



## LYNFIELD COLLEGE

### NEWSLETTER 11

2 July 2021

Kia ora koutou

Anyone driving past Gate 1 this morning will have seen that our long-awaited sign upgrade is finally underway. Funded by the School Investment Package, the upgraded sign is expected to be operational next term. This one-off funding was made available to schools for Ministry of Education approved property upgrade works. Other projects that this one-off funding has covered includes air conditioning in F and G Blocks, turf surfacing of the asphalt courts, fencing around the upgraded turf facilities, two new sunshades and security gates on White Swan Rd.

This week our focus has been whanaungatanga tika - we are collaborative. At the year level assemblies, I have spoken about student agency and collaboration in action. During the LynCed weeks at the end of 2020, one of the student projects focused on reducing the amount of heavy metals reaching landfill. As a consequence of their work the school has organised for battery recycling. Students can bring these in from home and place them in the container which is currently in Admin. We congratulate the group on their initiative. In addition to this, larger electronic items (eg computers, DVD players, etc) can be brought to the eWaste collection in the school carpark on Saturday 10 July. <https://www.computerrecycling.co.nz/cr-e-days/>

Our staff are currently looking at the upcoming changes to Level 1 from 2023 as part of the NCEA Change Package, and the impact on our Year 9 and 10 students as they move through the school. This will be the focus of the next Ministry of Education Teacher Only Day, Tuesday 10 August. With such significant changes approaching, we are taking the opportunity to review our teaching and learning programmes to ensure they are engaging students in their learning and building them for success at Level 2 and beyond. Consultation with the community and students will begin in Term 3 with our current Year 9 cohort as they will be the first to be affected by the changes when they reach Year 11 in 2023.

This will be the last Newsletter for Term 2. Our focus for Week 10 will be in supporting our students in making safe decisions and in supporting their friends to make safe decisions. Over the past fortnight students have been reminded about the consequences of vaping on the school grounds or being in possession of banned items. Unfortunately, there have been some discipline responses taken related to this. If you are looking for ways to open a conversation about vaping with your child this resource may give you some good ideas (<https://dontgetsucked.in.co.nz>)

Watertightness (leaky building) work on the Lower Gym has uncovered further timber which will need replacing. While this work is progressed the Lower Gym will be closed for use. Fortunately the YMCA is within walking distance and the 90 minute teaching blocks will allow some of the lessons to be delivered in the YMCA facilities.

We are delighted that our school fields are holding up well to winter sports use and invite you to join us for the home games this Saturday: 1st VX Rugby at 9.15am and 2nd XI Football boys, at 10am.

Noho ora mai

Cath Knell  
Tumuaki | Principal



## ENROLMENT PROMOTIONAL VISITS TO OUR CONTRIBUTING SCHOOLS

This week enrolment for 2022 began at Lynfield College. Student Leaders and musicians have been visiting schools, talking about Life at Lynfield. Our students loved the opportunity to revisit their intermediate schools and share their rich and varied experiences from Lynfield College.



## ENROLMENT PROCESS FOR 2022

All enrolments are to be completed online. Online enrolments open on Thursday 1 July 2021.

All students living within the In Zone area are entitled to enrol if they are eligible domestic students. A map and list of streets can be found at [www.lynfield.school.nz/enrolment.html](http://www.lynfield.school.nz/enrolment.html) or are available at the school office.

*Please note: In Zone applications must be submitted by 25 August 2021 to help us determine final Out of Zone places available.*

The following are important enrolment dates for 2021:

|                                     |  |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| Wednesday 28 July 2021              | School in Action Tours 11.30am                                       |
| Friday 30 July 2021                 | School in Action Tours 11.30am                                       |
| Monday 2 August 2021                | Open Evening 6pm, beginning in the Hall, followed by guided tours    |
| Wednesday 4 – Friday 13 August 2021 | In zone enrolment interview 3.15 – 4.30pm (no appointment necessary) |
| Thursday 5 August 2021              | Enrolment evening session 6.00 - 8.00pm                              |
| Saturday 7 August 2021              | Enrolment morning 9.00am - 12noon                                    |

The Board of Trustees have confirmed that for 2022, Categories 1 - 6 will be treated as Out of Zone enrolments until applications close at 5.00pm on Monday 30 August 2021. Applications received after this date will be added to the waiting list. Places will be offered to those on the waiting list if they become available.

- Category 1 (special programmes – Lynfield College Adult ESOL programme)
- Category 2 (siblings of current students)
- Category 3 (siblings of former students)
- Category 4 (children of former students)
- Category 5 (children of Board of Trustees employees or Board of Trustees members)
- Category 6 (all other applicants)

### YEAR 9 OUT OF ZONE ENROLMENT APPLICATIONS FOR 2022:

An online Out of Zone application must be submitted by 5.00pm, Monday 30 August 2021.

Year 9 Out of Zone Ballot date is Thursday 2 September 2021.

Year 9 Out of Zone Ballot result notification letters sent out on Tuesday 7 September.

Confirmation from Out of Zone applicants who have been successful must be received by 5.00pm Monday 27 September 2021.

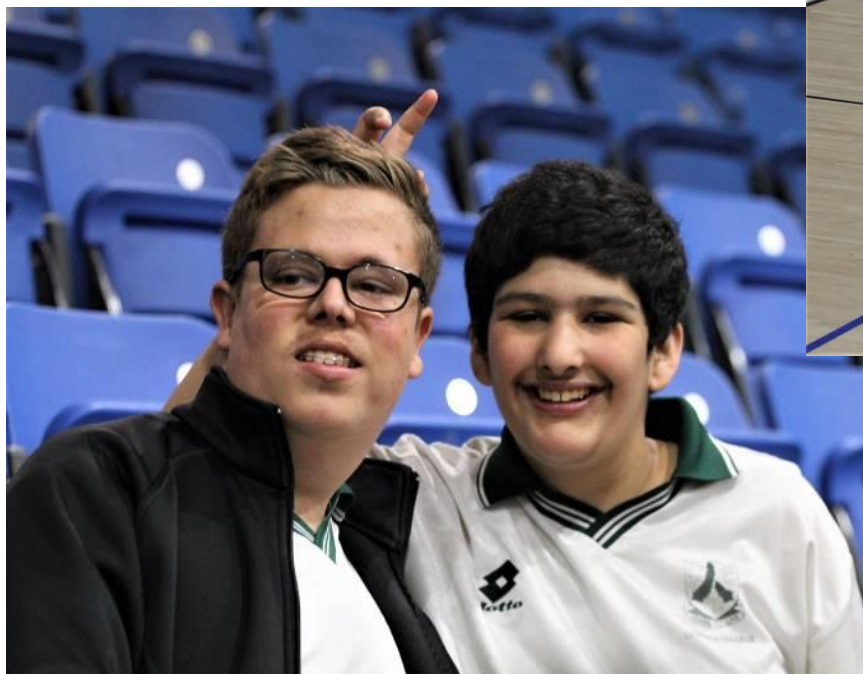
### IN ZONE YEAR 10 – 13 APPLICATIONS FOR 2022:

Online enrolment for Year 10 – 13 In Zone students wishing to start in 2022 opens on Thursday 1 July 2021.

### OUT OF ZONE YEAR 10 – 13 APPLICATIONS:

*Please note: There are no Out of Zone places for Year 10 – 13 students in 2022.*

SPECIAL OLYMPICS FOOTBALL



Top left: Becca Atofaumalo  
Top right: Michael Gu  
Middle left: Lynfield College v Henderson High  
Middle right: Kayan Mehta  
Bottom left: Alex Finan-Jenkin and Kayan  
Bottom right: Joel Coughlan

## SPECIAL OLYMPICS FOOTBALL

On Tuesday 29 June our Learning Support Class went to the Western Zone Special Olympics Football Tournament. Over the day the teams played 5 games for a total of 4 wins and 1 loss. Player of the day was Becca Atofaumalo who was outstanding in her skills and goal scoring ability. Also, special mention to Michael Gu who scored the goal of the tournament, a stunning strike from over halfway.

Well done to all students who were excellent ambassadors for Lynfield and all played with great enthusiasm.

## TALANOA EVENING

On Tuesday 29 June our Pacific Pride leaders hosted our second Talanoa for the year. The focus was Pacific Achievement and Pathways.

Mr Waddington Academic Advisor, Mrs Keir Careers Advisor and Mrs Harvey Gateway Coordinator, shared invaluable information to support the learning of our students and their aiga.

[Talanoa Evening NCEA success.pptx](#)



## WORLD VISION 40HR FAMINE

Over the weekend of 25 – 27 June, over 50 students from Lynfield College completed the World Vision 40hr famine. This was to help raise funds for the current hunger crisis that is affecting Sub Saharan Africa, which is being called the greatest food shortage in human history. Our student leaders of this event were Varshil Patel, Yana Sanvictores, Shivani Prasad and Pauline Kaufusi. They set a school goal of raising \$2000. However, as of Monday evening, the school has managed to raise over \$6,000! A superb effort. Well done to all those that were involved.

## NZ SECONDARY SCHOOLS CLOUD SKILLS CHALLENGE

The first New Zealand Secondary Schools Cloud Skills Challenge of 2021 presented by Microsoft and NZIQ, is an opportunity for students to learn about cutting edge cloud technologies while competing for prizes.

Lynfield College set the bar with not only a win, but taking out 1st, 2nd and 3rd place nationally. 110 students competed from seventeen secondary schools across the country.

Their prizes were presented at the Year 11 assembly by Jonathan Jansen, Managing Director of NZIQ (New Zealand Industry Qualifications) [www.nziq.co.nz/ss-csc](http://www.nziq.co.nz/ss-csc)

**1st: Kaleem Chandra 11RD    2nd: Rielly Moore 11RD    3rd: Harbour Wang 12RY**



## YEAR 12 PACIFIC ISLAND LEADERS OF TOMORROW (PILOT) EVENT

Pacific Island Leaders of Tomorrow PILOT 2021 Year 12 Polokalama took place at Massey University Tuesday 22 June. Ten Lynfield students were connected with other Oceanian young people, participating in activities around the theme LEADERSHIP - "Our ancestors were incredible LEADERS, who conquered the Pacific Ocean". Year 12 Student comments:

"The guest speaker Arizona Leger known for her passion for human rights, really had an impact on me and it made my vision for my future clearer".

"I was able to adapt to the vision that our Pacific ancestors once had. Our ancestors are the reason why we are here today".



## STUDENT HEALTH PROFESSION CAREERS INFORMATION

On Monday 28 June a team of four from the University of Auckland **Women in Health Network (WiHN)**, visited Lynfield to empower the future generation of health professionals. Their focus is to bridge the gender inequity gap in the Health Sector and show the wide range of career opportunities available from degrees within the Medical and Health Sciences, Arts as well as Science faculties. It was great to see a past Lynfield student as part of the team, who is graduating from Medical School this year. The 42 students attending stated that they gained a lot of useful information and tips from the presentation.

## JUNIOR QUIZZEX

Last Friday, the Academic Captains worked extremely well to host our annual Junior Quizzex event. Our junior students had the opportunity to battle it out using only their brains and teamwork to answer as many questions correctly as possible.



## SENIOR TE REO MĀORI CLASSES VISIT RANGIRIRI

Our cluster Te Kahui Kaiako Reo Māori in Tamaki continues to grow. We currently have eight kura across Tamaki represented at our various hui, supported by Ako Panuku. Kaiako think it is important to develop a space for our akonga to whakawhanaunga (develop positive relationships) in an environment which collaboratively supports Reo Māori, Kaupapa Māori including Te hitori o Aotearoa, Kapa haka and Mahi toi and on Wednesday 30 June we travelled to Rangiriri. Lynfield akonga said:

I learnt about Rangiriri and what had happened to our ancestors.

It broke everyone's heart because of what our Maori ancestors suffered from.

How we must appreciate what we have today.

The Māori made deep trenches there and did a very good job defending against the British.

It was great to learn and experience what happened at Rangiriri. I enjoyed learning more about what happened to our people and also what happened on that land.

I believe the stories about Rangiriri should be told more to inform everyone about the true history of Aotearoa.

Pictured below are Kura representing Waitakere College, Henderson High School and Lynfield College at Rangiriri.



**9IL ECE POWHIRI EVENT**

On the 28 June, class 9IL welcomed the Lynfield College Community Early Childhood Centre, over to the Ringa Awhina Marae (MCC) to perform a powhiri, teach some traditional Maori activities and have some tasty kai. It was fun to interact with the little kids, teach something to them, and experience some nostalgia of how it was like when we were little back then.



**12OED CAMP TAWHARANUI**



**STAFF SHARED MATARIKI BREAKFAST**





## NZQA – STUDENT ASSESSMENT GUIDES

The following are reminders from Student Assessment Guides (on Schoology and the school's website).

### Meeting a Deadline and Extension Applications

- All work **MUST** be submitted on or before the due date.
- The deadline will be indicated on the assignment. It is **the student's responsibility** to make sure their work is submitted by the deadline.
- Failure to meet the due date may result in **'Not Achieved'**.
- If there are special circumstances that means work cannot be submitted by the due date, an extension can be requested before the due date. A valid reason is needed to be granted an extension. (e.g. medical, bereavement, representing NZ; NOT an overseas holiday). Please note, for practical assessments and experiments, it may not always be possible for an extension to be granted. An Extension Application form is available from the subject Faculty Leader/Head of Department or the Deputy Principal (Ms Harris).

### Breach of Assessment Rules

Breaking assessment rules and misconduct during an assessment is taken very seriously. Students are expected to follow written and verbal instructions.

A breach includes:

- Submitting another person's work and pretending it is your own (plagiarism) will not be tolerated. This includes copying another student's work, allowing someone to copy your work or copying from resource material without identifying the source.
- Communicating with someone else in any way during a test or exam.
- Inappropriate use of a mobile phone or device (this includes having the phone on their person and/or not switching them off).
- Taking notes and handouts into an exam.
- Students are expected to follow the assessment instructions – this includes written and verbal instructions issued as part of the assessment process.

The course of action if a breach is proven *could also* include some or all of the following:

A warning.

A result of **'Not Achieved'**.

Reported to NZQA.

Resubmitting the work under the HoDs or PN's supervision.

Information being passed on to the HoDs of other option classes.

Work in other parts of the subject re-evaluated.

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Staff will monitor the progress of student work to prove authenticity – attendance in class and meeting milestones are particularly important to enable authenticity to be verified. When handing in assessments a student will need to sign the Authenticity Section on the front of the coversheet.

### Senior Reports

These will be on the portal on Tuesday 17 August.

### Junior Reports

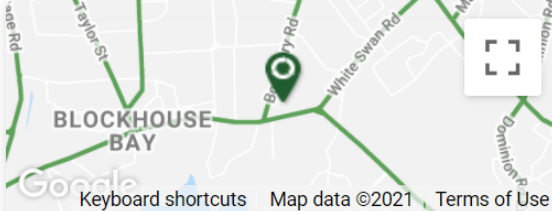
These will be on the portal Wednesday 7 July.

### Progress Conference Evenings

9IL 3-Way Conferences will be held on 5 August 9 - 7pm and 6 August 9 - 3pm.

Regular Progress Conference evenings will be held on 19 and 24 August 4 -7pm.

Booking details will be emailed out at the beginning of Term 3.



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**10 July 2021**

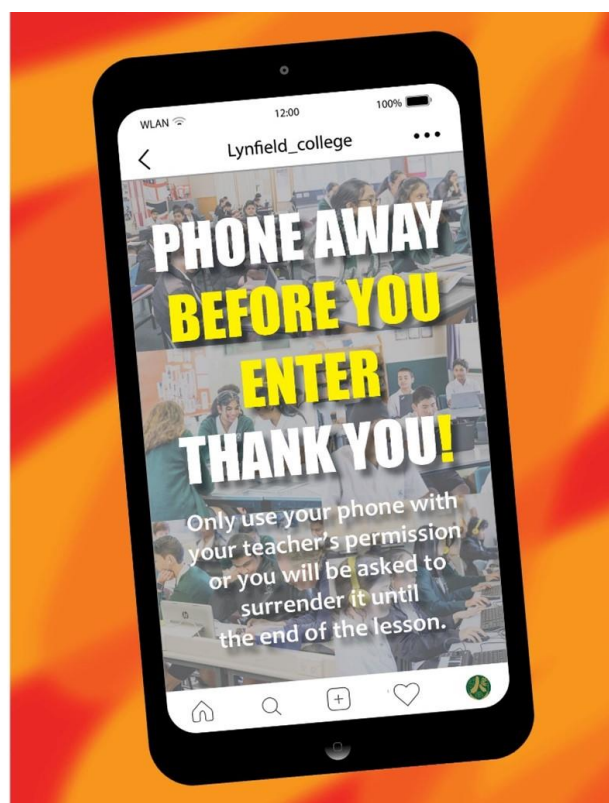
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9:00AM - 3:00PM  
191 White Swan Road, Mount Roskill,  
Auckland 1041, Auckland

**Add to Calendar** +

## LYNFIELD COLLEGE HOMEWORK CENTRES

| Subject/Faculty          | What help is offered   | When  | Where                 |
|--------------------------|--|---|-----------------------|
| English                  | Assessment and homework help.  | Tuesday 3.20 - 4.20pm   | F10                   |
| ESOL                     | For ESOL students: Writing, reading, understanding the language of subjects, specific subject help from Senior Study Buddies.  | Thursday lunchtime (in odd weeks), Friday lunchtime (in even weeks)                                       | L6                    |
| Mathematics & Statistics | Study tips, general subject help, homework help, clarification and feedback about internal/external assessment requirements, extension opportunities.  | Monday - Thursday lunchtime   | G15                   |
| Music                    | Rehearsal space is available (and supervised) – booking system.<br>Computer room with music software available most days before school, lunchtime, afterschool.<br>External and Scholarship workshops. | Mon/Tue/Thu/Fri - before school; Mon/Wed/Fri – lunchtimes; Mon-Thu afterschool<br><br>During study leave  | Music Suite           |
| Te Reo Māori             | Te Reo Maori subject help  | By arrangement with Whaea at lunchtime.   | Te Ringa Awhina Marae |
| International Languages  | Computer room open for language students to catch up with homework   | Tuesday after school 3.10-4pm   | C5A                   |
| Visual Arts              | Individual support progressing student folio boards.<br>Extra assistance for achievement of internal standards.  | Lunchtimes (individual students to negotiate with teachers).<br>School holiday workshops<br>Terms 2 and 3 | B8, B10 and B12       |
| Drama                    | Rehearsal spaces for groups working towards a practical assessment.<br>Tutorials and individual help for external assessment.  | As required<br><br>Term 4   | PAC, B1, B6<br><br>B6 |
| Dance                    | Rehearsal spaces for groups working towards a practical assessment.<br>Tutorials and individual help for external assessment   | As required, by arrangement<br><br>Term 4   | PAC, B1<br><br>B6     |
| Technology               | Support with assignment work<br>Fashion and Design<br>TEL assignment support as required   | Every lunchtime<br>Term 2 and 3 lunchtime<br>D1 lunchtime   | E2<br>D8              |
| Science                  | Assessment and homework help   | Tuesday lunchtime   | G7                    |



## PHYSIOTHERAPY SERVICES AT LYNFIELD COLLEGE

Proactive are offering no surcharge physiotherapy for injuries covered under ACC at Lynfield College. Appointments are available during school hours. Please contact the nurse or email [Physioappointments@lynfield.school.nz](mailto:Physioappointments@lynfield.school.nz) to arrange an appointment.

Monday and Tuesday 8am – 3pm  
Wednesday 8.30am – 3pm  
Thursday 8am – 12.30pm  
Friday 8am – 12pm



## UN YOUTH NEW ZEALAND

Two UN Youth civic and leadership summits over the coming months are events open to all high school students, regardless of previous experience or knowledge.

### What is UN Youth NZ?

United Nations Youth New Zealand is the largest youth-for-youth charity in Aotearoa, providing civics education outside the traditional classroom context. Annually, over 3,000 young New Zealanders from Northland to Southland attend a UN Youth event, run by a body of 150 volunteers across the country who dedicate many hours of their time to engaging young people and growing the organisation.

### What is Raise Your Voice?

RYV explores civic engagement and local governance, where rangatahi from around Tāmaki gain insight on how they can be active citizens on a local level.

### What is New Zealand Model Parliament?

NZ Model Parliament is an event similar to Raise Your Voice in that it deals with pressing issues but at a national level, designed for high school students to experience the parliamentary process as a change-maker.

<https://www.unyouth.org.nz/event-details/nz-model-parliament-2021-high-school-student-registration>

**NZ MODEL PARLIAMENT 2021**

**NEW ZEALAND MODEL PARLIAMENT 2021**  
10 - 12 September 2021 | University of Canterbury

NZ Model Parliament is designed for high school students to experience the Parliamentary process as a change-maker. Participants will gain a thorough understanding of inter-party politics, the legislative process, and how Parliament's laws affects our lives through this three day experiential crash course. We also have a Regional Delegation programme available to support students from outside of Christchurch. NZ Model Parliament caters to all experience and knowledge levels, so all we need from you is to bring yourself!

Registrations close **11:59pm Sunday 18th July**. See our website for more details or contact our Registrations Officer at [amelia.cai@unyouth.org.nz](mailto:amelia.cai@unyouth.org.nz) with any questions.

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**RAISE YOUR VOICE 2021**

Raise Your Voice is an incredible opportunity for high school students to learn about civics outside of the traditional classroom context. The summit will have you as a participant interact with other driven students to create recommendations to send to Auckland Council about community issues you care about. Past participants have noted the confidence, friendships and new knowledge on Council and activism that they've gained from attending. The event aims to have you walk away with tangible skills to be change-makers within your community.

With no experience needed and scholarships available, this event is not to be missed!

Registrations and scholarship applications close **Friday 16th July at 11:59**. Go to our website <https://www.unyouth.org.nz/> and into the "Events" tab for more details and sign up now!

**Saturday 31st July and Sunday 1st August 2021 | UoA Manukau Campus**

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