntie Del "I want to see a win girls!" Sarich

Natasha Ward



JUNIOR BOYS SOCCER

2000 was another tumultuous season for the magnificent junior boys' squad. After last year's successes in the lowly 5th division we were amazed to find we had been promoted all the way up to the 3rd division where, despite losing more games than we won, (just) we competed well to finish 3rd equal on the table.

A big thank you must go out to our coach Gareth Williams who did a great job at our Thursday trainings and was absolutely inspirational, especially when telling us what positions we would be playing. An extremely large, mother muchimas gracias goes out to our Manager/Fitness Trainer, Mr Treasurer. Without you, kind sir, we would truly be lost, like sheep without a shepherd. Keep up the good work for next season. All the boys thoroughly enjoyed their 4th form and hope to make a big impact on the first XI in 2001.

Luke Kelly - had a great season in goal and made some stunning saves, particularly with the shins.

Matthew Gorter - played outstandingly at left back, developed himself into a very persistent defender and an excellent slide tackler.

Terrique Treasurer - amazed us all with his stunning aerial manoeuvres and was an integral, irreplaceable part of our well oiled defensive unit.

Dylan Raynel - continued to astonish us with his great acceleration and short burst speed.

Adam Tafau - shocked, stunned and stupefied us with his skills on the left wing, never afraid to take a player on.

Bram Deutz-Ebeling - had another outstanding season and always seemed to dominate the game and was excellent on both attack and defence.

Grant Collins - had another great year and caused opposing defences endless problems, especially with his storming runs down the right.

Luke Iwunze - carried on his scintillating form from last season and continued to blast the goals in, excellent speed and great finishing.

Lucius Iwunze - was also in great form. He evolved from fill-in to team regular.

Patrick Woodlock - amazed us with his high level of skill and talent. Watch out for him in years to come. Also playing extremely well was his brother Danny.

We would also like to say thank you and well done to all of our late joiners, part timers and filler ins, in particular Josh Holland, Joseph Papa, Ngira Craig, Matthew Shaw and Ben Wright. Your contribution was greatly appreciated

By Miloš Blucher

MICHAEL JORDAN WANNABES

SENIOR BOYS BASKETBALL

Forest View SAINTS have had an amazingly great 2000 season.

Playing in the Waikato Secondary School competition, overall the boys did extremely well by coming third. Fun full memories of the games and the journey to each game, and for some, the best year out.

John Elder:

Can afford to go out in the weekend but can't afford to pay for his basketball fees.

Guy Sinclair:

Guy you're too fresh on the court, and pass the ball you idiot

Danny Tuapou:

Thinks he can dunk

Newton Thompson:

Always "Travelling" to Japan

Teau Aue:

Always on the prowl for new improved Cambridge imports

Shannon Hoskings:

"Cripps", thinks he's the staunchest guy on court

Doug Van Der Molen:

Hardly trained, hardly played, hardly saw him

Huw Jones:

Clean that up! ... left us for America.

Thanks very much to Mama Jones, Pimp Daddy Jones, Mama Charlie and Big Papa Pump Charlie.

To Mama Jones for providing management, support and transport for the team. To Pimp Daddy Jones for providing transport and for being coach when Mama Charlie couldn't be there.

To Mama Charlie (my mum) for being coach and providing transport. To Big Papa Pump (my dad), for letting Mama Charlie coach us and also for setting up the Hangi to raise money for our uniforms and for feeds in Hamilton.

Good luck next year boys. Lets see if we can do better.

Thanks again,
Chris Charlie



SENIOR GIRLS BASKETBALL

The F.V.H.S Senior Girls Basketball Team will look back on the year 2000 as a season of 'fun, long trips, and cheap feeds' (The Flying Rock) God Bless.

Our team encountered a very challenging season this year entering into the Waikato league. This competition represented a high calibre of competition and a more professional standard of play. It gave our team a different look at the game, with different expertise from every player. We had the 'High rollers' the 'ruthless' and the ones that just kept laughing (aka - The Team!)

Jessica "Rolly" Woodley. Multi talented Jess was. Rather than playing on the court, Jess favours the floor as she spent most of the game on the ground!!

Rhea "Lanky Danky" Jones. Awesome arm extension, a lot of hidden talent and knew how to provide people with a good game. "Nice stuffing girl!"

Ngawai "Hot shot" Whitiwhiti. Ace shooter, and knows how to finish those important shots when not concentrating on something else eg. Boys, hair etc

Cindy "Twinkle Toes" Black. Dedicated player.(Coach can I sub first) Provided the game with some awesome highlights and some wicked styles.

Tamara "Speak no Evil" Lotomau. Couldn't stop her from talking while we played (I wonder what about??) Primo player when on attack, knows how to force those shots up "Too Good".

Renee "Ruthless" Kapoor. Very aggressive player! Trust me size doesn't matter in this situation, good at finding open spaces on court and an excellent finisher.

Teura "Cool" Tuau. Played a couple of games with awesome skills, but unfortunately fell sick having to leave the girls half way through the season.

Rachel "Reinforcer" Bennion. Our very own ref, supporter and our 3 point shooter, awesome tactics Rach.

Nancy-Jo "Awwwesome" Tahere. I will have to admit that I have really enjoyed this season with the 'Angels 2000' Basketball team and would like to wish future players all the best

The team would like to take the opportunity to thank the following people. Our PRIMO coach of the year 2000, who provided our team with some awesome skills and showed us how to play with some Damn good style. MISS SHOW GIRL NEW ZEALAND "Darnel Manu" Yea-ah! Thanks 'D' for your support and encouragement. Mr 'Too Cool' Manu, for showing us your awesome cheer "Se sa sa"(Is that it?). Mr and Mrs Jones for being our No.1 supporters, Part time coaches and Chilly Bins of Food. Our back up Squad who we depended on most of the time. Billie's fancy footwork, Tairi and Teupoko's wicked shooting has helped us on many occasions. Thanks girls! Miss Umaki for your organisation and support. To the parents and players who provided us with the transport and the school for the use of the mini van that we always somehow had to share (I wonder who with?). Thanks to you all.....

JUNIOR GIRLS BASKETBALL

This team was that mind blowing, I don't know where to start. They had taken the game of Basketball to a new level and had students, parents and spectators in amazement. Now some might say 'they weren't that great', but in actual fact - they were. Their discipline, their fair play attitude and above all their focus to enjoy the game was outstanding amongst all level of competitiveness.

For most of the girls, it was their first time playing competitive level basketball as the closest they got to the 'real thing' was on the basketball courts at intervals and lunchtime. This year, along with the rest of the Forest View basketball teams, they were entered into the Waikato League. They won their games with their closest competitors being Rakaumanga (aka Te Whare Kura) and CCNZ under 16 team. But in the finals the girls were defeated by three points against CCNZ which some might agree that it was 7 on 5 (with their refs also participating in the game!).

Tairi Ford (Captain) Aka: Skids

"Who cares about who's on the sideline, they're all ugly anyway"

Karla Marsh Aka: Sexy?!?!)

"Look at me, I'm the bomb!"

Talia Henry Aka: Tar

"Hey, don't play like an individual, or you'll have to play golf!"

Lysandra Mani Aka: Fa or Fafa

"Watch your back ..."

Teupoko Natua Aka: Teups

"When I say too, you say good - TOO GOOD!!!"

Shontelle Stowers Aka: Baby

"I didn't like that game because the girl with the pigtails, she had stink breath, she was all over me and...."

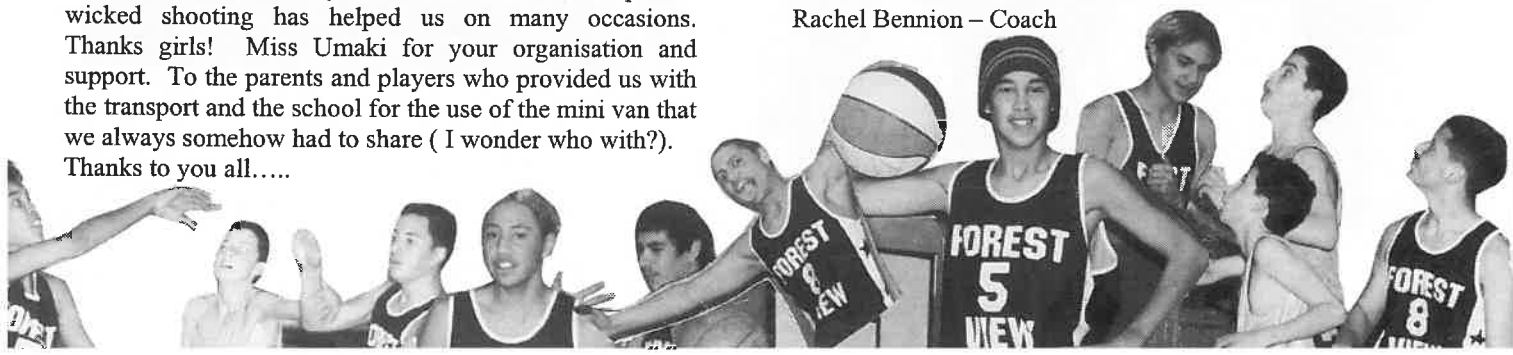
Mavelline Karora Aka: Scary

(Mavelline said nothing - Silence is golden)

So there you have it, Forest View's answer to the Dream team.

We would now like to thank: Ms Umaki - #1 transport provider, helper and putting up with the girl's noise week after week. Mr Ford - #1 supporter, transport provider and for always being there at the last minute. Senior Girls, Junior Boys and Chris Charlie for their never-ending support. All parents for putting up with practices, games, fees, everything - the list goes on and to everybody in general - Thank you!!

Rachel Bennion - Coach



BOYS 1ST Y1 & 2ND Y1 HOCKEY

This year we successfully made a parody of boys' hockey. Despite the immense skill many of the players had, most of us didn't have the people skills required to hold down a decent manager.

Full credit must go to our current manager for his organisation and the swiftness of his takeover when we needed him most.

The season was marred by the management level breakdown, but also saw the replacement of previous coach Mr Arthur, with a very experienced, Dave Jennings. Dave's knowledge of the game and his will to make winners out of us kept the team going.

The team of 2000 has probably been the least disciplined that I have been in for my five years of Hockey at this school, but Dave handled us in an exemplary manner. Rowdy players often got the chop and faced half-games, or in the most extreme cases, faced the judiciary, and suffered two match suspensions.

Despite our apparent lack of sportsmanship, the hockey boys were definitely a team to look at this year. Action on, and to a lesser extent, off the field was enough to fuel the most demanding spectators needs.

Boys Hockey has had a revolutionary year, literally. I just wish I could see what's going to happen next year.

Ian Thornton



GIRLS 1ST Y1 HOCKEY

We ended another great season of hockey, this time with a tournament and a trip to Leisure World. While we didn't exactly "take out" the tournament, we did learn a lot and had an awesome time both on and off the field. We ended up thirteenth out of sixteen.

In the pool play, we finally "took the plunge" and entered the A Grade. We did really well and finished near the top of the grade. We had an awesome team this year and all can be proud to be remembered as the "Team 2000". As many are leaving next year, there will be a whole new group of people making up the 2001 team, and I'm sure they will be just as good, if not better. Thanks a lot to all involved - coach, refs, supporters and parents who travelled over each week.

Sarah Westbrooke

"You can't get reception in your pocket..doh"

Anna Willoughby

"Shiree, scrape your jaw off the ground"

Shiree Trickey

"I'm not staring, really.....damn he's fine"

Alice Joynt

"The next boy racer"

Stacey Prole

"So what did I do in the weekend"

Tracy Marshall

"Scott! Scott! Where for art thou Scott"

Alecia Swale

"I'm not really a bimbo...honest"

Leeane Knox

"Daddy gave me a green card!"

Vicky Knox

"Imported goods from the 2nds"

Christine Liddell

"I'm not really flirting with Bryce"

Katherine Luxford

"The XV's next masseuse"



GIRLS 2ND 11 HOCKEY

The hockey season for the 2nd XI this year has been all about learning. With this in mind, we started with a hiss and a roar shocking, even Miss Hollis with how well we pulled together. We went through the season winning, losing and drawing, but most importantly learning how hockey works. This season all the girls were committed and played really well. Thank you to Miss Hollis for coaching us, and spending her own time to get us to Rotorua each week. We all had great fun.

Jacqueline Trotman

Jacqueline	"3 Cheers for the sexy ref."
Amy. C	"Shown a lot of leg"
Amy. J	"What does that mean?"
Kerry	"I don't have to listen"
Louise	"I'm free, I'm free"
Amber	"I scored a hat trick!"
Ileana	"I can't hit the ball I'm a goalie"
Kyran	"I'll start playing next week"
Tua	"I'll ring Dad"
Vicki	"Flasher"

BADMI NTON

This year saw the resurgence of badminton at FVHS. A small but dedicated group of students hassled Mr Clark until he relented and agreed to supervise them but this was to be in name only. The only Gym time available was Tuesday night and Mr C was always tied up in one meeting or another and rarely got there, however Owen Joyce was always there as was his mum Robyn and between them they ran the club.

Term 4 saw a switch to Thursday nights but Mr C still had meetings, reports, or something else to do. He promises to do better next year. Overall, the year has been successful in terms of making badminton available to students and a lot of new people tried the sport, some even became regulars and all learned a few things.

The Waitara exchange was the highlight of the year because it gave the chance for real competition. Even though the results were not winning ones the whole experience was enjoyable. Look out Waitara, next year we are coming for revenge.

I would like to thank all participants for their attendance but especially Robyn and Owen Joyce for their hard work and organisation to make another opportunity available at FVHS.

Mr C





SENIOR A

Back Row: D Kelly (Coach), N Tahere, R Jones, A Wilson, K Clark, H Williamson (Manager)
Front Row: R Metu, K Rakei, R Rakei, N Whitiwhiti, T Ford
Absent: T Kuka



SENIOR B

Back Row: Mrs M Natua (Coach), Mrs Clark (Teacher in Charge), Mrs Williamson (Teacher in Charge)
2nd Row: S Robson, A Petero, H Mathis, T Natua
Front Row: T Henry, N Moore, R Pocock (Captain), R Tolovae, P Popata



ROYAL

Back Row: B Aukuso, M Te Kanawa (Coach), A Winter
Front Row: K Marsh, O O'Sullivan, K Marsh
Absent: C Iorangi, S Turahui, L Taylor, C Parai



THE G'S

Back Row: C Yukich (Manager), D Teakura, L Titjen, S Cooper, C Yukich, Mrs R Jones (Coach)
Front Row: K Tyson, M Karora, T Orake (Captain), A Lefebvre, K Goode



THE DEVILS

Back Row: I van de Water, G O'Brien, H Hoani
2nd Row: K Pakoti (Coach), R Popata, A Fraser, C Andrews-Hansen, H Williamson (Coach)
Front Row: K Dawson, K Griffin, N Winikerei, R Pentecost, J Maao
Absent: S Polatsek



3RD A

Back Row: D Hein (Coach), C Cunningham, L Hawkins, S Stowers
Front Row: B Sarsfeild, R Harvey, P Totoro (Captain), S Te Kotia, J Kelly



FOREST FORCE

Back Row: E Tuapou, R Standen, R Lockington
Front Row: L Dargaville, H Meacheam, J Wareing, G Stockman
Absent: P Areai, M Cunningham



CHIEFS

Back Row: J Kingi, L Meacheam, H van Rijn, K Wilson, R Hamilton
Front Row: S Seardon, J Bryant, N Day, A Rewiri, T Boss

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AQUA

Back Row: R Metu (Coach), N Goosen, S Aloiai, S Martin, N Tahere (Coach)
Front Row: K Uka, N Lennon, F Mathis, K Rawiri, G Wooderson
Absent: R Stevens, J Rice



VOLLEYBALL

Back Row: J Elder, J Aue, D van der Molen, G Sinclair, C Stowers
2nd Row: C Stokes (Teacher in Charge), B Aukuso (Captain), R Metu, J Kamana, R Jones, H Jones
Front Row: R Rakei, N Moore, B Aukuso, A Willoughby, K Pakoti
Absent: D Tuapou (Captain), N Crooks



BOYS 1ST XV

Back Row: H Wright, A Meacheam, J Mani, D Tuapou, C Glassie, B Wright, D Joseph
2nd Row: D Finlay (Coach), N Thompson, M Stow, T Aue, B Tafau, J Aue, R Whaanga, T Fitzpatrick (Manager), J Hughes (Manager)
Front Row: K Day, C Stowers, H Jones, B Mcperson (Captain), G Wright, L Dixon, T Noho
Absent: J Elder, M Walker



GIRLS 1ST XV

Back Row: M Teokotai, K Rivers, L Mani, R Metu, E Taylor
2nd Row: Mrs B Purnell (Coach), C Turner, L Cooper, T Kuka, R Ngapo, Mr A Purnell (Coach) Mrs C Yukich (FVHS Manager)
Front Row: N Purnell, APurnell, D Okeroa (THS Captain), F Kerr (FVHS Captain) L Taylor, H Farrar, A Fraser
Absent: T Puke, A Turner, A Wickliffe, J Hodge, K Marshall, A Towler



UNDER 15S

Back Row: H Ford, R Bradley, T Ogle
2nd Row: M Kuka (Coach), H Metu, D Waerea, M Riceman, T Herekuiha, H Kuka
Front Row: T Frear, S Alloway, B Plowright, R Kahui (Captain), J Kamana, K Hewitt, R Boss
Absent: C Stuart, N Takiri, W MacDonald, V Maaka (Coach), E Penny



UNDER 14S

Back Row: D Paul, C Cuff, J Hale, G Potoru
3rd Row: D Gage, A Laurenson, S Hill, A Tapsell, V Uatuku
2nd Row: H Gage (Coach), L Wilson, D Andersen, T Hill, E Lepa, P Russell, M Ropoama, A Wilson (Co-coach)
Front Row: K Lamont, K Woodley, M Grant, C Wilson (Captain), J Cox, A Whiteman, D Kotuku

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UNDER 50 KG

- Back Row:** T Nelio, D Gardiner, L Ratu, D Nuku
3rd Row: K Dennis, N an der Water, M Tuaiti, T Heybrook, R Yates, J Wilson, T Terry,
2nd Row: Mr I Ferguson (Coach), H McKenzie, J Kendall, N Banfeild, D Hendriksen,
H Lennox, R Ten Velde
Front Row: R Ferguson, R Williams, J Burrows, K Takapu (Captain), B Haugh, R Sowerby,
C Ramea
Absent: H Griffiths



1ST XIII RUGBY LEAGUE TEAM

- Back Row:** B Nooroa, M Stow, J Aue, L Togia, A Meacheam, B Rankin
2nd Row: E Pa, G Reinsfeild, B Barlow, J Rankin, L Dixon, H Metu, E Davida, Mr Ford
Front Row: C Stowers, N Thompson, R Whaanga, L Daniela (Captain), J Elder, T Waenga,
T Neho
Absent: K Patikura-Watene, W Hodge



BOYS 1ST XI

Back Row: B Luxford, P Dowdle, A Martin
2nd Row: B Rothman, J Tairi, B Bright, B Keene
Front Row: D Thornton, D Wilson, I Thornton (Captain), J McVickar, K Penwarden
Absent: E Hollins, M Keene, J Wiles (Coach)



GIRLS 1ST XI

Back Row: S Wilson, C Terry, T Couchman, K Wellings, L O'Donoghue
2nd Row: J Ford, A Farrar, M Baker, L Boss, E Dickinson (Coach)
Front Row: A Tyrell, K Pepper, A Board (Captain), S Aerts, N Ward



JUNIOR BOYS

Back Row: M Blucher, B Wright, J Papa
2nd Row: N Treasurer (Coach), M Gorter, N Craig, D Raynel, J Holland
Front Row: M Shaw, G Collins, L Kelly (Captain), T Treasurer, A Tafau
Absent: G Williams (Coach), B Deutz-Ebeling, J Bennion, L Iwunze (Captain)



JUNIOR GIRLS

Back Row: E Millar, C Wallis, S Christie, S Lancaster, H Cook
2nd Row: K Wellings (Coach), K Stinston, R Eley, M Williams, S Maniapoto, Z Eiao, A Board (Coach)
Front Row: V Gorter, C Boseley, H Riche, D Ward (Captain), C Swale-Barlow, S Leaf, T Lennox



SENIOR BOYS

Back Row: Y Charlie (Coach), C Charlie, D Van der Molen, D Tuapou, E Jones (Manager)
Front Row: T Aue, S Hosking, H Jones (Captain), G Sinclair, N Thompson
Absent: J Elder



SENIOR GIRLS

Back Row: Mrs Manu (Coach), R Jones, K Rakei, Mr Manu
Front Row: N Whitiwhiti, N Tahere (Captain), J Woodley
Absent: T Lotomau, R Kapoor, C Black



JUNIOR BOYS

Back Row: W Revell, B Wright, R White, D Lee
Front Row: N Craig, J Papa, J Bennion (Captain), H Griffith, C McCaskill



JUNIOR GIRLS

Back Row: R Bennion (Coach), L Mani, T Henry, M Karora
Front Row: K Marsh, T Ford (Captain), S Stowers
Absent: T Natua

HOCKEY

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BOYS 1ST XI & 2ND XI

Back Row: A Reid, P Anderson, P Dowdle, N Nunn, P Swanson
2nd Row: D Jennings (Coach), D Thornton, B van Rijn, B Christensen, M Sheldrake, J Thomas
Front Row: J Porau, D Molyneux, I Thornton (Captain), G Ilton, N Banfield
Absent: S Alloway, R Bradley

GIRLS 1ST XI

Back Row: K Luxford, A Swale, A Joynt, R Dowdle, S Trickey
Front Row: L Knox, S Westbrooke, A Willoughby (Captain), T Marshall, C Liddell
Absent: S Prole

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GIRLS 2ND XI

Back Row: N Iorangi, A Joynt, I Mowbray, V Knox
Front Row: L Deutz Ebeling, A Luxford, J Trotman (Captain), K Alloway, A Jones
Absent: K Randell, A Chappell



BADMINTON

Back Row: Mr D Clark, D Wilson, T Gawn, S Aerts
Front Row: R Win, O Joyce (Captain), V Gorter

SENIOR PRIZEGIVING - 18TH NOVEMBER 1999

TOP ACADEMIC PRIZES FOR 1999

<u>Tokoroa City Lions Memorial Award</u>	
For the All-Round Pupil Proceeding to Tertiary Education	Livia Hollins
<u>Mighty River Power Limited Prize</u>	
Best Senior Student in Science and Mathematics.....	Daniel Moore
<u>Paul Barnett Property Services Prize</u>	
Best Senior Student in Arts and Social Science	Richelle Sikking
<u>FG Blackwell Memorial Scholarship</u>	
For Academic, Sporting and Cultural Achievements (donated by the Tokoroa Club Inc).....	Wena Henry
<u>Ben O'Keeffe Bursary</u>	
For Excellent Sportsperson Going on to Tertiary Education (donated by Mr G O'Keeffe)	Daniel Moore
<u>Proxime Accessit</u> Donated by Paul Banett Property and the N R Frampton & Associates Cup	Karina Bridson
<u>Dux - Lions Club of Tokoroa Award</u>	
Trophy donated by Whitbread-Edwards family. Dux Medal	Daniel Moore

SPORTS AWARDS

<u>Athletics Brian Spraggon Memorial Trophy - For the Best Athlete of the Year</u> (Donated by Mr and Mrs Spraggon)	Monique Williams
<u>Top Sports Award</u>	
National Mutual Trophy - For the Best All-Round Sportsperson of the Year.....	Daniel Moore
National Mutual Trophy - For the Best Attitude and Contribution to Sport.....	Amor Rakei
Team of the Year Trophy - Donated by Burnett Family	Senior 'B' Netball
Jim Chambers Trophy - For Excellence in Sport	Rose Rakei

ACADEMIC AWARDS

YEAR 11

Merit Awards for Outstanding Effort and Attitude

Jennifer Blair, Angela Board, Holly Farrar, Donna Holland, Traci Hughes, Tracey Marshall, Eva Masters, Hillary Mathis, Nathanael McDonald, Rebecca McGrath, Miriam Millar, Naomi Moore, Annette Paul, Rebecca Pocock, Benjamin Rankin, Sabrina Ratai, Gareth Roderick, Tony Sarich, Catherine Sheerin, Daniel Shepherd, Sarah Smith, Candace Swale, Kyla Tera, Charleen Theunissen, Derek Thornton, Amy Tyrrell, Sarah Westbrooke, Rebekah Win, Nicole Winikerei.

First in Subject

Science - Donated by Bryants Plant and Florist	Jennifer Blair
Geography - Donated by Carter Holt Harvey Ltd	Jennifer Blair
Japanese - Donated by Triclad Manufacturing.....	Jennifer Blair
English - Donated by Carter Holt Harvey	Jennifer Blair
Mathematics - Donated by Deris Rydon	Benjamin Rankin
Workshop Technology Metal - Donated by Evans Engineering Ltd.....	Benjamin Rankin
Maori - Donated by South Waikato District Council	Rebecca McGrath
Art - Donated by Putaruru Panelbeaters	Eva Masters
Word Processing - Donated by Computer Works and the Nedra Stevenson Cup	Amy Tyrrell
Physical Education - Donated by South Waikato District Council	Blair Keene
Mathematics Applied 1 - Donated by Carter Holt Harvey Ltd.....	Blair Keene
History - Donated by Computer Works	Gareth Roderick
Communication English - Donated by W E Gray	Casey Hannay
General Science - Donated by Dobsons Motors.....	Te Waimarama Neho
Accounting - Donated by Colin Loft	Hilary Mathis
Workshop Technology (Wood) - Donated by Benchmark	Tony Sarich
Graphics - Donated by Carter Holt Harvey Ltd.....	Tracey Marshall
Food Technology - Donated by Paul Barnett Property Services	Catherine Sheerin
NZASE Certificate Science - Donated by Tokoroa Mens and Boys Wear.....	Richard Baker
Employment Skills - Donated by South Waikato District Council	Karalee Pakoti

YEAR 12

Merit Awards for Outstanding Effort and Excellence

Nicholas Albert, Melanie Atkinson, Rachel Bennion, Alana Blakemore, Rebecca Dowdle, Alissa Fraser, Nicola Gray, Aidan Harrison, Owen Joyce, Matthew Keene, Kristy Koveskali, Aaron Lowndes, Brook Luxford, Katherine Luxford, Trina Matthews, Braden MacPherson, Luke Penney, Margaret Rollo, Kiri Ryder, Rachel Sowerby, Ben Tafau, Emma Taylor, Melissa Tippet, Iain Thornton, Kimberley Wellings.

Subject Awards

Art - Donated by South Waikato District Council	Ben Tafau
Physics - Donated by Bank of New Zealand Tokoroa Branch	Ben Tafau
English - Donated by Tokoroa Business & Professional Women and Parker Cup	Katherine Luxford
History - Donated by Colin Loft	Katherine Luxford
Sociology - Bank of New Zealand	Katherine Luxford
Japanese - Donated by South Waikato District Council.....	Victoria James
Geography - Donated by Paul Barnett Property Services.....	Nick Albert
Computer Studies - Donated by G Sheldrake	Matthew Berger
Chemistry - Donated by P Shattock and Chan Trophy.....	Aidan Harrison
Biology - Donated by KC Enterprises	Iain Thornton
Mathematics - Donated by S R & A Deihl Builders.....	Jennifer Blair
Physical Education - Donated by South Waikato District Council	Braden MacPherson
Information Processing - Donated by Bill & Joyce Gray (New World Cup)	Jessica Woodley
Graphics - Donated by C Loft	Craig MacDonald
Mathematics Applied 2 - Donated by South Waikato District Council.....	Anthony Redpath
Design and Technology - Donated by Holsters.....	Timothy Haines
Communication English - Donated by Paul Barnett Property (Lions Cup).....	Luke Penney
Food Technology - Donated by Bryants Plant and Florist	Nicola Gray
Maori - Donated by Raukawa Trust Board	Nicole Winikerei
Science - Donated by Tokoroa Business & Professional Women's Club	Kerri-Anne Degan

YEAR 13

Higher School Certificate

Michael Allen	Livia Hollins	Fraser Murdoch	Zoe Reed
Michael Arthur	Gareth Hopson	Claire Nepia	Tania Rewiri
William Bishop	Tania Jacobs	Hohepa Ngarimu	Albert Rothman
Karina Bridson	Aidan Kirkby	Justin Nunn	Shane Runga
Jane Chin	Clinton Lennon	Clifford Olliff	Richelle Sikking
Jarod Collins	Te Rina Liddington	Wesley Paul	Ata Smith
David Cuttriss	James Mani	Natasha Pellew	Toby Sneddon
Paul De Rijk	Amanda Mason	Lea Petero	Nicole Tairi
Sharn Edwards	Claire Mathis	Jana Petford	Mele Tanevesi
Nathanial Fairweather	Abby Mein	James Piesse	Amy Thomas
Nicholas Franklin	Kathleen Merrie	Jennifer Proffitt	Rachel Toy
Laura Haakma	Hayden Middlebrook	Stacey Prole	Quinton True
Jared Handcock	Janine Mitchell	Amor Rakei	Christine Watene
Christina Hawkins	Daniel Moore	Daniel Rankin	Jay Webb
Wena Henry			Shannon Wilson

NATIONAL CERTIFICATES

National Certificate In Employment Skills - Level 1:

Matthew Dean, Hans Fa'agalu, Celeste Kapoor, Karalee Pakoti

National Certificate In Tourism - Level 2 Lea Petero

National Certificate In Agriculture - Level 2 Jarod Collins

National Certificate In Business Administration And Computing - Level 2

Te Rina Liddington	Justin Nunn	Tania Rewiri	Mele Tanevesi	
Claire Nepia	Amor Rakei	Nicole Tairi	Christine	Watene

National Certificate In Computing - Level 2

Mathew Berger	Brook Luxford	Natasha Pellew	Ben Tafau
Karina Bridson	Katrina Mathews	Jennifer Proffitt	Nicole Tairi
Janelle Glue	Hayden Middlebrook	Stacey Prole	Emma Taylor
Owen Joyce	Fraser Murdoch	Amor Rakei	Sian Waerea
Te Rina Liddington	Lisa Norris	Kelly Rakei	
Chantelle Litten	Justin Nunn	Anthony Redpath	
Aaron Lowdnes	Nathan Nunn	Zoe Reed	

Merit Awards for Outstanding Effort and Excellence

Karina Bridson, Jane Chin, Sharn Edwards, Christina Hawkins, Livia Hollins, Aidan Kirkby, Clinton Lennon, Claire Mathis, Daniel Moore, Tania Rewiri, Christine Watene

Subject Awards

History - Donated by Colin Loft	Janine Mitchell
Geography - Donated by Footes Furnishing Centre and the NZGC Cup	Claire Mathis
Accounting - Donated by Tokoroa Business and Professional Womens Club	Claire Mathis
Economics - Donated by Bank of New Zealand Tokoroa	Claire Mathis
Painting - Donated by Photolife and the Vanya Crocker Cup	Karina Bridson
Physics - Donated by Simon Deihl Builder	Karina Bridson
Computer Studies - Donated by Tokoroa Mens & Boys Wear	Karina Bridson
Mathematics with Calculus - Donated by BP Glenbrook and BNZ Cup	Karina Bridson
Japanese - Donated by Litchfield Cheese Factory	Karina Bridson
English - Donated by Logan Logging Ltd and the Brian Hayson Memorial Trophy	Richelle Sikking
Classical Studies - Donated by Dobson Motors	Richelle Sikking
Mathematics with Statistics - Donated by Tyrrells Service Centre	Iain Thornton
Chemistry - Donated by Centre Pharmacy and Cox Cup	Laura Haakma
Biology - Donated by Allied Confectionery	Amy Thomas
Maori - Donated by Lions Club of Tokoroa District	Hohepa Ngarimu
Physical Education - Donated by Carter Holt Harvey and Scarlett Cup	Wena Henry
Information Processing - Donated by Grahams Paper Plus	Tania Rewiri
Communication English - Donated by Allied Confectionery	Tania Rewiri
Food Technology - Donated by McDonalds Family Restaurant Tokoroa	Tania Rewiri
Graphics - Donated by SR & A Deihl Builders	Clinton Lennon
Mathematics Applied 3 - Donated by South Waikato Telephone Services	Natasha Pellew
Photography - Donated by Photolife Studios	Livia Hollins
Agriculture - Donated by Federated Farms and Ben Sneddon Cup	Toby Sneddon

ACADEMIC AND SPECIAL AWARDS

For the Most Co-operative Pupil in Maori Activities

Donated by Raukawa Trust Board and the Yvonne Manuel Memorial Trophy	Newton Thompson
Polynesian Group Award for Commitment and Contribution Trophy Donated by John Burr	

.....	MeleTanevesi
.....	John Tearoa
.....	Trevor Rimaati
Senior Writing Award - Cup Donated by Mr and Mrs L Davy	Katherine Luxford
Year 12 and 13 Speech - Higgins Cup	Ben Tafau
.....	Katherine Luxford
Year 11 Speech - Toastmasters Cup	Renee Kapoor
For Contribution to Print Journalism - Donated by Bluestar	Victoria James
For Contribution to Radio Journalism - Donated by Raukawa FM	Livia Hollins

For Contribution to the Cultural Life of the School Cup.....	Edward Smith
For Contribution to the School Library - Brian Hayson Memorial Cup.....	Jared Handcock
AFS Central Plateau Chapter Prize (for the student who promoted peace and understanding in our school)	Jane Chin
For Contribution to Music - Brian King Award.....	Rebecca Dowdle
For Contribution to the Student Council - Donated by the 1993 Executive Council.....	James Piesse
	Claire Mathis
Whakamaru Student Leaders	Rachel Bennion/Mary Brown/Christine WateneJames Piesse
Ohakuri Student Leaders	Rachel Toy/Lea Petero/Braden McPherson
Arapuni Student Leaders	Sharn Edwards/Albert Rothman/Claire Mathis/David Cuttriss
Maraetai Student Leaders	Wesley Paul/Katherine Luxford Ata Smith/Darren West
Interlake Competition - Trophy donated by Peter Lee	Ohakuri
Board of Trustees Student Representative	Livia Hollins
Deputy Head Boy - Donated by FVHS	Hohepa Ngarimu
Deputy Head Girl - Donated by Impact	Richelle Sikking
Carter Holt Harvey Prize for Head Girl	Wena Henry
Carter Holt Harvey Prize for Head Boy	Daniel Moore

1999 SPORTS PRIZING

SUMMER AND INDOOR SPORTS

Athletics

Junior Girls' Championship	Monique Williams
Junior Boys' Championship	Ben Wright
Intermediate Girls' Championship	Rose Rakei
Intermediate Boys' Championship	Dominic Yukich
Senior Girls' Championship (cup donated by JD Thain).....	Amor Rakei
Senior Boys' Championship (cup donated by JD Thain)	Daniel Moore
Interclass Competition Shield	Ohakuri
Jason Tudor Memorial Trophy For the most Outstanding Third Form Athlete (donated by Mr & Mrs G Tudor)	Monique Williams
Brian Spraggon Memorial Trophy For the Best Athlete of the Year (donated by Mr & Mrs N Spraggon)	Monique Williams

Provincial Certificates

North Island Secondary Schools Team	Kurt Williams, Monique Williams, Talia Henry/Ailsa Wilson/Amor Rakei
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Swimming

Keesing Cup For the Girl Swimmer with the Highest Aggregate Points	Alice Joynt
Keesing Cup For the Boy Swimmer with the Highest Aggregate Points	Albert Rothman
Junior Girls Swimming Cup (donated by Mr DC & Mrs SL Lane)	Leanne Knox
	Rosalie Tolovae
Junior Boys Swimming Cup (donated by Mr D C & Mrs S L Lane)	Michael Gray
	Lemuel Wallace
Interclass Competition Trophy (donated by Mrs Kathy Clark)	Arapuni

Cricket

Peter Hill Trophy For the Greatest Contribution to the First Eleven.....	Anthony Meacheam
Prudential Trophy For the Most Improved Player (donated by Ross Gilbert).....	Kane Day
Hat Trick Trophy	Braden MacPherson
Ben O'Keefe Memorial Trophy	Richard Kahui
	Matthew Riceman
Northern Districts U17 Cricket Team	Anthony Meacheam

Basketball

Tokoroa Basketball Association Trophy For the Female Player who has Contributed the Most.....	Rhea Jones
The R Blucher Trophy For the Male Player who has Contributed the Most.....	Guy Sinclair
Marshall Cup For the Most Promising Senior Boy	Huw Jones/John Elder
Morrisseys Trophy For the Most Promising Junior Boy (donated by B Morrissey)	Thomas Cassidy
Morrisseys Trophy For the Most Promising Junior Girl (donated by B Morrissey)	Zara Powdrill
Senior Girls' Trophy For the Most Promising Senior Girl (donated by Mr B Blucher).....	Nancy-Jo Tahere
Waikato Representatives	Rhea Jones
.....	Huw Jones
.....	Guy Sinclair
NZ U18 Squad	Huw Jones
.....	John Elder

Cross Country

Junior Girls' Cup (donated by Mr & Mrs R B Clotworthy)	Monique Williams
Junior Boys' Cup (donated by Mr M J Marfell-Jones).....	Ben Wright
Intermediate Girls' Cup (donated by Mr & Mrs M D Worth).....	Adria Henderson
Intermediate Boys' Cup (donated by Mr & Mrs B Whale)	Dominic Yukich
Senior Girls' Cup (donated by Mrs Joan Marshall).....	Elizabeth Boss
Senior Boys' Cup (donated by Mr Ron Marshall).....	Daniel Moore
Interclass Competition Cup (donated by M D & D A Worth).....	Ohakuri

Provincial Certificates	Monique Williams
.....	Dominic Yukich

WINTER AND OUTDOOR SPORTS

Boys Hockey

McElwee Trophy for the Most Improved Junior Boy (donated by the McElwee Family).....	Ryan Bradley
Iain Thain Trophy for the Best All-Round Member of the First Eleven (voted for by the coach and members of the team)	Clinton Lennon
Tokoroa Hockey Club Cup for the Most Outstanding Player.....	Iain Thornton
Sutherland Trophy (most improved senior)	Bryce Christensen
Grace Trophy (contribution to hockey over several seasons).....	Clinton Lennon
Bay of Plenty Representative	Scott Alloway
.....	Peter Dowdle

Boys Rugby

McAlpine Trophy for the most outstanding player of the year (donated by CR McAlpine).....	Daniel Moore
Sardelich Cup for the Most Improved Forward (donated by the Sardelich Family).....	Braden MacPherson
James Elder Memorial Trophy for Consistently Dedicated Contributions by Member of the First Fifteen (donated by Church College of New Zealand)	James Piesse
Morrissey Cup for the Most Improved back in the First Fifteen (donated by Brian Morrissey)	Willie Bishop
Scott Tai Memorial Trophy for Sportsman of the Year U15 Rugby (donated by 4Ba 1991)	Te Wai Noho
For Leadership (TRFC Award)	Daniel Moore
Waikato Secondary Schools B Team	James Piesse/Willie Bishop
North Island Secondary Schools B Team	Daniel Moore

Girls Rugby

Morunga Family Trophy for best all round effort (donated by Morunga Family)	Christina Hawkins
Most Improved Back	Cheyenne Campbell
Most Improved Forward	Jamie-Lee Hawkins
Waikato Secondary Schools Girls Team	Christina Hawkins

Rugby League

For all round contribution to Rugby League (donated by Ford Family)	Willie Bishop
Waikato Secondary Schools' Invitation Team Willie Bishop/Clinton Stowers/Newton Thompson/Anthony Meacheam, Courtney Edwards/Ethan McCaskill	
Bay of Plenty U18 Team Willie Bishop/Hamish Allen/Trevor Rimaati/Clinton Stowers/Philip Campbell	

Boys Soccer

Morgan Cup for All-Round Contributions to the Soccer 1 st Eleven (donated by Mr B Morgan).....	Iain Thornton
Captain's Trophy (donated by RG Bell)	Paul de Rijk
For Consistent Positive Attitude	Brook Luxford
Most Outstanding Defender - Boys 1 st Eleven	Jarod Collins
For Team Leadership & Encouragement In Junior Boys Soccer.....	Abraham Deutz Ebeling
For all round contribution and effort in Junior Boys Soccer	Dylan Raynel

Girls Soccer

Player of the Year - Girls 1 st Eleven (donated by Linda Pugh)	Adria Henderson
For All-Round Contribution & Effort in Girls' Team (1 st Eleven).....	Nidene Berridge
Most Outstanding Player - Girls 1 st Eleven	Angela Board
Most Improved - Girls 1 st Eleven	Kristina Stinson
Golden Boot Award - Girls 1 st Eleven	Angela Board
Team Leadership & Encouragement	Maria Baker
Most Outstanding Defender - Girls 1 st Eleven.....	Kimberley Wellings
Waikato Secondary Schools U15 and Waikato Women's U17	Jenafer Newton

Netball

Majoribanks Trophy for the Most Dedicated & Improved 3 rd Form Player	Talia Henry
Keyzers Trophy for the Most Dedicated & Improved 4 th Form Player	Paula Popata
Trisha Katene Memorial Trophy for the Most Improved & Dedicated Junior Player.....	Ailsa Wilson
Williamson Trophy for the Most Improved & Dedicated Senior Player	Renee Metu
G & M Wright Salver for Leadership On & Off the Court (donated by Mr & Mrs M Wright)	Christine Watene
Ngaio Reeves Award for Outstanding Achievement in Netball.....	Kelly Rakei
FVHS Netball Club Trophy for Contribution to Umpiring or Coaching.....	Amor Rakei

Midland Netball Representatives:

Midland Netball Representative team	Kelly Rakei, Ailsa Wilson
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Girls Hockey

Howarth Trophy for the Girl who has Contributed the Most Throughout the Season On and Off the Field (donated by Mrs R Howarth)	Richelle Sikking
Thain Cup for the Most Outstanding Player (donated by Carolyn & Alison Thain)	Stacey Prole
.....	Anna Willoughby
Thain TrophyFor the Greatest Contribution in Example and Attitude to the Second Eleven (donated by Mrs S M Thain)	Sarah Jane Westbrooke
Herbert Cup for the Player Contributing the Most On and Off the Field (donated by Mr & Mrs K D Herbert)	Tracey Marshall
Most Improved Junior Girl (donated by Mrs C Stokes)	Julie Hudson
Tracey Hall Trophy for Excellence (donated by Mr G & Mrs P Hall).....	Christine Liddell
Bay of Plenty Representatives	Leanne Knox
.....	Anna Willoughby
.....	Christine Liddell

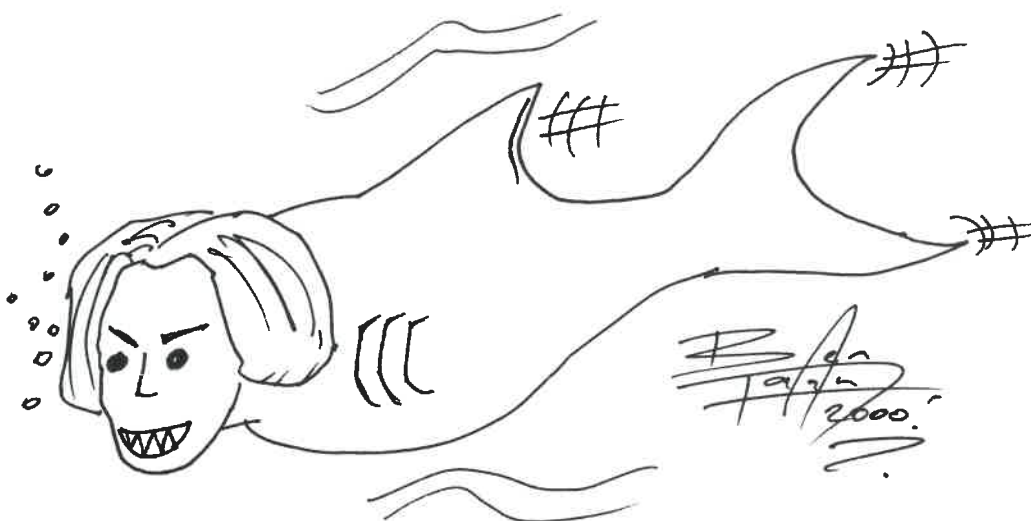
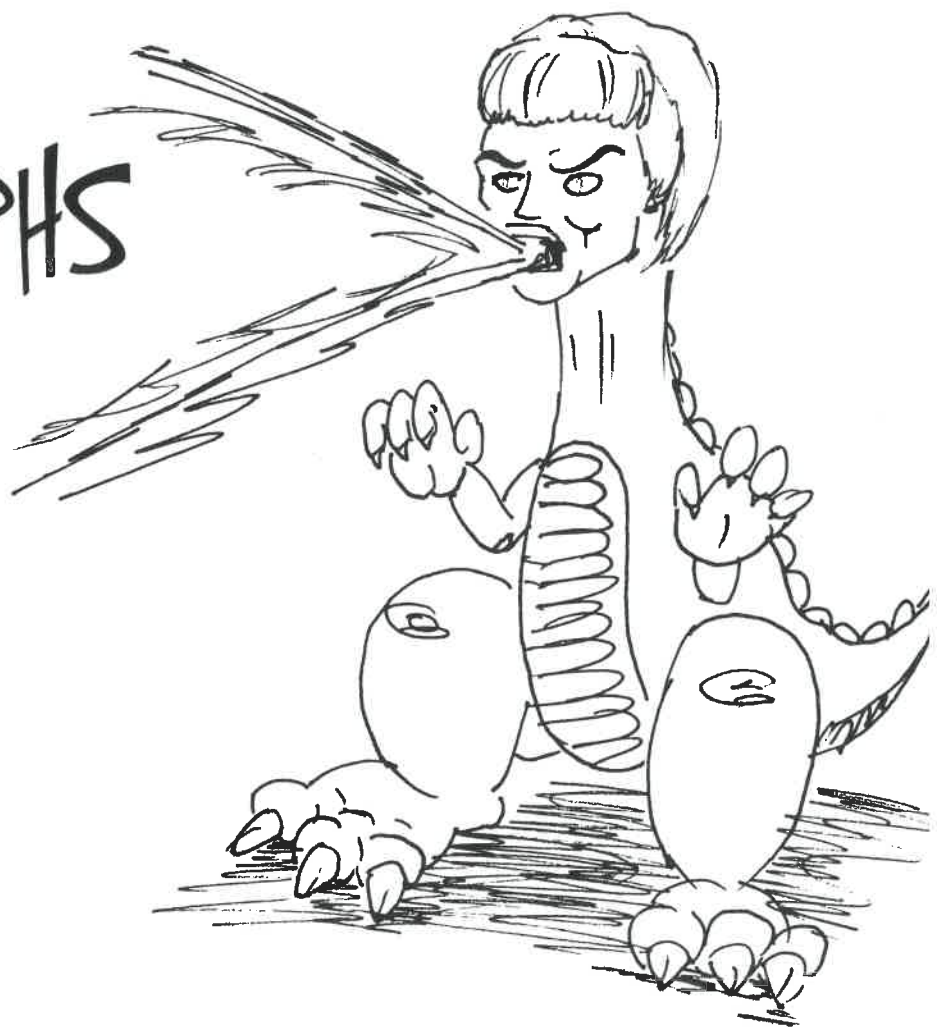
SPECIAL ACHIEVEMENTS IN SPORT

Gymnastics	Bart Rall
Roller Skating	Dianne Deihl/Frances Bailey/Nathan O'Hanlon/Amy Tyrrell
Karting	Luke Kelly
Equestrian	Sharn Edwards

TOP SPORTS AWARDS

National Mutual Trophy for the Best All-Round Sportsperson of the Year	Daniel Moore
National Mutual Trophy for Attitude and Contribution to Sport.....	Amor Rakei
Team of the year Trophy (donated by the Burnett family).....	Senior B Netball Team
Jim Chambers Trophy for Excellence in Sport (donated by Mr J M Chambers)	Rose Rakei

AUTOGRAPHS







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