

We are coming to the end of what has been an incredibly busy term. I know our students and staff are extremely tired and ready for a well-earned break. Reports will go home on Friday this week and are addressed to parents and caregivers. We encourage you to open these with your children and share the content.

On Thursday, 26 July we will hold parent / teacher report conferences. Information regarding booking these will be emailed out and will also be enclosed with student reports. If you have questions relating to reports, please contact your child's teacher in the first instance. Email addresses can be found on the School website. Please note; interviews are only for parents or teachers who have concerns about a student's progress.

A group of our students have been working with Miss Milligan (NIS) and Mr Allen (Northcote College) and have formed The Northcote Intermediate Brass Band. The group performed for us last week and they sounded great. I was very impressed with how polished they were after only a couple of months practise. We also have a number of students, parents and teachers working together on preparation for the Rock Quest later in the year. I look forward to hearing your progress.



Last week we had 37 students, three teachers and three parents attend our first Sports Camp of the year in Matamata. Our students represented the school with pride, respect and enthusiasm. I would like to thank the team of people who helped support our students. We competed against much larger schools and came home with 8 of the 40 trophies up for grabs. We are looking forward to our second team representing our School in Term 3.

I have enjoyed getting out to a number of sports in the past week. It is great to see so many of our teams doing so well in local competitions and punching above their weight against larger schools. Many of our students have been selected for representative honours. Please feel free to email through student success with us so we can share in our newsletter or Facebook page.



Neo and Ryan  
North Harbour  
Hockey Reps



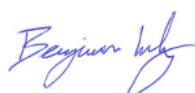
NIS Vanguard  
North Harbour League 1 Champions



NIS Bulls  
North Harbour League 3 Champions

I would like to wish all of our Community a safe and happy holiday and look forward to another exciting term with well rested staff and students.

Onwards and upwards,



Ben Kelsey  
Principal



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**Want to help NIS in their fundraising endeavours?**  
 List and sell your home through me and I'll make sure that NIS gets well needed funds to help with technology, school camps and all sorts of other wonderful things. It's a win-win situation for us all!  
T.S. & C's only

**Harcourts Cooper & Co**

## Coming Events Term 3, 2018

### Term 3

23 July	First Day of Term 3
31 July	ICAS English Netball Zone Day
2 August	Parent Conferences
7 August	Cross Country Zone Day
9 and 10 August	NIS Open Day for 2019 Students
14 August	Boostrix Year 7 ICAS Maths

### Community News

*This section of information is provided by external sources.*

#### **Marrzipan Drama Holiday Workshops**

Developing self-confidence and public speaking ability in a fun, relaxed atmosphere. 1-5 day courses available running 8.30am-5.00pm for \$60 per day or \$270 for the whole week. For more information check out our website. Spaces limited to 16 per group so your child gets the special attention they deserve!

W: [www.marrzipandrama.co.nz](http://www.marrzipandrama.co.nz) E: [workshops@marrzipandrama.co.nz](mailto:workshops@marrzipandrama.co.nz) T: 0272170693

#### **InMotion Matariki Parade – fun for all the family!**

Saturday 21 July from 5.30pm, Silo Park. Decorate your wheels and/or yourself and head to Silo Park for the annual illuminated Matariki parade. Haka Fusion, exciting floats, Vector Lights and cool performances, entertain you as you travel to The Cloud for the spectacular aerial finale! Learn the dance moves to *Wairua* by Maimoa, for the grand mass dance-off in The Cloud. Touch Compass has ensured it's free and fully accessible for all, including an audio-described tour. Part of Auckland Council's Matariki Festival. See you there!

[www.inmotion.org.nz](http://www.inmotion.org.nz) [www.touchcompass.org.nz](http://www.touchcompass.org.nz)



## Northcote College Open Day

Come along with your family and discover exactly what Northcote College has to offer. Saturday, 28 July 2018, 12.00noon – 3.00pm. All welcome.

# NORTHCOTE COLLEGE OPEN DAY



12-3pm

Kauri Glen Road,  
Northcote

### EZLUNCH

Go-Deli have made some changes to the menu for Term 3 as follows:

- **Baked BBQ Pork Buns** to replace the Thursday Special Hawaiian Burger
- **Tuna & corn wrap** to replace the Chickpea wrap
- They will be adding another hot soup flavour - **Pea & Corn Soup**

## Rotary Northcote



**JOIN LEADERS,  
EXCHANGE IDEAS,  
TAKE ACTION!**

**5 GOOD REASONS TO JOIN US**

- Help in our community
- Make new friends
- Enjoy fellowship
- Enhance your skills
- Help our youth

**CONNECT FOR GOOD**

**YOU ARE WELCOME TO  
ONE OF OUR MEETINGS**

Northcote Citizens Centre Hall  
Cnr Ernie Mays Street and College Rd  
2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Mondays of the month at 6pm

## Rotary Northcote



**OUR STORY**

Our Club has been established in Northcote for 52 years. During this time we have conducted many projects big and small. Some of the highlights have been:

- Initiated a campaign to raise funds for the first Life Support Ambulance in New Zealand,
- Planted Native trees in a then wasteland in Lake Road,
- Arranged purchase of a new Minibus for De Paul House.

Over the 52 years we have raised more than \$1M and applied this to various charitable needs. We have a special emphasis in helping the children and youth.

In recent years, our major fund raiser has been the Book Fair held at Northcote College. This is now one of the largest in Auckland.

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