



Kia ora, Talofa lava, Kia Orana, Bula Vinaka, Malo e lelei, Fakalofa lahi atu, Hola, Marhabaan

On-Site Processes & Off-Site Events

I am pleased to report that our young people have settled into the school year and are enjoying being back at school. We often have a stereotypical view that young people don't enjoy learning, but nothing could be further from the truth. It's brilliant to see our talented students respond to the challenges of curriculum, particularly sailing around the Porirua Harbour, or in programmes such as leadership with Whakamana o Mana, or Kaitiaki with Ngati Toa.

Our Athletics day this year will be held on Friday 24 February at the Titahi Bay Athletics club on Kura St. All students are required to attend and are encouraged to participate in their favoured events.

Yr 9 & 10 and Senior PE students must wear the Mana College PE uniform and seniors can come in sporting attire in their whanau colours. It is also recommended they bring their Mana College jersey and a jacket to keep warm if it gets cold and a hat and sunscreen. Students should also ensure they bring a water bottle and their own lunch, as they will not be permitted to leave Kura St to buy it.

Students are to go directly to the park on Kura St and be ready for registration by 8.45am. Athletic events will begin as soon as possible around 9.00am.

If the event is cancelled due to wet weather this will be broadcast on Atiawa Toa FM 96.9 and on our Facebook page and website. We will then hold our Athletics day on Monday 27 February, when the same arrangements will apply.

A reminder that if parents or caregivers are coming to school to meet with a teacher or Dean for a meeting during school hours, please come straight to the main office and sign in as this is a health and safety requirement.

What's Coming Up?

Tuesday 21 February –
5.00pm Year 9 BBQ

22-24 February –
TWA Camp

Friday 24 February –
School Athletics Day, Kura St
Park

27 February-1 March –
Simply Dental onsite

**Thursday 30 & Friday 31
March –** Learning
Conferences

Wednesday 5 April –
5.00pm Senior Music
Performance evening

5-7 April – Year 12 PE Camp

Thursday 13 April – End of
Term 1

Friday 14 April – Good Friday

