

# DAILY NOTICES Week 5 TE PANUI Wiki 5

DAY 1 – Thursday 26 February 2026  
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Duty Deputy Principal: SRL/ DTH

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## 2026 Japan Week Performance Applications

If you have a performance that celebrates Japanese culture—whether you're a dancer, musician, part of a band, or just want to sing —this is your chance to take the stage. Applications close April 5th at 11:59 PM.

This performance will act as 1 out of 2 events required for Japan Week to go towards your Student Profile. Google classroom code: wvouv3iw

Application form:

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSf\\_OZxegwbLCJaOePtvfTJDWruFVbwcvcceEXxXpz\\_wYPZfEw/viewform?usp=header](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSf_OZxegwbLCJaOePtvfTJDWruFVbwcvcceEXxXpz_wYPZfEw/viewform?usp=header)

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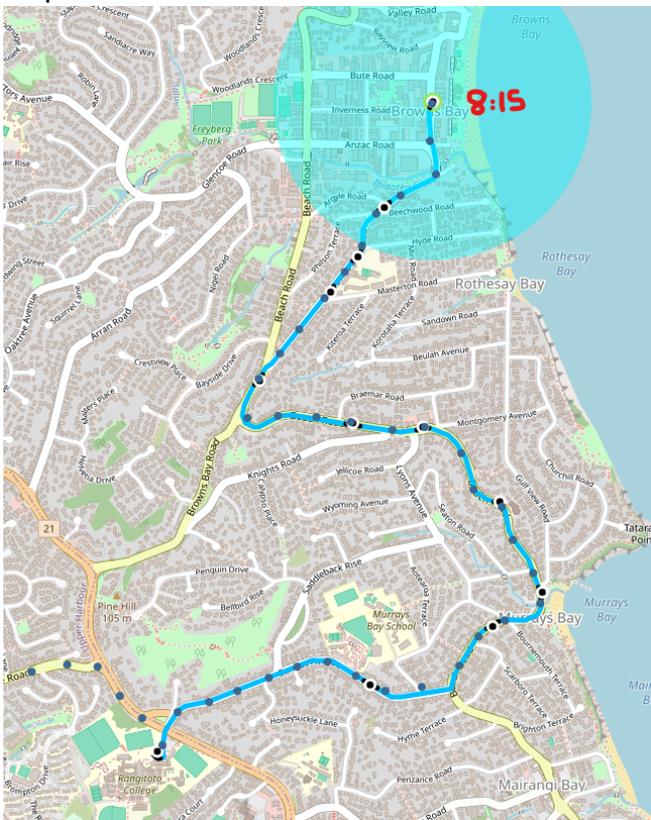
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### **Diplomacy – The Club, where if you could go back in-time the course of history may be much different!**

Students interested in the strategies involving history and Diplomacy prior to World War One using 'old-school' gaming methods = boardgames(!), meet in K #2 at lunchtime on Tuesday 3rd March.

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Do you want to learn programming? We will be starting with the basics and working towards making large projects by the end of the year. If you are interested, come to C13 on Thursday lunchtime.

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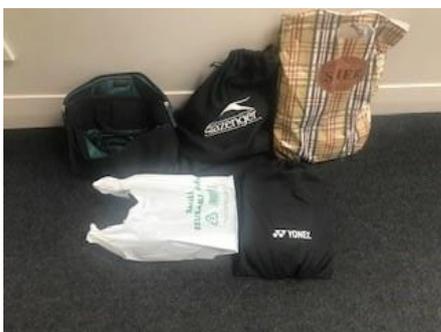
### **LOST PROPERTY**

CAN BE UPLIFTED FROM **STUDENT OFFICE** IN DEANS AREA.

PLEASE REMEMBER TO NAME ALL ITEMS WITH FULL NAME OR ID NUMBER.



BAG WITH GREEN ON IT IS A COMPUTER BAG WITH CHARGER



**Rainbow Rangi - Meeting is on this Friday at lunchtime in B6. Everyone Welcome. Focus will be on Pride Awareness.**

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### **RANGITOTO COLLEGE WWF IS BACK FOR 2026!**

Keen to get involved in environmental action and contribute to protecting endangered wildlife and critical ecosystems around the world? **Rangi WWF** welcomes both returning and new students in 2026!

Join our Google Classroom if you haven't already! **Code: jq6egbz**

All members must **attend at least three WWF events** during the year for their participation to be added to their **student profile**.

We are excited to announce our **FIRST EVENT: Poster Making!** You can make a creative poster about endangered animals or a sustainability issue. Fill up this document to sign up: [https://docs.google.com/document/d/1906y63bnwByK0\\_KjwYvYPDa03IS9Sr0ey2iE8OA69A4/edit?tab=t.0](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1906y63bnwByK0_KjwYvYPDa03IS9Sr0ey2iE8OA69A4/edit?tab=t.0) . For more information, please join our Google Classroom!

If you're interested in joining a passionate group making a real impact, keep an eye out for upcoming events and announcements. Any questions, email [rangitotowwf@gmail.com](mailto:rangitotowwf@gmail.com)

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### **Wanted: Old Clothes Irons for the Chip Packet Project!**

The Chip Packet Project is looking for donations of old clothes irons from the Rangitoto community.

Our student group recycles empty chip packets by fusing them together to create survival blankets for people in need. We are currently short on equipment and need more irons to help fuse the plastic together.

If your family has an old (but working!) iron that you no longer need or were planning to throw away, we would love to repurpose it for a great cause.

- What we need: Old, working clothes irons.
- Where to bring them: Drop off at the Maths block office.
- Questions? Contact Miss Tidman at [harriet.tidman@cloud.rangitoto.school.nz](mailto:harriet.tidman@cloud.rangitoto.school.nz)

Thank you for helping us support those in need and keeping plastic out of the landfill!

## **SENIORS**

### **Careers Drop-In sessions this week:**

**For career information, advice, and guidance for your next steps, before attending a careers appointment, attend a drop-in session during Lunchtime.**

<b>Y12 &amp; 13</b> <b>Drop-in Dates (1.35 pm in A1)</b>	<b>Y9, Y10 &amp; Y11</b> <b>Careers Drop-In Dates (1.35 pm in A1)</b>
<b>Week 5: Tuesday and Thursday</b>	<b>Week 5: Wednesday</b>
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### **Yr 12 & 13 Experience Psychology HAMILTON - Wednesday 10th Jun - 9am - 2:30pm**

Join us for a firsthand glimpse into the exciting journey of being a Psychology, Forensic Psychology, and Crime Science student.

You will have the opportunity to dive into interactive and insightful mini lectures, look around our beautiful campus, and engage in a student Q&A session where you can get all your questions answered.

Free event | Limited spaces available ([Register here](#))- Needs Deans approval to attend

### **Yr 12 & 13 Law Student for a Day HAMILTON - Monday 8th June - 9am - 2:30pm ([Register here](#))**

Join us for a firsthand look at life as a Law student at Waikato.

Attend mini lectures, explore our beautiful campuses, participate in a mock moot, and chat with current Law students to get all your questions answered.

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**RNZAF "School to Skies" Student Camp – ONLY for Year 12** Ready to take your interest in STEM to the next level? The RNZAF "School to Skies" programme is a hands-on aviation camp designed to show you what a technical career really looks like. Held at RNZAF Base Auckland, this no-cost camp (excluding travel) allows you to plan flight missions, create aircraft components, and build resilience through specialist workshops. You'll mingle with like-minded students from across NZ and learn directly from service personnel. If you're passionate about science and maths but unsure of your future pathway, this camp is the perfect way to see how your classroom knowledge solves real-world challenges. Apply now close on the 18th of March.

To read more [click here](#)

Please note they receive over 100 applications but only offer 30-40 spots therefore, applications that have a high level of detail and effort put into them are more likely to succeed over those that only offer 1-2 sentences.

### **Year 12 & 13: Navy "School to Seas" Camp**

Ever wondered what a career on the high seas looks like? Applications are now open for the School to Seas Camp at Devonport Naval Base! This is a fully funded, week-long experience (accommodation and food included) designed to show you how your school subjects apply to real-world maritime careers. From hands-on technical challenges to exploring life on the base, this camp is perfect for motivated Year 12 and 13 students looking to break stereotypes and find their future pathway. Applications [open now](#)—don't miss out!

- Who: Year 12 & 13 students (must be studying NCEA Level 2/3).
- Where: Devonport Naval Base, Auckland.
- Cost: FREE (meals, gear, and accommodation provided; you only cover travel).
- When: Term 1 holidays.

# MUSIC, DANCE & DRAMA

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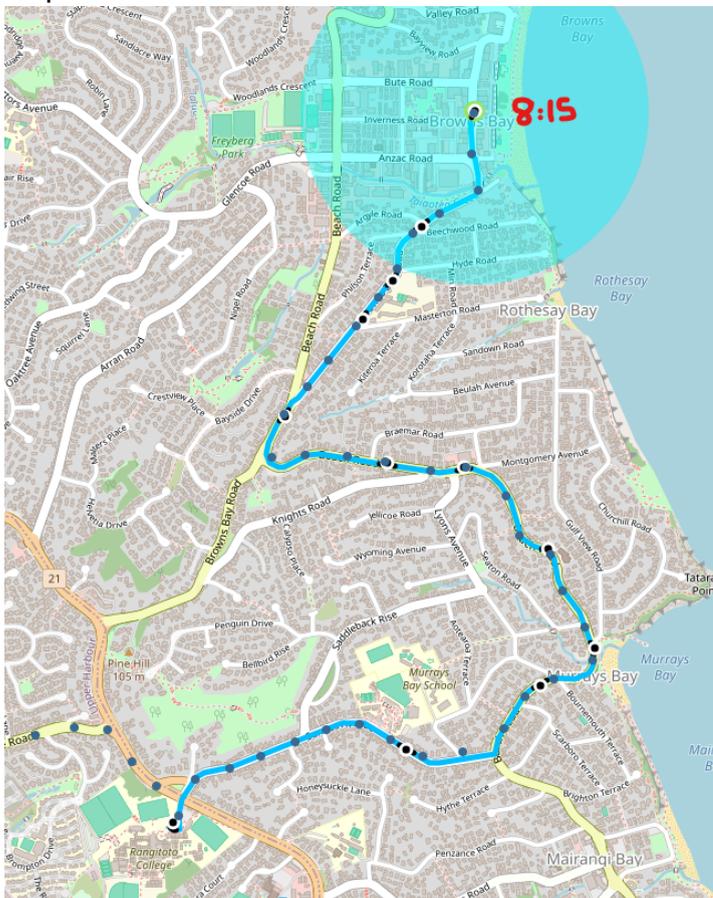
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## Junior Math Competition (JMC) and Australian Math Competition (AMC)

JMC will be held in two rounds this year. The first round is between Monday March 23 and Friday March 27. Anyone who gets into the top 15% in their year level nationwide will be invited to the final, which is on Wednesday May 6. Year 12 students are also allowed to participate this year for the first time. AMC will be held between Tuesday Aug 4 and Thursday 6 August.

Registration is now open. Y9 to Y12 students need to pay \$17 each and Y13 student, who can only sit AMC, needs to pay \$11.

**You need to finish payment by Thursday Feb 26.**

Payment can be done at the finance office or in the parent portal.

Any student who finishes payment will be invited to a google classroom in early March.

**The following items are still languishing in lost property in the student office in the deans area.**

In addition, a small pair of Adidas shoes.



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41 students achieved scholarships in calculus in 2025, including 3 Year 9s, 3 Year 10s and 7 Year 11s. If you are also interested in getting a scholarship in calculus this year or in the future, you are welcome to attend the introduction meeting in the auditorium during lunchtime on Tuesday March 3rd. Requirements for entry, plans on preparation and tips for studying will be shared in this meeting. All year levels are welcome.

### **South Asian Dance Club Leadership**

"Elevate your student profile while celebrating South Asian heritage! We are officially recruiting student leaders and performers for our dance club. This is a unique opportunity to gain leadership experience, coordinate high-energy performances, and connect with the south asian community. Get added as a leader for your student profile

Secure your Role: Fill out the interest form SASD Leadership

(<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSf2wH2210lmc0nfnjXW-DhwIauVRi6W3gMRDeadsYzCYDhwQ/viewform>)

Get Prepped: Join our Google Classroom nraqtn5u for audition materials.

The Big Day: Audition dates will be announced later through email and the google classroom.

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**The ACGN Club Photo Contest is now open!** 📸 ✨ Students can submit either an in-game screenshot or a real-life photo inspired by Anime, Comics, Games, or Novels. There will be one first place, two second places, and three third places in each prize category, with two categories in total. Full instructions will be shared in the Google Classroom. All entries must be taken by YOU (no online or AI-generated images). Click here to submit your [PHOTO](#). The Google Classroom code is **7cj7h75f**.

### **Zushi Kaisei student buddies- Lunchtime meeting in the auditorium**

Please come to the auditorium to get your information sheet and instructions for the day.

Year 10 helpers: Tuesday 24th February (Lunchtime)

Year 9 helpers: Wednesday 25th February (Lunchtime)

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