



Rangiora New Life School

A Ministry of Gateway Life Church

Te kura ora hou o Rangiora

Term 4, Week 9 2024

13 December 2024

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Merry Christmas to All

Our Rangiora New Life School buses in 2025 will run at the normal bus times every day, Monday —Friday (commencing Thursday 30 January with all students in uniform) with a Mihi Whakatau welcome. Check out www.rnls.school.nz for bus routes and times etc.

Full school uniform to be worn from Thursday 30th January.

Waitangi Day Thursday 6 February: school closed

Teacher Only Day Friday 7 February: school closed

8.50 am start time: Monday to Friday.

Form Time: 8.50—9.05 am (attendance compulsory).

Teaching day ends at: 3.10 pm daily.

Primary and Secondary Stationery Lists are available and open for orders via www.myschool.co.nz

Enter: Rangiora New Life School

NB: Check out our website www.rnls.school.nz for relevant and Calendar information (Enrolment area).
PhotoLife is scheduled Tuesday 4th and Wednesday 5th March 2025.

Blessings... Stephen Walters



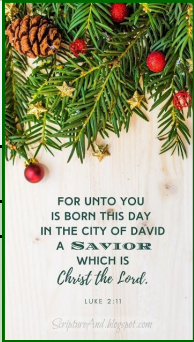
Waimarie nga mihi Season's Greetings from the Management Team, School Board, Staff & Proprietors!

A Community that Cares

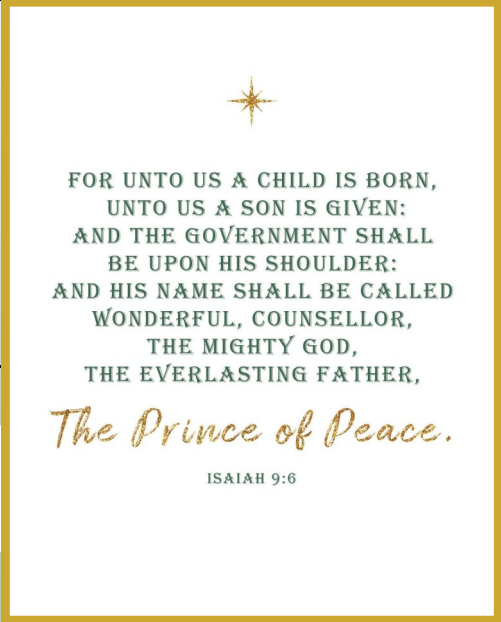
Students who Achieve

Te kura ora hou o Rangiora

Years 0-8 Prizegiving Recipients 2024					
Christian Character Awards / DUX			Community Service		
Junior Yr 0-2 Low Middle Yr 3-4 Middle Junior Yr 5-6 Senior (John Armitage Cup) Proxime accessit Dux		Ezrah Scott Edward Pinfold Minay Buys Marli Buys Freya Tomlinson Victor Cook		Primary PTA Service Zoe Smith	
Cross Country			Rm 1—Mrs Kotzee		Rm 2—Ms Ward
Yr 1 Girls Iva Tuiletufuga Yr 2 Girls Isabella Smith Yr 3 Girls Madeline van Housen Yr 4 Girls Violet Routledge Yr 5 Girls Layla Johns Yr 6 Girls Billie Wenborn Yr 7 Girls Evelyn Routledge Yr 8 Girls River Morrell	Yr 1 Boys Angus Shaw Yr 2 Boys Jax Spall Yr 3 Boys Cael Gopal Yr 4 Boys Rico Spall Yr 5 Boys Sammy King Yr 6 Boys Beau Winter Yr 7 Boys Oscar Dawe Yr 8 Boys Timothy Raney		Top SOAR Grace Lochrie Diligence Yr 1 Arden Joseph Diligence Yr 1 Willem Pelser	Top Soar Lucca Clark Diligence Yr 1 Judah Herschell Diligence Yr 1 Adeline Spartan Diligence Yr 2 Abraham Joubert Diligence Yr 2 Florence Lupi	
Athletics			Rm 3 — Mrs Webster		Rm 4 — Mrs Fitzgibbon
Yr 0-3 Girls Zylie Mac Donald Yr 4-6 Girls Billie Wenborn Yr 7-8 Girls Simone Niemand	Yr 0-3 Boys Gabriel Wiseman Yr 4-6 Boys Hamish Turner Yr 7-8 Boys Jasper Wenborn-Herzoff		Top SOAR Elise Schouten Diligence Yr 1 Jim Sevilla Diligence Yr 1 Finn Van't Wout	Top SOAR Ryan Wilson Diligence Yr 2 Isabella Smith Diligence Yr 2 Katrina Van't Wout Diligence Yr 3 Primrose Bircham Academic Yr 3 Toby Munro	
Top Primary Swimmer			Rm 5 — Mrs Doney		Rm 6 — Mrs Woodward
Sammy King			Top SOAR Evie Bain Diligence Yr 3 Sabella Claydon Academic Yr 3 Benji Gaarkeuken Diligence Yr 4 Axel Winter Academic Yr 4 Mario Lupi	Top SOAR Jordan Johns Diligence Yr 3 Gabriel Wiseman Academic Yr 3 Madeline van Housen Diligence Yr 4 Georgia Shaw Academic Yr 4 Nevaeh Chettle	
Kapa Haka Trophy			Rm 7 — Mrs Eder		Rm 8 — Mr Keats
Isabella Swaney Jasper Wenborn-Herzoff Apryl Leeburn Nehama-Joshua Ma'u Siena Vea			Top SOAR Ruby Case-Kroef Diligence Yr 5 Lachlan Thornburrow Academic Yr 5 Devon Blanchard Diligence Yr 6 Arielle Cheong Academic Yr 6 Elizabeth Henson	Top SOAR Naomi Brophy Diligence Yr 5 Lehanke Feyt Academic Yr 5 Miya Wenborn Diligence Yr 6 Caitlyn Smith Academic Yr 6 Lydia Lou	
Subject Academic Awards			Rm 9 — Mr Tindall		Rm 10 — Mr Webb
Victor Cook Victor Cook Victor Cook Owen de Boer Jack Turner Owen de Boer Nehama-Joshua Ma'u Freya Tomlinson Isla Bailey Freya Tomlinson Nehama-Joshua Ma'u Freya Tomlinson	Christian Living English Mathematics Science Technology ICT Social Science Music Visual Art Dance / Drama Physical Education & Health Language		Top SOAR Siena Vea Diligence Yr 7 Keaton Blanchard Academic Yr 7 Peter Deane Diligence Yr 8 River Morrell Academic Yr 8 Freya Tomlinson	Top SOAR Roman Harris Diligence Yr 7 Peyton McCracken Academic Yr 7 Julia Wilson Diligence Yr 8 Marli Buys Academic Yr 8 Victor Cook	
			Overall Top SOAR Student		Roman Harris



Merry Christmas from RNLS!



"God is with us"

"Do you not know that you are God's temple and that God's Spirit dwells in you?." 1 Corinthians 3:16



Year 9 Prizegiving Recipients 2024

Year 9 Merit

Grace Alberts	CRE	Social Studies
Grace Brewerton	CRE	Physical Education, Social Studies, Te Reo Māori
Raphaela Cook	CRE	Art, Music
Esther de Groot	CRE	Technology
Logan Els	CRE	Food & Nutrition, Music, Physical Education
Andre Jackman	CRE	English, Mathematics
Hannah Livingstone	CRE	Art
Samuel McCormick	CRE	Art, Christian Living
Kiernan Millar	CRE	Food & Nutrition, Music
Charlotte Thornburrow	CRE	Drama
Ezra Wiseman	CRE	Christian Living, Drama, English, Physical Education
Evie Burger	NDG	Art, Food & Nutrition
Shana Eloff	NDG	Christian Living, Drama
William Fountaine	NDG	Mathematics
Olive Gleave	NDG	Te Reo Māori
Lana Joubert	NDG	Food & Nutrition, Mathematics
Benjamin Mathewson	NDG	Physical Education
Amazon Smith	NDG	Art, English, Mathematics, Physical Education, Social Studies
Jacob Sutherland	NDG	Drama, Music
MacKenzie Thorpe	NDG	Drama
Daniel van der Berg	NDG	English Enrichment, Social Studies, Technology
Emma Wescombe	NDG	Christian Living, English, English Enrichment, Food & Nutrition
Noah Wethey	NDG	Technology
Taylor White	NDG	Physical Education
Maggie Wilson	NDG	Art
Nina Wu	NDG	English Enrichment, Food & Nutrition

Year 9 Distinction

Grace Alberts	CRE	Christian Living, Music, Te Reo Māori
Boaz Carr-Brooks	CRE	Drama
Maria Carshalton	CRE	English, Mathematics, Social Studies
Esther de Groot	CRE	Mathematics, Te Reo Māori
Logan Els	CRE	English Enrichment
Samuel McCormick	CRE	Technology
Michaela Pawson	CRE	Drama, Physical Education
Susie Robinson	CRE	Art, Christian Living, Drama, English, Mathematics, Social Studies, Technology
Sofia Siasau	CRE	Te Reo Māori
Charlotte Thornburrow	CRE	Art, Christian Living, English, Mathematics, Social Studies, Technology
Evie Burger	NDG	Technology
Shana Eloff	NDG	Food & Nutrition, Technology
Kaedyndy McLaughlan	NDG	Music
Amazon Smith	NDG	Christian Living, Food & Nutrition
Daniel van der Berg	NDG	Christian Living, English, Mathematics
Emma Wescombe	NDG	Art
Noah Wethey	NDG	Physical Education
Nina Wu	NDG	Art, English, Mathematics, Music, Social Studies, Technology

Year 9 High Distinction

Susie Robinson CRE Music



Yr 9 Academic Diligence Awards

Grace Alberts	CRE
Grace Brewerton	CRE
Maria Carshalton	CRE
Newta Dhinakar	CRE
Hannah Livingstone	CRE
Samuel McCormick	CRE
Kiernan Millar	CRE
Susie Robinson	CRE
Charlotte Thornburrow	CRE
Bella Balemi	NDG
Evie Burger	NDG
Shana Eloff	NDG
Amazon Smith	NDG
Emma Wescombe	NDG
Noah Wethey	NDG
Taylor White	NDG
Maggie Wilson	NDG
Nina Wu	NDG

House Trophy: Rata



For unto us a child is born, unto us a Son is given: and the government shall be upon His shoulder: and His name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, The mighty God, The everlasting Father, the Prince of Peace.

Isaiah 9:6 KJV



Year 10 Prizegiving Recipients 2024

Year 10 Merit

Logan Bailey	EOS	Design & Visual Communication
Ella Blanchard	EOS	Social Studies, Te Reo Māori
Micah Curline	EOS	Physical Education
Evie Malone	EOS	Design & Visual Communication, Health, Social Studies
Maddy Malone	EOS	Health, Social Studies
Emma Raney	EOS	Social Studies
Fletcher Reveley	EOS	Art, English, Physical Education
Skyler Stevenson	EOS	Art
Micah Thompson	EOS	Physical Education
Tyla Trent	EOS	English, Physical Education, Social Studies
Cassidy Windsor	EOS	Business Studies, Christian Living, Health
Jonathan Woodman	EOS	Digital Technologies, Mathematics, Music
Alanah Beaven	WGB	Art,
Reliable Disciple	WGB	Physical Education
Jodie Havelaar	WGB	Business Studies, Digital Technologies
Daniel Henderson	WGB	Food & Nutrition, Health, Mathematics Physical Education
Grace Hopkins	WGB	Design & Visual Communication
Lucia Jackman	WGB	English, Mathematics
Abigail Mead	WGB	Business Studies, Design & Visual Communication, Mathematics
Trelise Mein	WGB	Social Studies
Hayley Robson	WGB	Art
Allizae Russell-Phelan	WGB	Health, Physical Education
Jennie Son	WGB	English, Music
Elijah Swaney	WGB	Hard Materials Technology
Xavier Taylor	WGB	Christian Living, Hard Materials Technology

Year 10 Distinction

Nathaniel Glover	EOS	Mathematics, Te Reo Māori
Jacob Harkess	EOS	Food & Nutrition
Evie Malone	EOS	Christian Living, English,
Maddy Malone	EOS	Christian Living, Drama, English
Emma Raney	EOS	Business Studies, Christian Living, Digital Technologies, Mathematics, Food & Nutrition
Fletcher Reveley	EOS	Christian Living, Food & Nutrition, Health, Mathematics, Social Studies
Connor Spencer	EOS	Hard Materials Technology
Jesse Stuart	EOS	Physical Education
Cassidy Windsor	EOS	Design & Visual Communication, Music
Jonathan Brophy	WGB	Hard Materials Technology
Jodie Havelaar	WGB	Christian Living, English, Health, Mathematics, Music, Social Studies. Physical Education
Daniel Henderson	WGB	Christian Living, Drama
Grace Hopkins	WGB	Art, Social Studies
Lucia Jackman	WGB	Christian Living, Social Studies
Abigail Mead	WGB	English, Social Studies, Te Re Māori
Jennie Son	WGB	Design & Visual Communication, Mathematics
Arielle Tarawa	WGB	English, Te Reo Māori
Liam Toulson	WGB	Christian Living

Yr 10 Academic Diligence Awards

Ella Blanchard	EOS
Nathaniel Glover	EOS
Celeste Johnston	EOS
Lydia Miller	EOS
Emma Raney	EOS
Fletcher Reveley	EOS
Samoya Smith	EOS
Skyler Stevenson	EOS
Alanah Beaven	WGB
Jodie Havelaar	WGB
Daniel Henderson	WGB
Grace Hopkins	WGB
Lucia Jackman	WGB
Abigail Mead	WGB
Trelise Mein	WGB
Hayley Robson	WGB
Allizae Russell-Phelan	WGB
Jennie Son	WGB
Arielle Tarawa	WGB



Sports

Athletics

Celeste Johnston	Yr 9—10 Girls
Daniel Henderson	Yr 9—10 Boys

Cross Country

Jodie Havelaar	Yr 9—10 Girls
Jason Beeslaar	Yr 9—10 Boys

Celeste Johnston	PTA Yr 9-10 Female Athlete of the Year
Jesse Stuart	PTA Yr 9-10 Male Athlete of the Year

Jodie Havelaar	PTA Community Service Cup
Fletcher Reveley and Jodie Havelaar	Exemplary Christian Character Cup Yr 9/10
Grace Alberts	Te Reo Maori—Pearson Family Cup
Susie Robinson	Seatter Family Cup—Top Yr 9 Student
Jodie Havelaar	Seatter Family Cup—Top Yr 10 Student

Year 10 High Distinction

Fletcher Reveley	EOS	Digital Technologies
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Yrs 11-13 Prizegiving Recipients 2024

Yr 11 1st Place



Morgan de Boer
Christian Living
English

Zac Lynskey
Physical Education

Jenis Joseph
Music

Morgan de Boer
History
Mathematics

Isla Sard
Health

Emmelia Williams
Commerce
History

Morgan de Boer
Science

Hunter Spencer
Hard Materials Technology

Abigail Wiseman
Design for Visual Communications
Visual Art

Kaitlin George
Digital Technologies

Nicolette Witeman
Mathematics with Statistics

Joshua Hadfield
Food and Nutrition

Charlotte Btown
Drama



Yr 12 1st Place



Ashely Barlow
Drama

Karlize Janse van Rensburg
Health
Physical Education

Gabrielle Dickinson
Chemistry

Alannah Chessum
History

Lucy Malone
Christian Living
English

Alissa Schulz
Digital Technology

Zara Couperus
Biology

Emmeline Robinson
Mathematics with Calculus
Music
Physics

Luke Che
Design for Visual Communication

Karl Flora
Visual Art—Painting

Summer Sutherland
Mathematics with Statistics

Finn Hurst
Food and Nutrition

Michael Hopkins
Visual Art—Printmaking

Jamie Campbell
Hard Materials Technology

Joshua Robson
Accounting

Yr 13 1st Place



Chloe Brown
Health
Physical Education

Rory Sard
Christian Living
English
Mathematics with Statistics

Emily Brown
Drama
Visual Art—Painting

Jasmine Schulz
Biology

Xanthe Milsom
Visual Art—Photography

Sophie Culshaw
Commerce
English
History

Jamie Campbell
Hard Materials

Andrei Laglagura
Chemistry
Mathematics with Calculus

Noah Swaney
Commerce
Mathematics

Rory Sard
Christian Living

Yr 11-13 Academic Cups



Xanthe Milsom
Photography

Emma Henderson
Drama (Dale Hartley Cup)

Diligence Cups

Academic Diligence Certificates

Sophie Culshaw
English (Porter Family Cup)
Social Sciences

Andrei Laglagura
Mathematics
Science

Yr 11 Niklas Kane
Yr 11 Yuna Matsuda

Yr 11
Cohen Clark, Morgan de Boer
Jane Dhinakar, Brianna Fraser
Kaitlin George, Jess King
Nicolette Witeman
Brooke Hutton, Jenis Joseph
Niklas Kane, Ayuri Mano
Yuna Matsuda, Arwen McColl
Danielle Petrie
Abigail Wiseman

Finn Hurst
Food & Nutrition

Emily Brown
Art

Yr 12 Michael Hopkins
Yr 12 Gabrielle Dickinson

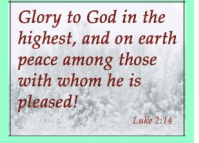
Yr 12
Sarah Caldwell, Zara Couperus
Alannah Chessum, Alex White
Michael Hopkins, Alissa Schulz
Karlize Janse van Rensburg
Emmeline Robinson
William Amtmann
Kelsey de Boer, James Payne
Gabrielle Dickinson

Chloe Brown
PE & Health

Luke Che
Design for Visual
Communication

Yr 13 Andrei Laglagura
Yr 13 Hayley Robertson

Yr 13
Chloe Brown
Rory Sard
Alyssa Jackman,
Emily McQuillan
Hayley Robertson
Jasmine Schulz
Sophie Culshaw
Andrei Laglagura
Xanthe Milsom



Head Girl 2025
Head Boy 2025

Alannah Chessum
Karl Flora

Deputy Head Girl
Deputy Head Boy

Sarah Caldwell
Michael Hopkins



Sport Awards



Karlize Janse van Rensburg
Athletics Senior Girls

Ethan Morris
Athletics Senior Boys

Zac Lynskey
Karlize Janse van Rensburg
MVP (Canty Basketball)

Zac Lynskey
Gabrielle Dickinson
Cross Country

Zac Lynskey
CASAfest Sportsperson

Karlize Janse van Rensburg
Contribution to CASAfest

Senor A Boys Basketball
Sports Team of the Year

Ethan Morris
Sportsperson of Year

Peer Support



Ashley Barlow, Jacinda Blair
Ethan Blanchard, Sarah Caldwell
Alannah Chessum, Zara Couperus
Karl Flora, Jedaiah Flynn
Emma Henderson, Lucy Malone
Michael Hopkins, Chloe Brown
Karlize Janse van Rensburg
Emmeline Robinson, Emily Brown
Lucy Stevenson, Alyssa Jackman
Emily McQuillan, Rory Sard
Hayley Robertson, Jasmine Schulz

Awards



Emily Brown
Contribution to
Performing Arts

Lucy Stevenson
Top Volunteer Award -
Student Volunteer Army

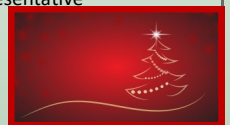
James Payne
Perseverance and
Inspiration James Brown
Cup

Lucy Stevenson
Clayton Cosgrove Cup—
Community Service

Alannah Chessum
Contribution to Music

Sarah Caldwell
Spence Donaldson Cup
for Speech

Emily McQuillan
School Board Student
Representative



Outstanding Awards



Emily Brown
Head Girl

Rory Sard
Head Boy

Senior Student Bible Study
Doreen Strachan Cup
Yr 11-13 Christian
Character

Sophie Culshaw
Bruce Andrews Cup
Service to School

Emily McQuillan
Rory Sard
School Based Community
John Ward Cup

Emily McQuillan
BOT Student Rep

Jasmine Schulz
Proxime Accessit

Tryphaena Ma'u
Lauren Rawls
Brooke Hutton, Ruby Stuart
Kapa Haka

Alyssa Jackman
Seatter Cup—Dux

News



RNLS won best Christmas tree for schools, in the Waimakariri District Council Christmas Tree Festival.



Helpline services are available right now in New Zealand that offer support, information and help for you and your parents, family, whānau and friends.

In an emergency, if you or someone else is at risk or harm, call 111. This number is free to call.

If you require **urgent or crisis mental health care in Canterbury**, Freephone 0800 920 092, (24 hours, 7 days a week).

For **children and youth mental health emergencies**; talk to Child, Adolescent, and Family Emergency (CAFEm):

Freephone: 0800) 218 219 (press option 2)

You can call your general practice team (the local medical centre you visit for non-urgent health issues) 24/7 and receive advice after-hours from a registered nurse. [If you do not have a GP visit [Finding a GP/doctor](#) for more info on how to enrol.]

Call or text [1737](#) any time, day or night, to talk with a trained counsellor for free.

Lifeline— 0800 543 354 (0800 LIFELINE) or free text 4357 (HELP).

Depression Helpline 0800 111 757 (available 24/7) or free text 4202 (to talk to a trained counsellor about how you are feeling or to ask any questions).

Suicide Crisis—0508 828 865 (0508 TAUTOKO) (available 24/7) – This service helps those thinking about suicide, or those concerned about family/whānau or friends.

Samaritans – 0800 726 666 (available 24/7)

For children and young people:

Kidslines— 0800 54 37 54 (available 24/7)

Youthline— 0800 376 633 available 24/7), free text 234 (8 am–midnight), or email talk@youthline.co.nz

0800 What's Up? Call 0800 942 8787 (available Mon-Fri 12-11pm Sat/Sun 3-11pm) or [chat online](#) (Mon-Fri 1-10pm Sat/Sun 3-10pm).

What's Up— 0800 942 8787 (for 5–18 year olds). Phone counselling is available every day of the week, 365 days of the year, 11am–11pm. Online chat is available from 11am–10:30pm 7 days a week, including all public holidays.

thelowdown.co.nz – or email team@thelowdown.co.nz or free text 5626.

Help for parents, family and friends

EDANZ— improving outcomes for people with eating disorders and their families. Freephone 0800 2 EDANZ or 0800 233 269, or in Auckland 09 522 2679. Or email info@ed.org.nz.

Parent Help – 0800 568 856 for parents/whānau seeking support, advice and practical strategies on all parenting concerns. Anonymous, non-judgemental and confidential.

Family Services 211 Helpline— 0800 211 211 for help finding (and direct transfer to) community based health and social support services in your area.

Yellow Brick Road— Supporting families towards mental wellbeing.

Other specialist helplines

Healthline— 0800 611 116 Health advice from professional healthcare providers.

Alcohol and Drug Helpline— 0800 787 797 or [online chat](#).

Are You OK— 0800 456 450 family violence helpline.

Anxiety NZ— 0800 269 4389 (0800 ANXIETY).

0508MUSICHELPS— The Wellbeing Service is a 24/7 online, on the phone and in-person counselling service fully funded by the NZ Music Foundation and provided free of charge to those in the Kiwi music community who can't access the help they need due to hardship and other circumstances. Call 0508 MUSICHELP.

Safe to Talk 0800 044 334 or free text 4334 for help to do with sexual harm. Available 24/7 and staffed by trained counsellors.

<https://mentalhealth.org.nz/helplines>

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