



Term 3 –

13 August 2010 - Week 4

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IMPORTANT AND NOT TO BE MISSED.....

- We really do want you to come along to an important occasion.
- We want you to celebrate being part of the Rathkeale Family
- We want you to meet the Parents/Caregivers of your sons' friends and classmates.
- We want you to be entertained by some of our best musicians and singers.
- We really want you at the inaugural Founders' Day Cocktail Party on Friday 27th August 5.30pm - 7.30pm
- Please R.S.V.P. now and before Friday 20th, to help us celebrate.

A few rays of sunshine over the week have been reassuring. That spring is out there somewhere. Also reassuring are the comparatively low numbers of students who have succumbed to influenza. We are not out of the woods, however, and we continue to urge everyone to take precautions against the winter conditions and against contacting or spreading any illness.

Andy Barron, a member of the World Cup All Whites, spoke to the School on Monday and was well received by old and young alike who were encouraged to follow their dreams via commitment and hard work.

Another privilege came on Tuesday when our Year 13 joined counterparts from around the region to hear Olympic Board Sailor Barbara Kendall. This, too, was well received

Finally, at School Assembly, on Thursday, Trinity Old Girl Catriona Williams challenged the school to take up the Catwalk Triathlon as a cause. No matter how old or how unfit, the Wairarapathon is for you!

Several other significant events have taken place during the week. Year 12 Agricultural Students travelled to Central Hawke's Bay and to the farm of the Aitken Family. The trip was roundly described as excellent and we thank the Aitkens for this special opportunity to see agricultural excellence in practice.

Year 9 and 10 examinations commenced on Thursday and were concluded today. We feel they are important training for the demands of NCEA external exams in the senior school and take them seriously.

A group of shooters are away from school at present attending the Palmerston North BHS Inter Collegiate Clay Target Shoot. Given the recent successes of some of the group, we will be keen to hear how they have fared.

Week 5 and the midpoint of the Term is almost upon us. The Year 9 and 10 boys will be given effort grades at the start of the week and these will be mailed out later in the week. Contact Deans with any concerns these might generate.

A major exodus will take place on Wednesday when many staff and students take part in the Winter Fixture versus Wanganui Collegiate School.

Immaculate formal uniform and sports kit will be a prerequisite to departure. See elsewhere for details.

Thursday will be a mufti day both at St Matthew's School and Rathkeale. Each boy who wears mufti will be required to pay \$2 at School Assembly. Proceeds to Catwalk.

**Grant Harper
Deputy Principal**

*"There are two levers for moving men—interest and fear"
Napoleon Bonaparte*

Rathkeale Images

"Sforzando, Junior Choir and Viva Camerata" videos
St Lukes Community Concert videos

<http://imagesofrathkealecollege.shutterfly.com/videos>

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Spirited Rathkeale

Our point of difference: Sermon - Justice

<http://www.spiritedrathkeale.org.nz/?sid=743>

FOUND - at Parent/Teacher interviews:-

One silver and enamel pendant.

Contact Mr Harper

Winter Exchange versus Wanganui Collegiate in Wanganui

Wednesday 18 August 2010

7.45 am Colts Rugby, Under 15, 2nd XI Football, Pioneers and 2nd XI Hockey are leaving from Auditorium.

8.45 am 1st XV Rugby, 1st XI Football and 1st XI Hockey are leaving from Auditorium.

10.30 am Arrival in Wanganui first two buses

11.00 am Pioneers Hockey commence

11.30 am Arrival in Wanganui third bus

11.30 am Colts Rugby, Under 15 and 2nd XI Football and 2nd XI Hockey commence

11.45 am Lunch for 1st teams

1.00 pm Lunch for junior teams and 2nd XI Hockey and Football

1.30 pm 1st XI Hockey and 1st XI Football commence

1.45 pm 1st XV Rugby commence

3.15 pm First 2 buses depart to Rathkeale (Colts, Under 15, Pioneers and 2nd XI Hockey and Football)

3.45 pm Afternoon tea for 1st teams

4.15 pm Rathkeale depart (1st XV Rugby, 1st XI hockey and Football)

Approx. 5.45 pm first 2 buses return to Rathkeale

Approx. 7.30 pm last bus returns back to Rathkeale.

Sports Results and Programme – 13 Aug 2010

Football Results

7 Aug 1st XI vs Wai.Coll. Draw 2 – 2

2nd XI vs BYE

3rd XI vs Wai.Coll.Soc.2 Won 3 – 1

U-15 vs Rongatai Cancelled

Rugby Results

7 Aug 1st XV No Game

2nd XV vs Makoura 1st XV Lost

10 Aug Colts vs White Won 67 – 3

Hockey Results

11 Aug 1st XI vs Wai.Coll. 1st XI Lost 0 – 5

10 Aug Renegades vs Wai.Coll. 4th XI Cancelled

Crux vs Rams Won 4 – 1 T Rowe 4x

11 Aug Pioneers vs Chanel Won 4 – 0

2nd XI vs Rabbitohs Lost 1 – 2

Football Programme

14 Aug 1st XI vs Rongatai at Rongatai 11.00 am

2nd XI vs Kuranui at Kuranui 9.00 am

3rd XI vs Makoura at Makoura 9.00 am

U-15 vs Paraparaumu at Common 10.45 am

Jun B vs Wai.Coll. Gold at Top Field 9.00 am

Jun C BYE

18 Aug 1st XI vs Wanganui Collegiate at Collegiate 1.30 pm

2nd XI vs Wanganui Collegiate at Collegiate 11.30 am

U-15 vs Wanganui Collegiate at Collegiate 11.30 am

Rugby Programme

14 Aug 2nd XV vs Chanel 1st XV at Rathkeale 11.15 am

Colts vs Wai.Coll. Gold at Wai.Coll 10.00 am

White vs Wai.Coll. Blue at Wai.Coll 10.00 am

15 Aug 1st XV vs HBC at Rathkeale 12.30 pm

18 Aug 1st XV vs Wanganui Collegiate at Collegiate 1.45 pm

Colts vs Wanganui Collegiate at Collegiate 11.30 pm

Hockey Programme

13 Aug 1st XI vs Scots at NHS 6.45 pm

17 Aug Renegades vs Rams at Clareville 4.00 pm THT

Crux vs Wai.Coll. 4th XI at Clareville 5.15 pm THT

18 Aug Pioneers vs Hobbs Mob Postponed

2nd XI vs Chanel Postponed

Rabbitohs vs Hatch Boys Postponed

18 Aug 1st XI vs Wanganui Collegiate at Collegiate 1.30 pm

2nd XI vs Wanganui Collegiate at Collegiate 11.30 am

Pioneers vs Wanganui Collegiate at Collegiate 11.00 am

20 Aug 1st XI vs St Pats Town at Clareville 6.15 pm THT