

FOREST VIEW HIGH SCHOOL

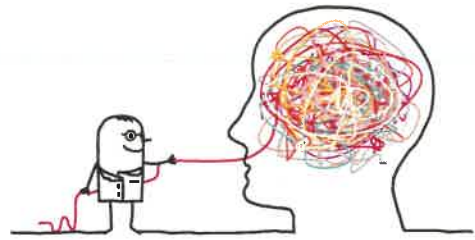
2012

YEARBOOK





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IAN FERGUSON PRINCIPAL

This has been my first year in my new role and it has been a challenging, yet extremely rewarding, year.



The Minister of Education, Hekia Parata, wrote a letter congratulating our School on our achievement levels - our 2011 NCEA results were mostly at or above national achievement levels. She also visited the School in September to meet with our Board of Trustees, staff and students. She was left in no doubt that Forest View is delivering great outcomes for our students. The School is well-placed to meet the government requirement of 85% of school leavers leaving school with NCEA Level 2.

Of special significance is our success in creating real pathways for students to transition into a wide range of university, polytechnic and employment opportunities. Another group of students leaves Forest View this year. Most are ready to take on the challenges their future holds; some have their pathways clearly marked out; some are looking forward to leaving our community for

further education or employment and others will remain in the South Waikato. I hope they enjoy success - we will follow their progress with interest.

Led by our Head Students, Teish Taikato and Brendon Shepherd, our 2012 student leaders have been an inspiration to others. Their leadership, their involvement in student-focused activities and their assemblies contributed to a positive school environment.

Forest View was well-represented throughout the year in the sporting arena. Staff, parents and students worked together to ensure there was high participation in the sports we offer. Our sportspeople are extremely talented and they endeavoured to represent our School with distinction and pride. In 2013, a Sports High Performance programme and High Performance Sports classes will also begin.

The Performing Arts Week that replaced our annual production was a marvellous expression of talent and hard work. The passion and commitment of all staff and students is outstanding. Polinetia Fa'atasi, Te Piringitahi, our dance groups, drama groups, rock bands, lighting and sound, and individual performers - contribute so much to the creative and cultural spirit of our School. Many of our students are also acquiring NCEA Credits as a result of their performances.

The Education Review Office visited in Term 1 and we received an extremely positive ERO report with the next review scheduled in three years' time. The

report highlighted the improvements and the many areas of good practice that make our school a place in which the Tokoroa community should have great confidence. The review team noted that Forest View is well placed to sustain and improve its performance.

The BOT is determined to provide modern learning environments for our students. This year has seen the refurbishment of the Wood Technology, Graphics, and Metal Technology workshops; two Science labs and the Gymnasium. The auditorium will be refurbished next year. By the start of 2013 our school will have wireless access to the internet throughout the campus. Students will have easier access to their learning programmes and resources via the internet. There is still an emphasis on student citizenship in a digital learning environment.

Forest View's Board of Trustees and Staff are totally confident that our School is making a real difference in the lives of our students and preparing them for fulfilling futures. We have some challenges to face but we do so knowing our efforts are going in the right direction. We are determined to ensure we have a high performing school that will produce great citizens able to meet the challenges of the future.

Watching students learning and achieving, playing sports, performing and leading; and observing staff working with passion and commitment makes my job the best one in education.

Staff 2012



Back Row: Angela Toy, Sue Gibbons, Gabriel Davis, Victoria Wolfe, Doug Clark, Lorraine Stowers, Dalton Gorrie, Gaylene Hughes, Rachel Toy, Beth Pita, Andy Gray, Amanda Johansson.

3rd Row: Ann Deihl, Aaron Mutua, Kathy McGovern, Bruce Dowdle, Tony Mihaere, Jeff Bennett, Marc Lelievre, Laurie Murray, Kevin Haines, Norman Treasurer, Mark Bannister, Sharron Livingstone, Sheryl Salale.

2nd Row: Iwi Bennion, Janis Abo Ganis, Jess Earnshaw, Shenell Potoru, Wendy Ainsley, Rachel Bennion, Rie Ichimichi, Teresa Walker, Tapu Potoru, Teupoko Natua, Robine Paki, Saleshini Sharan, Elizabeth Okiakama.

Front Row: Chris Rice, Andy MacDonald, Raylene Sommerville, Sandra Umaki, Lionel Matenga, Chris Stokes (Assistant Principal), Ian Ferguson (Principal), Trish Priscott (Deputy Principal), Emily Olsen, Heather Williamson, Prue Christie, Denise Hein, Robyn Mainland.

Absent: Denise Brooks, Lyndsay Coffin, Laurretta Karl, David Leslie, Sharon Luxford, Mary-Ann Mathis, Jacqui MacDonald, Sally Cribb, Terii Potoru, Lee Quaife, Karen Watkins.



Welcoming the new Principal - Ian Ferguson



2012

SENIOR PRIZEGIVING 2012

Year 11

Merit Awards for Outstanding Effort and Attitude

Caitlin Bridson, Kaitlyn Brooks, Grace Coffin, Larissa Davis, Rachel Durie, Kevin Fan, Daniel Gooding, Celina Hall, Maddison McMeekin, Rebecca Muir, Bruce Nguyen, Taina Nicholas, Leonie Nugroho, Kerale Stevens-Bennett, Sarah Totton, Hoani Watarawi, Savannah Whiteman Western Wilson

First in Subject Award

Hospitality - Dean Thompson
Food and Nutrition - Kaitlyn Brooks / Dean Thompson
Food & Beverage - Kaitlyn Brooks
Science - Kaitlyn Brooks / Rachel Durie
Digital Technology - Rachel Durie
Economics - Regan Van der Putten
Music - Joseph Cathie
English Internal Option - Savannah Whiteman
BCATS Worx - Ethan Jansen
Graphics - Matthew Beban
Semester Mathematics - Shevonne Evans
Agriculture - Campbell Evans
SPEC - Specific Preparation for Employment and Citizenship - Jade Trickey
Health - Sarah Totton
Year 11 Information Management - Sharna Loye
Maori - Zac-Owen Solomon
Maori Wood Carving - Ngarimu Edwards
Art - Leith McCloskey
Mechanical Engineering Level 1 - Nathan Randall
Literacy for Life - Hoani Watarawi
Drama - Tyro Hewett
Getting Down to Business - Imran Price
Dance - Leonie Nugroho
Mathematics - Leonie Nugroho
Physical Education - Leonie Nugroho
Photography - Leonie Nugroho
English - Leonie Nugroho

Year 12

Merit Awards for Outstanding Effort and Attitude

Corban Brown, Jodie Bryant, Ruth Clarke, Selina Clarke, Nicole Durie, Caitlyn Gillard, Amber Pihama, Courtney Rudolph, Steven Rusk, Laura Salmon, Dusky Sneddon, Tayla Taikato, Leah Townsend, Mikayla Wilkinson, Sarah Young

First in Subject Award

Business Administration - Nicole Durie
Computer Studies - Bailey McIntosh
Hospitality - Mathew Shewry
Dance - Tayla Taikato
Food & Nutrition - Tayla Taikato
Preparation for Employment - Te Ata Robinson
Mathematics with Statistics - Mikayla Wilkinson
Physical Education - Jessica Chitty
History - Jessica Bayliss
Tourism - Natasha Samson
English Internally Assessed - Blokes English - Mitchell Waterhouse
English Internally Assessed - Chicks Flicks - Vanea Robati
Building Construction & Allied Trades - Jesse Clarke
Automotive - Jesse Clarke
Health - Courtney Rudolph
Agriculture - Larissa Davis
Music - Corben Brown
Maori Wood Carving - Justin Smith
Physics - Steven Rusk
Chemistry - Steven Rusk
Art - Ruth Clarke
Drama - Ruth Clarke
Biology - Jodie Bryant
English - Jodie Bryant
Mathematics - Jodie Bryant
Maori - Elaih Winikerei
Economics - Dylan Knight
Outdoor Education - Mitchell Barber

Getting Down to Business - Sarah Young

Photography - Sarah Young

Pasifika Studies - Darlene Whiu

Year 13

Merit Awards for Outstanding Effort and Attitude

Roni Banko, Martha Bowring, Catherine Dean, Zane Farrow, Lakin Hall, Deni-Jay McLean, Tara-Anne Pascoe, Alannah Pearce, Tullia Pye, Letitia Taikato, Evan Williams

First in Subject Award

Hospitality - Jazmin John
Food & Nutrition - Martha Bowring
Business Administration - Gabrielle Stevens
Computer Studies - Alannah Pearce
Mathematics with Statistics - Alannah Pearce
Tourism - Leanna Pakoti
Music - Te Runui Ahomiro
Outdoor Education - Caleb Knight
Dance - Mariana Mutu
Chemistry - Joshua Pennefather
Biology - Catherine Dean
Maori - Alisha-Marie Haare
Business Administration National Certificate Course - Evan Williams
BCATS Worx - Regan Bain
Web Page Design - Dee-Jae McLean
Maori Wood Carving - Brodie Smith
Physical Education - Letitia Taikato
Getting Down to Business - Letitia Taikato
History - Lakin Hall
Classical Studies - Lakin Hall
Mathematics with Calculus - Zane Farrow
Physics - Zane Farrow
Photography - Tullia Pye
Art - Tullia Pye
Media Studies - Tullia Pye
Drama - Tullia Pye
English - Tullia Pye



All Round Student - Teish Taikato.



Proxime Accesit - Zane Farrow.

Acknowledgement of five years secondary school

Arapuni

Morgana Amaral
James Bright
Damian Burich
Richard Chitty
Catherine Dean
Rebecca Dufrenne
Jordon Ehrhardt
Remy Flutey
Jeremy Gardiner
Zebedee Goldsworthy
Ryan Goodhue
Joshua Griffin
Tara Harris
Chad Harrison
Caleb Knight
Jayme Morris
Mariana Mutu
Renee Randall
Brodie Smith
Briana Te Whare
Daniel Watarawi
Shai-Star Whetu

Maraetai

Shylo Albert
Regan Bain
Roni Banko
Martha Bowring
Simone Campbell
Lakin Hall
Taihia Hasini
Stacey Huband
Halim Matetaka-McRoberts
Deni-Jay McLean
Evan McLean
Alannah Pearce
Brendon Shepherd
Gabrielle Stevens
Summer Thompson-Ratima
James Vaeau
Johanna van de Ven
Nerissa Whitford

Ohakuri

Te Runui Ahomiro
Zania Douglas
Nicholas Drysdale
Zane Farrow
Alisha-Marie Haare
Maxwell Harris
Chrystal Kanara
Luana Karl
Thea Keith-Matchitt
Leanna Pakoti
Tullia Pye
Michelle Stratton
Tia Te Hiko
Camryn Theunissen
Lani Varu
Norton Wawatai
Tiana Wiki
Kane Wilson
Ryotaro Wright

Whakamaru

Al-Javan Albert
Daesha Allan
Amanda Andrew
Ben Burton-McKenzie
Callum Egan
Helena Glass-Foster
Jazmin John
Cheyanne Manu
Andrew McClintock
Tyler New-Crago
Tara-Anne Pascoe
Joshua Pennefather
Vanea Robati
Chelsea Rudolph
Alex Sutherland
Letitia Taikato
Chance Te Miha
Evan Williams

Special Awards

Agriculture Award - Amber Pihama

For Contribution to Agriculture -
Zara Morgan

Year 11 Speech Award - Leonie Nugroho

Year 11 Writing Award - Leonie Nugroho

Year 12 and 13 Speech Award -
Letitia Taikato

Year 12 and 13 Writing Award - Tullia Pye

The Distance Learning Cup - Lakin Hall

For Contribution to Library Award -
Ryan Goodhue

For Commitment and Contribution to
Lighting & Sound - Ryan Goodhue,
Joshua Pennefather

For Contribution to Music -
Jordon Ehrhardt, Joshua Griffin

For Music Composition -
Michelle Stratton

AFS Central Plateau Chapter Prize -
Rumbie Mafi

For Contribution to the Student Council -
Leah Townsend

Supreme Sports Winner 2012 -
Sarah Young

Te Piringatahi Student of the Year Award -
Alisha-Marie Haare

For Contribution to the Cultural Life of
the School - Alisha-Marie Haare

Maori Performing Arts Award -
Troy Winikerei

Te Koputangata Mutua Trophy -
Jocelyn Paiti

Leadership Awards

Arapuni Lake Leaders - Remy Flutey,
Ryan Goodhue

Maraetai Lake Leaders - Alannah Pearce,
Summer Thompson-Ratima

Ohakuri Lake Leaders -
Nicholas Drysdale, Thea Keith-Matchitt

Whakamaru Lake Leaders -
Vanea Robati, Tayla Taikato

Head of Cultural Activities -
Alisha-Marie Haare

Head of Learning - Tullia Pye

Head of Sport - Leah Townsend

Head of Community Service -
Briana Te Whare

Board of Trustee Representative -
Briana Te Whare

FVHS Representatives - Corben Brown

South Waikato District Council Youth
Council - Shai-Star Whetu

Head Girl - Letitia Taikato

Head Boy - Brendon Shepherd

Interlake Competition

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Scholarships

George Seymour College Scholarships -
Natasha Samson, Leanna Pakoti

David Johnson Charitable Trust
Scholarships - Briana Te Whare,
Alisha-Marie Haare

The University of Auckland Chancellors
Award for Top Maori and Pacific
Scholars - Tullia Pye

Tokoroa Churches Council Trust
Scholars - Sam Wills, Amber Pihama,

For Students Returning to School -
Kerale Stevens-Bennett, Edwin Sinclair

Board of Trustees Scholarship -
Ryan Goodhue

John Searle Memorial Scholarship -
Lakin Hall

Lois Dear Memorial Scholarship -
Tiana Wiki, Letitia Taikato

Rotary Club of Tokoroa Award -
Letitia Taikato

The FG Blackwell Memorial Scholarship
- Letitia Taikato

Ben O'Keeffe Bursary - Letitia Taikato

Carter Holt Harvey Kinleith Scholarship -
Nick Drysdale

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Catherine Dean

Top Academic Awards for 2012

Lions Memorial Award - Letitia Taikato

Best Senior Student in Science and
Mathematics - Zane Farrow

Best Senior Student in Arts and Social
Science - Tullia Pye

Piwi Tipi Haere Trophy Top Maori
Academic Achiever - Tullia Pye

Proxime Accessit - Zane Farrow

Dux - Tullia Pye



Mr Gary Dawson and Dux - Tullia Pye.

VALEDICTORY SPEECH DELIVERED BY TEISH & BRENDON, AT PRIZEGIVING

*Forest View High School has been my school of choice,
I didn't have to be a student of this school, I wanted to be.*

Teish

I am very proud of the sports teams, the dance crews, the cultural groups, the academic groups I have had the privilege to be a part of. I would like to thank Forest View high School, the staff, the students, my peers for your love and support, for making school feel like home.

The encouraging environment we possess in this school is like no other, our ability to form respectful relationships, the encouragement in aiming to achieve and our motivation to participate positively are core values in our school.

Beginning as a shy year 9, it has been wonderful watching everyone blossom into beautiful adults, I have no regrets and I will cherish every memory I have from this school.

13 years ago I would've had no idea that one day I would be up here saying goodbye forever, yet here I am. I speak very truthfully when I say that everything I have done in my life has led up to this moment.

Brendon

When I started here at Forest View, I'm going to be quite honest, I was a nobody, a young boy fresh from intermediate not knowing what to expect.

As I grew older our school had changed dramatically; students had left; new students arrived; the buildings changed and quite fittingly so did I. Forest View changed me - made me the man that I am today - no more hiding behind my mates because I was too scared to talk to girls, no more sitting down at lunch watching everyone playing "Held up" and most importantly no more quiet shy boy.

I stand before you today speaking as a leader of our school should, leading by example for my peers to follow. I have no one in particular to thank for the attributes and values I have learnt to understand but I have to thank the entire Forest View High School Community.

My teachers over the years, coaches, mentors, tutors, friends, fellow students, family - everyone who has been a part of my life, I thank you as if it weren't for you I may not have been here today".

Teish

At the beginning of the year our student council had the vision of making Forest View High School a place where students want to be, not where they have to be. Through team work our student council did our best to achieve this goal.

We led every assembly this year. Integrating aspects of culture and performance in the assemblies, allowing leaders to take turns in speaking in front of the student body, inviting students up to speak and frequently designing power points and movies for the students education and entertainment.

One of our greatest achievements was the Shave for Cure week, our student council initiated at the beginning of the year. We encouraged students to get involved in this by shaving their own hair or supporting a friend who was going to. This resulted in approximately a dozen students who selflessly gave themselves to help support this cause, myself included. Led by our community services leader Briana Te Whare we successfully raised over \$2000 dollars that day. A sum we proudly presented to the Leukaemia Cancer foundation.

As a student council we would like to express our gratitude to the school by painting a mural. We have set a date aside to have this mural painted, polished and finished. We have come a long way since the beginning of the year, and I can safely say we've done all we could in achieving our goal. We commend the whole student council on their efforts this year. Brendon and I could not have achieved anything without your consistent support and on-going assistance.

Brendon

I truly admire the staff of Forest View High School and their passion in teaching our rangatahi. Thank you for your motivation in helping our students succeed, and be the best we can. It is your encouragement; your support and your inspiration that helps our students see excellent achievement in all aspects of school life, building hope and faith in a brighter future. We will never forget you.

Year 13's, 5 years since we have walked through the front gates of FVHS for the very first time as students, and 5 years on, our time at FVHS has finally drawn to a close.

Together

We think about the friendships we've created, the bonds, and everything we have learnt and been through in our time here. From the days where we would be scrambling around for merits to fill up our school diary, to us trying to figure out what the heck we're about to do for the rest of our lives.

At the start of the year, we, Year 13, all attended a camp in Matamata, at Totara Springs. I believe that the experience throughout the 2 day camp brought us together, I may be copying Polinetia Fa'atasi here but, we are "Together as one". We laughed, played, competed and became one big family.

That special bond has not been broken and never will be. I never thought saying goodbye would come so early and be this hard for me. I speak from the heart when I say this, you guys are forever in my heart and although we may be parting, going separate ways I will never forget you guys. Good luck for 2013 and the rest of your lives.

*Kia Kaha, Kia Toa, Kia
Manawanui – Courage
Knows No defeat.*



YEAR 13

Arriving as Year 9s, in 2008, with beady eyes, long skirts and oversized jerseys, we were shy and timid. Scared of the big kids.

Now five years on, we are the big kids. We have formed close friendships, grown up and we are ready to take on the world next year.

We all have come out of our shells and taken advantage of the many

opportunities Forest View has had to offer. We have too many memories to fit in the Year Book – memories of fun times, hard times, cheeky times, and even some unhappy times. But they have all helped to make us what we are today.

We couldn't have done it without the love and support of all our teachers and families, so thank you all! A big thank you to our Head Boy Brendon and our Head Girl Teish, for the amazing job you have done this year. - Tullia Pye.

TEISH & BRENDON STUDENT COUNCIL ACTIVITIES

Our goal as a Student Council at the beginning of the year was to make school a place where students want to be, not where students have to be.



As a kick start we initiated a Fun Friday, which consisted of a wide range of activities during lunchtimes, including Zumba, multi-sports and movies in the auditorium. This was a great way to end the week.

Another activity lead by Community Service Leader, Briana Te Whare, was the Shave for A Cure week. We raised just under \$2,000 to donate to the Leukaemia Cancer foundation, with 10 students brave enough to shave all their hair off to support this. Each lake leader had to contribute to this day, so not only did we have a concert while the students

were getting their heads shaved, but we also had activities outside the auditorium to raise money towards this as well. Hairdressing students from Waiariki Polytech helped with the shaving.

Several socials were held during the year to raise funds for Council. These were well-attended and great fun.

Not only does the Student Council organize the socials, but our assemblies are student lead as well. We have integrated performances into our assemblies to showcase the talent of our students and we delegate roles to the council members to speak in our

assemblies. This shares the leadership within the council and also makes for better viewing for our students.

Our lake leaders have done well to continue with the annual lake days, each of which was highly successful. Not only has each leader in our council dedicated themselves to the duties of their particular role, but each leader has given their time to help our Student Council run smoothly as a team.

We are proud of our achievements and efforts and we can safely say our school is a better place because of it.

Thanks to all the Council for their efforts.



Back Row: Alannah Pearce, Tayla Taikato, Shai-Star Whetu, Corben Brown, Tullia Pye, Vanea Robati. **2nd Row:** Thea Keith-Matchitt, Ryan Goodhue, Nick Drysdale, Alisha Haare, Remy Flutey, Summer Thompson-Ratima. **Front Row:** Leah Townsend, Ian Ferguson (Principal), Letitia Taikato (Head Girl), Brendon Shepherd (Head Boy), Trish Priscott (Deputy Principal), Briana Te Whare.



Ian Ferguson (Principal), Briana Te Whare (BOT Student Rep), Brendon Shepherd (Head Boy), Teish Taikato (Head Girl)

SHAVE FOR A CURE



David



Bruce



Celina



..Arapuni Lake ...



DEAN Mrs K McGovern

LAKE LEADERS Remy Fiutey,
Ryan Goodhue

TUTORS Ms R Toy (Asst Dean),
Ms J Abo-Gannis, Mr J Bennett,
Ms P Christie, Ms G Davies, Ms R Ichimichi

SUPPORT STAFF Ms D Brooks,
Mrs S Gibbons, Mrs G Hughes,
Mrs M Mathis, Mr D Leslie, Miss R Mainland,
Ms L Quaife, Mrs A Swanson, Mrs K Watkins

Term 1

We welcomed Ms Abo Gannis, Ms Ichimichi and our Year 9's arrived - nervous, keen and excited - they quickly settled in with the help of our Seniors.

Year 13 camp gave our senior Arapuni Students a chance to work together to set goals, and explore leadership potential - a great opportunity for challenge, solving problems, having fun and forging friendships. It was awesome to have our Year 9's out at camp for the day. We all had heaps of fun completing a huge variety of challenges, with the raft race a real highlight.

Athletics Day gave Arapuni students chance to shine in blue. Well done especially to those who won events and progressed to Mid Island.

Term 2

We started Term 2 with our Lake Day, which was a chance for us to fundraise for our Lake, by selling food - lolly overload - and running a variety of activities such as apple bobbing and throwing sponges at teachers!

Cross Country was great with some brave and determined efforts in particular from our juniors.

Many Arapuni Students took part in the Waitara Sports Exchange and can be proud of their sporting performances.

At the end of June school uniform was switched for smart suits and amazing ball gowns - our Senior Students were stunning - they scrubbed up fantastically!!!!

Term 3

Several of our students were involved in Drama and Knights of the Arts performances - a chance to showcase singing, dancing and acting talents. Our gifted Arapuni students looked so at home in the spotlight!

With production and winter sport behind us, it was now time to settle to study and strive to achieve the goals which were set this year.

Term 4

The beginning of the end for the year 13's - lots of 'lasts' - last start of term, last assemblies, last prizegivings ... the end of the line for our Year 13 Students ... time to say goodbye to these wonderful young ladies and gentlemen who have made it through high school:

Ryan, Brodie, Richard, Jeremy, Josh, Caleb, Briana, James, Morgana, Zeb, Damian, Rebecca, Remy, Renee, Shai, Jayme, Catherine, Tara, Chad, Mariana and Daniel.

Well done guys - you have been a fantastic group of Year 13's. Thank you all for everything you have done for our Lake. You can proudly step into the Arapuni history books. Good luck for the future and keep in touch and don't forget us.

Best wishes to all those who are leaving us - we wish you every success in the future.

Thanks to all our wonderful Tutors, Support Staff, Leaders and Students. Have a safe and enjoyable festive season and let's make 2013 another awesome year.

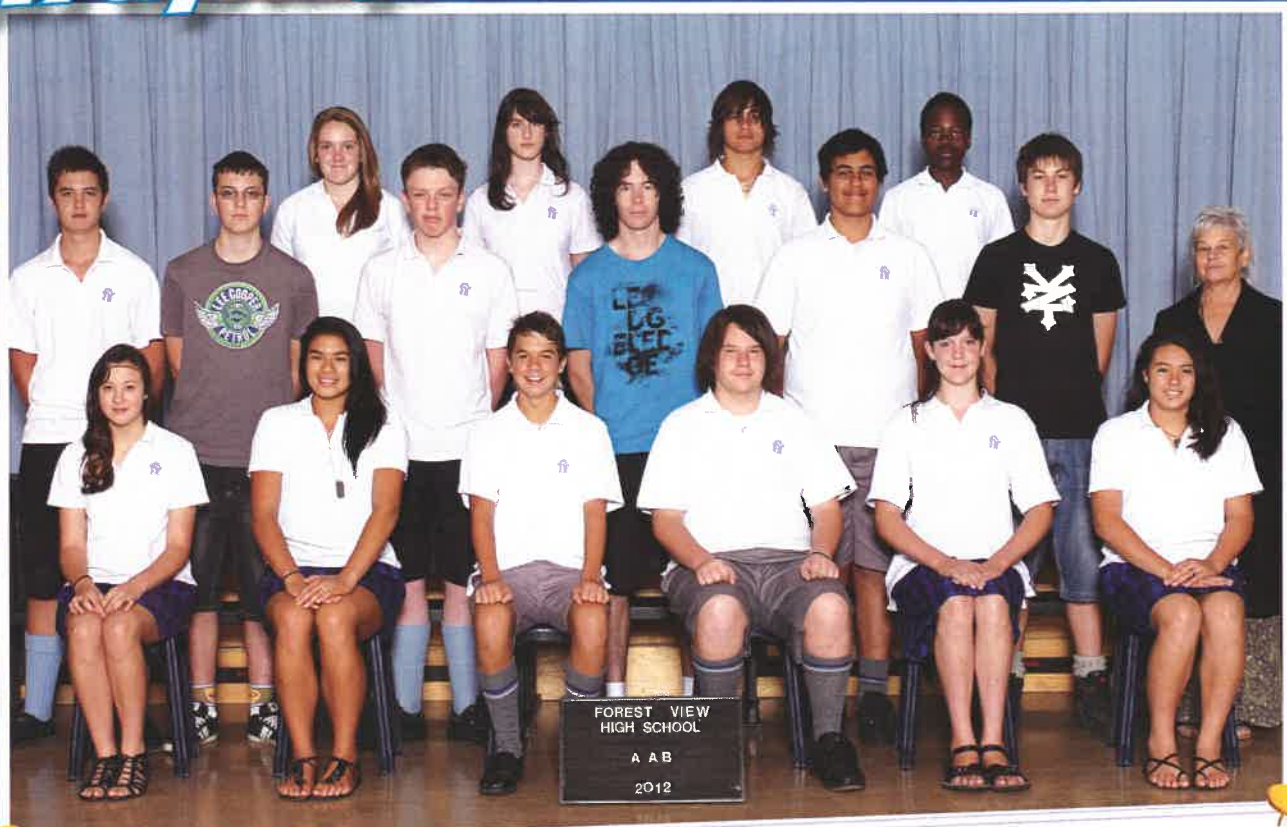


Back Row: Shaye Ehrhardt, Renee Randall, Leah Townsend, Shai-Star Whetu, Stacey Gurr, Briana Te Whare.
Front Row: Sasha Te Whare, Rachel Toy (Assistant Dean), Ryan Goodhue (Lake Leader), Remy Flutery (Lake Leader), Kathy McGovern (Dean), Jayme Walker. **Absent:** Sophie Goodhue.



Rachel Toy (Assistant Dean), Ryan Goodhue (Lake Leader), Remy Flutery (Lake Leader), Kathy McGovern (Dean).

Arapuni Lake



Back Row: Shaanie Gilchrist, Hannah Mudge, Creston Wereta, Tinofara Mutambu. **2nd Row:** Kurtis Cortesi, Ryan Goodhue, Steven Rusk, Jordon Ehrhardt, Daniel Marriner, Mitchell Barber, Ms Janice Abo Ganis (Teacher). **Front Row:** Madi Chitty, Danni-Jane Umaki, Jayme Walker, Codey Marshall, Tegan-Maree Shewry, Ashley Pihama. **Absent:** Kyle Gates, Sam Lozell, Brodie Smith.



Back Row: Tiare Brown, Tayla Jenkins, Brittany Waddell, Angel Marshall, Helena Cathie, Graeme Beach. **2nd Row:** Richard Chitty, Ngahihi Te Paea, Josh Griffin, Jesse Clarke, Caleb Knight, Mr Bennett (Teacher). **Front Row:** Leah Townsend, Nathan Randall, Lochie Harris, Cory Simpson, Imran Price, Nakita Burich.



Back Row: Ethan Johnson, Zoe Ramage, Brydie Arbuckle, Breydon Jenkins, Billie Vi.
2nd Row: Briana Te Whare, Brandon Norman, Zeb Goldsworthy, James Bright, Dylan Knight, Morgana Amaral, Prue Christie (Teacher).
Front Row: Jessica Heke, Nicole Rusk, Sharelle Waddell, Annalyse Perceval, Danielle McPhee, Charity Gerrard, Kathaleen Te Hiko.
Absent: Kai Aituru, Tuhawaiki Aupouri-Dixon, Tamahae Marwood-Kerei



Back Row: Lacey Berryman, Shaye Ehrhardt, Marie Rika, Faith Tunupopo-Gibson, Tyrone Kopa, Hannah Chesterman.
2nd Row: Heremaia Mutu, Corben Brown, Michael Gerrard, Damian Burich, Mikayla Wilkinson, Kingston Tahau, Ms G Davis (Teacher).
Front Row: Tylah Hamon, Stacey Gurr, Kaitlyn Brooks, Rebecca Dufrenne, Shevonne Evans, Sophie Goodhue, Lauren Taylor.

Arapuni Lake



Back Row: Richard King, Jayme Morris, Wana Fairbrother, Zoe Cathie. **3rd Row:** Damian Patrick, Joshua Wilkinson, Jessica Chitty, Kory Miller, Aiden Shivan-Fox, Kevin Fan, Brena Temata. **2nd Row:** Jaron Robb, Carlos Paaki, Reon Sattler, Campbell Evans, Remy Flutey, Shaun Decker, Rie Ichimichi (Teacher). **Front Row:** Taylor Briggs, Jessie Middlemiss, Shai-Star Whetu, Hilary Dahm, Renee Randall, Gina Westbury, Wiki Tipa.



Back Row: Daniel Watarawi, Chelsea Cuff, Daniel La'aiva, Connor Wood, Isaac Tiro, Sasha Te Whare, Eden Quaife. **2nd Row:** Joseph Cathie, Isaac Goldsworthy, Josh Barber, Chad Harrison, Damiyon Nikora-Roberts, Izak Johnson-Edwards, Rachel Toy (Teacher). **Front Row:** Quinzel Cody, Amber Pihama, Catherine Dean, Tara Harris, Mariana Mutu, Skye Kemp, Phoenix Makelow. **Absent:** Jessica Bayliss.

..Maraetai Lake...

DEAN Mrs A Toy

ASSISTANT DEAN Miss E Olsen

TUTORS AND SUPPORTING STAFF Miss A Johansson, Mr M Lelievre, Mr L Matenga, Miss E Olsen, Miss S Potoru, Mr N Treasurer, Mrs P Priscott, Mrs L Coffin, Mrs S Salale, Ms E Okiakama, Miss R Bennion, Mr L Murray, Mr T Mihaere, Mrs M Deuschle

LAKE LEADERS Alannah Pearce, Summer Thompson-Ratima

LAKE COUNCIL Regan Bain, Lauren Dickson, Marize Keet, Jacob Maj, Dee Jae McLean, Cody Taylor, Nerissa Whitford, Krishna Rajan, Brendon Shepherd, Jordyn Whangaparita

PEER SUPPORT Regan Bain, Martha Bowring, Simone Campbell, Taihia Hasini, Alannah Pearce, Brendon Shepherd, Evan McLean, Nerissa Whitford, Summer Thompson-Ratima

Lake Leaders Report

Summer Thompson-Ratima and Alannah Pearce

Being Lake Leaders of Maraetai has been both a challenge and a success. It has been a journey we will remember for a life time. We have enjoyed our role and have developed skills that we will be able to use in the future. Our biggest challenge has been organising Lake Day which was a huge success. We have honed our leadership skills, especially in Peer Support and we have had fun as well. It has been a pleasure working alongside and supporting one another. We took an opportunity and so can you! Great year, Maraetai. Good luck for 2013.

Tutor Comments

MJO is a friendly bunch, welcoming new students with open arms. The humorous nature is appreciated and a real team spirit is evident in A13. A highlight from our time together as a tutor is placing in the Te Reo window competition. Best wishes to our year 13's Regan, Martha and Roni.

MOL continues to be a wonderful tutor to be in and we have welcomed the newcomers for 2012 with great pleasure. We have had some excellent achievements from our talented bunch including Brendon being named Head Boy and Sam Brown becoming the Intermediate Athletics Champion. Good luck to Simone, Brendon, Nerissa and Johanna who are our Year 13's leaving us this year, you will be missed!

MPS thank you for 2012. It has been a year of many challenges and also blessings. Take care over the holidays and I encourage you to try something new and step out of your comfort zone. When I see you in 2013, you will be energized and ready to achieve your goals in all areas of learning. To Taihia, Evan and Summer, all the best in your future ventures. You will be missed in our tutor.

MTS from the North, South, East and West, everyone knows that we're the best. We've passed the test and beat the rest, that's why we are MTS! Good luck to Aiden, Stacey, Dee Jae, and Alannah for their future.

Assistant Dean Message

It has been a positive building year for Maraetai Lake and our students have performed above expectations in many areas. Lake Day introduced some new ideas and went off

without a hitch, big thanks must go to our awesome Lake Council for their help and innovation for this day. It is great to see so many of our students representing our Lake well, particularly in Athletics and Cross Country. I would like to thank our Lake Leaders, Summer and Alannah, for their wonderful leadership this year, it has been a pleasure to work alongside them and I wish them all the best for 2013.

Dean's Message

It was with great pride that we started the year with Brendon Shepherd at the helm as Head Boy and Alannah Pearce and Summer Thompson-Ratima as our Lake Leaders. I congratulate these students for their contribution and commitment to our Lake. We started the year with a very successful Year 13 Camp where students reflected on 2011 and set goals for 2012 and beyond. Our year 9 students joined us at camp on the last day and our Peer Support Leaders ran the activities. It was a positive experience for all involved and embraced the schools RAP values.

Our students have been encouraged to participate positively in Athletic Sports, Cross Country, Swimming Sports, Production and other sporting and academic opportunities. A number of them have been successful and can be proud of their efforts to strive to be the best they can and uphold the RAP values. We are proud of you all.

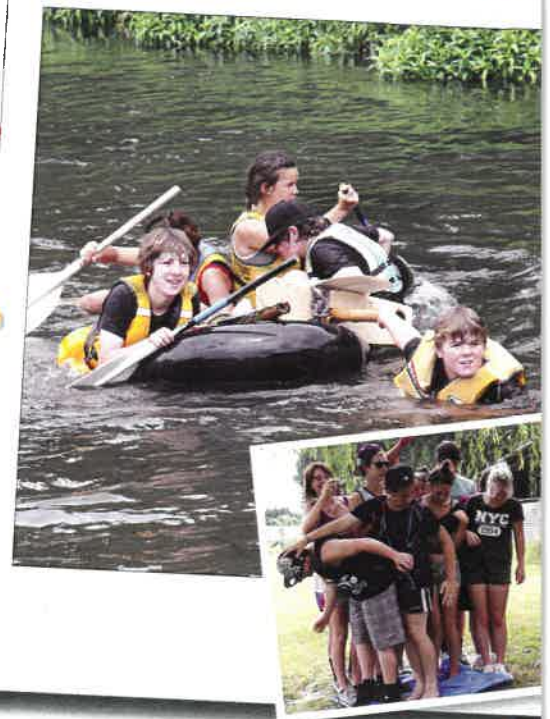
Of course none of this would be possible without a dedicated team of tutors and support staff. Thank you to Miss Olsen in her role as Assistant Dean and everyone else for their contribution. Building positive relationships has been the key to a united and cohesive approach to assisting our young people to excel.

To all of our Year 13's, and any other students, who may be moving into further learning opportunities or leaving Forest View High, we wish you all the best for your futures. Remember that learning is a life long journey and you are about to embark on the next part of yours. Be proud of where you have come from.

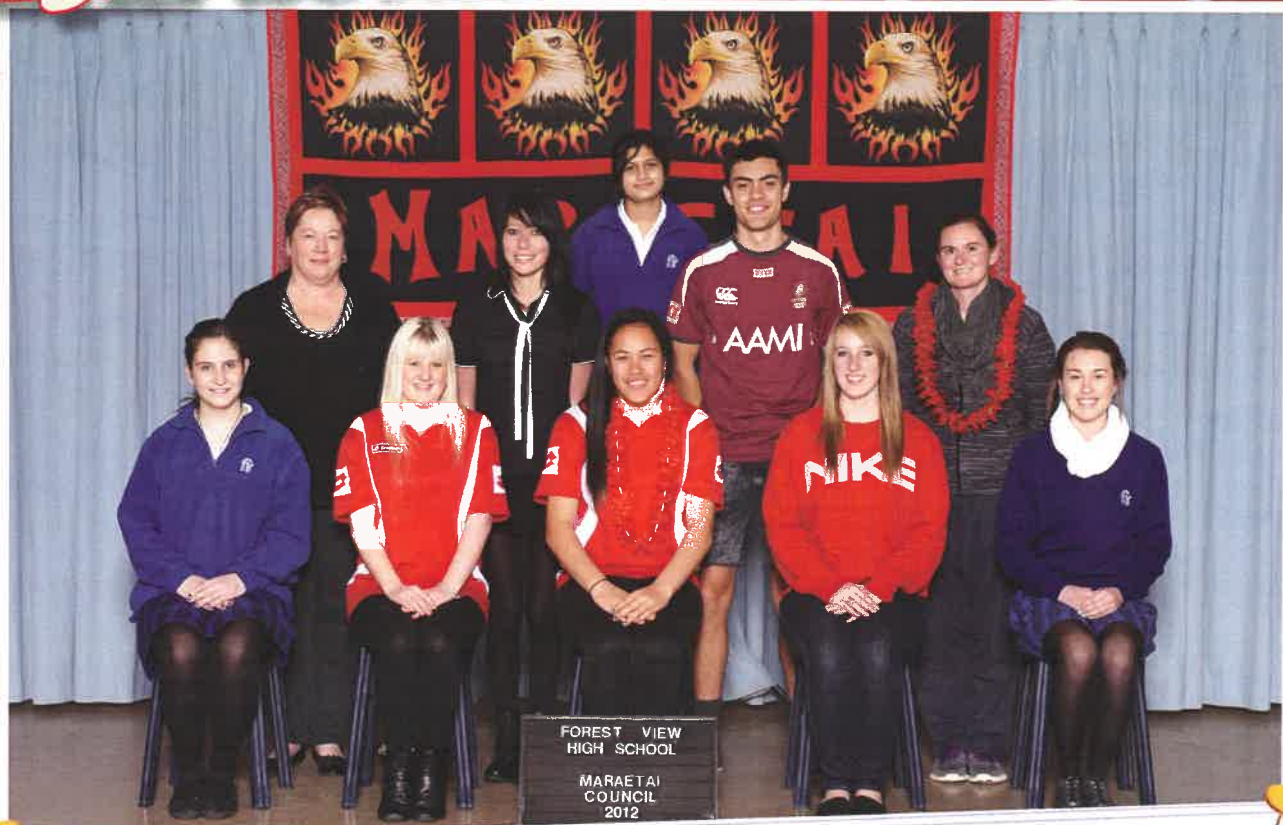
He nui maunga e kore e taea te whakaneke, he nui ngaru moana ma te ihu o te waka wahi.

A great mountain cannot be moved, a giant wave can be broken by the canoe's prow.

Don't give up easily all things are possible with perseverance.



Marae Tai Lake



Back Row: Mrs Toy (Teacher), Dee Jae McLean, Krishna Rajan, Brendon Shepherd, Miss Olsen (Teacher).
Front Row: Marlize Keet, Alannah Pearce, Summer Thompson-Ratima, Nerissa Whitford, Jordyn Whangapirita.



Mrs Toy (Teacher), Summer Thompson-Ratima, Alannah Pearce.



Back Row: Matthew Beban, Emma Dickson, Morgan Ward, Renae Shepherd, Ceri Boreham-Devos, Lloyd Clarke.
2nd Row: Laura Salmon, David Wright, Jacob Maj, Esther Ahsin, Regan Chopra, A Johansson (Teacher).
Front Row: Martha Bowring, Roni Banko, Gabrielle Stevens, Chris Sikking, Adam Lemme, Regan Bain.



Back Row: Jordyn Whangapirita, Zara Morgan, Shaan Wilson-Ogden, Ebony Monga, Marlize Keet.
2nd Row: Halim Matetaka-McRoberts, Dylan Waterhouse, Moana Totoro, Josh Hill, Stuart Ruri-Matangi, Mr Marc Lelievre (Teacher).
Front Row: Caleb Nunn, Lisa Kingi-Pahuru, Lakin Hall, Charnelle Ahsin, Cole Bain.
Absent: Levi Nathan, Sara Gardiner, Starr Tilden, Jessie Vissers.

Maraetai Lake



Back Row: Ethan Watts, Junior Ali, Ngarimu Edwards, Nesta Kawhena, Wiremu Johnstone, Tutewhenua Taylor-Tupaea.
2nd Row: James Vaeau, Troy Winikerei, Jade Trickey, Morehu Pahuru, Narinder Singh, Mr Lionel Matenga (Teacher).
Front Row: Celline Glassie-Ginns, Mary Cook, Cameryn Eru-Bonnar, Bethany Erutoe, Pohatu Matenga, Jessica Rewiri.



Back Row: Nerissa Whitford, Kyle Pearce, Strickland Te Miha-Gage, Liam Dwane, Neil Wilkinson, Ngahuia Matenga.
2nd Row: Samuel Brown, Johanna van de Ven, Simone Campbell, Brendon Shepherd, Sumeet Lal, Simon Lemme, Emily Olsen (Teacher). **Front Row:** Opal Petero-Anderson, Chyanne Hemara, DeAngelo Paki-Snowden, Cameron Allers, Brandon Waratini, Savannah Whiteman, Ashleigh Murray.



Back Row: Sam Wills, Cameron Wilkinson, Dylan Rouse-Carpenter, Jesse Taylor, Te Kaha Graham. **2nd Row:** Nakita Grubb, Summer Thompson-Ratima, Cole Tahau, Evan McLean, Mitchell Waterhouse, Leighton Crooks, Taihia Hasini, Ms Potoru (Teacher). **Front Row:** Shontel Ruri, Tione Paul, Te Ata Robinson, Rae Totoro, Kiri Shepherd, Tequila Wilson-Thompson, Chanya-Rose Ruka. **Absent:** Kauri Joseph, Trae McMahon, Steven Te Hiko.



Back Row: Jazmine Heaslip, Alannah Pearce, Nikayla Dwane, Adam Pilkington, Cody Taylor, Dee Jae McLean. **2nd Row:** David Murray, Peiton Harrison, Ryan Gardiner, Billy Manthey, Edward Craig, Mr Norman Treasurer (Teacher). **Front Row:** Krishna Rajan, Lauren Dickson, Liam Van der Putten, Jarvis Matetaka-McRoberts, Justice Wetere, Tennessee Blue. **Absent:** Aiden Bell, Logan Flavell, Onyx Petero-Anderson, Denzel Rewita, Wycliffe Rota, Rose Vaimoana.

Ohakuri Lake.....



DEAN Mrs R Sommerville.

ASSISTANT DEAN Mr M Bannister.

TUTORS Mr M Bannister, Mr D Clark, Mr K Haines, Mrs R Paki, Mr C Rice, Mrs H Williamson, Mrs T Walker.

OHAKURI SUPPORTING STAFF Mrs D Hein, Mr B Dowdle, Mrs S Luxford, Mrs A Deihl, Mrs L Stowers, Mrs W Ainsley, Mrs B Pita, Mrs L Karl.

LAKE LEADERS Thea Keith Matchitt and Nick Drysdale.

LAKE COUNCIL Zania Douglas, Rachel Durie McKenzie Evans, Caitlyn Gillard, Sarah Hemming, Luana Karl, Amanda Kelso, Naria-Jean Maber, Karmich Nichols, Leonie Nugroho, Tullia Pye, Jazmine Sagar, Natasha Samson, Tia TeHiko, Raena Te Huia, Taijah Ratai, Tiana Wiki, Ryotaro Wright.

Peer Support Leaders: Te Runui Ahomiro, Michaela Coffin, Zania Douglas, Jacob Draper, Nick Drysdale, Caitlyn Gillard, Alisha Haare, Ebony Haare, Max Harris, Luana Karl, Thea Keith-Matchitt, Tullia Pye, Tiana Wiki.

A message from the Dean Mrs R Sommerville

What excitement at Prizegiving 2011 - we won the Interlake Trophy. This was something to try and live up to in 2012. Through student participation and some excellent athletes we have been out in front in athletics and cross country. Following our RAP values is what counts in the end - each student being the best they can be. We will present our RAP awards in Term 4 to those students who have followed all three RAP areas this year. It was pleasing to see that 50% of our students participated in our many school sporting and cultural activities.

Thank you to our two Lake Leaders - Thea and Nick- our Peer Support Leaders and our Lake Council for their commitment. Early in February the Year 13's went to Totara Springs Camp and worked really well together in the various activities. The Year 9 students all came out for a day to spend time with their Peer support Leaders. Building the rafts and the race down the river was a highlight. I'm sure our Ohakuri team won!!

At this stage OWk is again leading our Inter-Tutor competition but they are being closely followed by OBa. Tutor groups compete over many different areas eg attendance, Merit Awards, invitations to the Principal's morning tea, Athletics, Swimming and Cross country participation, RAP Awards etc.

Congratulations to those who worked hard and achieved excellent academic results for their efforts in 2011, especially Tullia Pye who achieved NCEA Level 2 with Excellence, and Leonie Nugroho who was Junior Dux for the second year in a row. This year 38 students were invited to the Principal's morning tea for having excellent Mid-Year reports, including Thea, Luana, Tullia and Zania who have been selected for all of their five years.

Congratulations also to our winners of Athletics and other sporting trophies.

A big thank you to Mr Bannister for his contribution as Assistant Dean, our Tutors; and the Support Staff for your support. To all Ohakuri students leaving FVHS - we wish you well for a happy, successful future. Always Believe in your Dreams. 'Aim high - always be the best you can be'. Haere ra.

Ohakuri Lake Leaders Thea Keith-Matchitt and Nick Drysdale

Ohakuri, the best lake has had another great year, thanks to our young students striving for excellence and showing great participation. We have the athletics and cross country trophies 'in the cabinet'. Maybe Ohakuri is on track to win the Interlake competition for the second year in a row.

Earth balls made afternoon Tutor interesting during the warmer weather.

Our main focus was Lake Day. As it drew closer, after a few very loud meetings with the Lake Council we created a day of delicious food and a successful show. It was a busy day for those involved. Candyfloss, fudge, drinks and sausages were sold at interval after which we got organised for the mad rush of lunch time. For those of us cooking it was flat out - keeping up selling sausages and steak sandwiches. Our variety show filled with talented Ohakuri students went off with a bang. Spot prizes helped make it a big success. To finish the day off, we gathered the Lake Council and cooked some meke pancakes on the BBQ.

Big thanks to our Peer Support leaders, Lake Council, Tutors but most of all Mrs Sommerville and Mr Bannister who were always there making sure everything ran smoothly and putting up with our nagging and moaning. Good luck to all our Year 13's who are moving on into the big wide world and to everyone else returning to school next year. Have a good year and make us proud. All the best for our 2013 lake leaders, you will do well. Bring on 2013.

Ohakuri Tutor Groups 2012

OBa is filled with exciting students. Mr Bannister leads these wonderful students to be the best tutor in Ohakuri. We welcomed a new student, Te Runui Ahomiro to join our Year 13s this year. It has been a fun filled year, with Ryotaro singing in afternoon tutor and trying to scare all the boys by hiding by the door. Sadly we are saying goodbye to Thea Keith-Matchitt, Ryotaro Wright and Te Runui. They have contributed a lot to our success of our tutor. Good luck for the future.

OHa In our Tutor everyone is relaxed and always laughing. We all get along pretty well and Mr Haines is always willing to help us out with anything. We welcomed our Year 9's and now

we'd like to say goodbye to our Year 13's and wish them well for their future. Thanks guys for making this a great year.

OPc is the best Tutor in Ohakuri. The fact that we are OPA and OCI combined makes us that much more special. We are all friends here, everybody knows everybody and we're always willing to lend each other a hand. We have three Year 13's leaving us this year and it will be sad to see them go. All in all it's been a great year and we hope it will be the same next year.

ORi In 2012 we have had members join and leave us throughout the year; but we have kept up with not being the quietest tutor in school. Our Year 9's this year are very quiet; our Year 10's are very boisterous and play cards in the corner; Year 11's ask questions about the exams; Year 12's just get to work and our Year 13's are making their best effort to come out with the best achievements. We would like to say thanks to Mr Rice for organising our shared lunches and putting up with us for the whole year. To the Year 13's, all the best for next year, and good luck to all the students for the years to come.

OWi Yes, again OWi has had lots of people coming and going. New students have joined our OWi family and joined in our discussions during tutor time each day. OWi help each other, get on well and have great teamwork. We enjoy Mrs Williamson, being our Auntie away from home. Richard and Alisha have been in our tutor for five years, and they and Lani are our Year 13's who are leaving. A special thank you to Alisha who has looked after us each year. OWi has been simply the best!

OWk is by far the best tutor group at Forest View High. Everyone in the tutor gets along with each other and we are like a great big family. This tutor is supreme as we are coming first in the Inter-tutor merit points, attendance and student achievement. To our year 13 students, all the best for your future ventures. You have served this tutor well for the past 5 years and we acknowledge you for that. Our tutor time is very loud, with the students down the hall complaining ALL the time. Thanks to Mrs Walker, our amazing tutor teacher for supporting us throughout High School and for being a great tutor teacher to us. OWk Year 9 students, Hayley Gibson and Adam Meredith

Ohakuri Year 13:

Out of the 42 x Year 9 Ohakuri students who began in 2008, only 14 of us have stayed the distance. But, that's more Year 13 students than last year. Shot guys!! We've added a number of students to our team on our journey. Some have even come and gone again. We have made it through 5 years, filled with ups and downs, 5 years of being nagged but wasn't it worth it? Now it's time to face the big wide world. Thank you to our tutors, Mr Bannister, Mr Clark, Mrs Williamson, Mrs Walker, Mr Rice, Mrs Paki and Mr Haines. You guys have helped us through 5 years of high school. Thanks to our head dragon, Mrs Sommerville for surviving 5 years of us nagging you and driving you up the wall. We really appreciate all you and the Ohakuri team have done over these years. We have had fun times, made great friendships and we will have many lifelong memories to take with us. Thank you again.

Ohakuri Originals

Thea Sporty critter – likes to organise
Ryotaro: Mr organisation - jumps in the middle of exams. Heart attack material!
Leanna Tourism success
Tia After 5 years tell me what time school starts?!
Kane Keep on running – future Olympian could be you.
Luana Determined to be a truck driver
Michelle Future Taylor Swift
Alisha Maori Queen and helped lead Lake to victory.
Richard Still trying to find his Tutor!
Ruth Explores the wilderness
Zania Always moves in 'One Direction'
Nick Future broadcaster – helped lead us to victory
Tullia Creative, artistic Tooolia.
 The Dux of Ohakuri over 5 years.
Camryn Cute, quiet and artistic

Joined over the years by:

TeRunui Amazing singer. Future Idol winner!
Norton Lost my watch! Loves walking up and down the hills.
Max Never without his skateboard.
Chrystal Quiet little thinker
Tiana Future fun accountant
Lani Lost my way to class again, energetic outside class
Zane Hardworking, quiet and brainy



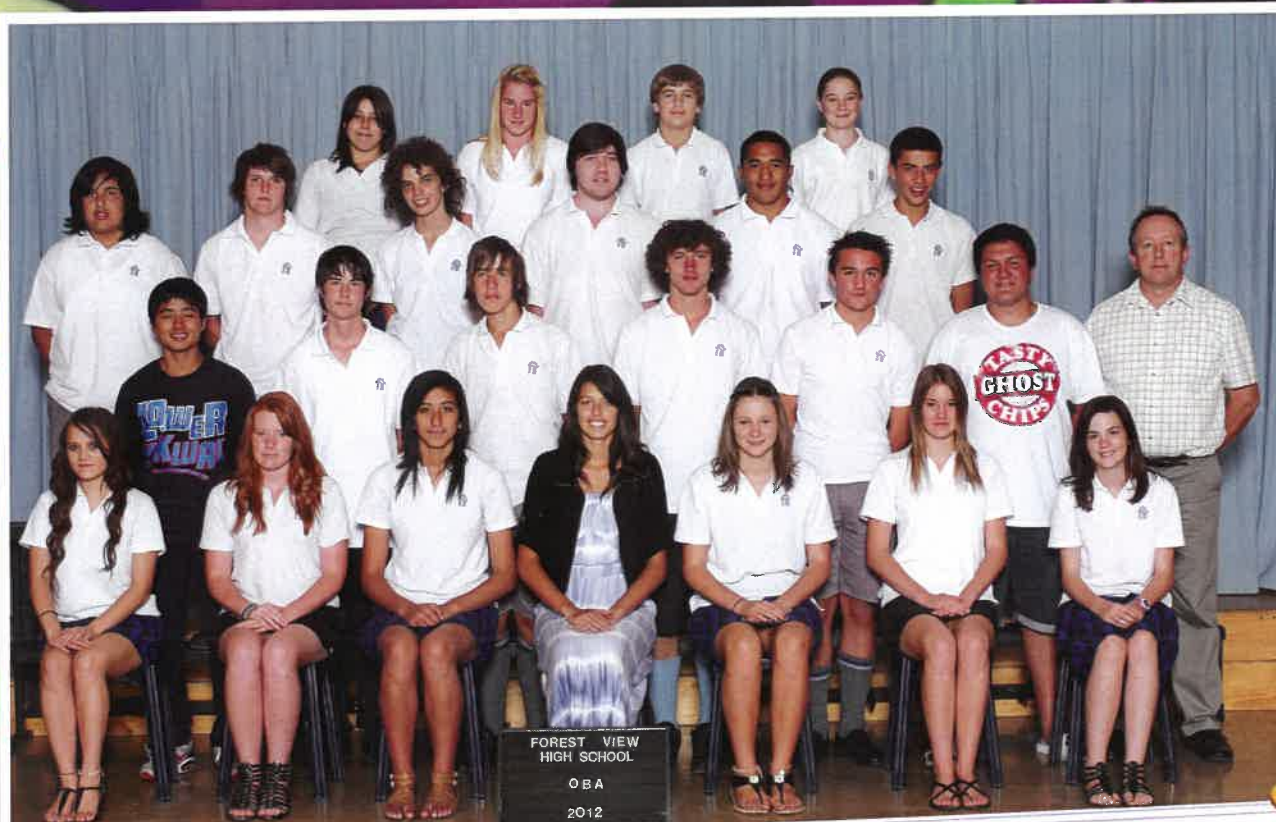
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3rd Row: Tawhiri Ainsley, Ethan Morris-Stevens, Ruth Clarke, Dylan Downes, Maxwell Toka, Dillin Blackburn.
2nd Row: Ryotaro Wright, Talon Sneddon, Joel Haire, Douglas Gordon, Cody Chesterman, Te Runui Ahomiro, Mr Mark Bannister (Teacher).
Front Row: Kassey Fergusson, Rebecca Muir, Tahlia Watarawi, Thea Keith-Matchitt, Amanda Kelso, Nicole Durie, Jazmin-Hope Sager.



Back Row: Mellssa Drysdale, Ariana Ainsley, Amos Wilson, Karmich Nichols, Isaac Wilson, Mitchell Lowe, Maddi Dahm.
2nd Row: Norton Wawatai, Richard Malcolm, Kane Wilson, Claude Edwards, Tia Te Hiko, Harley Wilson-Nikora, Mr K Haines (Teacher).
Front Row: Olivia Burns, Kaetyn Grace, Caitlyn Gillard, Leanna Pakoti, Ashley Kasper, Talia Kuru, Jahnesta Manu-Griffin.
Absent: Samuel Nield.

Ohakauri Lake



Back Row: Paige McCloskey, Flynn Jones, Western Wilson, Matthew Bullock, Joedyn Nathan-Tangihaere, Tegan Reynolds, Adam Ruddell. **2nd Row:** Mr Clark (Teacher), Rewi Toka, Shane Bell, Bailey Nichol, Leroy Ramea, Jacob Draper, Maxwell Harris, Mrs Paki (Teacher). **Front Row:** Eugene Amohia, Bronte Giles, Tiana Wiki, Kerale Stevens-Bennett, Chrystal Kanara, Ebony-Leigh Haare, Kyle Steed, Ashley Van der Putten.



Back Row: Jessica McCloskey, Michelle Stratton, Tyrone Timihou, Regan Van der Putten, Harlan Jones, Luana Karl, Taylor More. **2nd Row:** Dylan Douglas Crossley, Michaela Coffin, Ryan Quirke, Kyle Fergusson, Ethan Jansen, Robin Dahm, Larissa Davis, Mr C Rice (Teacher). **Front Row:** Dylan Samson, Brittany Kasper, McKenzie Evans, Emerald Kanara, Nicky Theunissen, Maire Toka, Jacob Schou. **Absent:** Landles Thompson, Sean Emerson.



Back Row: Anika Putt, Shay Perrit, Racheal Joseph, Jacobie Wheeler, Shardaine Wairua. **2nd Row:** Eli Edwards, Liam McKain, Richard Ramea, Dusky Sneddon, Lani Varu, Alisha Haare, William Malcolm, Heather Williamson (Teacher).
Front Row: Danni Jackson, Cherish Baker, Cole Follas, Kyle Hood, Nathan Harrison, Chloe Meager, Raena Te Huia.
Absent: Karmraa Marsden-Wilson, Taijah Ratai, Jasper Thomas.



Back Row: Natasha Samson, Tullia Pye, Sarah Hemming, Zania Douglas, Trevor Hill. **2nd Row:** Zane Farrow, Suzanna Muir, Zac-Owen Solomon, Nick Drysdale, Hoani Watarawi, Adam Meredith, Rachel Durie, Mrs Walker (Teacher).
Front Row: Melissa Clayton, Grace Coffin, James Togia, Jake Jackson, Leith McCloskey, Leonie Nugroho, Hayley Gibson

Whakamaru Lake

The Whakamaru Lake is one filled with people who are proud to belong to it, having fun and going for gold.

From Mr Mutua, Dean

Our Solid Gold Goldenees, nominated by their Tutors, exemplify the schools RAP values and we are proud to have these students leading the way in our Lake.

WEs: Darlene Whiu, Luther Murray, Skye Harrison-Anderson, Teuvira Samuels, Maddi McMeekin, George Price.

WGr : Amanda Andrews, Sheldon Ahipene, Caitlin Bridson, Leah Camezind, Jayden Smith, Michael Totton, Bailey McIntosh.

WLi: Shavaughn Uerata, Dante Watson, Caleb Stevens, Nickayla McClintock, Jon-Paul Jackson, Sarah Totton, Ryan Livingston, Tyran Joyce, Tayla Cooper.

WMd: Anisha Te Hiko, Kelsey Foster, Jesse Saunders, Celina Hall, Sharna Loye, Courtney Rudolph

WNa: Katarina Marama-Nepe, Camryn Nicholas, Mikaela Pennefather, Jocelyn Paiti, Tayla Taikato, Tara Pascoe.

WWf: Raylene Loye, Caroline Vaeau, Daniel Gooding, Bruce Nguyen, Taina Nicholas, Jodie Bryant, Selina Clarke, Sarah Young, Teish Taikato, Holly La'aiva.

At the end of 2011, we said farewell to an important person who had built this great Lake to what it is today - Mrs Yukich, thank you very much from the bottom of our hearts Yukie.

Thank you to our leaders Tayla and Vanea for their leadership of Whakamaru this year, well done. Our Year 13 students, our 'Gold Medal' survivors: - Chelsea, Jazmin, Cheyanne, Daesha, Al-Javarn, Evan, Amanda, Chance, Helena, Tyler, Alex, Josh, Ben, Vanea, Tara, Andrew and Teish - Haere ra, our best wishes are with you all.

To Ms Wolfe, thank you for just being you, everything that RAP exemplifies. Thank you for your hard work in 2012.

To all the tutors and staff of Whakamaru, thank you for blessing us with your golden awesomeness in 2012. God bless.

From Ms Wolfe, Assistant Dean

Thank you everyone for a golden year! Whakamaru Lake Council did an excellent job on Lake Day. The food was prepared and sold with great teamwork and expertise. Our concert was titled "Distraction" - Whakamaru talent on display with our supreme MCs, musicians, dancers, and comedians; abundant audience involvement because our concert was organised and led by the best FVHS has. Well done our Lake Leaders, Vanea and Tayla! We were so lucky to have you both in our team. We are so proud of your work and effort.

Thanks for your involvement in the 3 on 3 basketball competition at the start of the year (Winners WGr), the quizzes during term 2 (Winners WWf), and the juniors who got tuck shop vouchers for collecting Merits.

Thanks everyone for your awesome determination on Athletics day, especially in the relays-I am still amazed at the number of teams we had. All your golden costumes making the sports field brightly coloured.

Well done to all those who participated and did well in cross country and swimming sports-again, we appreciate your efforts and commitment to doing your best for yourself and the Lake.

We were sad to lose Mrs Yukich this year, but our new Dean, Mr Mutua has made a first-rate entry to be our leader this year. His care and concern for all members of the Lake are very obvious. You all now know that attendance and punctuality are very important, as are the relationships between peers and staff. He will be watching you!

I would like to wish you all the best for 2013 and beyond. Remember, as always, in whatever you do-Go For Gold!

From the Lake Leaders ...

Tayla Taikato - Being a Lake Leader for Whakamaru 2012, has been a great experience - with Peer Support, Swimming Sports, Athletics Day, fundraising functions for Cancer and the greatest experience, organising our tremendous Lake Day. All of these would not have been possible without the support from the Lake Council, Ms Wolfe and Mr Mutua. I want to especially thank these two for everything they have done for the Lake and especially for me, thank you for encouraging me to strive for excellence.

Vanea Robati - Being Lake Leader of Whakamaru has been a great pleasure. I have met a whole variety of different people; I have learnt new things each day and accomplished great achievements - thanks to my teachers and fellow students in the Lake. I would like to thank Mr Mutua and Ms Wolfe for giving me the opportunity to take on this leadership role to finish off my last year at Forest View High School, and pushing me to become a great leader. Have a happy holiday and good luck to those sitting exams.





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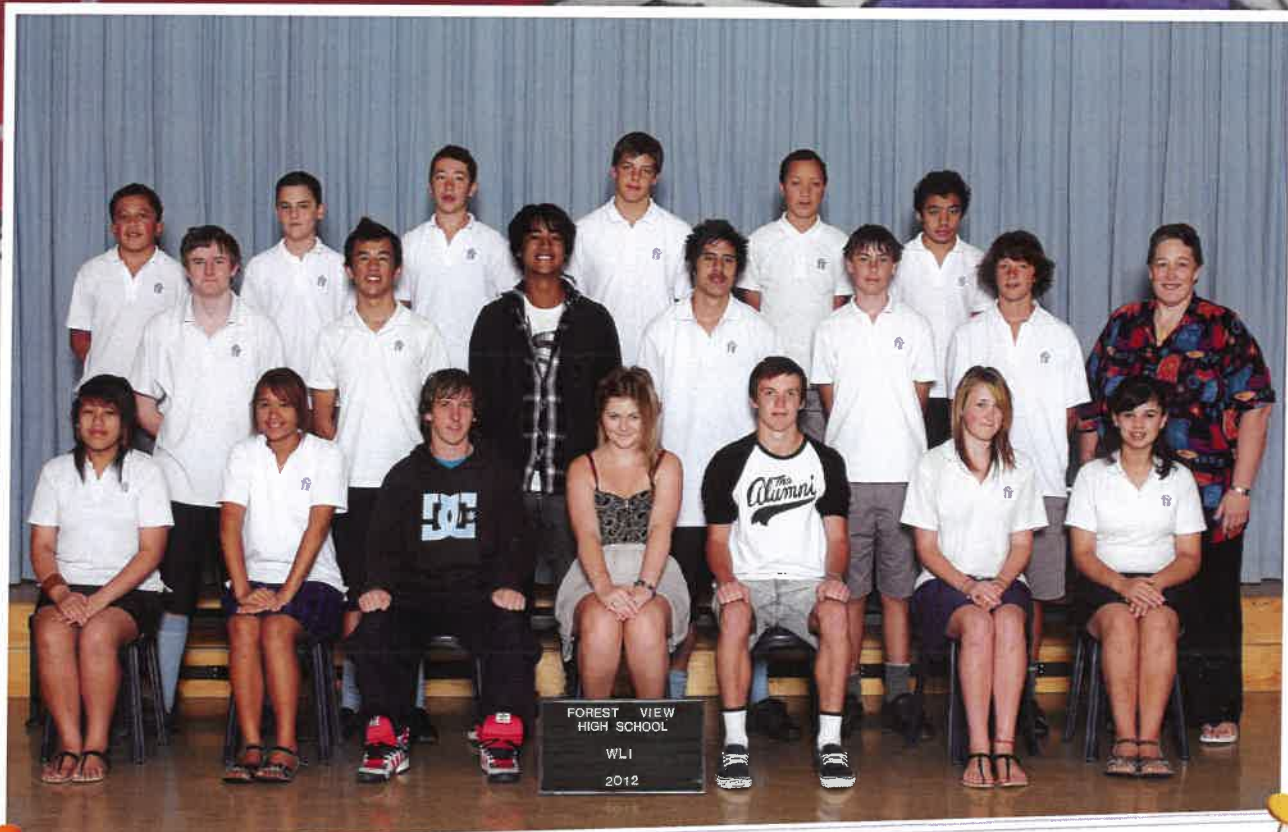
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Front Row: Helena Liutogiatama, Jayden Norris, George Price, Dean Thompson, Tian Cooper, Darlene Whiu.
Absent: Mei Abraham, Skye Anderson-Harrison, Rachel Batten.



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Back Row: Te Paehua Aranui, Rumbie Mafi, Kelsey Foster, Sharna Loye, Ashlee Rovers, Ella Livingston. **2nd Row:** Hvenlee-Blu Craig, Celina Hall, Karly Karauna, Kanganui Uerata, Edwin Sinclair, Cairo Samson, A A MacDonald (Teacher). **Front Row:** Kait Roach, Jesse Saunders, Kecyn Hamilton, Joshua Pennefather, Teao Takave, Courtney Rudolph, Anisha Te Hiko. **Absent:** Joel Gordon, Kadin Small, Koringo Tangimataiti.

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Back Row: Callum Egan, Donnelle Marsh, Isaiah Paiti, Jocelyn Paiti, Troy Hargreaves, Camryn Nicholas. **2nd Row:** Tearoa Jubilee-Reu, Andrew McClintock, Bryce McMullen, Ben Burton-McKenzie, Elaih Winikerei, Dylan Samson, Teupoko Kitera Natua (Teacher). **Front Row:** Mikaela Pennefather, Tayla Taikato, Vanea Robati, Jeannette Turia-Smith, Shayna Heke, Katarina Marama-Nepe. **Absent:** Jeevi Athulathmudali, Matangirau Cuff, Tara Pascoe, Cameron Pearce, Caleb Tatham, Domonique Wairua.



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YEAR 9 CAMP

Tuesday the 14th of February sent all Year 9's on an exciting day out to Totara Springs Christian Camp.

The eager Year 9s were divided into their lakes, each with a willing attitude to spend their day bonding with others.

Totara Springs provided many activities for our Year 9s to participate in, including a low-ropes rescue competition, a blind trail through the forest and a raft building challenge where creatively constructed rafts were put into action down the river,

near Totara Springs. For each activity to be completed successfully, the Year 9's had to build a communication and trust bond with each other.

The activities enabled the students to co-operate and unite with everyone else in their lake, making them feel more comfortable and settled into high school. The senior students and staff who were

there to accompany the Year 9's got to know them well, and that turned out to be beneficial as the students were no longer hesitant to speak to senior students or staff.

We can safely say the students headed home with a new perspective on what awaited them at Forest View High School.



YEAR 12 CAMP

*I had heard so much about the Year 12 trip
I couldn't wait – a whole week in Auckland
and plenty of shopping! Or so I thought.*

We had a couple of hours shopping but that was it as there were many other things on the agenda. The most awesome was the last day at Rainbows End and that day we had sub-way for lunch.

After our trip up to Auckland a few hours at the zoo and a few more at the wave pool, we arrived at camp in the evening. We had fish 'n' chips for dinner at Mission Bay on the way to camp but when we got there supper was set out, we were so excited food was the last thing on our mind. We already had our bunk rooms sorted so we settled in for the night with cell-phones at the ready. Lights out at 12 and no talking but

nothing was said about texting....

Next day we had to be down stairs for breakfast at 7.30 and ready to get on the buses at 9. Today was the day spent on our careers visits. I went to Sir George Seymour because I want to get into Tourism when I leave school. That night we went to the movies and could pick any movie we wanted to.

Day 3 was interest visits and our amazing race day. What a way to learn about a big city. A bus pass a piece of paper and away you go. We caught a ferry, a few buses, and a train. We got back to the train station first and Mrs Gibbons was waiting to mark our names

off her list. The train trip back to camp was good but we were worried that we would miss the stop. A couple of the students didn't follow the instructions very carefully and were taken back to camp in the mini bus – not as exciting as the train. That night we went Ice Skating and everyone enjoyed that, for many it was their first experience.

Day 4 was clean up time. I think it was the fastest a camp has been cleaned up because as soon as we finished we could leave for Rainbows End.

We arrived back in Tokoroa tired but it was one of the best school trips I have ever been on. Recommend it to anyone.



ACADEMIC EXCHANGE

This year we had a brand new format for the exchange with Rotorua Lakes High School.



25 students were specially selected for their all-round academic, creative and leadership skills. They were given a futuristic scene where Moon Tourists demanded a high quality holiday experience. How were the tour operators going to overcome the problems on the moon to grant the tourists' wishes? Students took on roles in the group such as leader, note taker, inventor, artist, dramatist, musician, scientist, motivator etc. Our debaters were the presenters, our musicians accompanied them,

scientists/mathematicians provide the details, and artists presented the model.

In only a few hours, a problem was chosen, and a creative solution invented. Then this idea was presented by scientists in lab coats, with an original musical performance, a model and a few slick dance moves. The photographed evidence was presented on PowerPoint with jargon-filled explanations. Was FVHS convincing? Yes, they were. They won by ½ a point and brought home the

trophy. Well done to: Tullia Pye, Jodie Bryant, Teish Taikato, Dylan Knight, Catherine Dean, Josh Pennefather, Leonie Nugroho, Edward Craig, Kaitlyn Brooks, Nicole Durie, Zane Farrow, Ryan Goodhue, Corban Brown, Jacob Draper, Briana Te Whare, Sophie Goodhue, Melissa Drysdale, Conal Parker, Michael Totton, David Murray, Leith McCloskey, Ashleigh Murray, Stacey Gurr, Jordyn Whangaparita, Sasha Te Whare.

Teacher in charge – V Wolfe.

FUTURE PROBLEM SOLVING AND JUNIOR EXTENSION STUDENTS

This year in FPS we explored the Adventure Tourism and ways to make tourists comfortable and exciting. Students 'free-wheeled' to create imaginative ideas and 'hitch-hiked' on each other's information to devise inventive solutions. Participants were: Billy Vi, Kathaleen Te Hiko, Nicole Rusk, Jared Shewry, Lauren Taylor, Charity Gerard, Michael Totton, David Murray, Adam Meredith, Hayley Gibson, Nikayla McClintock, Tegan Shewry, Maddisyn Dahm and Kaityn Grace. I could hear their brains whirring and imaginations whizzing! Thanks for your enthusiasm and effort FPSers!

In Term 3 Year 9 students researched vehicle design to overcome friction and be able to travel effectively over a variety of surfaces. Then they created their vehicle and designed the experiment to test their ideas. Congratulations to Billy Vi, Nicole Rusk, Anisha Te Hiko, Kaetyn Grace, Hayley Gibson, Zoe Cathie, Shavaughan Uerata, Adam Meredith, David Murray for their analytical and inventive thinking.

Teacher in charge – V Wolfe.





LIBRARY NEWS

Want a book to read? What about a game to play with your friends? Or maybe just a warm, dry place to shelter during a wet lunchtime? The library has been the place to go this year. It has a well-resourced collection of both curriculum and recreational books. Everyone has enjoyed the lunchtime movies, the numerous stories that fill the shelves that give you a chance to escape from reality, and the friendly service that they are met by. Book club on Fridays has been a big success, used by people who need a quiet place to study or finish a book.

In May, the librarians had the privilege of spending the day at the Waikato University library, meeting past students of Forest View High School, and looking through the many books that they have in their collection.

Over all, this has been an amazing year, and we look forward to the fun and joy that next year will bring.

By Amber, Breydon, Ryan, Lauren, Celina, Rumbie, Tara-anne, Cameron, Sarah, Mikaela, Josh, Narla and Mrs Coffin and Mrs Stowers.



Back Row: Rumbie Mafi, Mikaela Tuinman-Warren. **2nd Row:** Mrs L Stowers (Teacher), Sarah Totton, Celina Hall, Cameron Pearce, Breydon Jenkins, Mrs L Coffin (Teacher). **Front Row:** Amber Pihama, Joshua Pennefather, Ryan Goodhue, Tara Pascoe, Lauren Dickson. **Absent:** Narla-Jean Maber.

SCRAPHEAP CHALLENGE

Forest View High School has been involved in the Waiariki Technology Campus and the South Waikato Trades Training Centre Scrapheap Challenge.

This scrapheap challenge is similar to the TV Scrapheap programme where the teams of three have to find scrap material to design and build a winning design.

The whole game was designed to give students the chance to experience a freedom of design and build a product that will catch the eye of the umpire.

The winning team receives a crafted

trophy that was sculpted by local Tokoroa Sculptor.

The fun of competing against Tokoroa High School, Putaruru High School and the South Waikato Trades Training Centre has created some lively interaction and fun, making it a day that all students and teacher's will remember for a long time.

Mr K Haines.





GATEWAY PROGRAMME

In 2012 the Gateway Programme completed its 9th year of offering structured workplace opportunities in the South Waikato for selected senior high school students who met the Gateway criteria of regular attendance at school, steady achievement and a positive attitude. Gateway offers these students the opportunity of experiencing work with an employer/business in

which the students has an interest as a possible Career.

This year 45 Gateway students experienced placements in; equine, veterinary science, vet nursing, early childhood, primary school teaching, sport, electrical, building, automotive engineering, nursing, health, physiotherapy, engineering, catering / hospitality, agriculture,

environmental management, travel, media/communications, business management, accountancy, office administration, forestry and sign-writing.

Our thanks go to the businesses / employers who support our students in their placements. Without them, the Gateway Programme would not be the success it is in our community.

BCATS AT FVHS

Our Technology workrooms such as the Metal, Woodwork, and graphics classrooms have all been renovated and updated to a very high standard and we have some innovative technology programmes.

At Forest View High School we are very lucky to have BCATS. (Building, Construction & Allied Trades). BCATS caters for all students interested in building.

From Year 9, students have the opportunity to produce many projects - from breakfast trays in Year 9, to picnic

tables in Year 12. Students work very hard in their courses to acquire credits which go towards their NCEA.

Year 12 and 13 students are also given the opportunity to take part in the BCATS WORX. This is a part of the Gateway programme, and gives students who are interested in become apprentice builders the chance to work around our school. Not many other schools have this advantage - their students must find independent builders and work with

them. This will give students a higher chance of finding a job in the building trade when they leave school.

The H.O.D and Teacher-in-Charge of BCATS, Mr A.McDonald is owed a big thanks as has put in a lot of work to allow our students to have this opportunity.

Tokoroa's Triangle Timber is the BCATS WORX major sponsor - donating much needed equipment such as tools and safety equipment.



Back Row: Nathan Gibson, Kory Miller, Curtis Murray. **2nd Row:** Chris Sikking, Jesse Clarke, Mitchell Barber, Simone Campbell, Brendon Shepherd, Mr MacDonald (Teacher). **Front Row:** Carlos Paaki, Regan Bain, Josh Barber, Samuel Nield, Bradley Wirihana. **Absent:** Adam Lemme.

WAIKATO RIVER TRAILS TREE PLANTING

About fifty students and 4 staff joined forces with the Waikato River Trails Trust to plant hundreds of trees along the trail.

It as a great opportunity to be involved in a significant community project as well as providing the basis for on-going learning in a wide range of topics. Thanks to Prue Christie for coordinating the event.



FOODIE NEWS

The Food Tech department has been very busy in 2012.

Mrs Paki has continued to coax students in Food technology and Food and Nutrition classes. The Year 10 class had a hamburger competition (1st prize a McDonald's voucher). The Year 11 class made some amazing cakes 'for special occasions' – including a sweetshop, a red hat and a tiered cake.

The Hospitality room has also been busy – hosting restaurants themed and run by senior students and having lunchtime

sales of chips, cookies and drinks.

Two students, Matthew Shewry and Ryan Quirke participated in the South Waikato Masterchef contest and put in hours of preparation with Mrs Swanson. Yes, Mrs Swanson did come out of retirement AGAIN, after Mr Gorrie departed after 1 term. She is retiring AGAIN in November – good luck with that, Mrs Swanson!



WAIKATO UNIVERSITY Y13 ANALYTICAL CHEMISTRY COMPETITION

There was nothing unusual about the drizzly morning of 20th June, as we sat in the school van waiting for Josh to arrive after tutor, instead of during.

Patches of fog and greyness prevented any safe overtaking, so we arrived at Waikato University in the nick of time.

Even though Ms Davis parked right outside the entrance next to the loading zone, by the time we reached the lecture room, all the teams had left for the labs, so FVHS was a tad late and the team plunged into the competition without any instructions.

Later, while judging occurred, Catherine told me they had all finished early, so she acted as a decoy to distract others by having her photo taken. She reckons because she's blonde that she would make a good promo girl.

We discussed the significance of the decimal point in the waters of crystallization and Zane checked a few

Google downloads. We all thought and Ryan said... Oh well.

Can you imagine as the 5th, 4th and 3rd schools were read and received their prizes. FVHS came SECOND!

Ms Davis is obviously thrilled with their success.



PE & OUTDOOR EDUCATION

It has been a long year for the P.E department.



Gymnasium re-construction was finally completed at the end of Term 3 and although the wait was longer than expected, it was well worth it with the finished product far exceeding expectations! The new changing rooms, along with student bag lockers and a revamped staff area, have already been well utilised and the floor looks great after a lengthy sanding and polishing process. Because we had no gym, this hindered our indoor activities for longer than

intended. Our students have been particularly patient and the P.E staff would like to thank them for this. We are looking forward to next year in our new facilities, with other exciting opportunities happening as well. In 2013 we launch our High Performance Program for talented athletes in Year 10 and the Seniors.

2012 has been a less than great year in Physical Education, but 2013 looks like it is going to be fantastic!

Outdoor Education

This year saw the introduction of a new senior programme – Outdoor Education. Outdoor Ed has many opportunities. This year, we have done many adventurous activities such as High Ropes in Taupo, Skiing & Snowboarding on Mt Ruapehu and an Outdoor Camp of 3 days 2 nights to finish the programme.

In our class we all enjoy ourselves at everything we take part in - it's a good way to experience new things.

AGRICULTURE



Fencing days, the National Fieldays at Mystery Creek, tractors, motorbikes, making cheese, the Get Ahead Day at Karapiro, Teen Ag competition and Inter-schools Skills Day - it has been a very busy year for the Agriculture Academy at Forest View. Opportunities were also taken with the Gateway programme and a number have gained employment as a result. We are very grateful to the significant sponsorship by Tokoroa Host Lions Club with proceeds

from their "Raise a Calf" Scheme.

William Malcolm and Josh Hill competed in the TeenAg National competition in Dunedin in May. They were tested on bee-keeping, A.B, wool classing, first aid, general knowledge and a variety of other tasks. The experience of attending such a large event has been incredible. They were sponsored by the Umawera Herd Improvement Society Inc from Te Rere Road and local farmers.

Teacher in charge – Mary-Ann Mathis.



Back Row: William Malcolm, Regan Chopra, Richard Malcolm, Ethan Morris-Stevens. **2nd Row:** Mrs M Mathis (Teacher), Amien Davies, Josh Hill, Hoani Watarawi, Campbell Evans, Jon-Paul Jackson, Jayden Smith, Mrs L Karl (Teacher). **Front Row:** Amber Pihama, Ryan Livingston, Zara Morgan, Jayme Morris, Caitlin Bridson, Cole Follas, Ceri Boreham-Devos. **Absent:** Larissa Davis, Ngahihi Te Paea.

TE PIRINGATAHI 2012

Wow what a year we have had - from entertaining and catering at Te Wananga o Aotearoa, to opening Maori Language week at the South Waikato District Library. The highlights of this year have been the Cultural Exchange and the Variety Shows. We attended the first annual Cultural Exchange at Cambridge High School in Term 3 and wowed many schools from the Waikato region with a powerful performance. It was an amazing day where we were able to see what other schools had to offer as well as show off the amazing bracket we had been intensely learning over the year. As a group we did ourselves proud and the buzz was indescribable. We have accepted the challenge to host the Cultural Exchange next year and look forward to meeting with new schools and talents through this experience.

The Variety Shows that we performed were amazing, it showcased all the amazing talents that we have at our school. Our performance went from strength to strength and the

final evening of performances was one of the best that we have ever performed. It was an amazing thrill to show everyone just how far we have come as a group and how hard we had been working. It was great to be a part of such a wonderful group of people and we all get along so well, our own Te Piringatahi whanau.

A special mention must go to Taina Nicholas and Alisha Haare. They must be congratulated for their leadership over the year. What an amazing job these two have done and we look forward to watching our group grow as the years come to pass. To Alisha you have been a great asset to our group and you will be sadly missed; however we have no doubt that you will go on to achieve amazing things. You will always be such a huge part of our group and we wish you all the very best in your future endeavours.

Me u ki nga korero o nga tipuna kia anga whakamua me hoki whakamuri.

Kia Kaha, Kia Toa, Kia Manawanui.

Tony Mihaere, Rachel Toy.





Back Row: Ebony-Leigh Haare, Teao Takave, Brodie Smith, Tara Kemp, Ariana Ainsley, Maire Toka. **2nd Row:** Tony Mihaere (Teacher), Jayme Walker, Zac Owen-Soloman, Troy Winikerei, Elaih Winikerei, Dillin Blackburn, Sasha Te Whare, Rachel Toy (Teacher). **Front Row:** Chyanne Hemara, Brittany Waddell, Alisha Haare, Taina Nicholas, Shai-Star Whetu, Shavaughan Uerata, Sharelle Waddell. **Absent:** Camryn Nicholas, Wiremu Johnstone, Nakita Burich, Damian Burich, Bethany Erutoe.

MAORI ACHIEVEMENT EVENING

Te Ope Tauwhiro Maori organised this very successful event to celebrate Maori academic success.

Arielle Monk, a former student, was a very entertaining guest speaker. She has gained a Bachelor of Media and Communication Studies from Massey University and plans to begin a postgraduate diploma in Journalism next year. Arielle spoke of the importance of focusing on your interests and passions when it comes to deciding on a career direction. Our head students, Teish Taikato and

Brendon Shepherd did a great job of compering the evening, which was well-supported by whanau. A highlight of the evening was showing the much improved NCEA achievement information for Maori students. More and more students are also gaining Merit and Excellence grades in NCEA. Our Maori students are performing very close to those levels of other ethnicities. This pattern was also

apparent in the Junior Certificate in Educational Achievement data.

It is clear that at Forest View all students can enjoy academic success and this opens the door to successful careers.

Special mention must be made of the Te Piringatahi catering team led by Mrs Toy and Mrs Deihl – good food is certainly a great way to end a celebration.

AFS INTERCULTURAL STUDENT EXCHANGES AT FOREST VIEW

2012 has seen Forest View again very involved with AFS.

2012 has seen Forest View again very involved with AFS. We have enjoyed hosting Roni Banko from Hungary and Morgana Amaral from Brazil for a year, along with Irwin Malot from France and Estelle Andre from Belgium for 8 weeks. We would like to really thank all our host families who welcomed these young people into their homes. Without the amazing families who host these students, AFS cannot provide wonderful opportunities anywhere in the world.

Toni Taplin has been having an amazing experience in Argentina and will return in January 2013. We hope to have two further students go away next year.

Morgana Amaral from Brazil.

Who ever said "The best stage in life is your childhood" has never been an exchange student. Only by living this amazing experience are you able to describe all of it. Despite New Zealand

not being my first choice of country, I'm so glad I came here because I have met a lot of NZ people and I had the opportunity to meet many exchange students from everywhere in the world. NZ is a very beautiful and peaceful country, with lovely people.

Here I have improved my English, learned to live with a new culture, go to a different school and live in a very small town that I never thought I could live in. But, it was great for me, because this year turned me into a better person and more, far more, independent.

Thank you very much to my host family; all my friends, my school FVHS and the Polinetia Fa'atasi group where I learned different dances and had many opportunities. I will carry in my heart always every moment of this fantastic experience and I never will forget this special year.



Veronika Banko from Hungary.

Hi! My name is Veronika Bankó but everyone calls me Ronnie. I'm from Székesfehérvár, Hungary. I chose to come here as an exchange student mostly because of my sister who was here 8 years ago. She told me a lot about this country. What attracted me by what she said was NZ's nature. When I arrived to NZ in February and sat into the car, I almost got a heart attack because I thought we will crash into another car. After a second I realised everyone drives on the left hand side, not just my host Dad! I was also surprised at the colour of the grass. In Hungary the grass is usually dark and a bit dried. Since I'm here I can't count how many times I got this question: "Are you hungry?"! It sometimes drives me crazy but I've got used to it now. :)

School here is really different: more relaxed and easier. In Hungary everyone has to study hard, not just at school but in the afternoons, often at night too. If the students don't behave in class, the teacher can say: "get a piece of paper and write down what you heard". If you didn't pay attention you don't know what to write. It means you'll get a bad mark for it. If you don't pass most of the exams, you have to repeat the whole year. I don't think this way of learning is better because they almost kill our creativity at school. We just have to learn what teachers say. We never have to make a composition for Music class or a board for Art / Photography class.

I'm really enjoying my stay here. I made a lot of friends who I will never forget; my host families who mean a lot for me; and I love that I got back my creativity. I hope I will never lose all of them after I go back!



Back Row: Irwin Malot, Mrs R Sommerville (Teacher).

Front Row: Morgana Amaral, Roni Banko, Estelle Andre.



KURAYOSHI EXCHANGE 2012

Waking up at 7am, still tired from my lack of sleep the night before, excitement took over.

Rebecca Muir

I embarked on an amazing journey to Kurayoshi, Japan for 3 weeks as part of our sister school exchange. I was nervous going on an 11 hour flight to a country, with a language I knew little about, as well as living with a family I'd never met, who only understood 'yes' in English.

Reaching our destination, the first thing that hit me was the heat, WOW! is an understatement. It was so sunny, so hot you started sweating as you left the plane. A flight attendant took us through the airport, showing us where to go. After meeting the Kurayoshi English teacher, we stayed the night at a hotel in the middle of Osaka city.

Next day we embarked by train to our new town, our new home for 3 weeks. Our families met us at the train station. They were so welcoming; they smiled the whole time and shook our hands enthusiastically. When I arrived I had all these rules to follow which made me nervous. I was only allowed to wear traditional slippers in the house, had to eat with chopsticks, had to do my washing in a certain special way, always greet family members full of respect like my own.

None of us knew what was going to happen at school, so when we arrived and had to go up in front of the school and say a speech in Japanese, our faces looked like tomatoes. Everyone was so nice and friendly, always trying to help us in any way possible.

Going home after school was nerve racking for me as I never knew what was going to happen. School was so different. I was in Year 13 as my school partner was Year 13.

In the weekends I had to do work on the rice fields and work in their family

restaurant. It was a pleasant time. I mixed up a couple of the customers but they understood and were happy to fix my mistakes. My family took me to the Tottori sand dunes and four of the most amazing and non-boring museums I have been to.

The food was actually pretty good but if I had the option to try the foods again I think I would turn that offer down.

It was an amazing 3 weeks, the best of my high school years so far.

If I could go back at any stage in my life I would run there. I made heaps of new friends and we all kept promises to stay in touch and visit each other's countries hoping to stay friends.

The hardest part on this trip was saying goodbye. I wish I never had to. When Tianna, Matthew and I boarded our flight back to NZ, we had tears in our eyes. We didn't want to come back to the cold even though we had many hot, sleepless nights. I know one day I will go back to Kurayoshi. It was the best trip and I will never forget it. I highly recommend it to all other students.

Matthew Beban

On the 23 June Rebecca, Tianna and I met in the early hours of the morning at Auckland Airport to set off on a trip of a lifetime. We were preparing for an eleven hour flight due to land that evening in Osaka, Japan.

When we got from Osaka to Kurayoshi where we would stay, the people were kind and happy to see us. Kurayoshi High School was very different with three storey high buildings.

Everywhere you went you would see rice farms, even in the rural town area. The people there must not see different cultures very often because everyone

noticed us and said 'hello'. They tried their very best to communicate in English. I loved the 32 degree heat. It was so different to the Tokoroa winter and so relaxing. Mind you, it was not too great in my warm FVHS uniform.

I loved my trip to Japan. The people were great and I would definitely go again. I would recommend everyone to sign up next year. It is a great trip to remember.

Tianna Kreger

Going to Japan was such an amazing experience. We met so many new people, learnt about a new culture, new food and a totally different language. Surviving the heat was hard but it was worth it.

My host family was lovely. The day I met my host family for the first time was on my birthday and I went out of the room and came back to find them sitting around the table with a cake and candles. We went shopping; they took me everywhere – places like the huge malls over there, The Joyful Park, Sand dunes and many more wonderful places. People in Japan are so friendly and giving. I went into one shop and the shop keeper found out I was from NZ and gave me free things out of her shop!

Nearly every day my host sister Minami and I biked to school. We lived about 40 minutes away. At school we were treated so well. Everywhere we went people were waving and smiling. Some girls even wanted my autograph.

I'm really glad I had the opportunity to go to Japan, I made many friends and a second family. At first I was missing my home but by the end I didn't want to leave. I hope to go back there one day and see everyone again. It was definitely one of the best experiences of my entire life.



Rebecca Muir, Matthew Beban, Tianna Kreger, Mrs R Sommerville (Teacher).

MISATO KITA

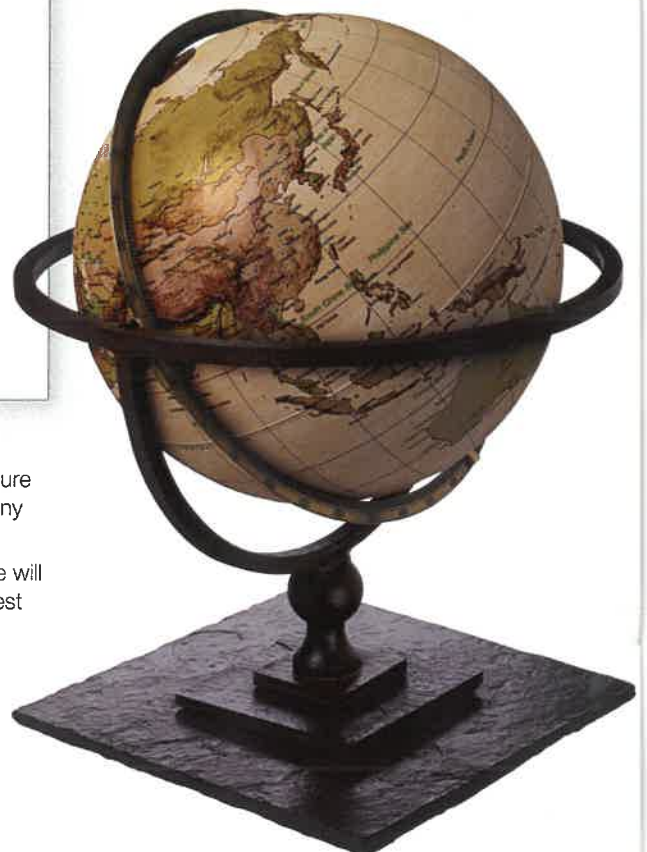
Our sister school from Misato Kita High School arrived on a cold wet day and met their billets, with whom they stayed for the next 7seven days.

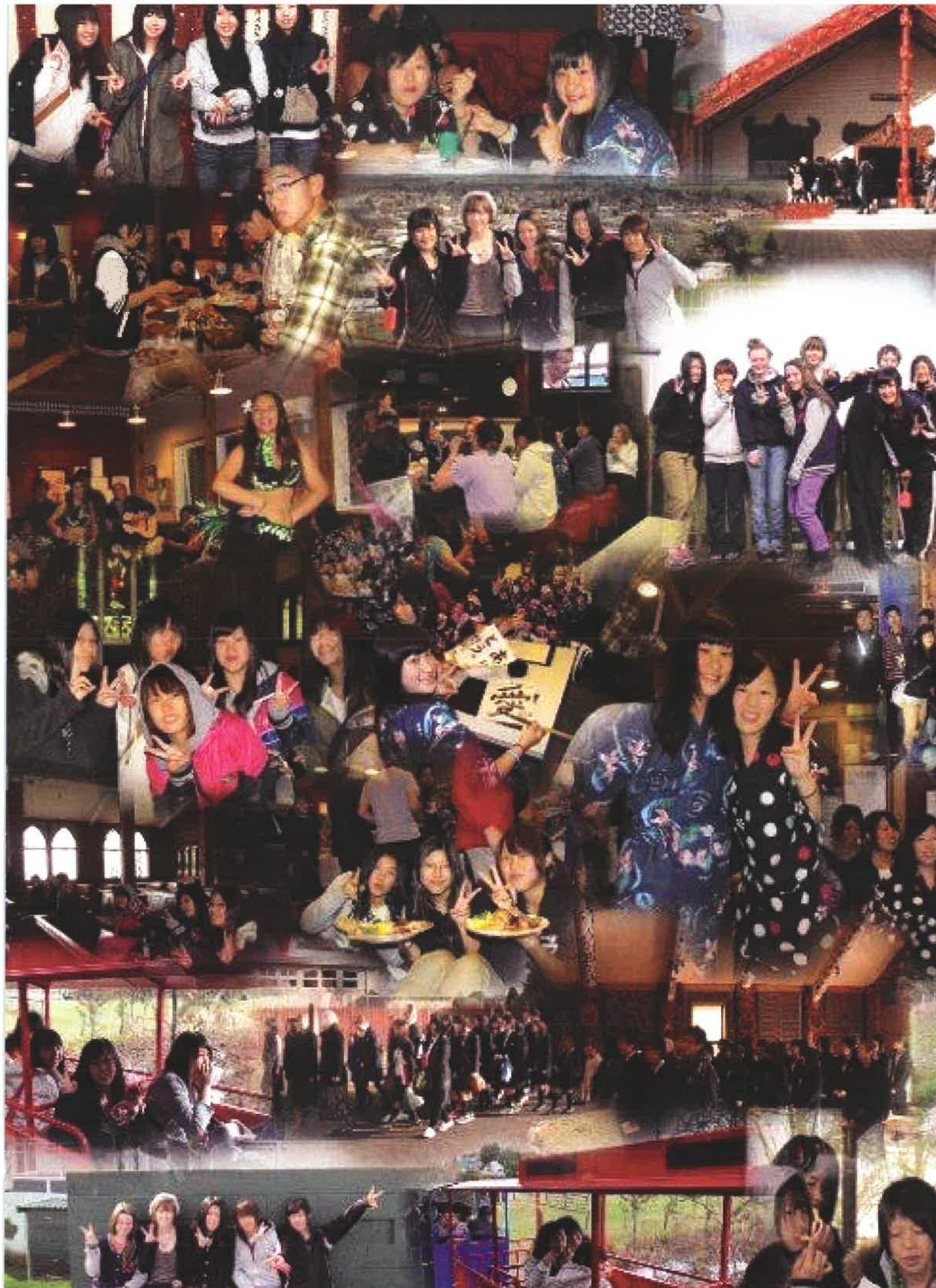
Where they live in Japan is only one hour from Tokyo, so Tokoroa was a lot different from what they were used to.

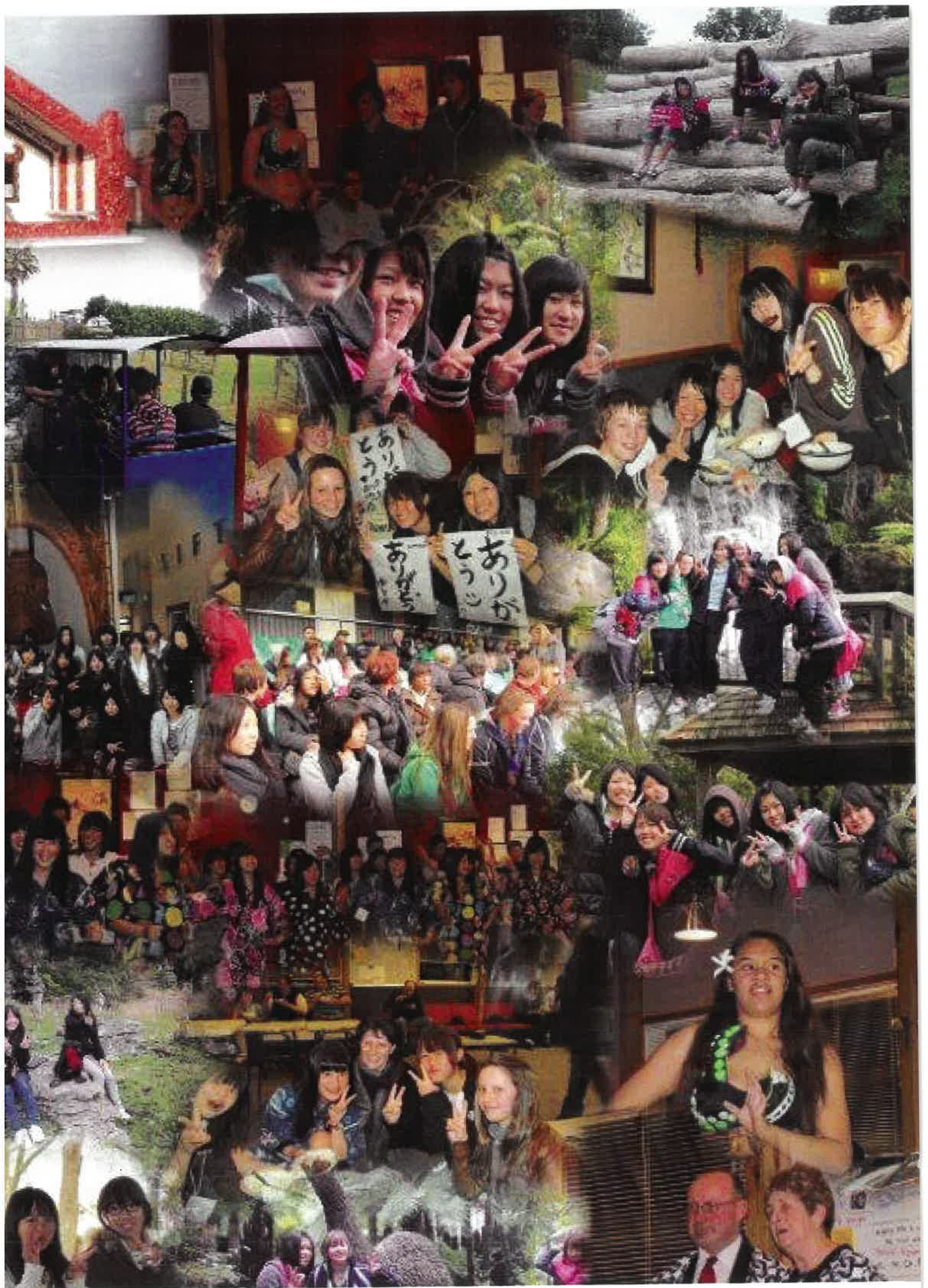
They had a wonderful time and visited many different places including David Henry Kindergarten, North School, Waitomo Caves, Rotorua and had

a whole day in Auckland. The most enjoyable day for them was the Culture day where they experienced our many cultures in Tokoroa.

It was sad day when they left but we will all meet up again in 2013 when Forest View students visit Japan.









WEARABLE CREATIONS 2012

This year three students took part in the Youth Section of the Wearable Creations Show at Rotorua. This was the culmination of many hours of work from Sharelle Wadell and Ashley Kasper. The show is a forum to develop confidence and self-esteem through design and creativity. Whilst the girls did not place in the competition, they thoroughly enjoyed the experience and can be proud of their efforts.

Sharelle's design was called 'The Gambler' and was inspired by the problems caused by gambling. It was made from fabric, ribbon, plastic playing cards, poker chips, dice and cardboard. Sharelle modeled her own creation.

Ashley Kasper designed an entire ensemble out of newspaper and chains. It was entitled 'Trapped in the Past' and was inspired by the idea of holding onto the past. She sewed the skirt and top on the sewing machine and the shoes were paper mache. Laura Salmon was Ashley's model.

DRAMA

Our combined senior drama class has had a busy year. The group embraced a range of activities whole heartedly. Whether it was eating chocolate cake, or staging a photo shoot of a ten year old's birthday, or organising fundraising events or devising a unique version of 7 Days - the talent and team work has

been admirable.

The students began the year performing small extracts from various scripts, followed by an opportunity to create their own script, and finishing with a bang as they came together to present Niu Sila to the community during Performing Arts Week.

It has been so valuable to have students continue to join us throughout the year and these students were quickly welcomed by the friendly and committed class.

The students not only have new skills, but new friends, and a level of confidence has been gained, or in Nick Drysdale's case, allowed to flourish.



Back Row: Jazmine Heaslip, Marlize Keet, Stacey Gurr, Jordyn Whangapirita. **3rd Row:** Melissa Drysdale, Caitlyn Gillard, Creston Wereta, Regan Bain, Shai-Star Whetu, Renae Shepherd, Breydon Jenkins. **2nd Row:** A Johnsson (Teacher), Bethany Erutoe, Ruth Clarke, Matthew Bullock, Tyro Hewett, Zak van den Berg, Esther Ahsin, Jayme Walker, Chrystal Kanara. **Front Row:** Zania Douglas, Celina Hall, Andrew McClintock, David Wright, Letitia Taikato, Nick Drysdale, Sasha Te Whare, Tullia Pye.



Back Row: Renee Randall, Vanea Robati, Nerissa Whitford, Luana Karl, Mikaela Tuinman-Warren, Martha Bowring.
2nd Row: Shai-Star Whetu, Summer Thompson-Ratima, Ben McKenzie, Nick Drysdale, Letitia Taikato, Miss Johanson (Teacher).
Front Row: Jessica Bayliss, Briana Te Whare, Remy Flutey, Brendon Shepherd, Chrystal Kanara, Dee Jae McLean.



Back Row: Shank Nair.
2nd Row: Mariana Mutu, Letitia Taikato, Jessica Chitty.
Front Row: Heremaia Mutu, Corben Brown.

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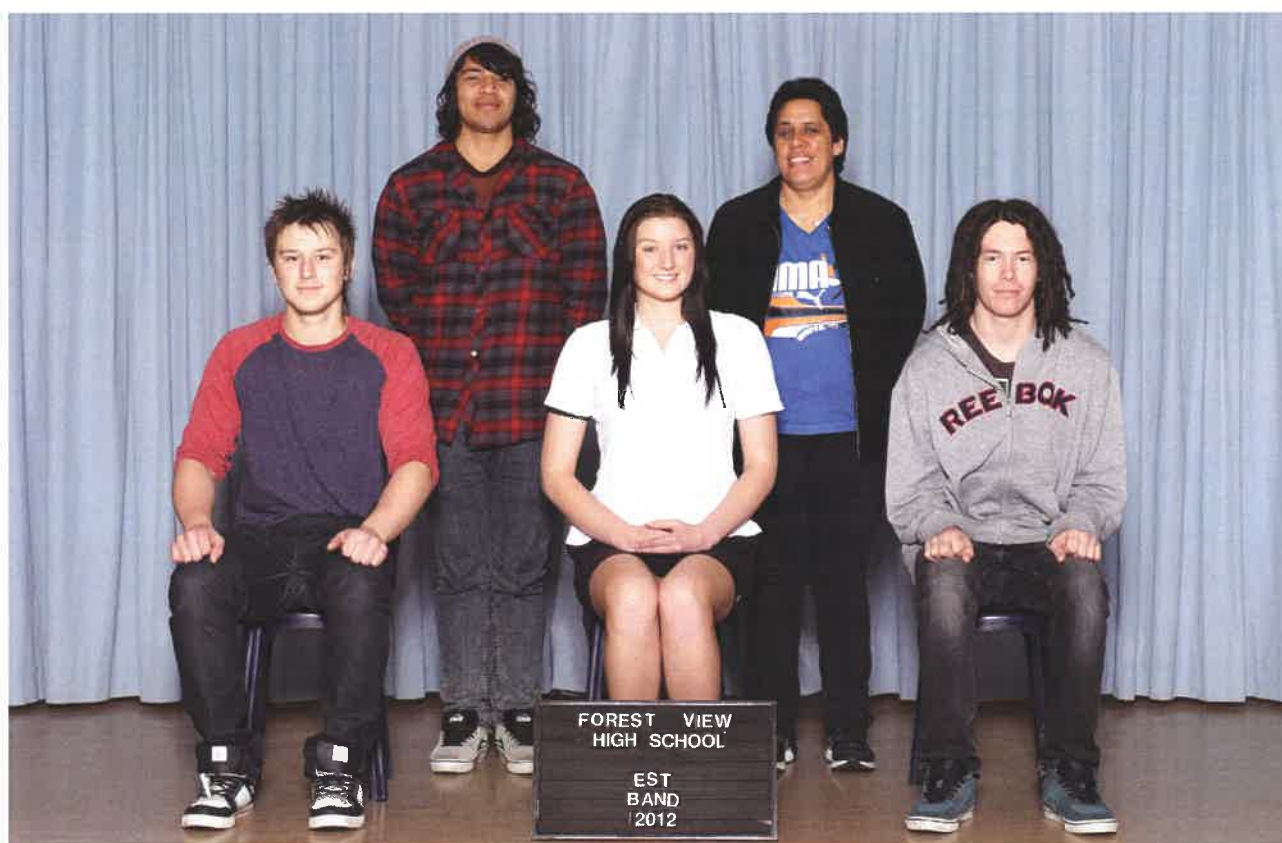
This year the bands and music students have showcased their talents in many forums.

They must be commended for some truly brilliant performances.

Special mention of:

- Te Runui Ahomiro and Halim Matetaka-McRoberts – 4th in the Search For the Stars National finals in Invercargill.
- Jaik Berg – Returned to Rarotonga in Term 3 and has won a prestigious recording contract to record in Melbourne.
- Ever-So Tempting – played their first paid gig (60 songs) in Term 4.
- All the bands that performed in Knights of the Arts.

All students can be proud of the work completed this year – within class, in assemblies and at school events.



Back Row: Halim Matetaka-McRoberts, Jess Earnshaw (Teacher).

Front Row: Josh Griffin, Mikayla Wilkinson, Jordon Ehrhardt.



Back Row: Jess Earnshaw (Teacher), Harlan Jones, Creston Wereta.
Front Row: Joseph Crathie, Daniel Gooding, Bruce Nguyen.



Back Row: Christina Perceval, Samuel Brown, Jess Earnshaw (Teacher).
Front Row: Sasha Te Whare, Dylan Knight, Maxwell Toka.

LIGHTING AND SOUND

The lighting and sound crew of Forest View High School is a group of highly trained students lead by Mr Haines.

During the school terms they operate the lights, sound and design stage settings for: Productions, socials, cultural and school events.

This is a stepping stone into a career in Lighting and Sound Production events.

Written by Ryan Goodhue and Joshua Penefather.



Back Row: Nathan Gibson, Ryan Goodhue, Bailey Nichol, Michael Totton, Mr Haines (Teacher).

Front Row: Mitchell Lowe, Adam Lemme, Joshua Pennefather, Nathan Randall, Simon Lemme.

Absent: Jared Shewry.



Back Row: Apera Brown (Tutor), Teao Takave, Bradley Wirihana, Daniel La'aiva, Taihia Hasini, Samuel Brown, Corben Brown, Rangikura Ford (Tutor). **3rd Row:** Mr A Mutua (Tutor), Tyrin Stuart, Te Runui Ahomiro, Danni-Jane Umaki, Tegan-Maree Shewry, Tayla Taikato, Brendon Shepherd, Truice Sinclair, Ms E Okiakama (Teacher). **2nd Row:** Opal Petero-Anderson, Darlene Whiu, Ariana Ainsley, Shardaine Wairua, Katarina Marama-Nepe, Rumbie Mafi, Jessica McCloskey, Wana Fairbrother
Front Row: Renae Shepherd, Shaan Wilson-Ogden, Billie Vi, Ngahuia Matenga, Jocelyn Paiti, Roni Banko, Karmich Nichols, Morgana Amaral, Ebony Monga. **Absent:** Edwin Sinclair, Domonique Wairua, Isaiah Paiti, Quinzel Cody, Leighton Crooks, Helena Liliutogiatama, Larissa Vaeau, Teuvira Samuel, Caroline Vaeau, Ms S Potoru (Teacher), Mrs T Potoru (Teacher).

POLINETIA FA'ATASI

*Building on the success
of our Hawaii trip at
the end of 2011*

Thank you to all the staff, parents, helpers and especially our students who have made this another successful year for Polinetia Fa'atasi.

To our Year 13 students – Taihia, Head boy and Te Runui we wish you success as you take this next step in your lives, we will miss you and thank you for the memories – go hard Kathys!

To Roni and Morgana, our AFS girls, it has been a pleasure, safe travels back to your home countries and we hope to meet you again in the future. God bless.

- P* Poly fanau – working bees, mean feeds, hard practises, awesome memories
- O* "Ow, I got the chop again" ... a reoccurring event for many, drummers included lol
- L* Look sharp – always look your best!
"I forgot my black undies"
- I* "I got the chop too!" lol ... a frequent phrase in Poly
- N* Never give up – perseverance, try and try again, practise makes perfect
- E* Everlasting friendships – sleepovers, trips, competitions, workshops, a family
- T* Time "What time does practise start? 6!
So why are you here at 6:11? DROP!
- I* Ingenuity – creativity in choreography, costuming and performance
- A* Aim high – Pasifika by Nature, BOP Magics game, entertaining John Key
- F* Fun: Whitianga, Production Week, Puna & Poly, mocking each other
- A* Actors – Katikatia, hair and make up, cannibalism, "The Rich is dead!"
- A* Achievement – new dances, interacting, setting goals, new cultures
- T* "The thing over there!" freshies and proud
- A* AFS – Roni from Hungary, Morgana from Brazil
...too good korua!
- S* "So you wanna be in the band?" –
the threat if your dancing doesn't improve...
- I* It's your turn 2013 ... "Rock the boat!"

MEMORABLE HAWAIIAN MOMENTS POLINETIA FA'ATASI TOUR TO HAWAII 2011



*Excited faces departing from the St Lukes
PIPC church at 3am in the morning.*

- Checking in, luggage, costumes, drums, all wrapped to the brim in glad-wrap
- Waiorea Kapa Haka group – our new friends from Western Springs High School
- Air NZ 'Soul Plane' ...singing competition on the plane organised by the flight attendants...we won!
- Powhiri at Honolulu Airport ...tumeke!
- Fresh, sweet smelling orchid leis and a huge air-conditioned bus
- Towering hotels of Waikiki...oohhs and aahhs
- Aston Banyan Waikiki Hotel...our beautiful home for the next 11 days... phone calls...prank calls...OUR swimming pool and spa...internet café....professional photo shoot,
- the best place ever
- 2am swims at Waikiki Beach
- Trolley Rides, beating the feet, escalators, air conditioned elevators ahhhhhh
- Pearl Harbour...peaceful...historic.... amazing
- Busking... 'Once were warriors lady', Honolulu Police, packed footpaths, global spectators...a wonderful experience!
- Shopping: Waikale, Waimea, Aloha Stadium market, ABC....Waikiki...so cheap, too many shopping bags to carry....broke!
- Food: Planet Hollywood, Hard Rock café, hot dog stands, fruit juices yummy, home-made meals
- Polynesian Cultural Centre...Laie, all you can eat buffet Luau, beautiful costumes, Elvis' tree, Jack 'cousin' our tour guide, powhiri into Aotearoa village, Makekau family, Ha – breathe of Life show....truly an experience!
- School visit – huge, Hawaiian dancing, traditional gifts, an appreciation for our own school, happy people, a cafeteria
- Memorable places: Chinaman's hat, Ko'olau ranges, Nu'uauu Pali look out, Makapu'u Bay, Sharks Cove, Iolani Palace, U.S.S Missouri, U.S.S Arizona, Aunty's place, Punchbowl Cemetery...

Thank you for the support FVHS and Tokoroa community, visiting this island has opened the eyes for so many of our young people. Truly, an amazing experience. God Bless.



PERFORMING ARTS WEEK

Forest View High School students showcased a huge range of performing arts talent over a week in the middle of September.

In a departure from the annual school production, the students of drama, music, dance and Pasifika Studies, joined Te Piringatahi kapahaka and Polinetia Fa'atasi cultural groups in a series of concerts.

On Monday and Thursday, a variety show featuring all the groups attracted appreciative audiences and enabled staff and students to complete the performance components of some NCEA standards.

On Tuesday and Wednesday nights, the drama class performed Nui Sila – a play by Dave Armstrong and Oscar Kightley to smaller, but equally appreciative, audiences. The play is about a friendship spanning thirty years, between laone Tafioka - fresh off the boat from a Pacific Island – and his

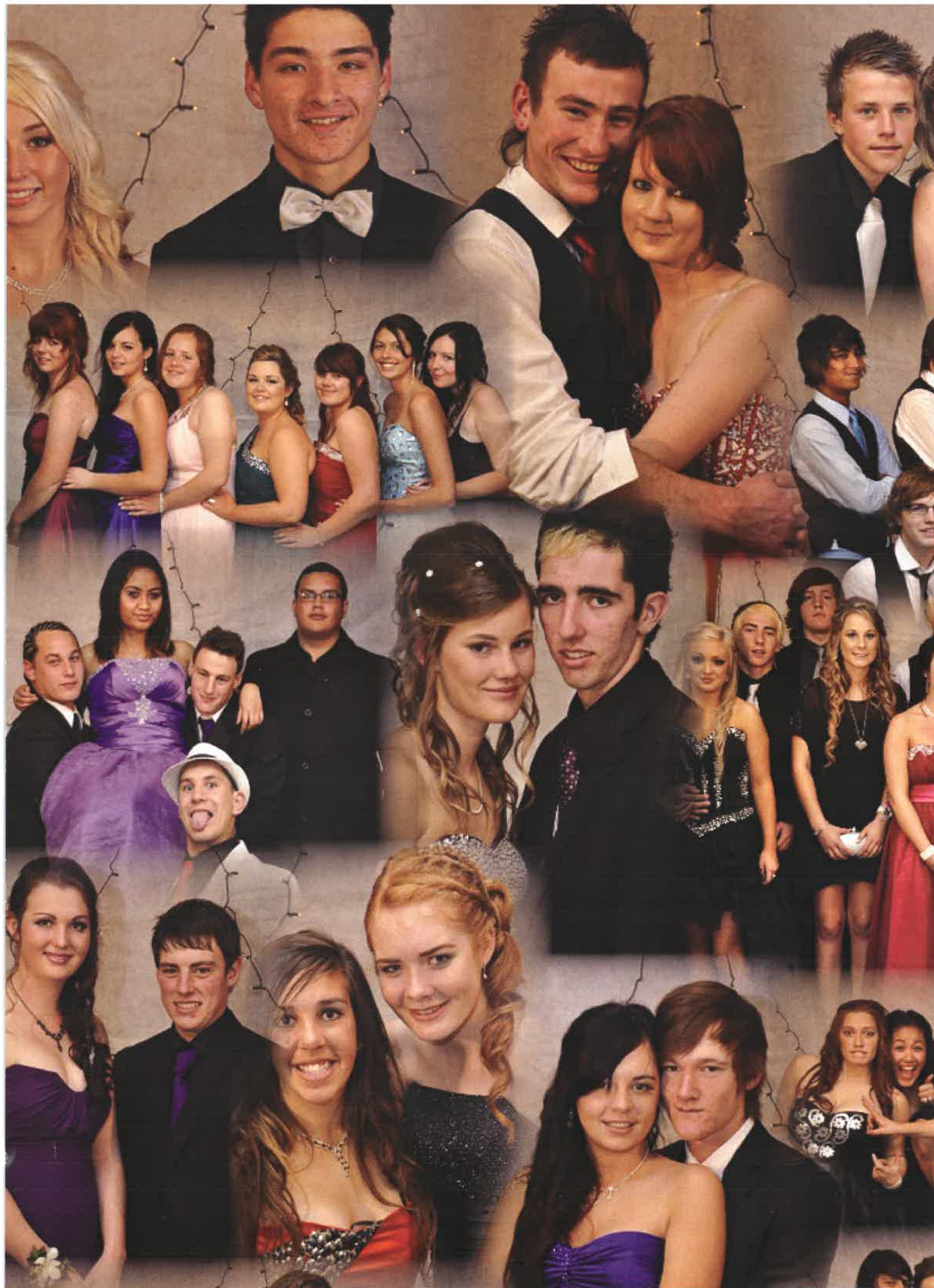
palagi neighbour, Peter Burton.

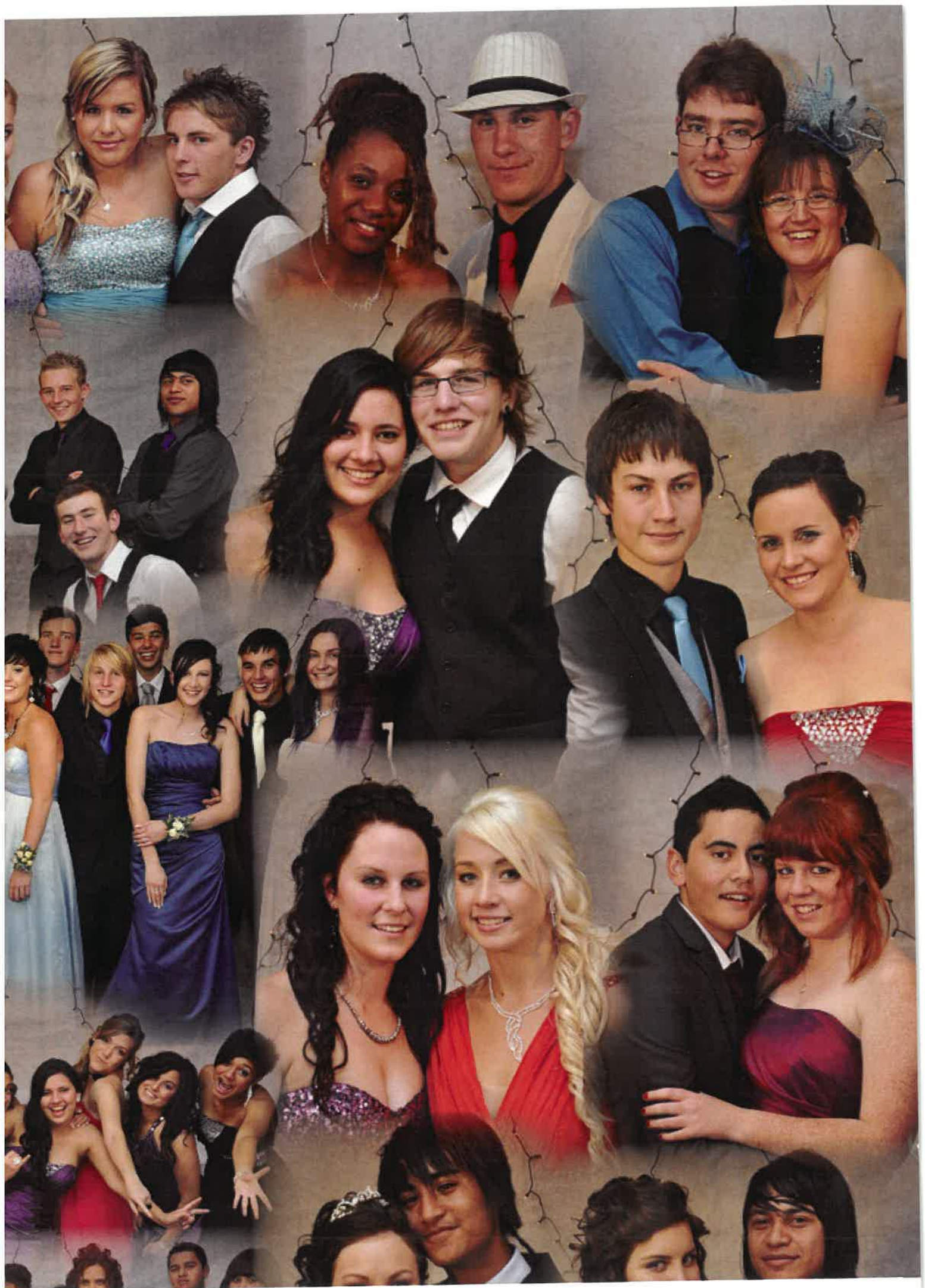
Teish Taikato was superb as the young laone, and David Wright was a feasible Peter. Special mention must be made of Nick Drysdale, as the adult Peter, for his clear and expressive narration and ability to ensure the play flowed smoothly.

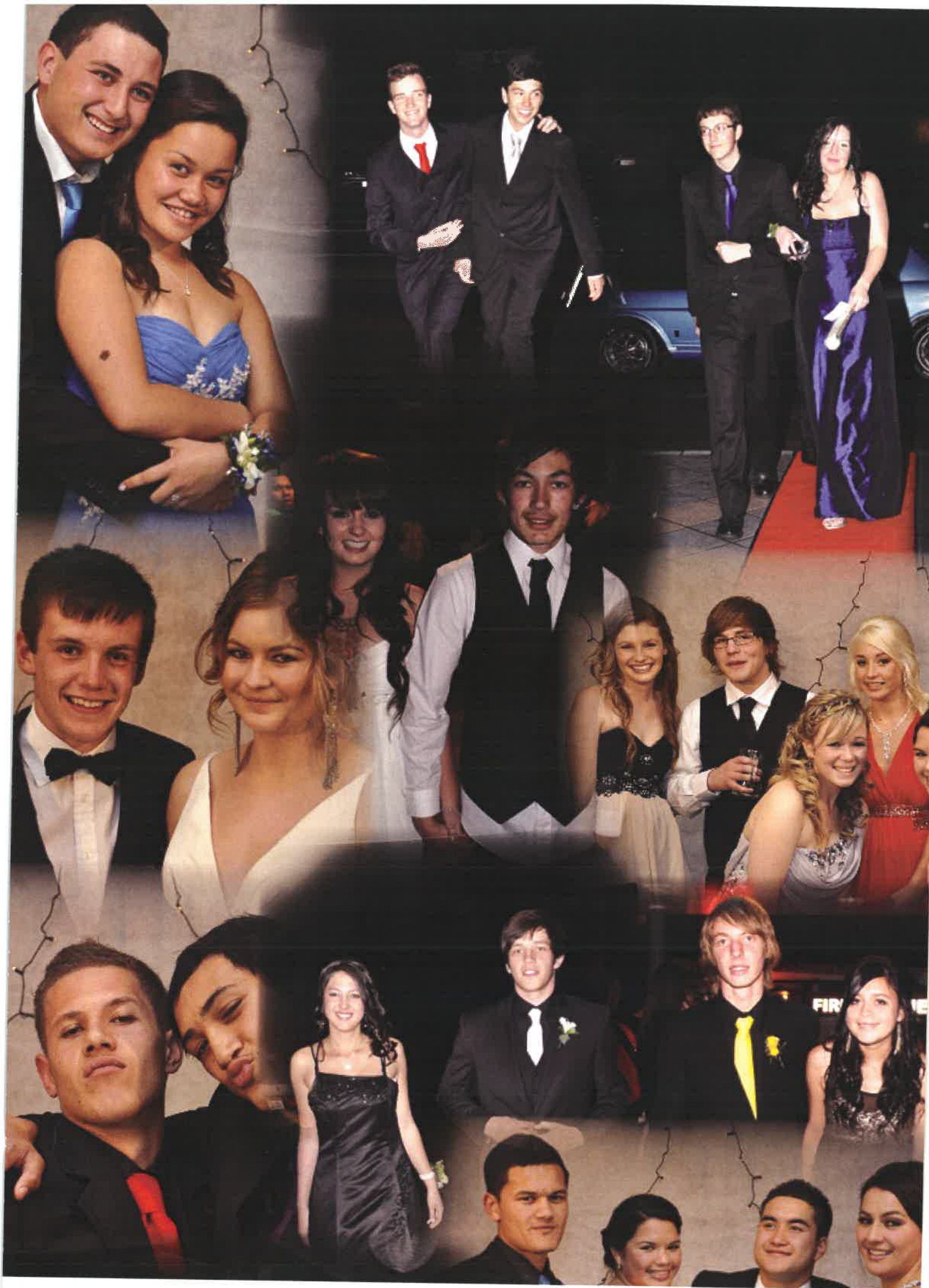
It was great to see over 25% of the school participating in the performances.

Special thanks must go to Mr Haines, his lighting and sound crew and Mr Pennefather for his filming and assistance. Thanks also to Mrs Earnshaw (Music), Ms Natua (Dance), Miss Johannsen (Drama), Mr Mihaere and Ms Toy (Te Piringatahi), Mr Mutua (Pasifika Studies class & Polinetia Fa'atasi), the office staff and all other staff and students who helped in the production.











ATHLETICS



Athletics Day was once again very successful this year with a large number of students participating and joining in Lake Spirit.



There were some excellent results, particularly by the Year 9 students who produced some great times, particularly in the sprints. The day was highlighted by the very close competitions for the athletic championships and the relay races. Well done to all our champions this year and, in particular, to Lake Ohakuri who took out the overall Lake competition.

Mid Island Champs

Eighty students represented Forest View at the Mid Island Athletics Champs.

James Togia broke the junior boys Triple Jump record by 80 cm. Our relay teams were very competitive and gained places in four out of the six relay events. Our Junior Boys, Intermediate Girls, Intermediate Boys team gained second place and our Senior Boys were third in these events.

Our strengths in the throwing and jumping events came to the fore.

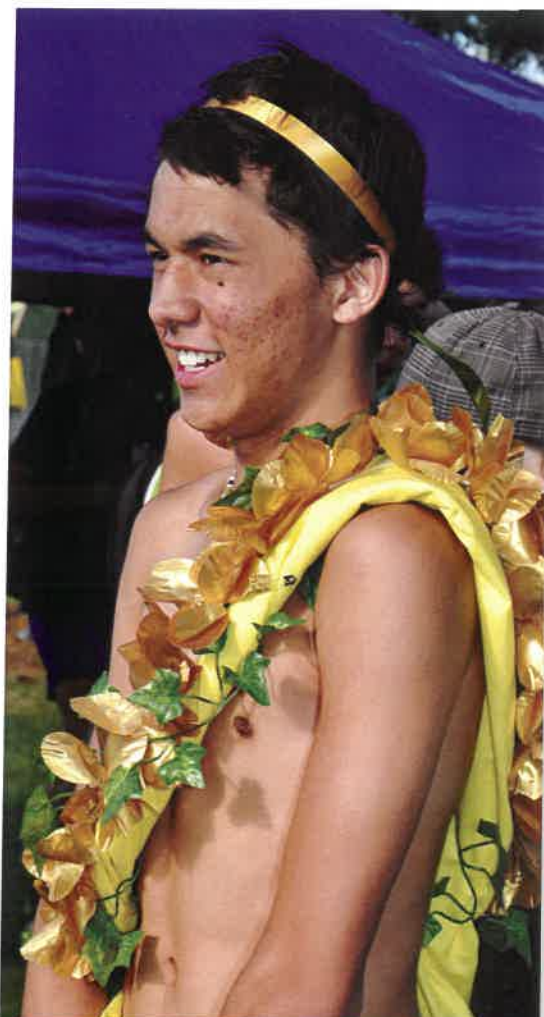
James Togia, Jayden Norman Leighton Crooks Teish Taikato, and Maxwell Toka gained first place in their events. Karly

Karauna, Quinzel Cody, Sumeet Lal, Tayla Taikato, Ethan Morris-Stevens, Jayden Norris, Tyro Hewett, Thea Keith-Matchitt, Edward Craig, Zane Farrow and Alex Sutherland were placed in the events. All these athletes qualified for the Waikato Secondary Schools Championships

Cross Country

The wet weather held out for our cross country competition and this made for some excellent racing by all involved. Everyone who participated helped out their school in positive ways, either by running the whole track for placings or by just getting out there and helping gain participation points for their lake.

As it was only the second year using a new course, there were several records broken - Dylan Rouse-Carpenter broke his own Junior Boys record, Shavaughan Uerata broke the Junior Girls, Rachel Durie broke Intermediate Girls, Jon-Paul Jackson broke the Intermediate Boys, Thea Keith-Matchitt broke the Senior Girls and Alex Sutherland, the Senior Boys. Congratulations to all those winners.



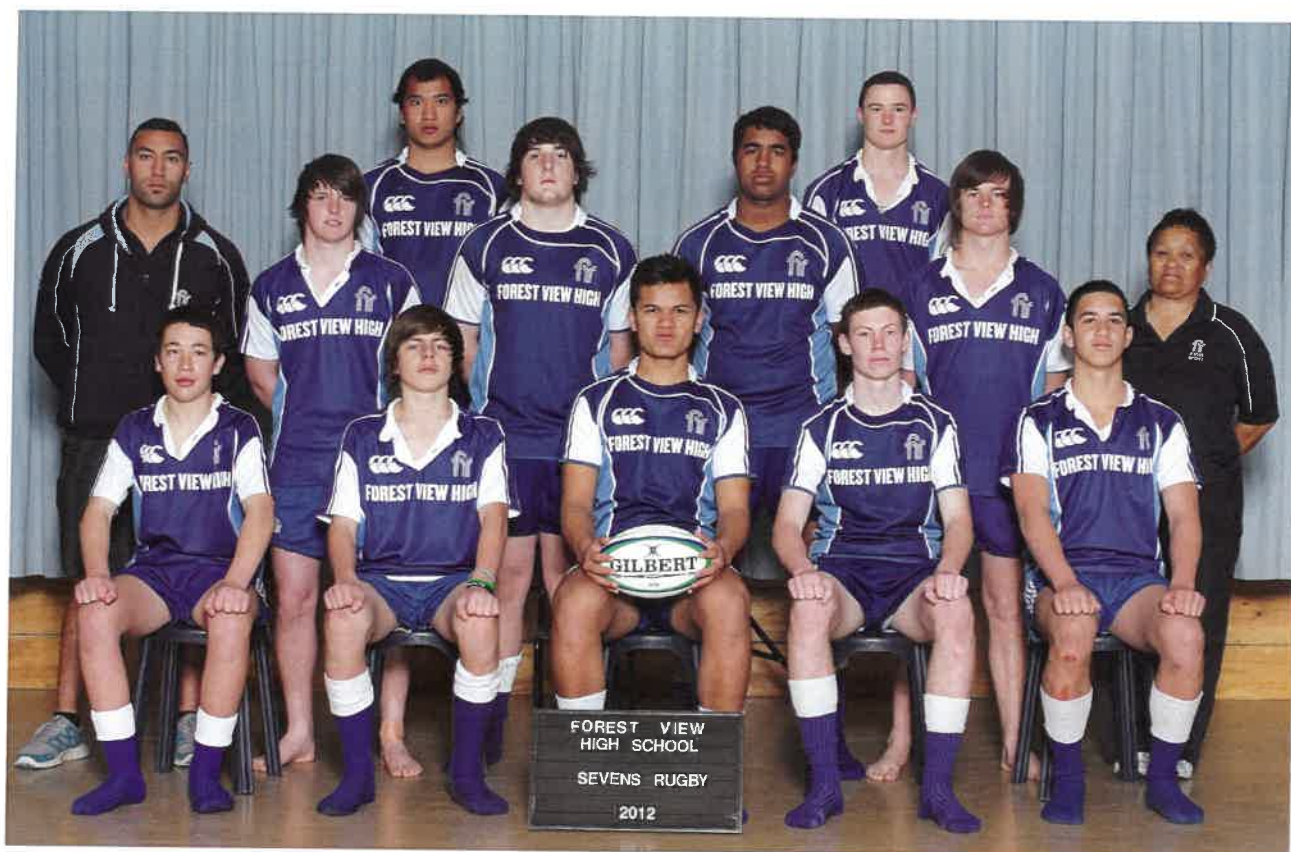
Sports



Back Row: Jarvis Matetaka-McRoberts, Rachel Durie, Letitia Taikato, Summer Thompson-Ratima, Zania Douglas, Sharna Loye, Tinofara Mutambu. **4th Row:** Jessica Chitty, James Togia, Jayme Walker, Maxwell Toka, Elaih Winikerei, Thea Keith-Matchitt, Samuel Brown, Michaela Coffin. **3rd Row:** Edward Craig, Josh Hill, Zak van den Berg, Sumeet Lal, Tyro Hewett, Jayden Norman, Sheldon Ahipene, Matthew Bullock, Danni-Jane Umaki, Mrs Kath McGovern (Manager). **2nd Row:** Mr Ian Ferguson (T.I.C/Coach), Narla-Jean Mabber, Anisha Te Hiko, Tahlia Joyce, Shontel Ruri, Chyanne Hemara, Chanya-Rose Ruka, Maire Toka, Ella Livingston, Mrs Iwi Bennion (Manager). **Front Row:** Shavaughan Uerata, Tayla Taikato, Vanea Robati, Leonie Nugroho, Dylan Rouse-Carpenter, Richard Malcolm, Sarah Hemming, Ebony-Leigh Haare, Leah Townsend.



Back Row: Rachel Durie, Iwi Bennion (Coach). **Front Row:** Shavaughan Uerata, Jarvis Matetaka-McRoberts, Raelene Loye. **Absent:** Mr Tony Mihare, Leighton Crooks, Eli Edwards, Ephraim Hall, Jon-Paul Jackson, Narla-Jean Mabber, Jayden Norris.



Back Row: Teao Takave, Cole Follas. **2nd Row:** Tony Mihaere (Coach), Ethan Morris-Stevens, Daniel Gooding, Shank Nair, Matthew Bullock, Iwi Bennion (Manager). **Front Row:** Ryan Livingston, Harlan Jones, Taina Nicholas (Captain), Zak van den Berg, Karly Karauna. **Absent:** Brian Nicholas (Assistant Coach), Steven Te Hiko.

This year our Forest View Mixed Touch Team had a great season.

Even with a very young team they had a very productive season, with the help of their new Coach: Baldy Noho and Manager: Tony Mihaere.

They started training very early in the year, preparing for the Regional tournament held in Hamilton.

They joined in our local S.U.R.F. touch tournament where two of our players were asked to play for the Waikato U17's mixed touch team. They have started training again, for the up and coming regionals tournament next year.



Back Row: Courtney Rudolph, Summer Thompson-Ratima, Vanea Robati. **2nd Row:** Tony Mihaere, Shylo Albert, Taina Nicholas, Mrs Iwi Bennion. **Front Row:** Ryan Livingston, Matthew Bullock, Leah Townsend, Zak van den Berg, Michaela Coffin. **Absent:** Shane Bell, Ryan Quirke, Letitia Taikato, Mrs Denise Hein (Teacher).

CRICKET

We have the players – 14 in the junior squad, 16 in the senior. We have the gear – great nets, a new pitch and fundraising got us new gear. We have the coaches – Messrs Clark & Rice are excellent in their knowledge and their skills.

BUT... we have no local opposition! We are the only school in the South Waikato to run regular training and to field teams, and apart from the

boys' schools in Hamilton, our nearest opposition at our standard is Otorohanga - it would be great to play someone else for a change. Our last 7 games have been against them.

We are attempting to work with schools in Taupo and Whakatane to get greater variety – here's hoping we are successful. I am quite sure that given the opportunity of a wider range

of opposition, some of our keen and enthusiastic players would have gone on to representative honours.

The boys are to be congratulated for continuing to train and to play, and hopefully, they will face greater challenges and variety in future.

Mr Clark.

FOREST RELAY

Four boys headed to Rotorua to face the challenges of the Red Stag Redwoods Forest Relay

Jon-Paul Jackson, Michael Totton, Talon Sneddon and Johnno who was brought in at the very last minute to make up the team of 4 because Izak Johnson-Edwards was taken ill.

They each ran a lap of 3.2 km against other teams from all over the North Island and finished 7th in the youth category.

A very credit worthy performance when you consider that this was their first attempt and we were one runner down.

Johnno filled in admirably but had not had the training that the others have had over the last few weeks and so our team time was a little slower than expected. However the highlight of the day was

winning the \$250 spot prize that is awarded every year to a team in the youth section.

Special thanks must go out to the parents of the boys, who have supported us both at training over the road at Cougar Park and who travelled on the day.





Back Row: Nathaniel Wirihana, Sumeet Lal, Morehu Pahuru, Nick Drysdale (Assistant Coach).
Front Row: Creston Wereta, Jayme Walker, Liam McKain, Matthew Bullock, Sasha Te Whare.



Back Row: Regan Bain, Ethan Morris-Stevens, Ryotaro Wright.
2nd Row: Brendon Shepherd, Josh Barber, Simone Campbell, Bryce McMullen.
Front Row: James Vaeau, Samuel Brown, Nick Drysdale, Joseph Cathie, Al-Javan Albert.

SWIMMING SPORTS

Swimming sports this year went reasonably well with the same number of entries as the previous year.



There was an excellent effort made by a number of Year 9's who should be congratulated on their performances. Although there was a disappointing number of senior students and overall

lake numbers for Relays, those who did participate were fantastic and their behaviour was impeccable. Congratulations to Lake Whakamaru who took out Swimming Sports this year, and

to all those others who won and placed in their categories. Thank you to all those students who continue to support swimming sports. I hope to see even more of you in the pool next year.



Christina Perceval, Rebecca Muir, Thea Keith-Matchitt, Iwi bennion (Sports Co-ordinator), Stacey Gurr.

HOCKEY

This year the 1st ever Mixed hockey team had a solid season and managed to take out 3rd Place in the Rotorua C Grade competition.

This was achieved by winning the majority of games and becoming a hard team to beat.

The support from parents and teachers

is greatly appreciated and contributed to the team's success. Thank you to our coach, Jordan, Fish, Willy, & our amazing supporters.



Back Row: Ella Livingston, Krishna Rajan. 2nd Row: Bradley Wirihana, Caleb Knight, Mathew Shewry, Lochie Harris, Mr Neil Harris (Coach). Front Row: Ethan Morris-Stevens, Sarah Hemming, Ben Burton-McKenzie, Briana Te Whare (Captain), Natasha Samson, Rebecca Muir. Absent: William Morris-Stevens (Assistant Coach), Jordan Sutherland (Assistant Coach), Carlos Paaki, Ryan Quirke.

WAITARA

Another excellent sports exchange with Waitara was hosted by Forest View this year.

Eighty two students and eight staff members graced us with their presence for two days and thoroughly enjoyed the hospitality of the staff, students and hosting parents of Forest View.

Early Monday morning the Mixed Hockey team headed off to Rotorua, the Golf boys went out to the course and B Netball started their game at 10am. Boys Soccer kicked off at 10.30 and due to our gym being out of commission,

Girls & Boys Basketball hit the track to the YMCA to play on a much reduced court size.

In a first for our exchanges Monday evenings' social was opened up to the whole school and thoroughly enjoyed by all.

Rounding off the exchange the last games were played on Tuesday morning with A netball, Girls Football and finishing with the 1st XV match. While Waitara won four of the six sports played, the exchange

was a great success for both schools.

After a hearty Forest View luncheon, speeches and poroporoaki we wished our visitors a safe journey home to the 'naki.

A special thank you to both Principals, the staff involved from both schools', coaches and managers and umpires and especially our FV community who opened up their homes to billet our visitors. Without your hospitality this exchange would not happen.

GIRLS' FOOTBALL 1ST XI

*Division One. We knew it was going to be hard.
We had to be fearless.*

We were.

Briana - One kick wonder, then ouch!

Grace - Senior player of the year!

Jessie - Golden boot!

Leonie - All round contribution and effort!

Maddi - Magic!

Natasha - Amazing hackie.

Nicole - Versatile.

Paige - Junior player of the year!

Rachel - Most improved senior!

Raelene - Most improved junior!

Remy - In a word, awesome.

Sharna - Cool as.

Summer - Hearty!

Teish - Injured, no practice, then scored. Fantabulous!

Thea - Slider of the year!

Best wishes to our seniors who are moving on next year. Don't forget the essence in your sparkle!

Teacher in charge – V Wolfe.



Back Row: Paige McCloskey, Jessie Middlemiss, Briana Te Whare, Maddi McMeekin, Natasha Samson.

2nd Row: Thea Keith-Matchitt, Sharna Loye, Raelene Loye, Remy Flutey, Summer Thompson-Ratima, Ms V Wolfe (Manager).

Front Row: Leonie Nugroho, Rachel Durie, Teisha Taikato (Captain), Nicole Durie, Grace Coffin.

SQUASH

In June Sarah Hemming, Courtney & Chelsea Rudolph, Nick Drysdale, Regan Bain and Eli Edwards headed to Hamilton to take part in the WSS Squash Champs.

The girls had the daunting task of facing Hamilton Girls A in their first round, then Matamata in round 2. While they didn't come away with a prize they enjoyed the experience of playing in the tournament.

The boys first round was a bye, they won by default and in their last round they played & ended the tournament by winning the plate final.



Back Row: Amos Wilson, Reon Sattler, Adam Lemme, Isaac Wilson. **2nd Row:** Brandon Norman, Simon Lemme, Bailey Nichol, Cody Taylor. **Front Row:** Jacob Draper, Richard Malcolm, Jayden Norman, Dylan Rouse-Carpenter, Conal Parker.
Absent: Mr Stephen Norman (Coach), Trevor Hill, Dylan Knight, Sam Lozell, Jayden Norris.



Back Row: Chelsea Rudolph, Sarah Hemming, Courtney Rudolph, Mrs Iwi Bennion (Teacher).
Front Row: Eli Edwards, Nick Drysdale, Regan Bain.

NETBALL



2012 – What a year!

Senior A Netball

This year we warmly welcomed Cheyanne Manu, Moana Totoro and Karmich Nichols to the crew representing FVHS Senior A Netball. The team was a group of two Year 13's, four Year 12's, one Year 11 and two Year 10's, one talented coach and an amazing manager. What a team. After making premier grade we found our last nerve-wracking but exciting game against Tokoroa High School Senior A Team. With seven strong and talented girls we took the court, narrowly losing.

Senior B Netball

Well done girls, absolutely phenomenal effort....we are so proud of you. The senior players of the team are glad to of spent our last high school netball season with such an enthusiastic bunch of girls

Thank you to our coach Alexis for putting in so much time with the girls and for helping us to improve in our game and skills. Also thank you to all the girls for putting in such a huge effort. I wish you seniors the best of luck for your futures and hope that our juniors keep furthering their Netball skills next year. Shai Star.

9a Netball

Forest View 9a is made up of 10 players and we are all honoured to be part

of such an amazing team. Our coach Danni Jane Umaki and manager Shai Star Whetu have helped us to improve our Netball skills and to work hard as a team to take out the A reserve grade in the Bill Gray Memorial Championships at Tokoroa Netball Centre.

All of our trainings paid off in the end when we played our final against Indecisive (an adult team). This was a tight battle for first place with the victory eventually being ours by 1 goal!

As a team we worked well together even though there were a few complications along the way. All of our sets of 6 and fitness circuits were gut wrenching at the time but now we can see why they were so important.

We are so grateful to have had our amazing coach and manager – we could not have achieved our goals without them. But also a huge thanks to all the girls for their HUGE commitment, hard work and sportsmanship.

Anisha TeHiko - captain.

Unphazed Netball

Forest View Unphazed were a team of 10 x Yr10 girls. Some of the team were utility players and some were specialists in their positions. All played with great determination to achieve their potential which was awesome. The

team had two trainings each week on Monday and Friday under the expert, dedicated guidance of their coaches, Rosie Marjoribanks and Mihi Wilson. After some early season losses the team showed determination and improvement on the court to place 3rd in their division. Congratulations on a great season.

Taylor Briggs - captain.

Junior Netball

A team comprises a group of people linked in a common purpose - the purpose of our team was to have fun and involve ourselves in an extracurricular activity.

We started the netball season with fewer players than needed and over the weeks the team doubled their numbers attracting others who wanted to be involved on a journey of laughter, team spirit and positive attitudes. Whilst we had different levels of ability, including some who had never played before, the girls made the school proud by pulling together and taking on challenges as a united front. Whether they were winning or losing they kept a smile on their face and many commented on their sportsmanship.

Coaching this team was an enjoyable experience and I look forward to another season. Well done, girls.

Miss Johannson.



Back Row: Shai-Star Whetu (Coach), H'venlee-Blu Craig, Shavaughan Uerata, Tegan-Maree Shewry, Katarina Marama-Nepe, Danni-Jane Umaki (Coach). **Front Row:** Ella Livingston, Maire Toka, Anisha Te Hiko (Captain), Cameryn Eru-Bonnar, Tahlia Joyce.
Absent: Camryn Nicholas.



Back Row: Tennessee Blue, Renae Shepherd, Morgan Ward, Mandy Johansson (Coach).
Front Row: Olivia Burns, Narla-Jean Maber, Melissa Drysdale, Lacy Berryman, Eden Quaife.
Absent: Ashleigh Murray, Jesse Saunders.



Back Row: Leah Townsend, Moana Totoro, Ebony-Leigh Haare.
2nd Row: Kathy McGovern (Manager), Tiana Wiki, Danni-Jane Umaki, Yvonne Charlie (Coach).
Front Row: Cheyanne Manu, Jessica Chitty (Co-Captain), Tayla Taikato (Co-Captain), Michaela Coffin, Karmich Nichols.



Back Row: Mariana Mutu, Vanea Robati, Alexis Whetu (Coach), Chyanne Hemara, Te Ata Robinson.
Front Row: Shai-Star Whetu, Alisha Haare, Courtney Rudolph (Captain), Laura Salmon, Sophie Goodhue.



Back Row: Brena Temata, Tahlia Watarawi, Kassey Fergusson, Chelsea Cuff, Rosie Marjoribanks.
Front Row: Jahnesta Manu-Griffin, Zoe Ramage, Taylor Briggs (Captain), Desiree Berryman, McKenzie Evans.
Absent: Shayna Heke.

RUGBY - 1st XV



At the start of the year our numbers were really good.

We started in early March with a beep test to see where our fitness levels were. A pre-season tournament in Matamata before the proper competition started, gave the coaches a first-hand look at us.

We had a few boys come up from last years Under 15 and they played their hearts out all season. A number of the

senior boys decided to give rugby a-go after last playing for the school when they were juniors. It was good to see them out on field each Saturday.

It took us 3 games before we finally won our first match then after that things got a lot better. Most of our losses & wins were by the narrowest of margins. Over

all we enjoyed our season and finished 6th on the table.

Thank you to all the boys, our coaches & managers Kim Harris, Abel Brown, Rich Taumata, Graeme Sutherland, Mrs Bennion, Mrs Salale, our mums who helped in the kitchen.

GIRLS RUGBY

Girls rugby has always been strong here in Tokoroa and definitely here at school.

This year kicked off to a great start with good wins over Cambridge High School and Te Awamutu College. It was the start we needed.

As the season went on we became more and more vulnerable as the numbers in our team started to

disintegrate. We still managed to field a team, week in and week out, which showed the true commitment of some of these girls to the game of rugby. We had an amazing time this year and are in a rebuilding year which will only make our team grow bigger and stronger. We

farewell our great Year 13s and wish them well in their future endeavours - Vanea, Teish, Chyanne, Tiana, Summer, Nakita. Next year will be another good year for us – let's go and compete against those bigger teams and stake a good name. Mean Rugby Girls Mean.





UNDER 15 RUGBY

Forest View High School's Under 15 Rugby team were crowned champions at the end of the season, capping an undefeated season with a 23-0 win over Taumarunui.

In their final game, the Tokoroa team showed their determination, with a fierce haka and then dominated from kick-off.

Soon after a Karly Karauna penalty, Sheldon Ahipene crossed for the first of Forest View's tries and the team continued to apply pressure. Three tries followed for James Togia, as Forest capitalised on the opponents mistakes and the game was sealed.

This game typified the determination and commitment demonstrated during the

whole season by this group of determined players. The future of rugby looks bright at FVHS! Rugby under 16s Sevens Team

This year we competed in our very first Rugby Sevens tournament which was held this year in Taupo. We had a very good team who were all eager and keen to have a go at this growing sport. The tournament was very hard and contested by some very good teams. We had the faith and the belief that we could compete with the much bigger

schools. Unfortunately we were struck by injury in pool play which showed the true physicality of the competition. We made it through to the final against Taupouui-a-Tia. We scored two quick tries and in the hunt to win the tournament but in sevens every second counts and Taupouui-a-Tia scored three consecutive tries. We were all proud of our team and our efforts representing ourselves our school and our families. Next Year could be the year.



Back Row: Teao Takave, Strickland Te Miha-Gage, Bradley Wirihana, Regan Bain. **3rd Row:** Alex Sutherland, Al-Javan Albert, Elaih Winikerei, Lani Varu, Maxwell Toka, Nathan Randall. **2nd Row:** Kim Harris (Head Coach), Iwi Bannion (Manager), Taina Nicholas, Chance Temiha, Shank Nair, Daniel Gooding, Troy Winikerei, Graeme Sutherland (Manager), Abel Brown (Assistant Coach). **Front Row:** Aiden Bell, Zak van den Berg, Shylo Albert, Samuel Brown (Captain), Josh Barber, Caleb Knight, Chad Harrison. **Absent:** Richard Taumata (Assistant Coach).



Back Row: Letitia Taikato, Angel Marshall, Shardaine Wairua, Rae Totoro. **2nd Row:** Mrs Iwi Bennion (Manager), Summer Ratima-Thompson, Moana Totoro, Cheyanne Manu, Tiana Wiki, Mr Tony Mihaere (Coach). **Front Row:** Te Ata Robinson, Chyanne Hemara, Vane Robati (Captain), Shontel Ruri, Leah Townsend. **Absent:** Skye Kemp, Heidi Lyall, Chloe Meager, Taylor More, Caroline Vaeau, Rose Vaimoana, Larissa Vaeau.



Back Row: Eugene Amohia, Creston Wereta, Tutewhenua Taylor-Tupaea, Flynn Jones. **3rd Row:** Jayme Walker, Karly Karauna, Liam McKain, Nathaniel Wirihana, Amien Davies, James Togia, Ethan Morris-Stevens. **2nd Row:** Marc Lelievre (Coach), Bryce McMallen, Sumeet Lal, Shane Bell, Campbell Evans, Cole Tahau, Sheldon Ahipene, Daniel Kina (Coach). **Front Row:** Harlan Jones, O'Neil Zammit, Sasha Te Whare, Matthew Bullock, Ryan Livingston, Cole Follas, Joshua Wilkinson. **Absent:** Leighton Crooks, Irwin Malot, Aiden Fox.



Harlan Jones, Maxwell Harris, Douglas Gordon

BASKETBALL

2012 has been a very successful year for basketball.

The Junior Girls won the Cambridge country competition (stand out players were Esther Ahsin, Danni Jane Umaki and Heav'n-Lee Blu Craig).

The Senior Girls came 2nd in their competition. The boys teams did not receive placings but expect great things next year!

It has been difficult this year, with the gym out of action, so thanks to students for persevering.

Thanks to our coaches – Mark Ahsin, Atalia Cook, Rose Marriner and Mike Earnshaw.



Tyro Hewett, Jon-Paul Jackson (Captain), Robert Cuff, Mrs Jess Earnshaw (Manager).
Absent: Damian Patrick, Cameron Wilkinson.



Back Row: Mrs Jeess Earnshaw (Manager), Jahnesta Manu-Griffin, H'venlee-Blu Craig, McKenzie Evans, Atalia Cook (Assistant Coach).
Front Row: Danni-Jane Umaki, Tahlia Watarawi, Charnelle Ahsin (Captain), Amanda Kelso, Esther Ahsin.
Absent: Mark Ahsin (Coach).



Back Row: Damian Burich, Simone Campbell, Robert Cuff, Jess Earnshaw (Manager).
Front Row: Isaac Tiro, Bryce McMullen, James Veau, Campbell Evans, Bradley Wirihana.
Absent: Mike Earnshaw (Coach), Stefan Russmussen.



Back Row: Michaela Coffin, Tia Te Hiko, Mrs Jess Earnshaw (Manager).
2nd Row: Daesha Allan, Charnelle Ahsin, Cheyanne Manu, Danni-Jane Umaki, Gina Westbury.
Absent: Mark Ahsin (Coach).

SPORTS PRIZEGIVING 2012

Athletics

Junior Girls' Championship

Rae Totoro / Shavaughan Uerata

Junior Boys' Championship

James Togia

Intermediate Girls' Championship

Leonie Nugroho

Intermediate Boys' Championship

Samuel Brown

Senior Girls' Championship

Thea Keith-Matchitt

Senior Boys' Championship

Edward Craig

Jason Tudor Memorial Trophy, Most Outstanding Year 9 Athlete

James Togia

Field Events Trophy

Jayden Norman

Brian Spraggon Memorial Trophy, Best Athlete of the Year

Jayden Norman

Monique Williams Trophy, Highest Attainment in Athletics

Jayden Norman

Interlake Competition Shield

Lake Ohakuri

Swimming

Junior Girls Swimming Cup

Camryn Nicholas / Anisha Te Hiko

Junior Boys Swimming Cup

Sumeet Lal

Intermediate Girls Swimming Cup

Rebecca Muir

Intermediate Boys Swimming Cup

Taina Nicholas

Keesing Cup, For the Girl Swimmer, Highest Aggregate Points

Thea Keith-Matchitt

Keesing Cup, For the Boy Swimmer, Highest Aggregate Points

Corben Brown

Interlake Competition Trophy

Lake Whakamaru

Cricket

Homan Cup, Best Bowling Average

Joseph Cathie

Prudential Trophy, Most Improved Player

James Vaeau

Consistent Dedication to 1st XI

Ryotaro Wright

Peter Hill Trophy, Greatest Contribution to the 1st XI

Brendon Shepherd





Ben O'Keefe Memorial Trophy

Creston Wereta

Basketball

Morrisseys Trophy, Most Promising Junior Boy

Jon-Paul Jackson

Morrisseys Trophy, Most Promising Junior Girl

H'venlee-Blu Craig

Senior Girls' Trophy, Most Promising Senior Girl

Cheyenne Manu

Senior Boys Trophy, Most Promising Senior Boy

Bryce McMullen

The Blucher Trophy, Male Player who has Contributed the Most

Robert Cuff

Tokoroa B'ball Assn Trophy, Female Player who has Contributed the Most

Esther Ahsin

The Blucher Trophy, Best Basketball Player

Esther Ahsin

Cross Country

Junior Girls' Cup

Shavaughan Uerata

Junior Boys' Cup

Dylan Rouse-Carpenter

Intermediate Girls' Cup

Rachel Durie

Intermediate Boys' Cup

Jon-Paul Jackson

Senior Boys' Cup

Alex Sutherland

Senior Girls' Cup

Thea Keith-Matchitt

Interlake Competition Cup

Lake Ohakuri

Touch

Manu Trophy, For Excellent Achievement in Touch

Leah Townsend

U17 Waikato Mixed Touch Team Representative

Leah Townsend / Jake Jackson

Boys' Rugby

Scott Tai Memorial Trophy, For Sportsman of the Year U15 Rugby

Karly Karauna

Morrissey Cup, For the Most Improved Back in the 1st XV

Alex Sutherland

For Leadership

Matthew Bullock

Sardelich Cup, For the Most Improved Forward

Maxwell Toka / Eliah Winikerei

James Elder Memorial Trophy For Consistently Dedicated Contribution

Taina Nicholas

McAlpine Trophy, For the Most Outstanding Player of the Year

Daniel Gooding

Girls Rugby

Most Improved Back

Summer Thompson-Ratima

Most Improved Forward

Rae Totoro

Morunga Family Trophy, For Best All-Round Effort

Vanea Robati

Highest Points Scorer

Leah Townsend

Player of the Year

Moana Totoro

Waikato Secondary School Representative

Moana Totoro

Boys Football

Coaches Trophy, Most Improved Member of the 1st X1 Football

Isaac Wilson

For Consistent Positive Attitude

Adam Lemme

Captain's Trophy

Jayden Norman

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Most Outstanding Defender - Boys 1st X1

Jayden Norman

For All-Round Contribution to Boys Football

Dylan Knight

Most Prominent Attacker

Dylan Rouse-Carpenter

Player of the Year

Richard Malcolm

Girls Football

Most Improved Junior Player

Raylene Loye

Junior Player of the Year

Paige McCloskey

Most Improved - Girls 1st Eleven

Rachel Durie

For All-Round Contribution & Effort in Girls' Team - 1st X1

Leonie Nugroho

Golden Boot Award -

Girls 1st Eleven

Jessie Middlemiss

Player of the Year -

Girls 1st Eleven

Grace Coffin

Netball

Majoribanks Trophy, Most Dedicated & Improved Year 9 Player

Shavaughan Uerata

Keyzers Trophy, Most Dedicated & Improved Year 10 Player

Sophie Goodhue

Captain's Trophy, Selected by the Captain

Leah Townsend

Williamson Trophy ,Most Improved and Dedicated Senior Player

Michaela Coffin

Coaches Trophy

Tayla Taikato

G & M Wright Salver, Leadership On and Off the Court

Jessica Chitty / Tayla Taikato

Trisha Katene Memorial Trophy, Outstanding Achievement in Netball (Jnr)

Danni-Jane Umaki

Ngaio Reeves Award, Outstanding Achievement in Netball (Snr)

Danni-Jane Umaki

FVHS Netball Club Trophy, Contribution to Umpiring or Coaching

Danni-Jane Umaki / Shai-Star Whetu

Waikato U15 High Performance Development Squad

Danni-Jane Umaki, Shavaughan Uerata





Leader of Sports, Leah Townsend, and Supreme Award Winner, Sarah Young.

Hockey

**Sutherland Trophy,
Most Improved Senior Boy**
Ryan Quirke

Best Supporting Player
Ethan Morris-Stevens

**Iain Thain Trophy,
Best All-Round Member**
Lochlann Harris

**Tokoroa Hockey Club Cup,
Most Outstanding Player**
Caleb Knight

Harris Trophy, For Leadership
Mathew Shewry

Most Improved Junior Girl
Ella Livingston

Knox Family Trophy, Fairplay
Rebecca Muir

Tracey Hall Trophy for Excellence
Natasha Samson

**Howarth Trophy, Contribution on &
off the field throughout the Season**
Sarah Hemming

Herbert Cup, For Consistency
Briana Te Whare

Thain Cup, Most Outstanding Player
Briana Te Whare

Certificates of Excellence in Minority Sports

Enduro Motor X
Jesse Clarke

Equestrian
Zara Morgan, Sarah Young

Karting
Bailey McIntosh

Top Sports Awards

Team of the Year
U15 Rugby Team

Leadership in Sport
Leah Townsend

Attitude and Contribution to Sport
Dylan Knight

**Best All-Round Junior Sportsperson
of the Year**
Danni-Jane Umaki

**Best All-Round Senior Sportsperson
of the Year**
Leah Townsend

Excellence in a Minority Sport
Sarah Young

Supreme Sports Award
Sarah Young



