



One Tree Hill  
COLLEGE

# NEWSLETTER

1 November 2019



## Principal's Message

### Dear Parents and Caregivers

Today we celebrated the achievements of our senior students at our annual Senior Prize Giving. It was a tremendous celebration of academic, sporting and performing arts success.

The college's most supreme awards were our Dux awards. The Dux Litterarum, for our top overall academic student, was Elyssa Maniti. Our Proxime Accessit, runner-up to Dux, was Andy Yang. These are both outstanding achievements from two very dedicated students.



The Dux Artium for 2019, for the greatest achievements in Arts and Culture, was awarded to Jhaelci Reguerra. Our two most prestigious sporting awards are our Dux Ludorum for top male and female student. This year these were awarded to Kini Fonua and Beth Reid respectively.

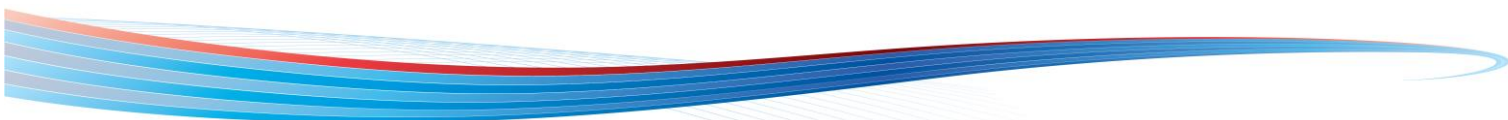


At the ceremony, our Prefect team for 2020 was also announced and I congratulate them for their selection. The Prefects for 2020 are: Kim Acosta, Ruby Agwu, Tegan Amani, Isaac Cameron, Hannah Christini, Vincent Dada, Josaia E-Moala Aholelei, Maddie Edgecombe, Charla Fernando, Daxine Fiesta, Titiya Hentua, Matthew Hookings, Kyra Hunt, Iele Ieremia, Constance Isip, Kealani Jacquemet, Glory Laulala, Lulu Lino, Jessica McKnight, Tiffany Morales, Lee Ostler, Cheryl Petau, Tony Phan, Trevanion Phillips, Richelle Battan, Shukrullah Rezaie, Max Roskilly, Jerrett Sanchez, Hithik Singh, Reign Tuhoro, Olivia Vunileva, Anahera Webb, and Tanira Whata. The Head Prefects for 2020 will be selected in January next year.

I would like to congratulate all award winners and wish all our senior students well in their NCEA examinations which begin next week

Best Wishes,

N Coughlan  
Principal



## JAPAN HEALTH SPORTS DAY CELEBRATIONS

Recently, our students celebrated Japan Health Sports Day, an annual national day in Japan created to commemorate the 1964 Summer Olympic Games in Tokyo. At One Tree Hill College we celebrated this occasion with a Judo workshop, Wushu demonstration, and a Tamashii Taiko Drummers interactive workshop. These activities were kindly funded by our friends at Asia Foundation New Zealand who have continued to support our college, including Mr Maea-Brown's experience in Japan earlier this year. Please visit their website [www.asianz.org.nz](http://www.asianz.org.nz) to find out more information about opportunities to explore Asia for both students and staff.



## END OF YEAR REPORTS

All senior students received their reports on Thursday 31 October. Junior students will receive their reports on the last day of the school year – Thursday 5 December. Please ensure you ask your child for their report and contact the college reception if your child's report is not brought home or if you have any queries relating to your child's achievement.

## ONE TREE HILL COLLEGE YEARBOOK 2019

The 2019 yearbook is almost complete and is looking fantastic. Only students who have paid their school donation are eligible to receive a yearbook. This wonderful publication will be available and be distributed during the last week of the school year. If you have not paid your school donation and wish to purchase a yearbook you can do this by paying \$15 to the Student Services Centre.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

8 November	NZQA External Examinations Begin
15 & 18 November	Junior Examinations
21 November	REP Graduation, 1pm
28 November	Teacher Only Day
5 December	Junior Prize Giving, 10am

## Measles in Auckland schools

The only way to protect your family is to make sure they are vaccinated or immune.

Please see your doctor now to catch up on missed vaccinations. They are FREE at your GP.

If your children are vaccinated, they won't need to stay at home if there is measles at your school.

Keep your child at home if they are sick and watch out for symptoms:



If you or your children show symptoms please stay at home and call your doctor or Healthline (0800 611 116) for advice.

Measles info at: [arphs.health.nz/measles](http://arphs.health.nz/measles)

