

## DAILY NOTICES Week 5

### TE PANUI Wiki 5

**DAY 4 – Friday 15 August 2025**  
**TE RA 4 – Paraire 15 Ākūhata 2025**  
**Duty Deputy Principal: RND/DTH**

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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 AUCKLAND cloth bag  
1 x grey Lulu Lemon bag - PE gear  
1 x green corduory pencil case.  
3 x computer mouse.

Please remember to name all items with ID number or Fullname.

### 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!

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

Where: Covered courts area at lunchtime.



### The Rangitoto Law Club invites you to hear two guest speakers at lunchtime today in A14.

The speakers are Hannah King, Partner, from law firm Kiely Thompson Caisley, and Dana Thomson, Senior Solicitor, from the same law firm. 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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## SENIORS

### **NEW DATE!!** Year 13 “Mop-up Presentation” for Students Interested in Overseas Study in 2026.

If you are planning to make applications to study overseas in 2026, and DID NOT ATTEND THE OVERSEAS STUDY PRESENTATION in Term 2, you must come along to the “Mop-up Presentation” at **12.55pm on Tuesday 19th of August**.

Please [click here](#) to register your interest. **Unless you are advised otherwise, the presentation will take place in the Careers Hub (A1).**

If you wish to be included in the Overseas Programme, **you MUST attend the presentation**. The deadline for registration is 4.00pm Monday 18th of August.

### **Applications to be a Peer Support Leader in 2026 are now LIVE!**

If you are a current Year 12 student and wish to become a Peer Support Leader next year, please complete the application form on Ranginet.

Applications will close on 1 September.

Any questions, please contact Miriam Taylor [Miriam.taylor@rangitoto.school.nz](mailto:Miriam.taylor@rangitoto.school.nz) or Amy Udy [amy.udy@rangitoto.school.nz](mailto:amy.udy@rangitoto.school.nz) the Peer Support Coordinators - in the Guidance Department.

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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 & Friday**
- Where: **Careers Hub- A1**
- Time: **Lunchtime**

### **Pilot Career Evening**

We are excited to announce that tickets for the 2025 Air New Zealand Pilot Careers Evenings are now available at Eventbrite! Air New Zealand and its preferred flight training organisations would like to invite students and parents to come and find out more about becoming a pilot or an engineer.

Be in quick as these events do sell out quickly!

## AUCKLAND

**21 August – Rennie Drive, Mangere, 4-8.30pm**

[Get Your Tickets Here!](#)

At each event, there will be a presentation by Air New Zealand (1 hour duration), and a chance to talk to Air New Zealand Pilots and flight training organisations about pilot careers. There will also be an opportunity to learn more about engineering careers at Air New Zealand if you have students interested in engineering.

More information can be found on the Eventbrite website, but please email if you have any questions. We look forward to seeing you there!

### **Seeking a part time job, full time job, school holiday work, or apprenticeship?**

Then make sure you head to the RangiNet Careers page to view various current job vacancies, which are updated regularly.

[Ranginet > Careers > Senior Site > Current Job Vacancies](#)

## INTERNATIONAL

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Any International students that are wanting to go on the **Kaikoura Whale Watching Weekend** on the 12th - 14th September, you must come to the accommodation office today.

Today is also your last chance to sign up for the Bay of Islands Trip. Please come to the accommodation office today if you are wanting to go on this trip.

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### St Mary by the Sea and Good Works Trust Donation - WEEK 5

THIS WEEK, there will be a can drive and a gold coin donation non-uniform day this Friday (15th August) for both organisations. They support our local community through their food bank, and they need our help to increase their supplies.

Please bring easy-to-prepare foods such as:

- Canned fish/meat, canned soup, cereal, canned spaghetti,
- Canned fruit, pasta, rice, powdered milk, etc.
- Toiletries like toothpaste, toothbrushes, sanitary products, deodorant, shower gel, shampoo, conditioner, nappies, etc.
- Avoid sending single ingredients like canned chickpeas, lentils, or black beans.

There will be a collection box in your tutor room to gather the cans, so bring as many as you can throughout the week! At the end of the week, the box will be taken to the Rangī Centre to be collected.

As a College, we benefit directly from St Mary's and GWT. Both organisations have been incredible in supporting families within our College this year. They have helped our families, which in turn has kept our students in education. Please donate what you can, knowing it will make a significant difference for those around you.

Thank you,

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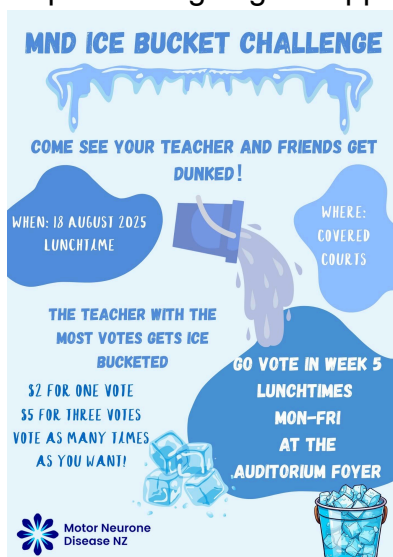
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Prepare for a fantastic evening of cultural dances, delicious food (Please bring your whanau and a plate to share!), and a great chance to hang out, connect, and celebrate our vibrant Pacifica community here at Rangitoto College.

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<https://www2.nzqa.govt.nz/login/using-the-learner-portal/troubleshooting/>

### UNITEC OPEN DAY

6 September 2025, 10 am – 2 pm at Mt Albert and Waitakere campuses

A free Shuttle bus 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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