



Headlines

K A I P A R A

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Mizuki Arrives from Kisogawa



Mizuki Sakurai has arrived at Kaipara from our sister school in Japan on a one year exchange. She will be staying with Charlotte Goodwin's family. Matt Goodwin spent six

months at Kisogawa last year staying with the Sakurai family. Mizuki will be in Year 12 at Kaipara. She hopes to take a Level 2 NCEA back to Japan where she will complete her final year at high school before going on to study at University.

Welcome to Kaipara!

Japan Trip 2010 Fundraiser

Samantha Millar from 10AK performs in "War Time Scandals"

at the Corban Estate Arts Centre, Henderson
7pm, Tuesday 20th April

\$25 a ticket including finger foods

Contact The Paua Room 09 420 9898 for tickets

Class Photos

Class photos can be ordered from the Student Centre for \$12.00 each

Last day for orders is Tuesday 30 March

Parent Teacher Evening

Reports have been mailed home to parents this week. These reports indicate how each student has settled into their courses of study this term.

A parent-teacher evening will be held on Tuesday, 30 March to discuss these reports. The evening will run from 4.00 - 8.00 pm. An appointment sheet has been sent with the reports. Please have your child make appointment times with the teachers you would like to meet.

New Board Elected

The election results for the College Board of Trustees were declared this week. The College has seven parent representatives and there were seven nominations for the vacancies. Therefore no vote was required. The Board of Trustees is:

Stanley Phillips (Present Chairman)
Felicity Smith (Present Deputy Chair)
Graham McCracken
Roi Humphris
Lynn Massie-Goodwin
Mark Adcock
Gabriella Williams

Congratulations on their election!

Stepping down from the Board is Mr Peter Stutz after serving one term. Peter contributed significantly to the Board plans during his three year term.

Also stepping down after three terms, nine years, on the Board is Mrs Christine Ward. Christine's contribution to the Board has been enormous. She has chaired the Uniform Committee that introduced the present school uniform and has given up many hours to serve on the Board Discipline Committee.

Thank you both!

Free Bus Shelter

Totalspan Undercover Kids Bus Shelter Programme

Totalspan are offering free bus shelters to schools throughout New Zealand and we have been invited to apply for one. If you can think of an ideal location for one of these shelters please let us know. You should consider:

- Existing Shelters
- Safety
- The number of primary and secondary students who would benefit
- Location - a photo would help

We need to make an application before Friday 30 April therefore we would appreciate your suggestions as soon as possible. Send your suggestions with reasons and photo (if possible) to jsherman@kaiparacollege.school.nz or send it to the College, 36 Rautawhiri Road, Helensville

Trivial Pursuits Evening Tonight

Fundraiser for the 1st XI Girls' Hockey team trip to Brisbane
Kaipara College Hall 7pm Friday 26 March

**6 - 10
Per table**

**Tickets
\$10**

Sports News

DRAW: Starting Saturday 27 March

TOUCH	Reg Champs	Saturday 27 March	
Sen Mixed	v Kamo	Field 2	11.00am
	v Massey	Field 2	12.20pm
	v Northcote	Field 2	1.40pm

Playoffs start at 3pm

RESULTS: Starting Tuesday 16 March

TOUCH	Finals	Tuesday 16 March	
Sen Mixed	v Whg'poa	6-5	win
	v Northcote	7-2	loss

Senior Mixed Touch finished the NHSS competition in 2nd place out of 10 teams. They will compete at the Regional Champs on 27th March.

Holiday Programme – Art Camp

Te Awaroa Youth Club will be hosting a fun and activity packed winter camp!! It will be held at the TAYC itself, making full use of the facilities including the on-site dormitories which sleep 24! These will be filled on a 'first in first served' basis, so be quick to register! Among the exciting activities offered will be dancing, aerosol art, sports, Maori arts, drama workshops and excursions! The purpose of the April art camp is to promote youth participation in the arts and to support the South Kaipara youth to have a go!!!!

If you are a teenager that likes to take part in fun activities, be in quickly to make sure that your holidays will be boredom-free! The camp will run from Tuesday 13 April to Friday 16 April and places are limited!!

This camp will be offered for \$50 only and there is a family discount available. To register, or for any other enquiries, please contact Josephine Palmer on (09) 420 7977.

Youth Club – Maori Programme

The Te Awaroa Youth Club will be running a project for young people who want to be involved in things Maori. Activities include Marae visits (where they will learn mau rakau, weaving, poi, heritage and waiata), Maori film nights, Hangi making, museum trips (where youth will be able to watch an awesome kapa haka group and get a guided tour of the museum), and workshops (Koauau (flute) making, harakeke). The programme is totally free!! Open to ages 12-24. Come have some fun socialising with other youth!

Contact Emma at the youth club on 09 420 7977, 021 02517527 or just come down to the youth club at 10 Awaroa Rd, Helensville.

Dates of Events and Activities:

Flute Workshops - Thursday 1stth April @ 3:30pm-5:00pm

Puatahi marae visit- Friday 16th to Sunday 18th of April.

Harakeke Workshops - Tuesday 20th April 3:30pm-5:00pm

Museum trip - Saturday 24th of April

Maori film nights

Tuesday 30th of March @ 6:00pm - Whale Rider

Tuesday 20th of April @ 6:00pm - Avatar

Tuesday 27th of April @ 6:00pm - Children of the Mist

Two Touch Wizards



Piri Paraone

Piri Paraone has been playing Touch for the North Harbour U15 team this summer. The season ended with the Interprovincial Tournament at Palmerston North a week or so ago. Piri's U15 team came seventh in the competition.

Piri distinguished himself by being selected to the shortlist for the New Zealand U15 Touch team that will travel to Australia in September for a tournament. In the meantime he will play Rugby in the backline for the College 7th Grade.

Billy May

Billy has also been playing Touch for North Harbour. He plays for the U17 team which also attended the Palmerston North tournament.

The team finished the round robin with three wins and two losses to qualify for the semi-finals. The competition among the top teams was very tight. North Harbour won the semi-final over the Mainland team and then won a very tough final 7-5 over Waikato. It was Billy's second gold medal in as many weeks as he is in the Dragons team.

Billy May took our Touch team to the North Harbour finals and will lead them in the Regional tournament this weekend. Over the winter Billy will play 1st 5 for the 1st XV.

Congratulations boys!

**COMING
UP**

30 March	Tuesday	Parent-Teacher Evening
1 April	Thursday	End of Term 1

Career Information: See Ms Couch or look at the website. www.kaiparacollege.school.nz/careers