

DAILY NOTICES Week 3

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Duty Deputy Principal: Ms. NWN

2nd Hand Uniform Shop - Term 2 Opening Hours

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See you there!

do you want YOUR art displayed in the glory it deserves?

The Upper Harbour Youth Council is beyond excited to announce our Art Exhibition!!

No matter your style: painting, sculpture, digital art, photography, or ANY other medium; we want to see your creativity come to life!   You can also be in the draw to win awesome prizes



Aged 13-24? You're eligible!

Don't miss out! submit your masterpiece on [this form](#), deadline June 10th

Have you ever thought about getting to know people through writing letters? If so, Rangi Hermes Express is the place for you! Get paired up with a pen pal whom you will anonymously write letters to this term, and have the opportunity to meet if you would like! Sign up by Friday, 16th May with this google form: <https://forms.gle/m7RbWTTsgpKdqJpCA> or email @rangishermesexpress@gmail.com to be sent the link!

PINK SHIRT WEEK

Come along and join in on fun activities throughout week 3 to raise awareness against bullying by connecting with others! All activities will be held during lunchtime. Friday is non-uniform day, and there will be prizes for students and tutor classes showing the most spirit by wearing pink, so be sure to wear your best pink outfit and bring a donation!

Monday: Chalk art (Flagpole)

Tuesday: Bracelet making (Classroom B2)

Thursday: Wall of kindness (Auditorium)

Friday: Pink Shirt Day! Activities include food trucks, face painting, bake sales, and a special appearance from Harold the Giraffe (M Block)

Your gold coins and 10% of food truck sales will be donated to the Mental Health Foundation.

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SENIORS

All senior students (11-13) please log into your MyNZQA account to check your entries for this year. If you have any issues logging into NZQA or your NCEA entries are not correct, please go to the NCEA office located in C Block.

Please note scholarship entries will not show until Term 3.

In the MyNZQA learner portal you can:

- check your entries and results
- upload digital submissions for marking
- request reviews or reconsiderations
- order copies of your certificates
- print or request your Record of Achievement
- update your details.

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RNZAF Base Visit Registration

RNZAF Base Auckland visits are recruiting events for Year 12 and Year 13 students, where you can explore two to three workplaces. Some local aviators will showcase what life is like on an Air Force Base and promote some of the 33 trades offered in the Royal New Zealand Air Force. You must organise your own travel to and from the base.

Who can attend: You must be **at least 16 years old** and bring ONE support person with you. You must be a New Zealand citizen. Unfortunately, international students on a study visa will not be accepted.

You must have a genuine interest in exploring career options in the Defence Force; this isn't just a day off school.

[Registration for this event is essential](#), and your attendance will depend on space availability.

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Academic Committee x RMCC brings a new maths competition to the school: **Rangi Integration Bee!** The Integration Bee will be modelled after the structure of a spelling bee mixed with Mathex. This competition aims to challenge students to solve calculus-based integration problems in a timed, competitive environment. This competition will be targeted mainly towards **seniors who have learned calculus HOWEVER juniors are allowed to participate**. Time is TBA, but it will be held in **Term 2**. Additional information will be given out later. Please fill out the **Expression of Interest Form ASAP** so we know roughly how many people will participate. <https://forms.gle/zDMRhpTzfsexobx19> For any queries, please email 173444@cloud.rangitoto.school.nz

ADDITIONAL VOLUNTEERS FOR CHINESE NIGHT

The Chinese Student Leadership Team is looking for diligent and committed students as additional volunteers for Chinese Night 2025. If you are interested and did not apply the first time please complete the form below. If you did complete the form the first time, please do not do it again (your applications are still being deliberated and to be confirmed)

If you have any questions please contact the Head Leaders: Haidi & Ryan via email

(rangichinesecommittee@gmail.com)

Form link:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSd8aWO6AwrPHeN7IZLpdhGKrRrDPmpG_qZZ77Hu_n0SVPbVFfw/viewform?usp=header

Are you a Y9, 10, 11, or 12? Want to level up your understanding of English, JSS, History, Geography, or Sociology? The Academic Leadership Team is launching a brand-new tutoring program, pairing you with a senior student for one-on-one support.

This is a great way to:



Get personalised help with homework



Build confidence in tricky topics and exam skills

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Ayubowan & Vanakkam! We are excited to introduce to you Rangitoto College's first ever Sri Lankan Society. Our club is dedicated to celebrating Sri Lanka's diverse culture, traditions, and heritage.

Whether you're Sri Lankan, or just curious to learn about our rich culture and history, or our delicious food, you are welcome to connect with our community to create new memories and meet new people through our club meetings and events.

Our first meeting will be on Thursday, 15th of May, during lunch break in M1. Make sure to join our google classroom using the code **tfgfgcom** to keep up with updates!

Join us to have some fun and make new friends! If you have any questions please feel free to email: Oki- 179205@cloud.rangitoto.school.nz , or Mrs Ragu on

Kavitha.ragu@cloud.rangitoto.school.nz

Google Classroom Code – tfgfgcom

Brawl Stars Tournament Meeting - D3 computer room, 9th May, lunchtime. All sign-ups must attend & pay the fee. Want your own team? Submit a request:

<https://forms.office.com/r/d0xU1ffd4S>. Tournament starts 12th May - more info coming.

CHINESE NIGHT 2025 TICKET BOOKINGS

Hi everyone!

Just a reminder that "Wave Two" of tickets will be releasing on **Friday 9th May at 5PM**. The form will close when the limit of orders is met. Afterwards, we will email those whose bookings were successful. If you do not receive an email that means your booking was unsuccessful.

Please find the link here: <https://forms.gle/8zLWxsfHV6YHPfCY7>

If you have any questions, please reach out to the Head Leaders at

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CULTURAL WEEK

It's Cultural Week!!!

Tomorrow: Food trucks and country stalls outside M block, so bring some cash!

Today's fun phrase:

Chinese

👉 "lai cai" (来财)

📖 "bring wealth/money"

Please come and join in on the fun embracing different cultures!

ESports Valorant: We are in desperate need for Valorant players of any rank to play in the weekly tournament THIS THURSDAY, you DO NOT need to be great, you will be helping out some teams that have had players drop out last minute, if you are interested please email:

connor.green@cloud.rangitoto.school.nz

Hospice x Candy Waves Movie Night!

Come along to watch the Lilo & Stitch live-action movie on 23 July at 6 PM at Event Cinemas Albany! Tickets will be on sale for \$20 this week during lunchtime on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday (5th, 6th, 7th, and 9th) in B6.

Letters to Strangers

The raffle prize for the Letters to Strangers Mental Health Month Campaign has been revealed! Remember, it costs no money to enter the draw. All you have to do is participate in our upcoming activities this month to enter! Check out our Google Classroom (uaoewss) for more information about the raffle. If you have any questions, please feel free to email one of our leaders, Zoe, at 172181@cloud.rangitoto.school.nz.

Mother's Day origami session this Friday!

Join the service leadership team and the Ecoragmi club this Friday (9th of May) to make origami flowers and cards for your mothers or someone influential to you! Join us at the Rangi Centre at lunchtime!

Parkrun is a free, community-driven 5km run/walk/volunteer event held every Saturday morning all across Auckland. Open to all ages and fitness levels, it's a great way to stay active, meet new people, and enjoy the outdoors. You must attend 3 events to gain the activity on your student profile/Rangi Summit Diploma.

Volunteering at parkrun is a fun way to give back, support fellow participants, and be part of a welcoming community. Volunteering at parkrun can contribute to IB CAS and SVA hours, and again 3 events are needed for the event to count as a service on your profile or diploma.

If you are interested in volunteering, please go to the link below:

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1SWdcSVdh9MW-3j6VB9DlvNwVQ6BYyAj3NPYUPgNNZsY/edit?tab=t.0>

Additionally, for more information, please join the google classroom - 56rksbu

Rangitoto Bouldering & Rock Climbing Club:

The Rangitoto Bouldering and Rock Climbing Club (BRCC) is looking for you to push yourself higher!

Whether you're a crusher, a weekend warrior, or just curious about the sport, everyone is welcome to join us! Come ask questions, sign up, and discuss upcoming events.

We have meetings in M9 at Lunchtime on Fridays. Learn more about our group practice sessions there.

Google Classroom code: z7oy6yg

We hope to see you there!

Rangitoto Mathex: The 2025 Rangitoto Mathex is about to begin! If you're a junior, whether you're a bidding mathematician or just looking to have fun with friends, Mathex is the perfect opportunity for you! Attached below is the sign-up form for Rangi Mathex, and registrations close on **Friday 16th May at 11:59 PM**. Teams will be based on preferred people, and individuals going towards Auckland Mathex will be mainly based on their performance/attendance at the Rangitoto Maths Competition Club sessions instead.

The Google Classroom code is **bilgxva**, and the link to sign up is: <http://bit.ly/4iNOR0Q>

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RATONGA-SERVING THE COMMUNITY

Friends of Oratau Reserve - Volunteer morning - Saturday, 10th May - 9am - 11am, Greenhithe

Come and help the Friends of Oratau/Orchard Reserve group prepare an area for planting this year. Most of the work has been done, but the site needs one last session to make sure it's ready. Branches and rubbish need to be removed from the area and stockpiled next to the site. This is your opportunity to help protect our environment, combat climate change, and learn about conservation happening at a community level, whilst completing service hours.

Where: Orchard/Oratau Reserve - Meet at the end of Windfall Grove, Greenhithe

When: Saturday 10th May, 9 am - 11 am

What to bring: Old clothes, sturdy footwear, raincoat, sunhat, gloves, drink bottle.

A snack will be provided.

Friends of Oratau/Orchard Reserve is a Greenhithe Community Trust Ecology Group Initiative.

For more information email Nicola at gctnicola@gmail.com

Numbers are limited to 10 students. Don't miss this opportunity to help Care for Greenhithe's environment, while enjoying time outdoors with your friends.

Sign up through the sheet: <https://tinyurl.com/jv2n3dtp>

Upper Waitematā Ecology Network (UWEN) is a collaborative group of community based environmental protection groups working across the Upper Waitematā Harbour area to protect native habitats at a local and landscape scale. Here are some upcoming events that count towards your junior or Y11 Rangitoto diploma, SVA hours or CAS hours.

Ensure you wear warm clothing, old shoes, and bring gardening gloves and a rain jacket. Please sign up through the links below, a **maximum number of students who** can sign up. Please do not add your name past the black squares.

The Landing Reserve Events:

Saturday 10th May 10am - noon - 15 students



<https://tinyurl.com/2uhncxa2>

Centorian events:

Sunday 11th May 10am - noon - 20 students



<https://tinyurl.com/cb97ca4p>

SENIORS

Become a Student Ambassador for Careers!

Are you passionate about career development and eager to make a positive impact at Rangitoto College?

The Careers Department is seeking enthusiastic Year 9-13 students to join as volunteer Student Ambassadors for Careers. This is your opportunity to develop leadership, communication, and teamwork skills while contributing to the shaping of career education at our school. As an ambassador, you'll assess current programmes, promote career-related events, and collaborate with peers and staff to create valuable resources. It's a fantastic opportunity to enhance your CV and gain real-world experience.

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✨ Build your student profile

🌐 CAS hours

👋 SVA hours

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MUSIC, DANCE & DRAMA

Jazz Club – 4pm, Sunday 25 May – Rangitoto Auditorium (jazz bands and combos)

TICKETS are NOW ON SALE at the Finance Window. \$5 for all ages

Rock & Rocky Road – 7pm, Thursday 22 May – Rangitoto Auditorium (rock bands, solos, duos)

TICKETS are NOW ON SALE at the Finance Window. \$5 for all ages – includes delicious Rocky Road for the audience!

SPORT

A reminder that **pick up and play** is on every Monday and Friday lunchtime on the courts. Everyone is welcome, no need to bring any gear or get changed into PE uniform. Just come along, pick up some equipment and get involved in some badminton!

MEETING for all year 9 girls who trialed for **Volleyball SPA** at lunchtime tomorrow Friday in Gym 3.

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SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY

If you would like to register to our school cross country please click on one of the following links

Senior <https://forms.gle/egx2SfVu839JB2xR6>

Junior <https://forms.gle/bRf4gBLtfrWNqX6T9>

Registrations close 9th May 2025