

# Rangiora New Life School A Ministry of Gateway Life Church

Te kura oranga hou o Rangiora

### Term 3 Week 9 2022

#### 22 September 2022

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What's On?		
Tuesdays	PMP—Junior Primary	
Wed 21 Sept	Voting closed for BOT Student Representative	
Thurs 23 Sept	PE Overnight	
Fri 24 Sept	Primary Disco	
Tues 27 Sept	Secondary Parent Teacher Interviews 1.30—7.30pm	
Mon 26 Sept Memorial Day	No School—Queen's	
Wed 28 Sept Thurs 29 Sept		
Fri 21 Oct Yrs 0—13 Due today! Good Samaritans Purse Operation Christmas Child Shoe Box.		
Don't forget a rubber band around the box please. A \$10 contribution to towards postage appreciated.		
Gateway Stadium / Events Centre Bookings Please contact bookings@rnls.school.nz for		

Please contact bookings@rnls.school.nz fo information on availability for public bookings outside school hours.

> 2022 Board of Trustee Proposed Meeting Dates: 19 October, 2 November (7 pm—RNLS Library)

School Docs: RNLS Policies & Procedures including links to our Complaints Process. For any information regarding our Policies & Procedures please check out <u>mis.schooldocs.co.nz</u> User name: RNLS Password: seek

## Term Dates for 2022

#### Term 3

Monday 25 July—Friday 30 September		
Mon 22 Aug	MoE Teacher Only Day—closed	
Fri 30 Sept	End of Term 3	

#### Term 4

Mon 17 October—Wednesday 14 December	
Mon 24 Oct	Labour Weekend—closed
Fri 11 Nov	Canterbury Anniversary—closed
Fri 25 Nov	MoE Teacher Only Day—closed
Mon 28 Nov	MoE Teacher Only Day—closed
Thurs 1 Dec	Yrs 11-13 Prizegiving
Mon 12 Dec	Years 1-8 Prizegiving
Tues 13 Dec	End of Term 4 after Yrs 9-10
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#### **Dear Parents / Caregivers**

During the year, I have focused on the theme of "moving back to normal", and now with the rescinding of masks and mandates, Life at school is basically back to as it was in "2019". It was fantastic to see the plant fair on Monday 19th, and see the buzz of activity with parents and teachers.

We have a primary disco this week on Friday, and we have 50 students joining us from other Area Schools as part of a Mini Casafest; an opportunity to meet, spend time with students from other schools <u>and</u> participate in sporting and other activities. Thanks to parents who are billeting our students.

A reminder of the Public Holiday on **Monday 26 September Queen's Memorial**. We are all looking forward to the term break, to enjoy the spring weather. Ngā manaakitanga Stephen Walters



Plant Sale—a fun time had by all



Parent/Teacher interviews are on Tuesday 27th September from 1.30pm until 7.30pm. If you have not received details on these interviews, please contact the office. As we will be holding interview in the afternoon, there will be no afternoon classes for Secondary students. Students will be dismissed from school after period 4, 12.40pm. Primary classes will still be operating and school buses will run at the normal time. Should your child have to stay at school for the afternoon, the library annex will be available for them to study in. If your child will be staying at school for the afternoon, please let Mr Masterton know via email.

A Community That Cares Denchs Rd, Rangiora 7400 t:. (03) 313 6332 **Students Who Achieve** 

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### "God is creative"

# Te kura oranga hou o

"You alone are the LORD. You have made the heavens... The Earth and all that is on it, The Seas and all that is in them"

Reminder: Parents please note that school opens for **student access from 8.30 am**—ie not beforehand please. We have a duty teacher supervising the Denchs Rd netball court area from 8:30 am to 8:50 am (prior to class entry). **RNLS staff cannot supervise children prior to 8:30 am.** 



'... the term "mental health" ... includes our emotional, psychological, and social wellbeing. It affects how we think, feel, and act. It also helps determine how we handle stress, relate to others, and make healthy choices. Mental health is important at every stage of life, from childhood and adolescence through adulthood.'

#### ( Quote sourced from:

https://www.mhanational.org/mental-health-month )



#### COMMUNITY DENTAL SERVICE

Priority for Community Dental Service appointments during the school break will be for immediate dental needs at the following clinics:

Woolston Community Dental Clinic, 11 Hopkins Street, Christchurch

Hornby Community Dental Clinic, 2 Hei Hei Road, Christchurch

To access these appointments, call our Contact Centre on 0800 846 983 noting that priority is given to children with immediate dental needs.

<u>For any dental advice please call the Contact</u> <u>Centre on 0800 846 983 or email</u> <u>commdental@cdhb.healh.nz</u>

# Rangiora

The Waimakariri District Council Community Awards are held in September 2022 and a new Youth Service Award will be presented for the first time. We are looking for young people aged 12 - 24 who are serving their community selflessly and volunteering their time for others. We want to recognise and tautoko the amazing work that these rangatahi do in the Waimakariri Community.

If this sounds like you or a young person you know, we would encourage you to nominate yourselves or them via the form here - https://

www.waimakariri.govt.nz/community/working-with-the-community/youth-development/youth-council?fbclid=IwAR0FLhYHIHj20U703I2BF4GpKQxRe-gOgsqP3dDC6Lh3eutZW6rEIy1s8w

We would also encourage you to share this award and nomination form around - we want to see as many nominations we can get and young people can nominate themselves! The Waimakariri Youth Council

### Mental Health Awareness Week 26 Sept - 02 Oct

# Mental Health Services / Video | Whāraurau

The 'Drive' series of video resources is designed to help young people and their families navigate their way through child and adolescent mental health services. wharaurau.org.nz

https://wharaurau.org.nz/mental-health-services-video

On Wednesday 28th and Thursday 29th September, we will be hosting a mini CASAFest. During this event students from the Canterbury Area School will be participating in a number of sporting and cultural activities based at our school. As we will be needing additional rooms to host these events, there will be no classes at school for Year 13 students over these two days. Teaches will be providing them with material to work on / study at home. Some classes may have on-line tutorials over this time. If these is the case, students will be advised by their teacher. Classes will resume for all students for the final day of the term, Friday 30th September.

NB from the RNLS Proprietors: The only dogs permitted on school premises are those officially trained for sight impaired and sensory issue work. This applies to

#### 2023 Homestays are required for Rangiora New Life School

With our borders now open, we are looking to expand our database of homestay families for our International Student.

If you are interested in learning about other cultures and enjoy sharing ours with others, then this may be an opportunity for you and your family. Short and long term options available. Good renumeration.

For more information please contact Maree Smith by email

mareesmith@rnls.school.nz please include a contact phone number.

RNLS App Sponsors! If you would like to advertise on the School Skool Loop App please email To download our app: In Google Play & App Store search 'Skool Loop' and choose School onceinstalled.

NB: If your email, caregiver details, address, phone numbers, circumstances, etc have changed over the last few months please let the school office staff know asap. admin@rnls.school.nz

Term 3:

Thurs 25 Oct: Laidlaw College Open Day 4-8pm 0800 999 777



our communication app! Events | Cancellations | Notices Newsletters | Permission slips Instant notifications | Jabsentees Parent Teacher Interviews Simple free download: In Google Play & App Store search () Skool Loogle Play & App Store search () Skool Loogle Play & App Store search ()

<u>Stau "in the loop</u>

Please return your 2021 Cup and / or Trophy as presented at the end of last year.



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#### CAREERS CORNER

NZ Tertiary College Open Day Sawyers Arms Rd, ChCh Book a tour NZ School of Tourism 849 Colombo St, ChCh Book a tour. NTA Open Day McLeans Island (past Orana Park on right 1.6 km) Book a tour.

To discuss your child's career future and in-school opportunities, please call either Mr Lamb 313 6332 Ext 293 email <u>grahamlamb@rnls.school.nz</u> Careers Advisor

# **Extra News and Notices**

