DAILY NOTICES Week 5 TE PANUI Wiki 5

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Pacifica Fono Night!

Get ready for our awesome Pacifica Fono Night coming up on Wednesday, August 20th! All students and their families are warmly invited to join us.

Prepare for a fantastic evening of cultural dances, delicious food (Please bring your whanau and a plate to share!), and a great chance to hang out, connect, and celebrate our vibrant Pacifica community here at Rangitoto College.

If you are attending complete the google form - https://forms.gle/pgeXhGNnL4uuUqHG9
Don't miss out on this special night! We'd love to see you there!

The Girls First XI hockey team are holding a Bake Sale on Monday, 18 August at lunchtime to raise funds for tournament week.

Do come along and support them as many delicious treats will be on sale.

Where: Covered courts area at lunchtime.



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Community Garden Bee (planting) - Sun 17th August ▼

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UNITEC OPEN DAY

6 September 2025, 10 am – 2 pm at Mt Albert and Waitakere campuses A <u>free Shuttle bus</u> will run between campuses throughout the day, so head along and look at **100+ courses we have to offer, everything from Architecture to Zookeeping**. Students can register https://www.unitec.ac.nz/about-us/open-day

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** NEW SOUTH ISLAND TRIP AVAILABLE**

For those students who still want to travel around the south island during the Sept holidays but havent booked anything yet, there is an additional trip available with spaces. Come and see us in the Accommodation Office ASAP for more information.

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Saturday 17th August

7 9:30-1:00pm

Teen Space East Coast Bays Library

Swap your clean, used, good condition clothes for something new-to-you.

Please NO: \(\sigma\) Underwear, socks, shoes, baby clothes, jewellery, or accessories (bags are okay!).

Open to everyone- so grab your mates and come through.

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KABAYAN: BUWAN NG WIKA CELEBRATION

Thank you to all those who joined in our opening week of Buwan ng Wika Celebration. This week we continue our activities to celebrate and commemorate our National Language.

- Week 2 (15 Aug): Pinoy Lore. Have some fun watching Filipino mythology and urban legends
- Week 3 (22 Aug): Language Competition. Tongue Twisters and more!!
- Week 4 (28 Aug) Thursday: PARTY GAMES!! Come wrap up our celebration with traditional Filipino party games :)

Location: C11 (Watch this space for any changes)

Joining in at least TWO activities throughout the month will count as ONE event for Kabayan to appear on your student profile. There will also be prizes up for grabs so don't miss out! Kita Kits!!

LOST PROPERTY

- 1 x blue vinyl luch box with Panda on the front.
- 1 x Grey Lulu Lemon bag with PE gear.
- 1 x green pencil case coduroy.
- 1 x ANZ Debit card.
- 1 x Fila scarf.

Please remember to name all items with ID # or full name.

The Rangitoto Law Club invites you to hear two guest speakers this Friday, 15 August. The speakers are Hannah King, Partner, from law firm Kiely Thompson Caisley, and Dana Thomson, Senior Solicitor, from the same law firm. The session will begin promptly at 1.35 in A14. You are welcome to eat your lunch during the presentation. This is a wonderful opportunity to ask questions about the legal profession!

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Careers Drop-In sessions for Yr 12 & Yr 13's. For careers information, advice, and guidance for your next steps, come along to a Careers Drop-in session this week.

When: Wednesday & FridayWhere: Careers Hub- A1

Time: Lunchtime

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Media Design School is holding an Open Day on Saturday August 16th 2025!

We will be open to students, families, and the public from **10am - 2pm** with our friendly and experienced faculty available to chat.

Students are encouraged to bring their portfolio on a USB or other device and get feedback direct from the source!

<u>More info</u> about the open day including the schedule for presentations and discussion sessions can be found on our event page below:

https://www.mediadesignschool.com/events/open-day

If you have any questions please feel free to reach out!

Kind Regards

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The main public entrance to MDS is from Tiramarama way!

University Open Days

Massey University are hosting Open Days for students – their biggest on-campus events of the year designed to help future students explore study options, experience university life, and connect with staff and current students.

The schedules have been finalised, and are in the links below.

Open Days 2025 Schedule

<u>Auckland Campus</u>—Friday, 15th August, 9am-2pm & 530pm-730pm <u>Wellington Campus</u>—Friday, 22nd August, 9am-3pm

Each event will include:

- Academic presentations across all subject areas
- Campus tours and student accommodation visits
- Information on scholarships, student life, and student support
- Interactive hubs and hands-on activities
- The Future Students team will be available to assist with applying, verifying documents, course planning, and general programme advice

Full event schedules and registration links are attached and also available here: www.massev.ac.nz/opendays

MUSIC, DANCE & DRAMA

Serenata (Rangitoto's auditioned treble voice choir) is holding three bake sales to fundraise for this choir's trip to the National Big Sing Competition in Dunedin. The bake sales will be held on: 29th of July, 5th of August, and 13th of August. Please support and help these amazing choristers by purchasing some baked goods. Eftpos and cash welcome.

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