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Principals Report

SPOTSWOOD COLLEGE -CO-EDUCATIONAL AND PROUD

It is with a great deal of pride that I record 2004 as a year of outstanding achievement from our students in Academic, Cultural and Sporting spheres. Our Magazine is a true reflection of these achievements. Our Marketing phrase captured in the banner which flew over New Plymouth emphasises our other main strength and that is coeducation. We believe that our students are given tremendous support to reach their personal best in the academic, cultural and sporting aspects of their lives. To do this in a natural co-educational setting gives our students an all round education for life in the wider world. It is readily acknowledged that the ability to relate to a diverse range of people is a key ingredient for a successful adult life. We believe that our co-educational school greatly assists in developing this ingredient. Our Board of Trustees and staff were exceptionally proud of our Education Review Office Report which clearly affirmed the many strengths and achievements of our school in a very wide range of activities.

Student Academic Achievements:

NCEA Level 1 & 2

We as a school celebrated some outstanding successes in NCEA in 2003. I acknowledge that there are national concerns regarding NCEA as a method of assessment, but for academic students there is certainly a real challenge in gaining Excellence and Merits and we encourage our students to aim for these. For many students the past methods of assessment may have meant that they may not have gained school qualifications. NCEA has enabled them to also gain recognition and feel a sense of achievement by gaining credits in practical and vocational subjects. The following Y11 and Y12 students gained over 120 Credits and deserve our congratulations:

Sarah Allemann Angelique Bollen Angela Brown Jenny Bush Nicholas Collins Hamish Dixon Iohannes Einarsson Adam Fabish Josephine Fitness Bethel Hawksworth Nicholas King Chevenne Miller Michael Paterson

Heidi Ashcroft Anton Booth Logan Bruce Karla Christiansen Leah Daish Frances Doran Stefan Einarsson Daniel Fake Samuel Goble Kate Humphrey Duncan MacDiarmid Hunter Osborne Rebecca Phillips



Hanan Pillette **Jordan Rolston Daniel Shotter** Croydon Smith Gwendoline Taylor Mariella Volino Benjamin Woods

Tanya Richards Damin Scott **Paul Smith Nadine Stuart Matthew Thomas** Nyssa West

The following students gained 10 or more Grades of Excellence in NCEA:

Frances Doran Jenny Bush Gwendoline Taylor Leah Daish Holly Snowdon

Other key NCEA achievements are:

- Our total Level 1 NCEA pass rate was 59.6% when Year 12 and 13 students doing Level 1 are included.
- In Level 2 NCEA Spotswood College had a 50.7% achievement rate compared with the national average of 48%.
- Our learning achievement rates compare very favourably with national results. Languages had a 90% achievement rate across all Unit and Achievement Standards while the Arts had 77%, Technology and Health and Physical Education had 75% and Social Sciences 72%.
- Of the 17 Level 1 students who gained over 130 Credits, 11 were boys.
- 46 Year 11 students gained over 100 Credits
- 24 Year 12 students gained over 100 credits in Level 2.

Te Kura Tuarua o Ngamotu

Year 13 Bursary and Scholarships:

Scholarships
 students won UEB Scholarships
 Maths with Calculus - Li Jian Qui
 Physics - Li Jian Qui
 Geography - Rowan Dixon

2. Bursary
"A" Bursaries - 8
"B" Bursaries - 16
58 students sat in 3 or more Bursary subjects

Entrance
 students from 58 gained University Entrance

National Bank Maths Competition

Samantha Hill (Y9) and Sarah Maessen (Y11) were both ranked in the top 30 in their year level nationally out of 9,700 entrants from 207 Colleges. Only 1 other student from Taranaki was in the top 30.

Cultural Successes

As a school we are extremely proud of our students in a wide variety of areas. Some of this year's highlights have been:

- Whitney Moore's Award as a Young Fashion Designer of the Year in the Cultural Section. This is an amazing achievement from over 150 entries New Zealand wide.

Our Rock Band "Rival State" achieving a final 6 placing in the New Zealand wide Rock Quest Competition of over 600 entries.

"Back to the Eighties" - our School
Production was tremendously successful in
terms of student participation and audience
size. Special thanks to Jan Aiello and Raeleen
Luckin.





Our Kapa Haka again won the Pae Rangitahi Competition featuring groups from Taranaki, Wanganui and Manawatu for the second year in a row. This gave our group right of entry to perform in the National Kapa Haka competition in Wellington in June. Our Group performed with real pride.

YES "T urismo" eventually won 2nd place in the Regional Finals. A fine effort from Ben Woods, Ben Hunter and Jeremy Clyma. Special mention of Mrs Carolyn Miles for her tremendous support.

- New Plymouth District Council Young Achievers Award winners: Cultural Award - Clive Tonga-Awhikau Y12 Music Award - Rival State Y12

- 12 of our students visited Japan in April, led by Mrs Reiko Smithers and Mr Warwick Foy. A wonderful cultural experience.

Hatrix and Concert Band performed very creditably in the Melbourne Bands Festival in August. Hatrix Jazz Band won a Gold Award and the Concert Band a Silver Award at the Waikato Bay of Plenty Secondary Schools Music Festival.

These highlights clearly show the talent, hard work and commitment of our students, their families and our staff.

SPORTING SUCCESSES:

As we do every year, we perform consistently and with pride in a huge variety of sports. Our students have represented their College with distinction in many areas. Some highlights for 2004 have been:

- Mathew Dickey (Y9) New Zealand Development Team for Equestrian

- Dominic Cooksley-Gruys (Ŷ11) New Zealand Men's Karate Champion

- Claire Aiello (Y11) National Junior Women's Inline Hockey Team. Claire travelled to Canada with this Team.

- Peter Allemann and Steven Davison New Zealand U16 Beach Volleyball Champion.

Calum Ross (Y9) New Zealand Water Skiing Champion

- Nathan Andrews (Y13) and Steven Davison (Y11) Taranaki Senior Men's Hockey Team

Lauren Hartley (Y11) and Dayna Kivell (Y13) Taranaki Senior Women's Soccer team

Briar Plummer-Butt won the Secondary Schools Netball Fair Player of the Year

Anaru Matthews (Y9) was 3rd in the North Island Secondary Schools Javelin Championship

- Thomas Lindup (Y13) - Taranaki Mountain Biking Champion

STUDENT LEADERS:

Sarah Allemann (Head Girl), Nikhil George (Head Boy), Katie Reid (Deputy Head Girl) and Reece Julian (Deputy Head Boy) have all had a very effective year in student leadership. They have been loyal, committed and articulate. All four have been great ambassadors for our school. They have been well supported by the Prefects who have generally worked well in their wide ranging duties. I have enjoyed our weekly meetings with the Head students and wish them a successful future.



STAFFING MATTERS:

Our staff has responded extremely well to our calls for "B.T.B." (Better Than Before) and "R.A.A." (Relationships, Achievement, Attendance). As a staff we were challenged by the visit by Doctor Kevin Knight in March who challenged us to reconsider our classroom management strategies. In August a group of 7 underwent training as Classroom Mentors. We are committed to more adequately meeting the needs of our diverse students. I personally express my appreciation to our staff for their response to the challenge of disappointing NCEA success rates and for their loyalty, commitment and good humour. Our staffroom is a happy one and I greatly value the supportive atmosphere.

As always we have experienced some staff changes during the year. We welcomed a great group of new teachers in January:

Jocelyn Gabites Kevin Rowlands Neil McLauchlan Arnold Tohia Wendy Bayley Hilary Gabites Katy Power Roslyn McGlade

Skye Cameron Elizabeth Murray Liz Carroll

Adelle Morton John Buchanan-Brown Food and Nutrition Technology and Graphics Technology and Graphics Technology and Graphics Special Needs Science/Physics/Maths Food and Nutrition Social Studies and Economics English and Drama English and Drama Physical Education and Health

Chemistry and Science



Art

During the year we said farewell to Miss Sarah Arnold and welcomed Ms Marni Patten as Assistant HOD of English in Term 4. Mrs Pamela Robb taught in our Special Education Department for one term and Mrs Joanna Ross took over from her.

As 2004 draws to a close we will farewell the following staff:

- Mr Barry Bradshaw - 21 years of faithful service as HOD of Music

- Mrs Karen Taylor (Assistant HOD of Mathematics) who is on maternity leave for 2005

- Ms Elizabeth Carroll who is also on maternity leave for 2005

- Mrs Martha DeLong who is leaving to pursue business opportunities

Mrs June Moseley will be on 1 year's leave of absence in 2005

- Mr Warwick Foy and his family will be enjoying a teacher exchange in England

- Miss Skye Cameron will be travelling overseas
- Mr Merv Chivers and Miss Melissa Goodin (both overseas) have resigned
- Ms Fay Mulligan (one of our RTLB teachers) will be undergoing further study in 2005

To all these talented staff we offer our best wishes as you journey on.

EDUCATION REVIEW REPORT:

As a School Community we celebrated a very favourable Report in June. The ERO findings confirmed the direction we are moving in. Some key statements were:

"Staff promote a positive and supportive learning environment through respectful and nonconfrontational relationships with students. The receptive and well-resourced Learning Centre provides suitably structured and thoroughly planned programmes to support a range of student needs.

Students in all classes are encouraged to take educational risks and learn through trying. They have a voice in decision-making and are provided with very good quality leadership opportunities. Their learning is extended through participation in a wide range of co-curricular activities.

Classrooms are orderly and most are effectively managed. Teachers provide lessons that are well prepared. Examples of very high quality teaching are evident, and opportunities are available for staff to share such good practice. A strong pastoral care system offers a very good level of support for students' learning. Extensive collaboration and co-operation between teachers and senior managers promotes beneficial change for students.

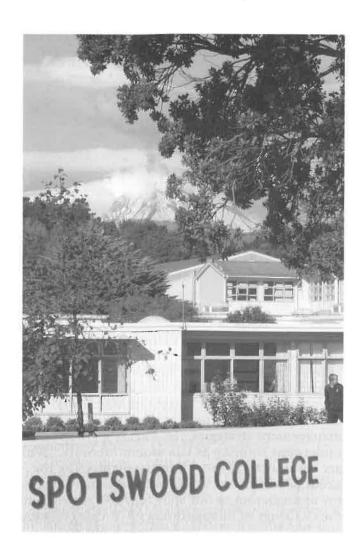
Through recent professional development teachers demonstrate a well-developed awareness of the importance of literacy to students `learning in all subjects. Staff are well supported to advance students `literacy skills.

Board, staff and senior managers place high priority on building positive relationships within the school community. The Principal, in his interactions with students and staff, models the school's priority to provide a welcoming, inclusive environment where all are respected. Through professional development, senior managers promote improvement in the quality of teaching to better meet the diverse learning needs of students. A capable, cohesive and proactive senior management team supports the Principal. Senior managers use their complementary skills for the benefit of students.

The Board and Principal promote collaborative decision making processes that are inclusive of staff, students and parents."

PROPERTY DEVELOPMENT:

Our School environment is outstanding! The maintenance of buildings and the day-to-day care of the grounds are superb. We as a School Community pay tribute to the work of Angus Erueti, Karl Iveson, Wayne Marks and Shane Chisnall. You gentlemen are loyal and hardworking servants of our school. We thank you for your work and pride in our school. We acknowledge the continuing support of Mr Brian Sowman, our previous Property Manager. We look forward to our two main projects: the building of our Sports Pavilion on the top field and the much-awaited Administration upgrade of our Hall, Staffroom and Office area.





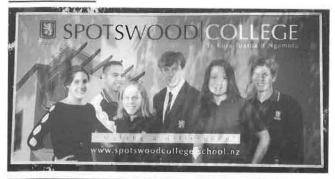
CONCLUDING COMMENTS:

2004 has been a remarkably successful year in terms of achievement. We celebrate the achievements of students and staff. I wish to acknowledge my Management colleagues – Brett Sloan, Robyn Moran, Matthew Cooper and John Hodgkinson – your support and friendship creates and maintains our effective team and plays a large part in the School's success. Special thanks to our Board of Trustees, who are very well led by "Mrs Spotswood" – Deborah Taylor. The Board of Trustees has embraced our vision and is doing their utmost to ensure our success. Thanks to our PTA, Whanau Group, parents and families and the wider community. We greatly value our relationship with you all.

To our students, both those leaving and those returning, I say thank you and very best wishes for 2005. I would like to conclude with an excerpt from a Stanford University reunion speaker:

"Count everything as a learning experience. Learn from your failures. Learn from your successes. When you hit a spell of trouble, ask, "What is it trying to teach me?" The lessons aren't always happy ones but they keep coming. We learn from our jobs. We learn from our friends and families. We learn by accepting the commitments of life, by playing the role that life hands us, not necessarily the roles we would have chosen, by growing older, by suffering, by loving, by bearing with the things we can't change, by taking risks".

Graeme McFadyen PRINCIP AL









2004 SENIOR PRIZEGIVING

SPORTING AND CULTURAL AWARDS

Championship Certificates in Athletics

Intermediate Boys Intermediate Girls Senior Girls` Athletics Champion - Hazel Robertson Trophy

Briar Plummer-Butt

Steven Davison

Robertson Trophy Annika Wallin Senior Boys` Athletics Champion Ronald Graham

Championship Certificates in Cross Country

Senior Girls Senior Boys

Courtney Kendall Reece Julian

Championship Certificates in Swimming

Intermediate Girls Intermediate Boys Senior Girls Senior Boys

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Kendra Ludeke Michael Riley Sarah Allemann Jackson Coe



Special Sports Awards

Thomson Cup for Captain 1st XV Rugby

plus Spotswood United Rugby Club Miniature

and

Tony Stuthridge Memorial Trophy for Most Conscientious Rugby Team Member

Jordan Smith

Jordan Smith

1st XV Rugby Trophy -Best all round team member

Toby FitzPatrick

Alan Millward Memorial Cup - Most Improved 1st XV Rugby Player

Rhys Harvey

Touch Rugby Player of the Year

Tony Kumeroa

Dwight Murfitt Trophy for best and fairest 2nd XV rugby player

Brendon Goodwin

Olsen Trophy for commitment and excellence in Girls Rugby Aleasha Brider Graham

Spotswood College Womens 1st XV Rugby Player of the Year

Holly Snowden

and

Spotswood College Womens 1st XV Rugby Most Conscientious Player

Holly Snowden



Boys Indoor Basketball	
Player of the Year	Anaru Matthews

Talo-Manu Netball Trophy for services to netball Natalie Brien

Antony Joe Trophy for Senior Boys Volleyball

Player of the Year

Steven Davison

Wilson Trophy - for Senior Girls Volleyball Player of the Year

Kim Doran

and

D C Andrews Trophy for most dedicated female hockey player

Kim Doran

Matthew Coleman Trophy for Senior Boys Volleyball -Most Improved Player

Philip Whalen

Brodie Cup for Most Improved Girls Volleyball Player

Melissa Long

Phillipa Soulsby Trophy -Senior Girls` Beach Volleyball Player of the Year

Sarah Wales

Jared Wilson Cup -Senior Boys` Beach Volleyball Player of the Year

Peter Allemann

Spotswood College Premier Women's Soccer Award for team leadership and commitment, donated by Gaylene Kendrick

Lauren Hartley

The Spotswood College Sailing Cup for Leadership

Reece Julian

John Lucas Award for most improved Boys Hockey Player

Fraser Millward

Inline Hockey Player of the Year Trophy

Jayden Hill

L.J. Trophy for Senior Netball Player of the Year

Briar Plummer-Butt

and

Girls Indoor Basketball Player of the Year

Briar Plummer-Butt



Dow Elanco Cup for most dedicated girl cricketer

Erin Goodwin

Lorraine Lovell Challenge Trophy for Girls Tennis

McDonald Cup in

Cricket

Kanae Murakami

School Awards: Inter House Awards

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Morine Cup in Athletics		Barrett
Borrell Cup in Soccer		Richmond
Faye Hill Cup in Netball		Barrett
R & N Mong Cup in Bask	etball	Richmond
Craigmyle Cup in Swimm	ing	Barrett
Barriball Trophy in Hock	ey	Darnell/ Atkinson
Ballinger Cup in Cross Co	ountry	Darnel
Phil Gayton Cup in Volle	yball	Richmond
Touch Rugby Shield		Barrett
Indoor Bowls Shield		Darnel
Cycling Shield		Darnel
Tug-of-War Shield		Barrett
Triathlon Shield		Barrett
Sole Cup in Tennis		Richmond
Honnor Cup in Rugby	not award	ed this year
Mountain biking	not award	ed this year
V.D. 110		

not awarded this year

Chris Hamil Cup in Softball

not awarded this year

Ironperson - Gutbuster

not awarded this year

Prestige Sport Awards

Trina Cowley Trophy for sporting excellence

Kallum Jury-Field

The Hale Sportsperson of the Year Trophy

Claire Aiello

The Nick Banks Trophy for The Spotswood College Sports Team of the Year Seniors Boys Beach Volleyball A Team -

Steven Davison and Peter Allemann



Kapa Haka Awards -

Kura Tuarua O Ngamotu 'Taonga A Whaitata

Mishah Katene Rangihaeta

Taonga A Whaitata 'Tuatahi`

Clive Tonga Awhikau

Kura Tuarua Ngamotu "Reo Rangitira" (feathered taiaha)

Lexa Dickinson & Morehu Tuutu-Ransfield

Speech Awards

First in Senior Speech cup donated by the School Prefects

Jason Gaastra

First in Senior Maori Language Speeches

Morehu Tuuta-Ransfield

ACADEMIC AWARDS

YEAR 11 PRIZE **WINNERS**

FIRST IN SUBJECT

Gareth Phillips Beau Phillips Chris Zhang Pat Brennan Jaclyn Anderson Corev Coster Morgan Barrett Jacky Su

Ronel Geldenhuys **Andrew Terrill Briar Plummer-Butt** Greer Osborne Ben Meyer Stuart Julian

Ana Richardson

Rebecca Williams

Excellence

Amy McLeod

Kim Doran

Horticulture Horticulture Alternative **NZASE** Science German Japanese **Home Economics Practical**

1st in 11B English for Speakers of Other Languages Transition

Technology Alternative Food and Nutrition **Textiles Technology** Maori

Visual ArtTechnology -Scott Commercial **Technology Cup** Unit Standards **Mathematics**

Health and Leisure French & "M J Hickey Cup" for in French

Economics Accounting Spanish - 1st Equal

Mathematics Graphics

Geography Physical Education History



Sara Trevathan

Sarah Maessen

Text and Information

Management 1st Equal:

English - Winners of the

Margaret Hurley Prize for top students of English

1st Equal: English -Winners of the Margaret Hurley Prize for top students of English Science

Music

Spanish - 1st Equal

YEAR 12 PRIZE WINNERS

FIRST IN SUBJECT

English Alternative

English for Speakers of

Unit Standards

Other Languages

Year 13 Maori

Horticulture

Theatre Studies

Management

Text & Information

Physical Education

Textiles Technology

Food and Nutrition

Photography Award

the "In Focus"

Art - Painting

Technology

Electronics

Geography

History

Photography - Winner of

Mathematics

Design Art

Transition

Graphics

Music

Japanese

French

Spanish

Biology

Physics

Economics

1st in 12B

Kelly Dickson Erin Goodwin Clive Tonga-Awhikau Sport and Recreation Nicole Berry

Rebecca Phillips Chloe Hook Alex Qu

Jordan Rolston Morehu Tuuta-Ransfield Sam Goble Croydon Smith Daniel Ferguson

Cara MacKinnon Anja Richter Leah Daish

Mariella Volino Annika Wallin Ben Woods Jeremy Clyma Nick Collins Kimberley Betteridge

Karla Christiansen

Logan Bruce

Gwendoline Taylor

James Nepia

English Mathematics Computing Chemistry

YEAR 13 PRIZE **WINNERS**

Amiee Vercoe Jasmine Owen Dayna Kivell James Anderson Dylan Wharepapa Phil Sanders

Rachael Allen Tanya Richards Holly Snowden Shem Plummer-Butt Candace Noves Aya Sakamoto

FIRST IN SUBJECT

Other Languages

1st in 13B Accounting Physical Education Computing Sport and Recreation English - "Daily News" Literary Prize Classics French Design Art Geography Japanese English for Speakers of



Jenny Bush Erin Prebble

Julia Berry

Jackson Coe

Sally Van der Hulst

Frances Doran

Mathematics with Calculus Graphics Art - Photography Art - Painting **Textiles Technology Theatre Studies** Music

History **Mathematics with Statistics** A & M Hutchinson Tray for first in Senior Biology

Chemistry Spanish

Physics - "NZ Institute of Physics Prize"

Economics

SPECIAL SUBJECT AWARDS

Helen J. Bacon Award for Excellence in Geography & History

Gwendoline Taylor

Prize for the Head Boy and Board of Trustees Award for Service to the School as Head Boy and B.O.T. Nikhil George Student Representative\

Harry M Bacon Memorial Award Best All-round Promise in the Art

Sarah Allemann

Frances Doran

Board of Trustees Award for Service to the School Deputy Head Girl

Spotswood College P.T.A.

Katie Reid

"NZ Institute of Physics Prize" awarded for diligence, progress, and additional endeavour in some selected area of Physics

Spotswood College "Prefects Award"

Deputy Head Boy

Michael Riley

Reece Julian

Massey University Secondary School Bursary Scholarship

Sally van der Hulst Jo Fitness

AWARD for "enthusiasm about learning" The JOE GREENWOOD

MARJAN van PAASSEN

Frances Doran

The Duynhoven Award in practical technology with graphics and design

MEMORIAL PRIZE for School Service Logan Bruce

Natalie Brien

Emo Award

Sarah Allemann

The EMILY CANNELL **MEMORIAL CUP**

Jackson Coe

Joy Rookes Trophy for **Original Composition** and Solo Competitions in Music

Mariella Volino

BRUCE WALKER TROPHY for Endeavour & Leadership

THOMPSON AWARD

THE R.S.A. - DR. GEORGE

Reece Julian

The Senior Bandboosters Award for the best band person demonstrating

The ALTER EMERITUS

Sarah Allemann

commitment, attitude and attendance

Phil Sanders

Junior Bandboosters Award

ACCESSIT cup Logan Squire

The PROXIME

Sally van der Hulst

New Plymouth Little Theatre Award

"Liz Murray Cup" for

Jackson Coe

Julia Berry

2004 Dux

Frances Doran

contribution to Drama

and

Howard Music Trophy for general excellence in academic music and band participation

Jackson Coe

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SPECIAL AWARDS

Spotswood College P.T.A. Prize for the Head Girl and Board of Trustees Award for Service to the School

Sarah Alleman



Staff News 2004

The new school year began with teachers eager to face the challenges of 2004. Many new staff were welcomed. These were Skye Cameron and Elizabeth Murray - English and Drama; Katy Power, Neil McLauchlan, Kevin Rowlands and Arnie Tohia - Technology; John Buchanan-Brown - Chemistry (an acceptable Pom despite being an Arsenal fan); Elizabeth Carroll - PE and Health; Ros McGlade - Social Studies and Economics; Wendy Bayley - Special Education; Adelle Morton - Part-time Art and Emmalie Wenn - Part-time Language School. We also welcomed a duet of Gabites - Jocelyn in Food Nutrition and Careers, and Hilary in Maths and Science. We also welcomed back Nicola Ngarewa in Maori.

The term progressed smoothly until the most unfortunate illness of Mrs Naomi Ionas. We were very pleased to see Naomi back at school in Term

The staff celebrated the end of Term 1 with a social function at The Treehouse organized by the indomitable Social Committee.

Term 2 began in April with Naomi Jonas on sick leave, replaced by Pat Hounsell. Thanks for your contribution Pat. This was another busy term with reports and the very successful "Back to the 80's" musical which made many staff members feel quite at ease. At the end of the term we said farewell to Sarah Arnold. Sarah believed the grass was greener in Oz and though a key member of both the English Department and the Social Committee she decided to leave us. We wish Sarah well for her future. The staff, well the keen ones, celebrated the end of term with a meal at "The Tong".

Halfway through the year and it was all go curriculum changes, timetable changes, meetings, meetings and meetings. Despite this the staff maintained their enthusiasm and enjoyed an end





of term dinner at "India Today". Very cosmopolitan our staff.

As usual the Super 12 and NPC competitions organized by Brad Kemp and Dennis Little were hotly contested. The Green (Blue) jacket changed shoulders several times but eventually the winners were Dennis Little and Arnie Tohia respectively.

Term 4 again was all go. We welcomed Ms Marni Patten as Assistant Head of English.

As the year ends we bid farewell to Warwick Foy (temporarily) on exchange to Bristol, UK, and Barry Bradshaw as Head of Music. Barry relinquishes this position after 21 years of service. Best wishes for your future Barry. Others to depart include Skye Cameron - also after those green fields in Oz; Liz Carroll and Karen Taylor - the latter two to motherhood - our best wishes to you both for your new careers. Two staff members on leave are not returning - Mervyn Chivers and Melissa Goodin. Merv has decided to remain in China while Melissa is preferring the bright lights of London. Mrs Martha DeLong has decided to move into Health and Safety - maybe she will close down schools as being hazardous to staff! Mrs June Moseley also has a years leave to travel to Wales to be with her family. Fay Mulligan is taking a years study leave.

Some changes in Special Education took place with Sarah Morris replacing Jenny Lockett in the Senior Experience Class and Mrs Pam Robb was appointed to Sarah's job. Unfortunately Pam had to leave us but was replaced by Mrs Joanne Ross.

Our end of year social function is being held at the New Plymouth Yacht Club.

As the year ends we wish all staff, students and their families a very restful and enjoyable break and look forward to a new year.

Robyn Moran

New Staff

Wendy Bayley has come to Spotswood College from Devon Intermediate. She enjoys the chance to catch up with pupils she has taught in the past and have now grown into "young adults". She says that the staff are friendly and it is a pleasant place to teach at.

Mrs Bayley is super-fit having completed two marathons this year as well as the Rotorangi Gutbuster. She also enjoys gardening, reading and is currently studying towards a Diploma in Special Needs.



Ros McGlade arrived at Spotswood College via Melville High School and Fraser High School in Hamilton and Hawera High School.

What stands out the most to Ms McGlade about Spotswood are the friendly staff and students, Kapa Haka and the free parking (well she has lived in Auckland where they charge for everything!).

When she's not at school Ms McGlade enjoys supporting the Hurricanes (wise decision!), swimming, skiing and catching up on the latest business news.

We trust Ms McGlade enjoys her time at Spotswood.



John Buchanan-Brown, in the Science department, comes to us from the UK where he taught at Abbey Wood and Saint Lukes. What Mr Buchanan-Brown likes best about Spotty is the friendly staff and students. In his free time Mr B-B likes to go tramping and fossil hunting.



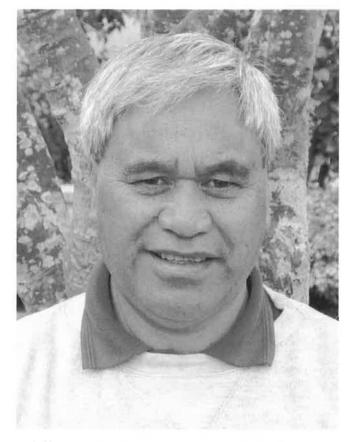
Liz Carroll is in her first year of teaching and we are very pleased that she has come all the way from Canterbury to teach at Spotswood.

Her favourite place at Spotty is the top field where she catches the odd student smoking! She is a P.E teacher so enjoys anything outdoors, especially surfing, swimming, diving, running, tramping, fishing, rugby, netball and touch. We wish Miss Carroll lots of luck for her teaching career at Spotty!

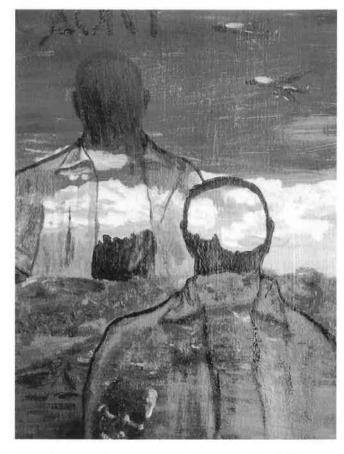


Arnie Tohia comes to Spotswood College from ... nearly everywhere! He has taught at Karamea Area School, Waimea Intermediate in Nelson, Lytton High In Gisborne, Ngata Memorial College in Ruatoria, Tolaga Bay Area School, Linwood Intermediate in Christchurch, Stratford High and Kaiapoi High in Canterbury. What an impressive and varied teaching career!

What stands out to Mr Tohia about Spotswood College is the friendly staff and being part of a school that is "going places". In his free time, Mr Tohia enjoys all sports and partakes in a spot of fishing and motorbike riding. He also likes reading sport biographies and listening to music.



Adelle Morton from the Art department comes to Spotswood College via Opunake High School. Naturally, her interests include art and photography, as well as travel and spending time with her family. What Mrs Morton most likes about Spotswood is the staff's sense of humour.



Hilary Gabites thinks the best things about Spotswood College are the friendly staff and students and the fact she used to go to school here! Miss Scott found Miss Gabites name on a 1993 copy of Merchant of Venice and this amused her! Miss Gabites has taught Science at different schools like Rotorua Girls High School.

She enjoys catching up with friends, netball, waterskiing, tramping and camping in her free time.



Katy Power has a wealth of teaching experience, having taught at Okato College most recently as well as St Mary's Diocean, Avondale College, Lynfield College in the big smoke and Masada College in Sydney.

Mrs Power is impressed with the friendly and supportive staff, the awesome Principal, the great students and the brilliant gardens (tenderly cared for by Mr Peters). Mrs Power especially likes the flash, modern Technology block. Her hobbies and interests include gardening, that being her number one hobby, tramping, power walking (that's where you wave your arms about!), swimming and eating healthy foods....usually followed by a generous portion of chocolate!





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Kevin Rowlands comes to us from Waitara High, Opunake High and the Western Institute of Technology at Taranaki.

Mr Rowlands joked the best thing about Spotswood is the attractive staff. (Clearly he is referring to the abundance of first year female teachers!).

Mr Rowlands lists his hobbies and interests as skiing, surfing and windsurfing, all of which he partakes in regularly in the holidays. We wish Mr Rowlands well for his time at Spotty.



Jo Ross is a teacher in the Special Needs Unit and has previously taught in a number of schools both in New Zealand and throughout the world. These schools are Puketapu School, Linden School, Rewa Rewa School, Naenae Primary and various schools in London. She started at Spotswood in term 3. She finds the staff very helpful, the students "interesting" (especially their language!) and that there is a good sense of morale in the school. Her hobbies include music, reading, home DIY, gardening and drinking coffee!



Skye Cameron has never taught at any other school having just finished her training and we hope she never has to leave Spotswood! She loves how the students interact really well with each other. She expected her fellow teachers to be evil and cross but found out how friendly and laidback they are (even her English colleagues!). Apart from planning lessons she likes to relax at home or spend time with friends.



Elizabeth Murray is in her first year of teaching, coming to us from Wellington College of Education (where she studied with Miss Cameron last year). Miss Murray teaches English and Drama to all levels. What she most likes about Spotswood College is that it is a co-educational school. The staff enjoy her outbursts of laughter and zany comments.



Marni Patten joined Spotswood College in term 4, replacing Sarah Arnold. Mrs Patten comes to us care of Francis Douglas and Girls High. So why did she choose Spotswood? To pursue a promotional opportunity and to teach in a co-ed setting (co-ed is the way to go after all!). Her thoughts about Spotswood in the short time she has been here are that the staff are wonderfully kind and welcoming and the kids are great. In her free time, Mrs Patten enjoys walking, shopping (she can team up with Miss Scott and Miss Murray then!), writing and spending time with family and friends.



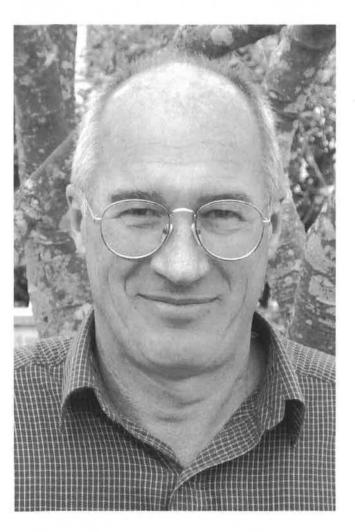
Jocelyn Gabites has come to join her husband and daughter at Spotswood College this year with a lot of experience from her previous schools – Tokomairiro High, Waitara High, Francis Douglas and Sacred Heart Girls College. She loves the variety of personalities on the Spotswood staff. She finds the students well dressed, keen to learn, a pleasure to teach and fun to be with.

Mrs Gabites spare time is spent tramping, camping and doing patchwork and quilting.



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Neil McLauchlan works in the Technology department. He comes to Spotswood from the Western Institute of Technology at Taranaki. Mr McLauchlan is Miss Moran's cousin. According to her, he is an "aging surfer". He is a keen gardener. Like Mr Rowlands, Mr McLauchlan joked the best thing about Spotswood is the ladies. We wish Mr McLauchlan well for his time at Spotswood.





Leaving Staff

Jennifer Locket left Spotswood College's Special Education department at the end of term 1 to return to the United Kingdom for family reasons. Mrs Locket said what she will miss most is her B18 students. Her parting comment was this: "Thank you to my colleagues for all of the support I had and thanks to the Special Education department for organising my send off".



Fay Mulligan is leaving Spotswood for a year to further her Te Reo Maori skills. She promises to be back in 2006, after the new renovations have been completed. She won't miss all the interruptions they cause! What Mrs Mulligan will most miss about Spotswood in her absence is the people (both young and old!), travelling to town daily, hearing all the useful bits of information in the staff workroom and hearing students colourful language and expressions!

Good luck for your course Mrs Mulligan and we look forward to seeing you back at Spotswood in 2006.

June Moseley is taking a years leave of absence in 2005 to return to her home country, Wales, to stay with her elderly mother. She plans to spend quality time with her. She also hopes to get in lots of Welsh speaking practice! Mrs Moseley has been at Spotswood College six years. Four years were spent in the Experience Unit and most recently, two job-sharing in the Special Needs Unit. We wish her well on her travels and look forward to seeing her smiling, happy face in 2006.

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Warwick Foy has been teaching for eight years here at Spotswood. In 2005 he is doing a teaching exchange to the United Kingdom. He is swapping jobs with a Geography Teacher called Mr Helliker and he says to "be nice to him". Mr Foy will be back in 2006 so look out for him then!

Mr Foy will miss his many good friends on the staff (especially the boys who sit in the back corner of the staffroom playing cards at lunchtimes!). He has enjoyed the positive aspects of being the Year 9 Dean and his 9F Social Studies class this year has been very rewarding (well done to them!).

When Mr Foy first came to Spotswood he was young and idealistic. Now he is older, wiser (and his hair has become more grey). He has had many great experiences since being at Spotswood.

Good luck in the United Kingdom Mr Foy and we'll see you back in 2006.



Liz Carroll has been teaching here since the start of the year but is going on maternity leave to have her baby! She will miss the crazy students and has found the year to be totally enjoyable! Spotswood has been a great place for Miss Carroll to begin her teaching career and she has enjoyed the very relaxed environment.

We look forward to hopefully having Miss Carroll back in the future.

After one and a half years at Spotswood College, Martha DeLong is leaving us to take up a new post as a Health, Safety and Environmental Consultant. Ms DeLong cites the staff and students as what she will miss most about Spotswood. She describes her time at Spotswood as great and she hopes to see us all again. The staff will miss her sense of humour and her outgoing personality.

Karen Taylor is also leaving us to have twins (there must be something in the water here!) so is going

on maternity leave for 2005.

She has been teaching here for four years, coming to us from Opunake High School and Sacred Heart Girls College. Mrs Taylor will miss the free newspapers in the staffroom each day and the intelligent conversations with Miss Scott (I wonder who wrote this!).

Mrs Taylor has enjoyed her time here. She has found the Maths department to be a great bunch of people to teach with and the students to be friendly and pleasant to teach.



Skye Cameron is leaving Spotswood College after one year here to go on her big OE. She plans to travel the world seeing fantastic places and meeting wonderful new people (maybe even Mr Right!). Miss Cameron is sure she will miss the fantastic students she has met in her Drama, English and Social Studies classes. Her parting comment is this: "Students, make the most of your time at school, do your best and have fun. To the staff, thank you for being very friendly and supportive. I have really enjoyed teaching at Spotswood."

Miss Cameron, we hope you enjoy your travels and return to Spotswood.

Sarah Arnold has been teaching at Spotswood for the past two and a half years. Over this time the thing she has enjoyed the most are the students.

She has especially enjoyed teaching students that respond with animal noises when asked questions, flick projectiles with rubber bands, steal her chair and hound her with personal questions.

Her future plans are to marry a millionaire, have lots of babies and become a full time housewife/shopper. However she said her probable destination is to be back at Spotty teaching until she's 65!!



High Flyers

Turismo

At the start of the year Turismo Young Enterprise Company was formed. We originally had six members, but that is now reduced to three. Ben Woods is Managing Director, Design Director and Communications Director. Jeremy Clyma is Production and Marketing Manager. Ben Hunter is Finance and Sales Director.

We launched our "2005 Desktop Calender" product with a great Product Launch evening on 9th June, with such invited guests as our city's Mayor Mr Peter Tennent. The calender features work of the talented artists from Spotswood College.

Our highlights in Young Enterprise are coming second in the Business Planning section, winning Judges' and Peoples' Choice awards at the Trade Fair and coming third in the Oral Presentations. We were also a finalist in the Young Achievers Awards (Young Entrepreneur of the Year category). So far we have had a great year in Young Enterprise.

We took part in the New Zealand wide Enterprise Olympics during the September holidays. Ben Hunter is in the New Zealand winning team. He travels to Wellington in early November to line up against the rest of the world in the Global Olympics.





On 7th October we attended the Regional Young Enterprise Awards. We were placed first in the Financial Award, first in the Media Award, second in the Annual Report Award and second overall in the Taranaki Region. It was very interesting that after nine months solid effort, there were four marks between first and third place, with one mark separating us from being first. We brought home \$4,000 worth of prizes some benefiting us but most go to school.

We wish to acknowledge here the tremendous contribution of our talented artists and Mrs Cooper, without their work we would not be able to produce the calendar nor promote Spotswood College in such a positive way.

We would also like to thank our great teacher Mrs Miles. Also thanks to our mentors Kevin Fenwick and Chantelle McGiven from Shell Todd Oil Services.

Jeremy Clyma Year 12



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Rival State

We have been playing in bands since we were about 12 or 13 starting out as a covers band back at Intermediate School then progressing into an original band which we have been in for around four years. Jo Einarsson (guitar), Sylvester Stone (Drums) and Stefan Einarsson (Bass) have been playing in the same band since 2000 then Nimal Fernando (Vocalist/Guitarist) joined in late 2001. There have been some members come and gone but the four of us are the ones that will stay. The band that is now is the way the band will be throughout our music career.

We play most weekends in bars and any other events we can get into. We have played with bands from Australia and all around New Zealand. We also have plans to do a North Island tour next July. We like to promote youth bands and youth music. We take any chance we get, no matter where it is or how many people will turn up.

We have been to Auckland to record two demos about a year ago which took two days of long periods of time in the studio. This event taught us a lot about the recording industry and how it all works when recording a track. The recordings were placed on the internet for people to download and listen. We had quite a number of downloads and some good comments from all around the world.

We have played in the CokesmokefreeRockquest for the last three years receiving the awards of third place, second place, and this year first place. Our next goal as a band is to move on into the national competition of the

CokesmokefreeRockquest. We are currently in the top 40 bands in the country out of 649 and are hoping to make it to the top 12 then to the top 6 then hopefully into the top 3. If we were to get into the top 12 we would be the first Taranaki band in Rockquest's 17 year history to make it into the national semi-finals, which would be a great honour for us.

Our goal as a band is to pursue a career in music when we leave school. It's our dream in life to play music all around the world. It's our number one priority - music for us comes first.

Jo and Stefan Einarsson Year 12



New Plymouth District Council Cultural Award

The first thing I would like to say is that I couldn't have accomplished half of what I have to date without the help of my mother and father. Secondly I would like to thank Lexa and Latashia for nominating me for the Cultural Award I received.

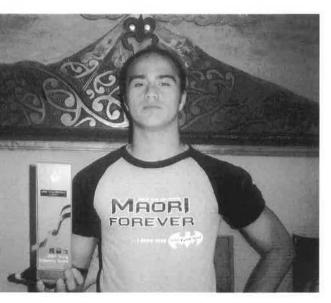
It was a lot of hard work not only for me but for my Kapa Haka group also.

To receive this award you must have accomplished a lot of things to do with a culture. The culture that I received my award for was Maori, mostly through Kapa Haka. Kapa Haka is what I live for.

I have been in many different Kapa Haka groups and many different levels so I have been doing Kapa Haka all my life.

Over the years my level of skill has increased as has my knowledge on all Maori arts and crafts.

Clive Tonga Awhikau Year 12



Annual Young Designer Cultural Section Award

Year 13 student Whitney Moore won 1st place in the Cultural Section of the 12th Annual Young Designer Awards held in Christchurch in October.

Her family accompanied Whitney to the award ceremony. For her efforts, she was awarded a \$200 cheque and a certificate.

These very impressive National awards were set up for all New Zealand secondary school students, offering an extensive range of categories, including Built Environment Design; Communication Design; Electronics Design; Landscape Design; Fashion Design; Product Design and Visual Arts.

Whitney's winning design was a skirt. The skirt is suggestive of Victorian clothing, while the flax corset weaves in a customary Maori influence.

Whitney chose to work with flax because she likes working with natural fibres and because flax doesn't cost too much. Whitney began flax weaving a year ago and was taught by her aunty.

Back at school, fellow Year 13 student Candace Noyes modelled Whitney's skirt at senior and junior assemblies.

Next year Whitney hopes to go to either WITT or Victoria University to study design.





National Bank Mathematics Competition

The National Bank Mathematics Competition is an annual event held throughout New Zealand and open to all high school students. In 2004 9,700 students entered it from 207 different schools.

The competition itself consists of five graded problem-solving questions, the first being for Year 9 only. Question four was the "logic" question and the most difficult was question 5.

I found that the first couple of questions were well within my capabilities, but they became progressively harder until I was unable to answer every problem.

Because this was a competition and not a test, individual marks were not sent back, only placings. Postgraduate students at Otago University marked the papers, with top papers marked a second time by Mathematics lecturers. Unfortunately, when the answer booklet came, many of us couldn't remember what we'd written!

The competition was a fun and interesting way to test the skills we'd been learning in class and to find out how much else we need to learn!

Samantha Hill Year 9

National Bank Mathematics Competition

I recently participated in the National Bank Mathematics Competition which happens once a year. It is open to all students in Years 9 through 11. This year Spotswood College had some major successes with myself and Samantha Hill being placed among the top 30 students from our level in the competition. This is an awesome result! It was a great learning experience and an opportunity that I encourage all mathematically inclined students to take advantage of in the future years.

Sarah Maessen Year 11



Dancing

During Easter 2004, I competed at the Champion of Champions Highland and National Dancing Competition. It was held in Glen Waverly, which is in Melbourne, Australia. There were about 600 competitors from Scotland, Canada, Australia, New Zealand and other parts of the world. Over the weekend, we got the chance to see the nine-time champion compete which was really good to see. In my section, I came seventh overall, but it was a really great experience and I can't wait to go again in two years.

Nicole Eichstaedt Year 10



Secondary Schools Netball Awards

It was an honour this year to receive the secondary schools netball player of the year award.

As a member of our Spotswood Senior A netball team I not only played every Saturday, but I also played Friday night games at the TSB Stadium for the secondary schools Senior A competition.

After the Friday night games the coaches selected a player of the match. Throughout the season I managed to get enough nominations to win the award.

I was unable to accept the award at the prize giving due to being on the Spirit of New Zealand.

I'd just like to thank my coach, Kim Woodward, for her encouragement and support and for accepting the award on my behalf.

Briar Plummer-Butt Year 11



Inline Hockey

I participated in the Oceania Inline Hockey Championships which were held at the East End rink in New Plymouth from 16th to 19th April. I played for the New Zealand Junior Women's team, which is made up of girls aged 16 and under. There are many different grades in the Tournament including 14 and under boys, 16 and under boys, 18 and under men (which ex pupil Jess Evans played in), 20 and under men, senior men, senior women and Masters grades. These are all national teams that represent New Zealand. You get selected from all around New Zealand to play in these teams from trials they have.

Every team plays against their opposing Australian team five times and to win the series it is the most wins out of five. Our team did extremely well by winning the series. This means we won gold and then came out unbeaten, winning all games first by 2-1 then 6-2, 3-2 7-2 and finally 3-2. Some other teams did very well. The senior men and 16 and under teams also came out unbeaten. Out of the eight grades, the country that receives the most gold medals gets awarded the Tasman Cup and this year New Zealand won this when the gold medals went to the 16 and under; 18 and under; senior men; junior women's and masters. These games were played over a four-day period. All the teams stayed together at the New Plymouth Girls High Hostel along with our coaches, assistant coaches, managers and assistant managers looking after their teams.



I will be attending the Inline Hockey World Championships, which will be held in Ontario, Canada in June of this year to represent New Zealand in the Junior Women's team. It ended up being a very successful tournament for our New Zealand inline hockey teams.

Claire Aiello Year 11



Taranaki Senior Men's Hockey Team

Nathan Andrews and I have recently been selected for the Taranaki Senior Men's Hockey Team. It is a great honour to play in this team and be coached by the very capable Marion Webby. I am enjoying playing alongside such high calibre players. I feel privileged to be picked for this team at such a young age. My selection is due to the intense training I have received at Spotswood College.

We have recently come back from our national tournament that was held in Ashburton. We had many close games with all the top teams but could only manage a 5th placing. The experience was awesome and I hope to make the team again next year.

Steven Davison Year 11

Taranaki Women's Soccer Team

Taranaki Women's Representative 2003 Winners Central Federation League. 2004 Third place. Scored two goals as a striker.

I was invited to join the Taranaki team in 2002 while playing for the Hawkes Bay. I was 13 years old. Now I have played two years for Taranaki Women's Soccer. It is exciting as you have to travel and this year more exciting as I had to play striker. It was great to get back into the team. I wanted to play soccer with experienced, skilled players who can play a fast game at my level. I have been a coach for junior soccer for four years now. So I am happy to play and teach at different levels.

To play in the Taranaki Women's Team has improved my attitude to soccer. I have learned that fitness and strength have helped me get into my chosen position in the squad. I wanted to be a striker. So last year I have trained at the New Zealand Soccer Academies and played in the local Sunday League to perfect my shooting. It paid off with winning the Golden Boot Award for the local Sunday Women's League 2004 in the Kaitake Rangers team. I have been playing Representative Central Girls Federation for four years now. So I have a lot of experience and am the youngest in the Taranaki Team.

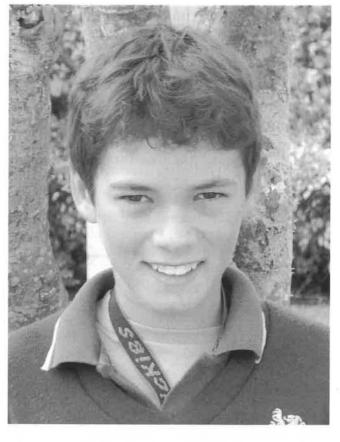
This year the team started off with cracking wins in the first three games against Massey and twice against Wanganui where I scored my first two goals. We looked well to win a third year in a row. But a dispute between the coach and some players left the team unsettled with four players leaving the squad. After replacements were called in the team struggled to get its rhythm back. I had to play more defence at times and could not get the ball close enough to strike. We lost the last three games to Massey in the return match and twice to Taradale. I was not too disappointed as I wanted the experience as lead up to the National League



2005. I would like to get into the trials for the Central Federation Women's next year.

Train hard at the Gym everyone to get your goals. Ha Ha! Goals!

Lauren Hartley Year 11



Showjumping

The national selectors for showjumping watch young riders and identify those who they believe show real talent. It was a great surprise and honour to receive the letter in the mail saying I was in the Children's Showjumping Squad. My sister Tayna was also named. We are the only Taranaki riders named in the squad.

I was also selected as the riding reserve for the World Youth Showjumping Team that competed in Gisborne last year.

Other achievements for me last year included winning the North Island Mini Grand Prix and coming second in the Speed Pony of the year.

Recently I was placed second in the pony grand prix - that was cool!

Mathew Dickey Year 9

Wrestling

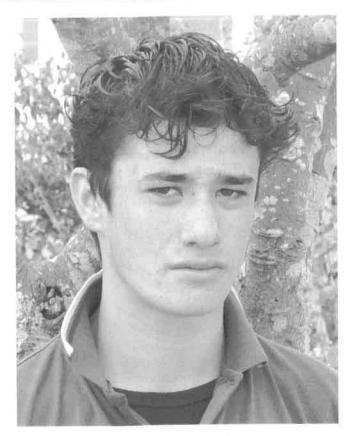
I was the only wrestler from Spotswood College to enter the New Zealand Secondary Schools Wrestling Championships this year. I gained second place with a silver medal. In the National Competitions I came third, winning a bronze medal.

I also had the distinction of being the only New Zealander to beat one of the visiting American wrestlers at the North Island Championships. He came first in this competition and I received the cup for the most scientific wrestler.

I have been a member of the combined New Zealand Secondary Schools squad this year and I was also named as a member of the New Zealand Development squad which means I will be touring America next year.

Toby Fitz Patrick Year 13





Sports At Spotswood College

Sports at Spotswood College are a privilege to be a part of because the coaching staff are full of enthusiasm about fair play and winning.

In the past year at Spotswood I have been involved in a variety of sports teams, club teams and fortunately enough, represented Taranaki in a few. Here are some of them: touch rugby, volleyball, rugby, cricket, softball, athletics, swimming, indoor rowing, indoor netball, basketball, New Zealand athletics team and national basketball. I have represented Taranaki in touch, softball, basketball, rugby and cricket.

My basketball coach, Mr Daryn Shaw, has fortunately been a part of the New Zealand Tall Blacks team and from his experiences playing the top basketball players in the world, has been the best basketball coach anyone could ask for. He is my idol of all idols.

My rugby coach, Mr Wayne Capper, has recently been a part of the Taranaki NPC squad and has taught me to always go hard but have fun.

Spotswood is a really good sporting school and I love it here. My advice to students at Spotswood is to make the most of all the sports available and take the opportunities you are offered.

Anaru Matthews Year 9

Karate

This year in March I went to Turangi for the National Karate Competition where I competed in the Senior Men's Fighting Competition. The competition was a great experience and it was a great feeling when I won the main event. I also got a bronze medal for the Kata event and was awarded with the best National Technique Award 2004.

Dominic Cooksley-Gruys Year 11



Kapahaka

This year was a very busy year for the Kapahaka group, tutors and their families, with the group preparing for the Paerangatahi Regionals in New Plymouth and Nationals in Wellington. The roopu trained hard only using one hour per week of allocated school time. The students committed themselves to practising in their weekends, juggling between sports and their home lives.

Wednesday 2 June Manu Korero was held at our school and among the participants were two of

our Kapahaka members, Morehu Tuutu Ransfield, who did Senior Maori, and Aaron Graham, who did Senior English. The Kapahaka group were given the day to support these two students and did so with pride. Our two members represented us and our school very well.

Thursday 3 June the Kapahaka group participated in the Wanganui/Taranaki regional Kapahaka competitons held at the TSB Stadium in New Plymouth. The team came 2nd in Te Reo, 2nd in whakawatea (exit), 3rd waiata tira (coral), 1st poi, 1st = waiata a ringa, 1st moteatea, 1st = kakahu, 1st = whakaeke (entry), 1st Haka, 1st = kaitataki wahine (female leader), 1st kaitataki tane (male leader) and 1st overall. We won the regional competitions for the second year in a row.

On 16 June 2004 the Kapahaka group, with a large number of supporters, travelled to Wellington for the Kapahaka National Competitions. I received 4th place for male leader. This competition was a good experience for our Rangatahi, as they were up against the cream of the crop of Kapahaka. Again our team can hold their heads very high, as they represented themselves, their families and their school with a lot of pride. They were probably the best dressed team on and off the stage.

During our visit in Wellington we were able to visit a few places - Te Papa, Wellington city and of course the Beehive. Our rangatahi and supporters were invited to sing a waiata while we were there. The applause and response from the staff and people that were watching was awesome. Our team even did a haka on the Beehive steps. We stayed at Te Tatau O Te Po Marae in Lower Hutt. We filled the Marae from the wharenui right through to the kitchen. There was hardly any space to move, but in saying this we were all very warm, well fed and well cared for.

This trip was very rewarding and successful and couldn't have been done without the support and help from our very committed families.

In Term 3 the roopu went to support Devon Intermediate Kapahaka group and did a 20 minute performance for them. The two groups performed really well and we will probably do this again next year.

On 11th September the roopu competed at the Manu Ariki Kapahaka competitions held at Waitara High School. Our group got 3rd place, our female leader got 2nd and I won male leader. This team was mainly made up of juniors so all in all this was a excellent result and a good day was had by all.

This year has nearly come to an end and I would like to thank the Year 13 students who were in this year's Kapahaka team, namely Kayne Katene, Elicia-May Nahi, Lexa Dickinson and Jasmine Brandt. You will be missed next year, we wish you all well for your futures.

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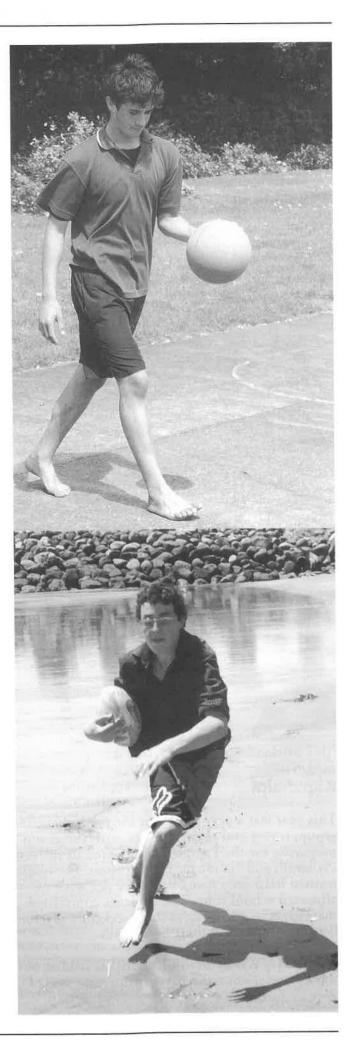
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Clive Tonga Awhikau (Junior) Kaitataki tane (male leader) Year 12





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Jayden Laing

Jayden was a wonderful, caring and creative person. No matter how hard something might have been, he would always give it a go and help others if they needed it.

He was full of curiosity for everything he had heard of, saw, or was studying.

He was best friends with Steven Barnes from the beginning of primary school and at Devon and Spotswood College. He was also friends with David, Andrea, Sarah, Shiori and many others.

He played rugby in the 13th grade, 1998 and 12th grade in 1999. He loved a good game of badminton from 3:30pm until 5 pm at Spotty's gym on Mondays and faced many older and more experienced player with enthusiasm.

After that, he went home only to go out again to karate. Jayden is a blue belt and was going for his brown belt, then his black. He was a great role model for the beginners and, not many people would do this, faced off against the teacher whenever he could. He also faced people who were twice his size and build. They all respected him a lot.



He was one of the top people in all of his school subjects. He loved to study Japanese and was going to visit Japan in his Year 13 year at Spotswood College.

Jayden also loved to cook. Whether it be at school or at home, baking his mother's peanut brownies to perfection. He wished to be a great chef and own a restaurant some day.

I can tell you I miss him deeply, and he has left a deep hole in all of our hearts that will take some time to heal. He is happy where he is as he has sent us a rainbow to show his love that lasted Saturday (29th of May) midday until Sunday 6 pm. In addition, he sent two shooting stars of warmth, one on Saturday night heading towards the planet Venus and one on Sunday night.

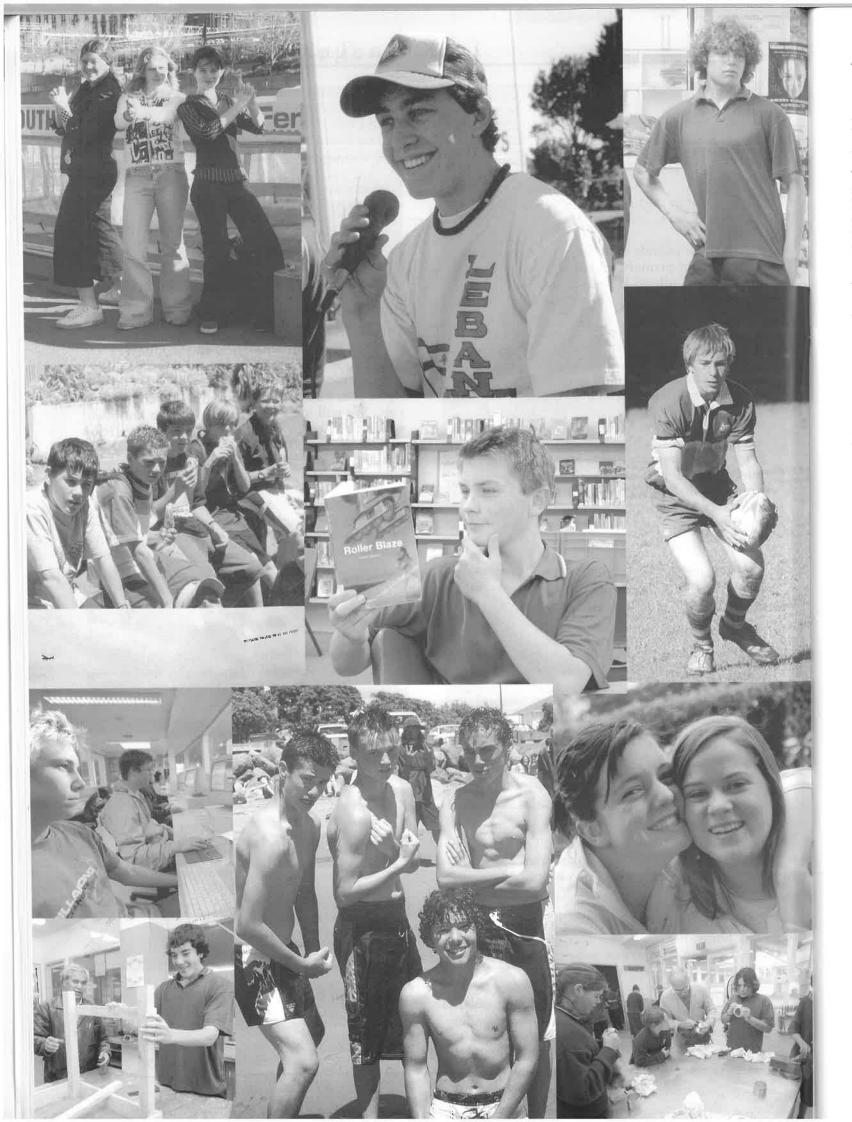
Jayden always made people laugh, even on their worst days. He never frowned.

We all had many fun times together and will treasure them the most forever.

We know you are there, a guardian angel to all of us and that you will help us to succeed in our goals for life.

Your cat, Rascal, is missing you heaps and everyone who you knew, or who knew you will never forget your name. To be one of the last people to see your face and to have placed the coffin lid back upon you, I am very honoured to have known you. We will miss you sooo much, but know we will see you again in heaven some day. We thank you for all that you have done, and so for now, it is only a short good bye and until we meet again.

Sarah Anderson Year 10



Board of Trustees Chairperson Report

Hello Everyone. Greetings to you all!

Unbelievably another year draws to a close...I would have to say that it has certainly been an exciting one! There were a number of things happening regarding Board of Trustees business, not the least of which was a visit in the first term by the Education Review Office. This proved to be an amazing experience...the timing was a tad tricky as it was close to Board election time, but what a note to go out on! Graeme McFadyen did an amazing amount of work leading up to the visit, making sure everything was ticked off from the Checklist ERO had provided (!), and, with support from the Senior Management Team went confidently into the visit. As well as an initial meeting with the Board of Trustees, the ERO team debriefed the Board at the end of their visit and we sat listening to all the good news. We knew good things were happening in the college but it was really nice to hear it being affirmed in such a positive way from an investigative team ... what a great way to end the term!

Thank you to all the staff for the excellent things that you do and continue to strive to do. A special and personal thanks to Graeme for the huge amount of work you do in enhancing relationships within the school and wider community and the contribution you make towards the culture of the school.

This year we farewelled four trustees: Colin Scott, Libby Baker, Stephen Ryan and Sue Henchman, and I would like to thank them for the time and effort they put in, especially Sue who was an able and supportive Deputy Chairperson in the last year of her term. The elections saw 10 parents putting their name forward. It was good to have such a choice although with the calibre of persons that stood, I was hard pressed to vote for myself! We welcomed newcomers Pam Coe, Ian Roberts, Gail Towler and Glen Williams. Rest assured, the school community is being well served by those 'on board'. They are a very hard working and committed group of people and it is a pleasure to work with them all. Glen unfortunately had to resign due to a change in his work circumstances but certainly made an impact in the short time he served (yes Glen, that is a good thing!). Winfred Boeren was appointed to the Board in September and soon got into the swing of things. Anne Bovett, the Board Secretary, is most probably the hardest worker and continues to provide wisdom, knowledge and continuity for the Board. I am forever grateful for her professional integrity and occasional prompting!

Apart from numerous New Trustee training sessions that we have attended, the Board has worked towards a number of things this year. For example, there has been a change in the Financial Services Provider for the school, revision of Financial Policies, working with staff on providing an exciting new curriculum for next years options, working on 'best practice' in the Health and Safety area, and last but by no means least, continuing to consult and pull together plans for the Administration/Hall/Staffroom Upgrade. My thanks go to Brett Sloan for his very able and enthusiastic leadership in the Property arena.

In wider circles, there is ongoing debate regarding Governance versus Management. Here at Spotswood College, we enjoy working in a collaborative manner that flows from the community-Board-Principal-staff and back again, all the while the priority is our students, and how we can best serve them so that they can be the best they can be!

On a personal note, in August I had the privilege and pleasure of travelling as a parent supporter with the Hatrix Jazz Band and Spotswood College Concert Band to the Melbourne School Bands' Festival. It was a really wonderful experience, and we had a balance of play outs, group touristy days and free time. I was very proud to be away with this group of 23 young people and to wave the Spotswood banner with them. We certainly had some interesting teenager moments, not to mention the adults (you know who you are!), and I know nearly all of us would say that we learnt a lot more about each other and how to play together, in every sense of the word. This experience would



not have been made possible without the dedicated group of parents and teachers who made it happen.

This is only an indication of the sort of support that we have here at the College for groups such as the Japanese trip, Kapa Haka group, sports teams and others...so thank you to you parents who do your thing in the busyness of your lives to help make College a better place for all of our young people here.

Blessings on you and your families and Happy Holidays! Kind Regards, Deborah Taylor Chairperson



Student Representative on the Board of Trustees

It was a real honour to be selected as student representative on the Board of Trustees. I knew that it would entail hard work but it would also get myself involved in activities within Spotswood College that I otherwise would have not have been able to be part of. Before my first meeting, I was worried about going to 3-hour meetings with all types of boring people. How wrong could I be!! The members on the Board are absolutely wonderful people who have a great sense of humour and made me feel very welcome. However, I still had to sit through some long meetings. Good thing food was provided!!

One of the events I was part of was the World Vision 40 Hour Famine along with Sarah Allemann and Natalie Brien. We travelled to a place called Waikanae. Anyway, we travelled there and learnt so much about the famine. This made us double the efforts we were to put into the famine. We ended up raising nearly \$2,000, which was a huge leap from \$300 of the previous year. Well done to all the students who participated.

The time I had on the Board was made wonderfully enjoyable by the support the Board members gave me. It was a truly rewarding experience to learn about what goes on in the background running of the school. The Board members are hardworking people who do it all for us students, so we thank you all.

Also thanks go to Mr McFadyen, Mr Sloan, Mr Cooper and Ms Moran for the work they also put into the school. The amount of work these four put into the meetings, along with the work they juggle while at school, would make you think they are superhuman. Frankly, I believe that all the people involved in the Board are superhuman so thanks for everything!!

Nikhil George Year 13





Head Girl Report

From the first day at Spotswood College people offered me opportunities in sports, drama, music and leadership which I always managed to stick my hand up for. Some I was good at, some I wasn't and I was completely hopeless at others! However I had a lot of fun and learnt from these experiences. Putting my hand up for Head Girl was another one of these opportunities. This role has resulted in far more opportunities than I expected. During the year I have had to be flexible as the role changed which has been a challenge in itself. From the first day back at school I was organising, leading and representing Spotswood at a lot of different events.

A few weeks into term one all the Prefects and Peer Support Leaders spent a couple of days on a Leadership Course where some of us found out that being woken up at 7am and rolling out of bed can have some serious consequences! (Sorry again Tarsh!). But apart from that accident and Rhys` ankle we had a great time and learned a lot about our group and its leaders. As Head Girl I have taken other Leadership opportunities that have seen me in Wellington, Waikanae and even at the Devon Hotel this year. All of this has helped me push my boundaries and comfort zones.

One of the more interesting roles that Nik and I undertook on a regular basis this year was modelling. Yes that 's right modelling! We get the message from Mr McFadyen that a crew from the Daily News was coming on Thursday and would we be able to have our photo taken? I lost count of the number of times we were featured in the newspaper but I can 't remember us ever complaining!

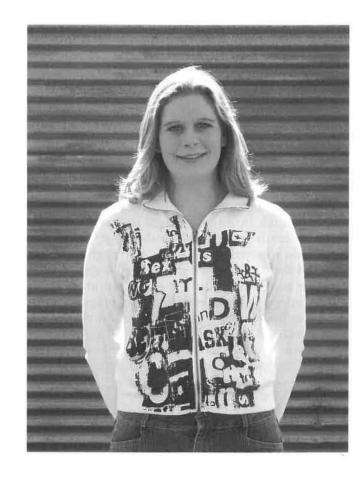
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I think I've spent five years all up in the Concert band and four in the Hatrix Jazz band. This is quite impressive as it meant I had to get to school by 8am twice a week and that's not even including Hatrix practices! The highlight from playing in the bands would have to be the Melbourne band camp trip that we had this year. We spent ten days in Melbourne where we went sightseeing, shopping, eating, more shopping, oh and playing of course! It was a great experience and one that I shall treasure. Thank you to Mr Bradshaw, Mr Orr, Glen, BJ, Deborah, Kim and all the parents who we left behind for making the trip happen! It was great!

Winter Wonderland! Well what can I say girls? I was so impressed with the Ball this year. It was a great night, definitely one to remember! A huge amount of work was done for the event to run as smoothly as it did! So congratulate yourselves as a job well done! I hardly had to lift a finger which helped make my year that much easier!

Other people who made this year such an honour were Jackson and Julia with the fantastic arts week that they organised; Euan and Aya and the committed team who cleared out the gully; Michael for organising the House Sports (go Barrett!); and all the other Prefects who helped Nik and I this year. I am so grateful for all your support throughout this year.

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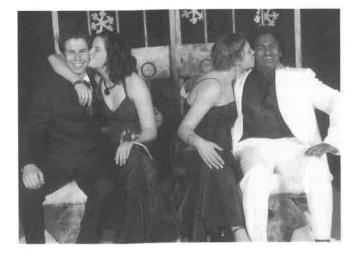
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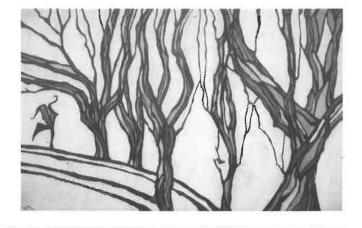
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Year 9 Beach Picnic

Near the start of Term 1 on a hot, sunny Thursday afternoon all Year 9 students left the school grounds and headed down towards the beach for a picnic, as a welcome into the school. When we got there, we sunk down on the rough, sun bleached grass to listen to a talk from the teachers and to have lunch. As soon as we were dismissed, we scrambled down the jagged, black rocks to the changing rooms. My cousin and I met each other and raced across the scorching, black sand, then plunged into the freezing water. It felt nice to be away from the stuffy classroom for a change and have the cool wind rippling through my hair, and breathe in the fresh, salty ocean air.

Ethan Moynihan Year 9



Term 1, Thursday 17th February, all the Year 9 students went to the beach for a picnic. The teachers rounded up the Year 9 students and we started walking to the beach in our classes. It was a nice walk and it probably took us around 20 minutes. When we got there, there were fun activities to do and nice juices to drink too. When we got there we sat down and had lunch. After that we were free to do whatever. Some of us went for a swim, some played volleyball and some people just relaxed under the sun. The teachers did a great job for making this day as fun as possible. Everyone was having a great time then we had to pack up and leave. It was a really great day for all Year 9 students and teachers.

Moana Maaka Year 9



Gateway

I am the sort of person who likes to get to know people, talk a lot and who is keen on interaction. Somehow I wanted to combine these traits and put them into something I enjoy and love. The Gateway programme here at Spotswood College has helped me to do just that.

I was given the opportunity to do a course at WITT every Wednesday, doing a Radio Broadcasting course. I took the chance with much enthusiasm. The whole atmosphere at 'The Most FM' is just awesome. The people there are so helpful, especially when it comes to production in the recording studio. Also the types of personalities we come across there are so funny or weird such as 'The Chad.'

This Gateway placement has been so rewarding by giving us (Alexa Nel, Taryn Wallace and I) our own shift. This experience has opened so many doors for me in advertising for the school and being offered to do other advertisements for Energy FM which I am stoked with.

I guess my message to students considering doing Gateway is 'take all the chances you can get!` To do something that interests you through this programme is such a big opportunity you will be rewarded so much by it. Gateway, I think, is the gateway or pathway to what you want to succeed in

Elicia-May Nahi Year 13

Winter Wonderland

The Spotty ball was held on 14th August 2004 at the TSB Showplace, Theatre Royale. The theme was "Winter Wonderland". The night was hugely successful with a fantastic response from our year 12 and 13's – even though it clashed with NPBHS ball! Everyone looked simply smashing!

The success that was achieved from the ball is with a huge thank-you to the following people:

Jason Gaastra Rhys Harvey David Wells Michael Riley Holly Snowdon Reece Julian Janette Crow

And an extra huge thank you to these people for their incredible amount of support and dedication with props (damn polystyrene!!), tickets (thanks Candy!) etc throughout the WHOLE year and building up to August 14th 2004.

Candace Noyes Natalie Brien Whitney Moore Shelley Radford Latashia Kilpatrick Whitney's Nana Daddy Moore

We had awesome help from other Year 13 students and families turning up on the day to help out. The lunchtime feed on Saturday also went down well – thanks to my parents for that – it was awesome (not to mention yum!).

Money wise - we managed to get \$800 plus worth of sponsorship from my Dad's business - CBL Copier Solutions, About Image and Daddy Moore's sign writing for expenses. Please make sure you support these firms.

A very well organised Year 13 pre-ball (thanks to Reece Julian and his mum) went really well, and everyone arrived in "style" to the ball in a bendy bus!!!

The doors to the Theatre Royale opened at 8:30pm with the supportive and very helpful staff on hand. (Thank you!!).

The band "On Yer Bike" performed really well and everyone was up dancing, eating, drinking and having photos throughout the whole night. Food and drink went down well (thanks to the males) and the service was wonderful - thank you to our three Year 11 waitresses - Penny Reid, Shawnee Smith and Rebecca Brien, - who did an amazing job and cleaned up - not to mention looking gorgeous!!!



The awards and prizes were cleaned up well!

Ball Queen Candace Noyes Ball King David Wells **Ball Princess** Anikha Walin **Ball Prince** Rhys Newland Best Dressed Guy Michael Riley Best Dressed Girl Natalie Brien **Cutest Couple** Bonita te Awhe and Daniel Ferguson Glamour Guru Mrs Cooper Style Master Mr Sewter

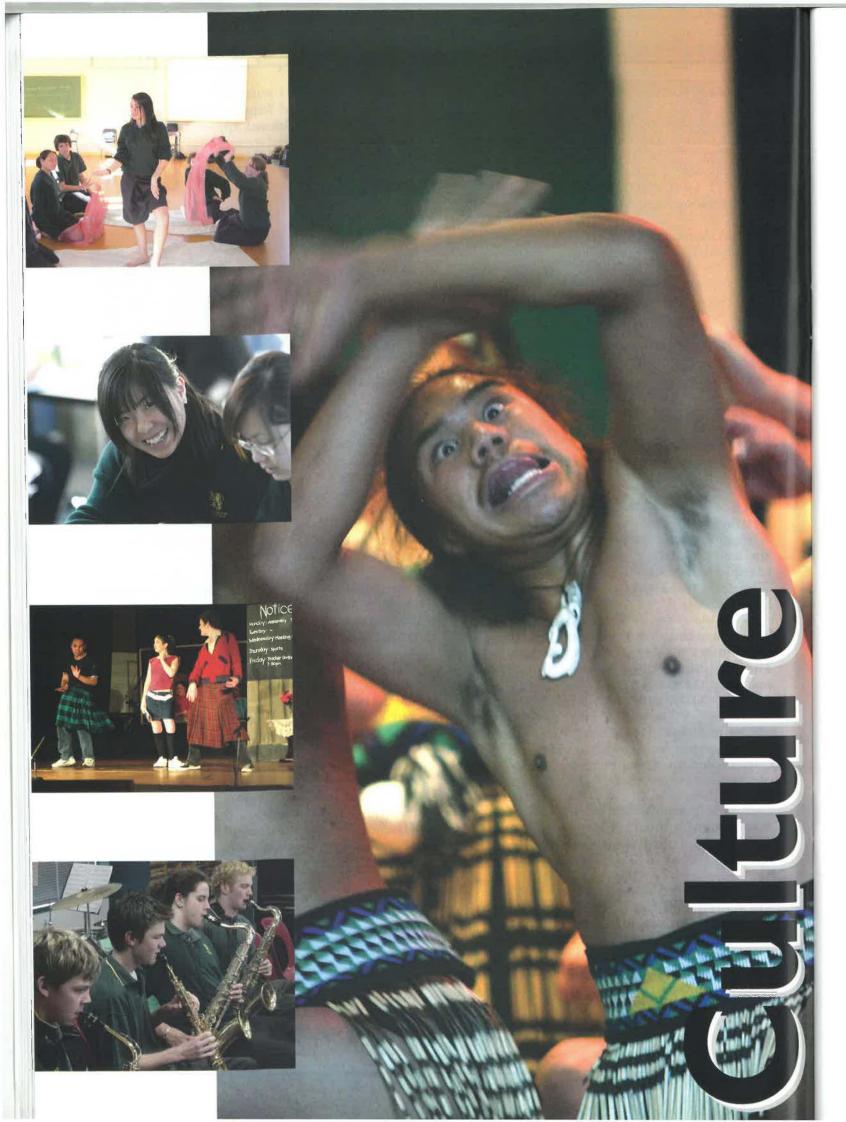
Afterwards everyone left after having an awesome night – and hopefully one they won't forget. Unfortunately the committee returned on the Monday to clean up! (Thanks everyone!!)

I appreciate all the help we got and thank you to the staff, PTA, sponsors and most of allYOU!! Thanks for the huge response and turn out from our Year 12 and 13's!! You guys are awesome!!

Thanks and good luck to Shelley for next year's team.

Katie Reid Year 13 Head of Ball Committee





International Language School

2004 saw an increase in International student numbers, growing to 28 for the second semester. Our students came from Brazil, Japan, Korea, China, Hong Kong and Germany. The ESOL classes were boosted by 10 resident students whose families live in New Plymouth, but whose first language is not English.

We have been grateful for the able assistance of Janet Lean and we welcomed a new part-time teacher to our ESOL team – Emmalie Wenn. Betty Leung continued to be employed in her role as guardian, overseeing the welfare of our Chinese students. We appreciated having Betty on board.

HIGHLIGHTS FOR 2004

Taranaki International Sports Academy (TISA), based at Spotswood College, continues to grow with two Korean students undertaking English and Golf, and two others participating in Tennis and Yachting.

 TISA has joined up with the Auckland Golf Academy to provide a pathway for Korean students wanting to study and play golf.

 A golf practice facility has been approved for the Omata Rd sports field.

 NZQA have approved a Certificate of Golf to be taught under the jurisdiction of Spotswood College Language School.

 A social function for Homestay Parents was held at Crowded House, catering for up to 80 families and students.

Meetings for Homestay Hosts were held twice during the year in the Language School to assist families in their care of our students. Our programme would not be possible without these families and we thank them for their support of their 'adopted' teenagers.

Many operational policies were reviewed during the course of the year and we are pleased to be compliant with the Ministry of Education Code of Practice for the Pastoral Care of International Students.

The Language School, in B9, has hosted several visits from Chinese teacher in association with WITT and PEI, and two groups of students from Thailand, in conjunction with IEEC, run by Vida Henry and Naomi Wilson. Also a Japanese group from Nagasaki, organized by our friend, Japanese businessman, Kengo Itoda.

• Lyn Carroll hosted two functions at her home for our International Students.

• The Spotswood College Ball was another highlight for the Year 12 and 13 students.



International Students continue to be welcome at Spotswood College and the friendship and peace evident between resident and international students is an absolute highlight. We can all continue to learn from one another and 'make the world a better place'. This positive attitude was celebrated during both International Languages Week and Race Relations Day with an 'open day' in the Language School. Adopting the theme "take a walk in someone else's shoes – hikoitia nga tapuwae o te hunga ke" was a wonderful day of language and learning and it was enjoyed by both local and overseas students.

Thank you to all the staff and students who helped our International Students in 2004. Your friendliness and support makes Spotswood College the best school in New Zealand!

Gloria Holland Dean of International Students

Brett Sloan Director of International Students



Slave Day

Cruelty, laughter, amusement, pain, paint plus a hot sunny day could equal one of the best and worst days of your Year 13 year. This day is better known as Slave Day.

Guys dressed as girls, girls dressed as guys, enormous amounts of paint everywhere, especially in the Year 13 Common Room!! These things seemed to amuse all the juniors who 'purchased' us.

The tasks slaves were given varied from carrying bags to hopping in rubbish bins.

On the subject of rubbish bins ... to the people who purchased me, "You guys are mean!" I was in the rubbish bin and they pushed me into the bush! It really hurt!

But I guess the slave who deserves the slave crown is Yu-Chao. The poor guy had about seven bags cellotaped to him. An awesome game of noughts and crosses was played on his forehead but the curried rice thing was hilarious! Good on you!

Thanks to all the students who purchased us slaves. It was much appreciated and helped contribute to the fundraising done that week for Melissa Long.

The experience was great, the pain was great and in the end, you juniors definitely got your moneys worth!

Elicia-May Nahi Year 13





Back to the Eighties Musical

What an awesome musical! It all started in the winter of 2003 when by chance I met up with Mr McFadyen at the Waiwhakaiho netball courts watching Spotswood College teams play. Over the following weeks we had a few more meetings and it was decided that Spotswood would produce a musical in 2004. It had been twelve years since the last musical which was The King and I.

During the spring of 2003 I read 15 musicals and listened to a lot of music and finally decided on a David Spicer Production from Australia, called 'Back to the Eighties'. I had good reasons for choosing this musical - there were 25 great songs from the 80s, 17 equal lead roles and a great story line.

Auditions were held in February 2004 and then the work started - learning songs, lines, movement on the stage and dance routines, choosing a six piece band, pracitising with the band, making and painting props, organising sound and lighting and costuming the show at the Operative Society in twenty five hours ... and on and on it went!

During the first term twelve of the cast travelled to Whakatane to see Whakatane High School perform the same musical. That was a great trip and a wonderful time spent with the cast. We all stayed at the Ohope Christian Camp. It is a beautiful place and we watched the sunrise over the ocean on the Sunday morning...

By July we were ready to do our show. It had been a hectic last few months making all the final arrangements. We had some great support from the staff at the College, especially June Moseley who co-ordinated many of our helpers. Both shows were sold out and we did two great shows. It was a fantastic time for myself and Raeleen Luckin, meeting all these wonderful people and going on a journey with them. It will be a show that I will always remember.

Jan Aiello





Back to the Eighties Musical

This year's school play was titled 'Back to the Eighties'. It was totally awesome. I think it will be a stepping-stone for many future acting careers, especially Jackson Coe.

There are many memorable sayings which I am sure will not be forgotten such as "... your nuuuude!", "wishy washy cool" and "bad cops, bad cops, what you gonna do?".

We played to sold-out audiences both nights so thanks to our family and friends for coming along to support us.

This production would not have been possible without the directors Jan Aiello and Raeleen Luckin. All the long practices paid off with a good show both nights and I got quite a few girls' numbers after the show!!

David Wells Year 13





Bandana Week (11th to 17th October 2004)

During Bandana Week a variety of activities was organised to help raise money for Melissa Long and her family.

Each day something different was done, as well as raffle tickets being sold every day. On Tuesday the Year 13 students were auctioned off as slaves and they performed various "duties" for students (and teachers!) who bought them. Wednesday was Head Shaving Day. Four teachers (Mr Foy, Mr Taylor, Mr Gilmore and Mr Buchanan-Brown) and four students (Coehn Smith, Daniel Fergusson, Thomas Lindup and David Warren) were willing to shave their heads. The reporters from the Daily News came and wrote an article, which ended up on the front page the next day, with a colour photo! On Thursday we had a mufti day and a sausage sizzle was held. Friday was the final day of fundraising and a concert was given by our school band 'Rival State' and their friends 'Etiquitte'.

It was a very successful week. Thank you to all those students and teachers who helped and supported this week.

Erin Goodwin Year 12



Choir

The choir is up and running very successfully once again this year. Mrs Jan Aiello, who kindly gives her time and talents to the choir, expertly conducts us. A big thanks also to Mr Bradshaw and Mrs Charteris for all their help with the choir this year. This year our main focus has been the production "Back to the 80's".

We had heaps of fun singing in the show and look forward to being involved in the next production. We have also been involved in various performances around Taranaki.

We have all had heaps of fun. If you are interested in joining the choir, just come along to practices each Thursday at lunchtime in the music room. Everyone is welcome. Last but certainly not least, to all members of the choir who continue to show commitment and turn up every Thursday with a big smile: Keep it up and we hope to see you back next year.

Thank you once again to everyone involved.

Kristy Bradley Year 10

Spirit of New Zealand

Imagine this, you are sleeping on one stretch of material and people are smashing pots and pans through your room at 6.00am. You are made to go outside and dive into the sea. This happened to me for 10 days while I was on the Spirit of New Zealand in May earlier this year. I was lucky enough to be asked to go on this trip and it was the best trip of my life. I learned how to sail the ship with only 10 people, learnt leadership skills and how to live with 52 people on one boat. I made friends with people all over the country and people from foreign countries like Germany, France, Denmark, Finland and Canada. On my 10 days on the ship I travelled from Auckland Harbour to the Coramandel to Great Barrier Island and to Kauwau Island. I've seen some beautiful sunsets and locations and many rare birds and plenty of dolphins. It was a wonderful experience and I recommend it to everyone. Thanks to all the people who made it possible for me to go and thanks for all the people who gave me financial support.

Sam Keegan Year 13

Sheila Winn Shakespeare Festival

For the first time in history this year, the Sheila Winn Shakespeare Festival was held at Girls High. Funnily enough, over half the twenty odd entrants were from Girls High.

Spotswood went for quality, not quantity, entering one student directed piece and one teacher directed piece. The five-minute student directed excerpt was helmed by me, Jason Gaastra. I selected a scene from near the beginning of the Taming of the Shrew. The scene focused on Katherine and Petruchio's first meeting. I played the cocky Petruchio and Abigail Voss played sharp-tongued Katherine. Both did extremely well.

The second Spotswood piece was a compilation from MacBeth directed by the esteemed Michele FitzPatrick. The piece focused on MacBeth and Lady MacBeth's descent in madness after murdering the King. Jackson Coe played the role of MacBeth and Alex Nel worked hard as the convincing Lady MacBeth.

Both excerpts received high critical praise for their efforts with both being named runners up in their respective categories. Jackson and myself were both highly commended. While neither scene won the festival to go on and compete in Wellington, both were of a high calibre and raised the bar for future festivals.

Jason Gaastra Year 13



Junior and Senior Speech Competitions

As usual the juniors performed well. We have a talented group of individuals who all spoke with confidence and plenty of passion. It was intriguing to see contestants dressing up and in some cases acting the part.

Topics were wide and varied, ranging from "Super Heroes" and "Spiders" to "Smelly Creatures" and the good old "Kiwi Bloke".

The eventual winner who managed to fight her way through the haze of hot air and gesticulation from the plethora of contestants was Elise Wolfgram ... who spoke wth confidence and passion on "Super Heroes".

The seniors were a different kettle of fish. First of all it is in the nature of beast that seniors are hard to find, hard to organise and difficult to persuade. Nevertheless we persevered. After some arm twisting, shouting and some thinly concealed threats we managed to get a number of them to share the contents of their heads in the Year 13 Common Room.

Surprisingly enough the standard was quite high. There were some passionate speeches, about "Don Brash", some reflections on the "Gastric gaps" of the bare midriffs of young ladies, a gentle exposition of the evils of "Advertising", a very unusual discussion of "Happiness", an intimate insight into "My Family" and the sound of "Silence".

Eventually after a couple of false starts by the judges, Jason Gaastra was adjudged the winner of the Senior Speech Competition and the student entitled to deposit the magnificent trophy on his mantelpiece.

The contestants were:

Juniors
Andrea Bruce
Chantelle Miles
Elise Wolfgram
Evan Hawksworth
Jimmy Hick
Kristy Bradley
Maree Aiello
Nick Murphy
Rumbi Musvaire
Sam Woods
Sammy Everest
Sarah Anderson
Shay Porteous

Seniors
Aaron Graham
Jacob Waitere
Jason Gaastra
Lisa-Marie Taylor
Marion Tricklebank
Nikhil George
Rebecca Christini

Kyle Gilmore

Melbourne Band Camp

Friday 20th August 2004, 8am, Spotswood College bus stop.

Scattered in this scene are 23 young talented musicians, four patient parents, and two bandleaders, all laden down with luggage and about to embark on the ultimate band camp.

Fast forward through 12 hours of travelling and our entourage are sitting on yet another bus but with some differences - there are seatbelts (!) and we also happen to be in Melbourne, Australia.

Over the next eight days, we the Spotswood College Concert and Hatrix bands, played twice at the Melbourne School Bands Festival, which was held at Monash University. Whilst there we came across a variety of interesting characters – adjudicators who believed they were actually instruments, and this one time, a guy gave us important advice on the amount of tomato sauce that one should have with one 's pie. However we all agreed afterwards that it was worthwhile taking part in the festival because it was good experience for us as players, especially with the feedback we received.

One particular highlight of band-camp was holding a concert at Spotswood Primary School, Melbourne! Prior to our trip, Hatrix had given a similar concert to our own Spotswood Primary. We had taken a video of it, as well as filming the children gleefully expressing their greetings to their counterparts down under. Upon observing this video, the Aussie kids must have thought it was a real movie because they bombarded us afterwards, with autograph pads and pens in hand. We also discovered how affectionate they were they were hanging off our arms, and animatedly chatting with us. In Jimmy's case, attracting a whole fan club of no less than 30 screaming children who chased him around their school field, finally

pinning him to the ground! We had two other play outs - one at the primary school in Williamstown, and a Hatrix play out in the foyer of our hostel, for an audience of backpacking enthusiasts.

However, playing music was not all we did of course. During our copious amounts of free time, my roomie Sarah and I hit the shops to indulge in some retail therapy!! We also cruised the Queen Victoria Market, ate cake that was served by the special "cake-man", and were complimented on the colour of our clothes by a charismatic local. The band went to Luna Park! Voted the best attraction by most of the band members, we spent six hours there on some seriously heart-stopping rides (like the Ferris wheel, right Sarah?).

All in all, the Spotswood College band camp to Melbourne was a totally awesome experience! I for one, thoroughly enjoyed it, and I'm sure the rest of the group would agree. Many thanks to all the people who helped us to get there. Rock on!

P.S (No flutes were er.. harmed in the making of this trip.)

Gwendoline Taylor Year 12





Visiting Bands

This year the Boost Mobile Schools Tour bought us Auckland's punk/pop trio Goodnight Nurse. They played a lunchtime show in the hall to a crowd of about 300 in June.

Joel Little, Paul Taite, Jaden Parkes (Goodnight Nurse) and their roadies completed the schools tour of 95 NZ schools in 19 weeks.

Goodnight Nurse played a brilliant set including their remake of Kelis` 'Milkshake` and threw out freebies. Following them was our Taranaki Rockquest winners, Rival State, who this year made our school proud by getting into the top 6 bands out of 649 entries in Rockquest.

Thanks to all who showed up and helped make the lunchtime show such a success.

Next year will see yet another crazy promising young New Zealand band at our school, and we want some stage diving and crowd surfing too guys!

Sharina Parsottam Year 11



Fonterra Taranaki Science and Technology Fair

Steven Lee and I went to the Science and Technology Fair thinking that ... the topic we chose was stupid and we would probably lose. Well we were wrong! Our exhibit "Shorter by day, taller by night" got a Merit award. The judges liked the idea of seeing if two short people are actually growing! They thought that what would make a great topic for next year is if we got two tall people, two average height people and two short people (like Steven and I!) and measured our heights over a month long period.

Nick Murphy Year 9

Year 13 Leadership Camp

To be or not to be... a leader? To be it was, and off we went to the leadership camp called Vertical Horizons. The two days, one night camp was an experience only few could forget and they can only blame the forgetfulness on amnesia. All the year 13 prefects and peer support leaders embarked on a quest to learn how to be a leader. Not only did they learn about leadership, they also became a big group of friends. Well for two weeks anyway. I still wonder how we could have so much fun when the things we did were a little extraordinary.

Okay, maybe a lot more than that. Seeing an alien would be more ordinary than the things we did at the camp. Yet, it was the unusual stuff that we really enjoyed. Such as passing a banana with our feet and if we dropped it, we would have to take a bite out of it. There were no complaints from Mr McFadyen or Mr Sloan about the hygenic implications of this activity. Maybe because they were just bystanders, one of many things that stood out in my mind on the camp, was the life stories they both told us. It made us realise that teachers did have lives before school and that they are not aliens. It was also good for us students because we felt like we were being treated like adults and not young children.

Everyone who went on the camp enjoyed it, even if they had to eat a squashed banana that had been passed by a dozen feet. I encourage next years year 13 students to go to this camp. I wonder what will be waiting in store for you guys!!!

Thanks Paul Hitchcock and your team for a wonderful time. You guys rock!!!

Nik George Year 13



Hikoi ki Paremata

A beautiful banner of mana, pride and most importantly, unity.

As I stood upon one of the many orange and yellow barricades that surrounded the Parliament buildings, listening to the words that the many Rangatira spoke, these words that gave thoughts of strength, solidarity and most importantly the words that represented the beautiful banner that was their people, all twenty thousand of them. Crammed into the grounds of Parliament to support their speakers, their two loyal Members of Parliament, and to express and voice their outrage at their politicians who had abandoned their people that had put them into their position of power, their politicians who had chosen power and the government over their people.

Each of the twenty thousand people had their own story, whether they were Kaumatua, Pakeke, Rangatahi or Tamariki, they'd all made a journey, a pilgrimage from their homes, taking time off from work or study, a pilgrimage that had led them across the nation of Aotearoa, stopping in many towns, at significant landmarks, meeting amazing people along the way. Learning from the knowledge of those who accompanied us, learning this knowledge orally, the old way, the Maori way. A lot of them finally learning what it really means to be Maori.

On the hikoi to Parliament, I heard the hurt that my people felt at the abandonment by not only the government, but also their Maori Members of Parliament. The hurt they felt at the realisation that what New Zealand had done one hundred and fifty years ago, was happening again. Theft. Put any other name on it, but when you look into it you will realise it's theft.

The Government and the media were all surprised at the turn out that marched through the inner city streets of Wellington on the 5th of May 2004. I wasn't surprised at all. For an issue as real as this, I don't think any Maori could ignore it. It is theft, theft of one of the most valuable commodities, land. It is also discrimination even, the Pakeha and foreign investors who already own certain parts of the foreshore are not affected in this legislation, but the foreshore belonging to Maori, the tangata whenua is affected hugely. It is neglecting the spiritual rights Maori have as tangata whenua. It is not honouring the treaty. It is not going to be tolerated.

No one on the hikoi had false hope, we all knew there was barely the remotest chance that the legislation wouldn't go through, but we went anyway, if not to change the minds of the members of Parliament, but to make a statement and enlighten our people, all people, the citizens of New Zealand, not only Maori.

As the speeches continued Rangatira told us that once we had returned home, we couldn't just leave it at that, we have to start thinking about the next step to take, but what is the next step? How far are we going to have to go to be heard? To be recognised? To be given justice? I don't know. The thoughts these questions bring to surface scare me, they scare me deeply.

A gust of wind blew, almost sending me off the barricade to the other side, I climbed down and a kuia told me that it was Tawhirimatea (the atua of wind and weather) arriving in the grounds of Parliament, to show his anger and support for his people.

The crowd parted and entered Dr. Pita Sharples followed by his son and members of his weaponary school, with Taiaha and Patu, demonstrating their anger in the form of a haka. Shirtless in a storm, given strength and warmth from their people who stood supporting at their side.

A cheer rose from the crowd, I looked towards where they were looking. In the hand of Richard John Seddon, a Prime Minister who boasted about the amount of Maori land he confiscated (9 million acres), flew the Tino Rangatiratanga flag, the M·ori flag of sovereignty. The protestor who had scaled the statue and raised the flag became a hero.

Tariana Turia stood to speak upon "the black bus", bringing tears to the eyes of her people. The papers likened her to having a similar status as a rockstar. I saw her as a real person, with true values and enormous strength. She inspired me to follow my heart, no matter the consequences, an absolute inspiration.

That day I realised that this is not a small issue involving Maori, but a huge issue involving every citizen in New Zealand. On the hikoi, M·ori and Pakeha stood side by side. This really lifted the spirits for many marchers, knowing that as a race we are not alone, knowing other New Zealanders care about our issues, because our issues are their issues.

As I boarded the bus again that night and we made our return to Taranaki, I thought back over the last four days, the support people had shown us, the negative reactions we had got, the way we had dealt so well with the negative reactions, sending messages of love rather than the hate that we had been shown. I thought about the marae that had accommodated us along our hikoi, the preparation that had gone into making us feel comfortable and filling our stomachs with delicious kai. I thought how proud I was to be Maori and to have been part of this amazing experience.

Then I took a well-earned sleep.

Lexa-Rose Waireka Dickinson-Brooks Year 13



Spotswood College Japan Trip 2004

On the evening of Friday 2nd April, twelve Spotswood Japanese language students, two teachers and one parent departed on flight NZ8816 bound for Auckland. The next day was to be the beginning of our seventeen day adventure in Japan.

Our first day began early when we stepped on the plane to Japan. We arrived in Hiroshima late on Saturday night and met our first host families. We were all exhausted and got to bed as quickly as we could. After a good night 's sleep we felt more orientated and energetic. We spent the day sightseeing with our new families. Many of us ate our first Japanese food and tried out our Japanese language with varying success.

Over the next two weeks we shared an extraordinary number of very special experiences. We travelled on bullet trains, ate lots of interesting food and shopped 'till we dropped. We saw ancient temples and castles and learnt a lot about the history, culture and language of Japan. Some of the highlights were Disneyland, Miyajima Island, shopping in Ginza, Kamakura and Kinkakuji Golden Temple. The students made frequent use of the many vending machines, which provided coke, coffee, ice creams, and a dizzying array of energy and soda drinks including the famous Pocari Sweat. Most of the students sampled the junk food but also made a valiant attempt to eat all of the Japanese food that was served to them - and they ate it with chopsticks.

Another one of the trip's highlights was staying in the homes of our host families. Each of us had three host families over the course of the trip and all of them were generous, welcoming and extremely gracious. It was a true privilege to live with these kind people. We all realised that this was an opportunity that money simply could not buy. We were all sad each time we had to leave our families and tears were shed by many of us on several occasions. Our bags were always heavier too as we were weighed down with many generous gifts. We had a range of experiences in our Japanese homes. Some families were very Westernised while others were more traditional. Some students slept, ate and relaxed on the tatami flooring. Others experienced the delights of the modern Japanese toilet complete with bidet, fan, heated seat and musical toilet roll holder.

We had some formal obligations to complete on our trip. These were sometimes challenging and character building, but always well received. We visited two schools where our students attended classes. We met with the Mayor of Mishima (New Plymouth's sister city) and attended formal welcome parties in Hiroshima, Nagasaki and Mishima. We were always formally welcomed and we performed the Haka, sang and introduced ourselves in Japanese. Kirsty Hemara was inspirational as our Haka leader and Candace Noyes spoke Japanese with confidence and poise during the formal speeches.

When the students were off-duty from being fine representatives of Spotswood College they got up to a little bit of mischief. The mini-bar theme (non-alcoholic of course!) dominated the first half of the trip. Those of you who watch Hyundai Sports Café may have some insight into this strange yet humorous ritual. There were a range of challenges including the sushi challenge (eating a lot of it) and the platform challenge (jumping off a train at a short station stop, buying a drink and getting quickly on again).

The trip was a complete success and many of us had experiences we will never forget. Thanks must go to Mrs Smithers, Kim Jury (Chaperone) and all of the parents who supported us in the fundraising in the year leading up to the trip. Thanks also to the twelve students who made the trip a memorable and happy one for all of us. The students were; Ali Wright, Kallum Jury-Field, Teurukowhai Ratana, Matthew Davis, Liam Harker, Jacob Waitere, Daniel Ferguson, Chris Maessen, Kirsty Hemara, Sakura Smithers, Jaclyn Anderson and Candace Noyes.

Warwick Foy

Year 13 Economics and History Trip to Wellington

On Wednesday August 4TH a happy bunch of Year 13 students along with their teachers (Mr Sewter and Mr Hodgkinson) took off for a 3 day Social Science Trip to Wellington. After vans were selected, on the basis of probable safety of each driver (it was decided that Rhys had better not drive!!), and after Natalie arrived thinking that we were leaving at a later time the group set off on a very pleasant morning. Nothing dramatic occurred on the way down with normal stops at Patea and Levin before finally arriving at Te Papa.

The group stayed in the 5 star backpackers "Rosemere", just off Willis Street and took the opportunity, after consuming a range of nutritious takeaways, to go to see Fahrenheit 9/11 or King Arthur. As it was past one of the teacher's bedtime he fell asleep watching Fahrenheit 9/11 only to be woken up with Britney Spears making one of her life changing statements.

Thursday was the formal day. All dressed in blazers and ties we trudged from the Reserve Bank to the Ministry of Economic Development to the Department of Statistics and finally to Parliament. We were entertained by Harry Duynhoven (MP for New Plymouth) who was obviously fired up by something said about him in parliament. Question time was interesting with someone being called a windfarm as well as hearing answers to challenging questions about horse racing.



That night we were on the train to Porirua, mainly to experience going through tunnels!! Tea was had at the Porirua Mall but the tenpin bowling was abandoned due to insufficient information about its location. Further fun was had with Nathan jumping on the railway tracks which could have resulted in a \$10,000 fine. Fortunately no one in authority was around to apprehend him.



Friday was back to parliament and then on to the archives to look at New Zealand's original documents including all the original copies of the Treaty of Waitangi. Finally after another food stop at Paraumu it was back home (in weather not quite as pleasant as that going down). All in all a successful and pleasant trip away for all involved.

John Hodgkinson



Auckland Trip

It all started Wednesday 2nd June 2004 at 8am - 31 Year 12 Geography students, 3 teachers and 1 mother, board the bus bound for Auckland. First stop Waitomo Caves; we got a tour of the caves and the Glow-worm tunnel. We all board the bus again, one quick count up, everybody's here lets go!

We arrive at the scout camp at 3pm. 31 students pile off the bus, grab their bags and head to their cabins. We all get settled in and its time to go for a tour of the camp. Down the track we go, half of the group went with Mr Lanning to the flying fox and the other half went with Mr Foy and Mr Sewter down to the beach. Then we all met up again at the flying fox. Soon it was time to go to get dinner and off to the movies we go. It's been a long day for everyone, so we are all pretty tired. We get back and head to bed.

It only seemed like we had just gone to sleep and we had to get up again. We have our breakfast and get ready to go out for the day. At 9am we all pile on the bus to go to the Sky Tower, Kelly Tarlton's, Tunnels at North Head and the Auckland War Memorial Museum. We each learnt new things about the places we visited. We head back to camp to get ready to go out for dinner and do a spot of shopping before we go 10 Pin Bowling. The overall winner for 10 Pin is Gwendoline Taylor, followed by 2nd equal Mr Foy and Mr Sewter. Well done you guys!

Once again we head back to camp for the last time and we chill out for a while before going to bed. Some people packed their bags ready to go in the morning.

Breakfast time comes around fast; hungry bodies come out of their cabins looking for something to eat. We finish packing our bags, have a tidy up in our cabins, meet in the dining room for a group meeting, have a quick last glance at the camp and pile on the bus ready to go to Auckland Zoo. We have our group photo taken and head off to look at the animals. We meet back at the bus and head home.

On the way home we get out the Karaoke and started singing away. The highlight on the karaoke was Mr Lanning letting out his sounds to the group. There were a few good singers on the bus trip home. Well done to those who did sing.

This trip wouldn't have been a trip if it weren't for the people who came and for the people who organized the trip. Thank you to everybody who pitched in. The trip was an awesome experience. Thanks heaps.

Erin Goodwin Year 12



Wellington Trip

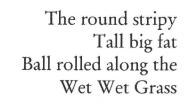
On 3rd September at 9.00am 12 Year 12 Alternative English and Theatre Studies students and Miss Scott, Miss Murray and Mr Little met at the school van, all ready to go to Wellington to watch a Shakespeare play called Macbeth.

Some travelled in the van, others in Miss Scott's car. We arrived down in Wellington at around 2.00pm, staying at the Rosemere Backpackers. It was a friendly place to stay. Once we had settled down we headed into the capital city to have a look around. Friday night we spent in town at the movies, half of the group went to Dodgeball and the other half went to Fahrenheit 9/11. On Saturday we went to Te Papa in the morning and went on the cable car and shopping in the afternoon. In the evening (8.30pm) we went to the play. The play was very good; some parts were very disturbing, for example when the (FAKE!!) head appeared all bloody and yuck.

We were all pretty tired after the play so we went to bed when we got back to the Backpackers. Sunday was the day we all go back home. The school van left at 9.00am and Miss Scott had already gone ahead. The van had been travelling for about half an hour when Mr Little's phone rang. It was Miss Scott wondering how to get out of Wellington. Anyway she finally got out and we met up with her in Bulls and both groups made it safely home.

Erin Goodwin Year 12

Soccer



Andrew Berry 9N



School is learning With some fun The bell rings Home "hi mum"

School

Chelsea Officer 9N



Syllable Poem

Cars
Are fast
Sleek and strong
Shiny, smooth, soft, hard
Awesomely fast engines
Chromed to the days
Awesome paint
Show car
Wins.

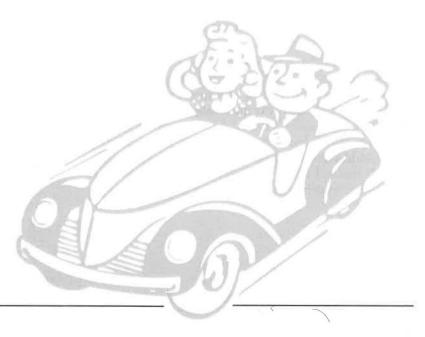
Shannon Andrews 9N



School

Work
Learning
Kind teachers
Pencils, paper
Daily big buses
Heaps of fun sports
Bell ringing
Shouting
Talk

Emily Bower 9N





Did you hear?
Did you hear a frog?
Screeching, screaming, splashing, spluttering,
Gulping, grouching and croaking

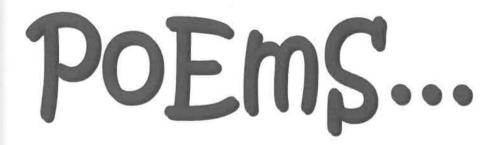
Christian Lovell 9N



Farms

Hungry, kittens Peaceful, calm Flowing, rivers What a farm

Lucy van der Fits 9N



Ist XV Rugby



Ist XV Boys Rugby

The 1st XV commenced the season in B grade and had some encouraging wins.

The team made the semi finals and in a very competitive match against NPBHS Under 15. We went into overtime with the final whistle resulting in a tie at 12-12. We ended up getting beaten to a penalty kick in front of the posts making the score 15-12. Still this was arguably our best match of the season.

Philip, Tony and Coehn were selected to trial for the Taranaki Under 16's representative team.

Thanks to all the team members for showing up to practices rain, hail or shine. We could definitely see improvement from the very first practice and this was evident in game play.

Thank you to Brad Kemp and Terry Long for coaching the team. Thanks also BJ Smith and all the other parents and teachers who helped throughout the season.

Jordan Smith Year 12

team was a very young side with just four Year 13 students with the rest of the squad being Year 11 and 12 students. The team was coached and managed by Terry Long and Brad Kemp.

This year the Spotswood College 1st XV rugby

We had a relatively successful season in the B1 grade, slaughtering some teams by humungous margins. Some memorable moments include Coehn's 5-try haul against Coastal. Also the two knockout games required ambulances!!

We made the semi-finals and after two extra times, Boys` High narrowly beat us ending a memorable season.

To wind up the year we had a function at Terry's place which involved a few games, a few sausages and a few refreshments. Thank you heaps Terry and Brad!!

P.S No more paper inserts!!!

Rhys Harvey Year 13



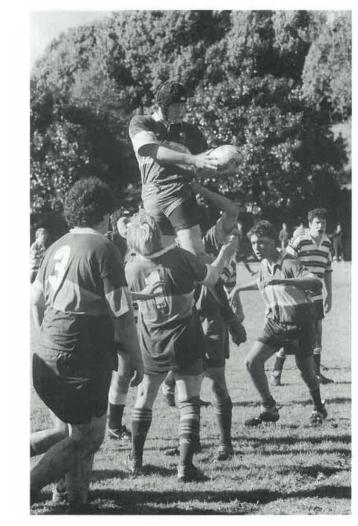
Ist XV Rugby

Back Row: Toby FitzPatrick, Louis Ashwin, Coehn Smith, Teremoan Takie, Croyden Smith.

Middle Row: Wayne Capper (Rugby Administrator), Clive Tonga Awhikau, Carl Paton, Rhys Harvey, Phillip Whalen, Ryan Collins, Josh Nahi, Kane Matthews.

Front Row: Mitchell Smith, Logan Bruce, Ben Lealand, Jordan Smith, Ronald Graham, Dylan Wharepapa, Bradley Shotter.

Absent: Vincent Wilson, Tony Kumeroa, Joseph Tattersall, Kayne Katene, Simon Wicks, Briar Johns, Mr Bradley Kemp (Coach), Mr Terry Long (Manager).



D-Grade Rugby

This years Spotswood College D-grade rugby team played 11 games. We won most matches, losing only three. This allowed us to compete in the Taranaki Secondary Schools semi-final for our grade. Unfortunately we lost against Boys` High Black in this game.

The team consisted of the best fifteen players in the school who weighed under 65kg. The team line-up was:

Nathan Sole (1)

Steven Long (2)

Corey Dean (3)

Nathan Woods (4)

Daniel Bruce (5)

Jono McLernon (6) Luke Ahkoui (7)

Anaru Matthews (8)

Karl Giddy (9)

Michael Lambert (10)

Carl Rangi (11)

Beau Worthington (12)

Huriwaka Rewa (13)

Daniel Ashe (14)

Daniel Campbell (15)

The biggest hit was made by Beau Worthington against the Taranaki Openweights. The most painful experience was taken by Steven Long against Opunake High School when he hurt his neck in the scrum and had to be taken to hospital by ambulance. The top try scorer of the year was Daniel Ashe scoring more than fourteen tries.

It was a good season and the boys are keen to play again next year.

Beau Worthington and Stevie Kopeke Year 9



DI Rugby

Back Row: Carl Rangi, Daniel Ashe, Xion Wai, Shu Nam Leong, Anaru Matthews, Nathan Wood, Te Uru Kowhai Ratana, Cory Dean.

Middle Row: Luke Ahkoui, Regan Cassidy, Damien Coombe, Codi Hacket, Beau Worthington, Daniel Campbell, Euan Brien.

Front Row: Karl Giddy, Aaron Kirkby, Huriwaka Rewa, Daniel Bruce, Nathan Sole, Stefan Topless, Steven Long.



CI Rugby

Back Row: Corey Brookes, Hunter McLeod, Mahunga Baker, Colin Hammond, Ian Hammond.

Middle Row: Wayne Capper (Rugby Administrator), Joseph Nahi, Brook Coombe, Maaka Hukatai, Shanan Young, Duncan MacDiarmid.

Front Row: Aleasha Bride-Graham, Blair Jones, Jonathan Walsh, Mitchel Smith, James Anderson, Matthew Atkins, Brendon Goodwin.



Girls Rugby

Back Row: Chaio Ngaia, Wayne Capper (Rugby Administrator), Larissa Joyce.

Front Row: Kanei Grace, Aleasha Brider-Graham, Sarah Barry.

Absent: Holly Snowden, Alexa Nel, Joana Devine, Ashley Griffiths, Elicia May-Nahi.

Staff Versus Ist XV Rugby Match

It was a wet Friday after school that the battle between the Spotswood College staff rugby team and the 1st XV team took place.

With the staff fielding a team of mainly "ex-athletes" and a few current athletes, there was always the fear of not having the steam to finish the game. Those fears were soon dispelled as they scored a couple of quick tries early in the first half.

Ex Spotswood students Antony Joe and Jimmo Rangi were in there working hard for the staff side. Jimmo might possibly be the biggest half back we have seen (and will see for a while to come!). There was a few hesitant staff to begin with ... understandably with Coehn Smith bearing down on you – all 136kg and close to 7 feet tall, with hair just as impressive!

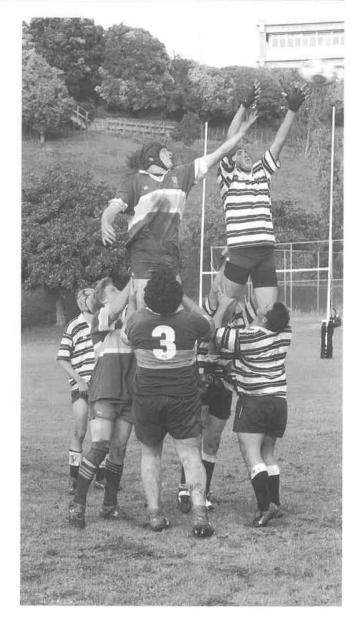
Rugby is however a thinking game as much as it is physical. You would have heard the saying "with age comes wisdom". Needless to say the staff team had plenty of wisdom!! It was this and a lot of blood, sweat and tears that won the staff the game on the day.

Only one casualty of the game with a broken cheekbone and fractured eye socket from the staff side courtesy of a knee to the head - nothing untoward of course.

The win was a proud moment in Spotswood College staff history. Considering the last game was played and won somewhere back in 1978 to 1980.

Well done staff and thank you to the 1st XV. Who knows, if the staff team are not retired by next year maybe they will put up the challenge again?

The staff team was: Antony Joe Leighton Upson Russell Watson Michael Waiwiri Iimmo Rangi Mark Sewter Warwick Foy **Andrew Castles** Matt Goodwin **Bradley Kemp** Kevin Saunders Maurice Paurini Jay Warren Scott Manson Rollie Heke





Netball

2004 was another successful year for Spotswood netball. We had 9 teams and over 90 girls registered. We had some notable successes also.

Our congratulations go to Briar Plummer-Butt for receiving the Award for the top secondary school league player for 2004. This is a great achievement and although the Senior A team didn't do so well Briar's playing stood out from all other girls in this league including the NPGHS and Inglewood Teams.

Secondly congratulations to the Spankies who, for the second year in a row, won their grade. This is an excellent achievement as they didn't have a coach for much of the season and were a most responsible group of young women.

Congratulations also to the 9A team who were 3rd placed in their grade, beating off a serious challenge from the Stormers.

Netball cannot exist without coaches and our sincere thanks go to Kim Woodward who has retired from Spotswood College Netball after many years. We thank Kim for her commitment and time. Thanks also to Janet Lean - long-time manager of Senior A and to Leigh Atkins who took over from Kim as Coach. We also thank Pauline Shannon who, as a coach, and as part of Netball Taranaki has given us invaluable service. Thanks also to Kara O'Halloran, Liz Carroll, Sarah Morris, Sarah Arnold before she left and Katy Power. Special thanks to our student coaches - Natalie Brien, Candace Noyes and Frances Doran. We really appreciate your time and effort. Thanks also to Courtney Woodward who helped manage and coach 9A.

I would also like to thank Kevin Saunders, our sports coordinator, who makes life very easy for all of us. His efficiency and organisation are superb. What would we do without you Kevin?

A special thank-you goes to our parent supporters. It is great to see you on a Saturday, especially Mrs Bradley who looked after the Brumbies when Kara had her own games to play and to the parents of the Spankies who kept this team going - Mr and Mrs Kennedy, Mrs Partridge, Mr Johnson, Mrs Avery and Mrs Hinz in particular.

Finally a special thank you to you girls who turn up regularly, who are always well presented and you play the game in a fair and sportsman 'women' like manner. Keep going, keep up your netball, be serious about the game and as Hamish Carter our Olympic Gold Medal winner would say

"Success comes only with hard work".

Robyn Moran Teacher in Charge of Netball



Senior A Netball

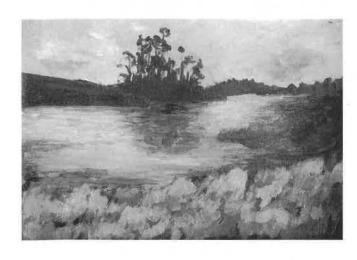
Back Row: Brodie Woodward, Michelle Atkins, Mrs Janet Lean (Manager).

Front Row: Gina Davis, Linda-Lee Nahi, Sarah Allemann, Jordan Rolston.

Absent: Mrs Kim Woodward (Coach), Leith Atkins, Melissa Long, Laura Salvatore, Briar Plummer-Butt, Stacey Tarrant.













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9A Netball

This year the 9A netball team played well in all kinds of weather – rain, hail and shine. Most games were well played and won, although a few games were lost.

We had about 10 players but lost a few players along the way. We ended up with just enough players to play, but still kept going at our best.

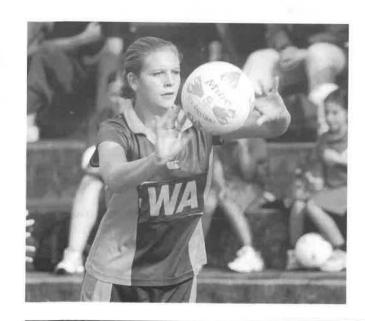
A huge thanks must go to Miss Carroll for being at practices and organising training with other players. Also thanks to all of the girls for doing their best and I can't wait to see us playing again next year.

Kimberley Kalin Year 9



9A Netball

Back Row: Victoria Hatton-Moore, Carolyn Hayward, Miss Liz Carroll (Coach), Pera Ferrier, Elka Moeller. Front Row: Jane Allemann, Kimberley Kalin, Rebecca Shannon, Rose Salvatore, Alex Barlow.





Alanahs Angel

Back Row: Chantelle Miles, Shannon Offord. Middle Row: Candace Noyes (Coach), Carol Bush, Stephanie Alty, Danielle Coombe.

Front Row: Charlotte Voss, Emma Mattock, Chelsea Officer, Chrissie Turner, Kirsten Farley.



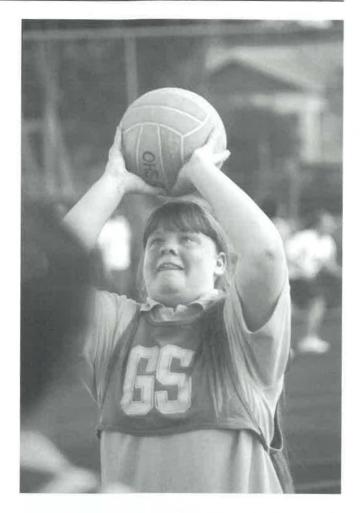


Stormers

Back Row: Johanna Crean-Hay, Sammy Everest, Taryn Davis.

Front Row: Sarah Shannon, Lorelle Bayly-Knight, Maree Aiello, Aurora Goodin, Nikita Lubransky.

Absent: Holly Eaton, Asti Priest.





Fruit Salad

Back Row: Miss Sarah Morris (Coach), Nicole Berry, Chloe Hook, Linda Berridge, Kimberly Betteridge.

Front Row: Kirsten Cooper, Sakura Smithers, Renee Booker (Captain), Bethel Hawksworth, Erin Goodwin (Vice Captain).

Absent: Elvera Woodhead.



Pink Chickens

Back Row: Ms Katy Power (Coach), Tui Wright, Ashleigh Hinton, Courtney Downs.

Front Row: Sarah Hansen, Emily Bower, Shay Porteous, Amy Beak, Lucy van der Fits.

Absent: Ashleigh Donald, Frances Doran (Manager).



Spankies

Back Row: Rachel Johnston, Emma Kennedy, Letitia Mellow.

Front Row: Rochelle Christmas, Anthea Shortland, Sylvia Avery, Jessica Partridge, Abbey Hinz.



Back Row: Rebecca Shannon, Kimberley Kalin, Carolyn Hayward, Jane Allemann.

Front Row: Gemma Gower-Stills, Brook Bowers, Kirsten Farley, Elka Moeller, Alex Barlow.



Brumbies

Back Row: Miss Kara O'Halloran (Coach), Talia Tuavo, Larissa Joyce.

Front Row: Belinda Riddle, Kanei Grace, Sandra Tuigaleava, Kristy Bradley, Waiata Moana.



Back Row: Chelsea Loveridge, Shawnee Smith, Amy Glucina.

Front Row: Shay Telfer, Natalie Yule, Penny Reid, Lisa McElhannan, Rebecca Brien.

Absent: Natalie Brien (Coach).



Knights Soccer

This 2004 soccer season has seen our team improve constantly. We had a great coach in Mr Dave Froom as well as some extra coaching from Lance Woods. They are the people responsible for our success this year. It was a good start for us since we basically all knew each other already. Throughout the season we had a few new players join as well as leave. For the second year in a row we had some Brazilians join the team.

This year we struggled a bit at the beginning of the season because the Youth Grade (15 year olds to 18 year olds) only had one division. We had to play a lot of hard teams and the playing field wasn't exactly level. We finished 3rd to last in round 1. Tjfa (Taranaki Junior Football Association) was going to move the bottom 3 teams down to 15th grade but we stayed. We got another round to prove what we were worth.

This time they split the Youth Grade up into 2 divisions based on the results from round 1. But with a few changes, now we had to play against the 2 top teams from the 15th grade also. In the second round we finished 3rd out of 5 teams in division 2 of Youth Grade.

Each year soccer grows at Spotswood. From having only 1 team the 1st year to 2 teams in the 2nd year. I hope that soccer will continue to grow through the years.

Finally I'd like to thank all the parents and especially Mr Froom for all the help and thanks for making this season fun for us.

Kallum Jury-Field Year 11



Knights

Back Row: Stephen Bond, Simon Spiers, Lance Winters, Karl Reid.

Middle Row: Mr Dave Froom (Coach), Rafael Domingues, Gabriel Rocha, Michael Pitman (Vice Captain), Pedro Pereira, Lee Hanson, Chris Zhou.

Front Row: Shaun O'Neill, Adam Krutz, Kallum Jury-Field (Captain), Allen Gong, Alex de Mello. Absent: Frank Hick, Kim Jury (Manager).



Strikers Soccer

This year the Spotswood Strikers had a very good season, with only four losses many of the team improved greatly in skill and confidence. Many of our eleven wins had spectacular goals from our talented strikers, but they couldn't do this without the support of our midfield and defence. The player of the day award was given to everyone at some point or another during the season. The end of year function at the Millers Bar was a good experience and everyone on the team has got to know each other better. Our biggest win was over Waitara, the score was 11-1, and the final result for us was second in the first division for 15th grade soccer. Thanks to our coach, Emily Scott, and manager, Nick Webster.

Jimmy Hick Year 10



Strikers

Back Row: Joe Cole, Tony Young, Josh O'Sullivan, Gareth Phillips, Liang Chen.

Middle Row: Mr Nick Webster (Manager), Kallum Jury-Field, Andrew Sanders, Chris Price, Jacky Su, Ali Wright, Rebecca Williams, Miss Emily Scott (Coach).

Front Row: Jesse Bradley, Marcus Ebert, Jimmy Hick (Captain), Senna Sullivan, Se Whei Park.





Soccer Girls

Back Row: Lisa Graystone, Sylvia Avery, Diana Jensan, Jasmine Lovell.

Middle Row: Mr Danny Hook (Coach), Sarah Maessen, Amy McLeod, Dayna Kivell, Larissa Hook.

Front Row: Rebecca Williams, Lorelle Bayley-Knight, Lauren Hartley, Laura Styles, Elanor Gaastra.



Ist XI Soccer

Back Row: Alex de Mello, Shaun O'Neill. Middle Row: Mr Dave Froom (Coach), Josh O'Sullivan, Lee Hanson, David Wells, Gareth Phillips. Front Row: Jimmy Hick, Senna Sullivan, Kallum Jury-Field (Captain), Joe Cole, Marcus Ebert. Absent: Paul Glucina, Nikhil George, Jeremy Conn, Luke

Surfing

This year the surfing team was very successful in the TSSSA Surfing Competition. We gained an overall placing of 3rd. Some great results were Reuben Brown coming 3rd in the under-16 mens and Cameron Stewart winning the under-14 mens grades.

Thanks to Mr Peters and the entire Spotswood team who all helped to achieve an awesome result for the school.

Cameron Stewart Year 10



TSSSA Surfing

Back Row: Renee Eaton, Mr Tony Peters (Coach), Amy Glucina.

Front Row: Michael Harrison, Cameron Stewart, Reuben Brown, Nick Thomas.

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2004 SPOTSWOOD COLLEGE ANNUAL ATHLETIC CHAMPIONSHIPS

	1st	2nd	3rd	Time/ Distance
JUNIOR GIRLS	T N 1- /D)	Ashlaigh Mastara (D)	Alex Perlow (D)	14.35 sec
100m 200m	Tess Novak (B) Tess Novak (B)	Ashleigh Masters (R) Alex Barlow (D)	Alex Barlow (D) Sarah Hanson (R)	30.70 sec
400m	Ashleigh Marsters (R)	Alex Taylor (R)	Sarah Hanson (R)	1 min 27.00 sec
800m	_	Hazel Mason (A)	Ashleigh Marsters (R)	3 mins14.00 sec
1500m	Jane Allemann (B) Jane Allemann (B)	Jessie Muggeridge (R)	Lisa Zieltjes (A)	6min 06.03 sec
Shot Putt	Sarah Barry (B)	Waiata Moana (B)	Ashleigh Donald (A)	7.60m
Discus	Sarah Barry (B)	Larissa Joyce (R)	Samantha Whitcombe (R)	19.90m
Javelin	Ashleigh Hinton (D)	Andrea Bruce (D)	Sarah Barry (B)	16.45m
	Tess Novak (B)	Ashleigh Marsters (R)	Hazel Mason (A)	3.90m
Long Jump	Maree Aiello (D)	Tess Novak (B)	Jessie Muggeridge (R)	7.69m
Triple Jump	Tess Novak (B)	Jessie Muggeridge (R)	Layson-Cree Ngaia (A)	1.37m
High Jump 4 x 100m House	Barrett	Richmond	Darnell	1min 05.04 sec
Relay	Darrett	Remiona	Darnen	111111 05.04 Sec
INTERMEDIATE (11 0 17 (7)	41 1 P.11 C 1 (7)	14.44
100m	Briar Plummer-Butt (D)	Johanna Crean-Hay (B)	Aleasha Brider-Graham (B)	
200m	Briar Plummer-Butt (D)	Kayla Pryce (B)	Amanda Roberts (D)	29.46 sec
400m	Abigail Voss (B)	Jasmine Lovell (R)	Elanor Gaastra (D)	1 min 21.21 sec
800m	Amanda Roberts (D)	Jasmine Lovell (R)	Sammy Everest (R)	3min14.55 sec
1500m	Jasmine Lovell (R)	Sammy Everest (R)	Asti Priest (R)	6min 06.12 sec
Shot Putt	Sina Faamai (A)	Aleasha Brider-Graham (B)		8.70m
Discus	Aleasha Brider-Graham (B)		Kayla Pryce (B)	20.96m
Javelin	Sina Faamai (A)	Lauren Hartley (A)	Charo Ngaia (R)	21.16m
Long Jump	Briar Plummer-Butt (D)	Aleasha Brider-Graham (B)		3.90m
Triple Jump	Briar Plummer-Butt (D)	Jasmine Lovell (R)	Claire Hinton (B)	8.35m
High Jump	Sammy Everest (R)	Aleasha Brider-Graham (B)		1.37m 1min 00.90 sec
4 x 100m House	Barrett	Darnell	Richmond	111111 00.90 Sec
Relay				
SENIOR GIRLS:				
100m	Rebekah Cannell (B)	Amy Bridgeman (B)	Joanna Devine (A)	15.05 sec
200m	Candice Noyes (D)	Amy Bridgeman (B)	Jo Fitness (D)	33.30 sec
400m	Jo Fitness (D)	Michelle Lotter (D)	Kriszti Gal (R)	1min 32.25 sec
800m	Sandy Shen (A)	Jo Fitness (D)	Yue Ling Tang (B)	3 min 48.35 sec
1500m	Amy Bridgeman (B)	Aya Sakamoto (R)	Erin Prebble (R)	7 min 25 sec
Shot Putt	Holly Snowdon (D)	Elicia-May Nahi (B)	Shannon Wilcox-Niwa (D)	7.83m
Discus	Holly Snowdon (D)	Rebecca Cameron (A)	Annika Wallin (A)	16.27m
Javelin	Elicia-May Nahi (B)	Erin Prebble (R)	Erin Goodwin (D)	15.47m
Long Jump	Annika Wallin (A)	Jodi Nicholson (A)	Joanna Devine (A)	3.90m
Triple Jump	Annika Wallin (A)	Jodi Nicholson (A)	Joanna Devine (A)	8.05m
High Jump	Annika Wallin (A)	Lexa Dickinson (A)	Candice Noyes (D)	1.27m
4 x 100m House	Barrett	Darnell	Atkinson	1 min 02.19 sec
Relay				
JUNIOR BOYS:				
100m	Luke Ahkuoi (A)	Beau Worthington (R)	Anaru Matthews (D)	13.25 sec
200m	Daniel Bruce (A)	Mark Bevan (D)	Ben Taylor (R)	29.87 sec
400m	Beau Worthington (R)	Leigh Cresswell (D)	Brent Parkes (D)	1min 10.76 sec
800m	Beau Worthington (R)	Leigh Cresswell (D)	Jesse Bradley (B)	2 min 40.28 sec
1500m	Marsden Gaastra (D)			5 min 48.91 sec
Shot Putt	Anaru Matthews (D)	Corey Brookes (A)	Tim Hook (R)	9.60m
Discus	Anaru Matthews (D)	Jeremy Conn (A)	Corey Brookes (A)	34.97m record
Javelin	Anaru Matthews (D)	Luke Ahkuoi (A)	Jeremy Conn (A)	26.66m
Long Jump	Beau Worthington (R)	Terry Taura (D)	Daniel Kiely (A)	4.28m
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Triple Jump	Brent Parkes (D)	Marsden Gaastra (D)	Mathew Dickey (B)	9.05m
			*	

4 x 100m House Relay	Richmond	Darnell		57.88 sec
INTERMEDIATE	BOYS:			
100	Steven Davison (A)	Iain Hammond (A)	Colin Hammond (B)	12.61 sec
200m	Iain Hammond (A)	Steven Davison (A)	Daniel Ashe (D)	25.15 sec
400m	Steven Davison (A)	Daniel Ashe (D)	Lucian Fenton (R)	1 min 06.91 sec
800m	Kallum Jury-Field (D)	Tony Young (R)	Paul Davis (D)	2 min 33.47 sec
1500m	Steven Davison (A)	Peter Allemannn (B)	Luke Fenton (R)	5 mins 01.00 sec
Shot Putt	Jayden Hill (B)	Cohen Smith (B)	MJ Sioli (D)	11.00m
Discus	Jayden Hill (B)	Aaron Graham (B)	Tame Ngatai (R)	31.33m
Javelin	MJ Sioli (D)	Stuart Julian (B)	Peter Manning (D)	25.48m
Long Jump	Iain Hammond (A)	Pat Brennan (D)	Lucian Fenton (R)	4.77m
Triple Jump	Pat Brennan (D)	Tony Young (R)	Damin Scott (D)	9.52m
High Jump	Aaron Graham (B)	Thomas Browers (A)	Clem Hannam (D)	1.55m
4 x 100m House Relay	Atkinson	Darnell	Barrett	52.91 sec
SENIOR BOYS:				
100m	Morehu Tutua-Ransfield (B)Ronald Graham (B)	Duncan MacDiarmid (B)	12.02
200m	Morehu Tutua-Ransfield (B)Jacopo Mosca (R)	Hunter McLeod (A)	12.02 sec 25.78 sec
400m	Reece Julian (R)	Jacopo Mosca (R)	Michael Paterson (D)	1 min 06.31 sec
800m	Ronald Graham (B)	Jason Gaastra (B)	Reece Julian (R)	2 min 22.70 sec
1500m	Thomas Lindeup (B)	David Wells (R)	Ronald Graham (B)	4 min 56.87 sec
Shot Putt	Vincent Wilson (B)	Clive Tonga-Awhikau (B)	Jacopo Mosca (R)	9.75m
Discus	Clive Tonga-Awhikau (A)	Jordan Smith (R)	Euan Ritchie (B)	23.48m
Javelin	Kayne Katene (D)	Jacopo Mosca (R)	David Wells (R)	28.60m
Long Jump	Ronald Graham (B)	Vincent Wilson (B)	Andrew Steel (A)	5.56m
Triple Jump	Ronald Graham (B)	Jason Gaastra (B)	Hunter McLeod (A)	11.17m
High Jump	Jackson Coe (R)	Ronald Graham (B)	Vincent Wilson (B)	1.58m
4 x 100m House Relay	Barrett	Atkinson	Richmond	52.03 sec
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INDIVIDUAL CH	AMPIONS:	JUNIOR GIRLS:	Tess Novak	
		JUNIOR BOYS	Beau Worthington	
		INTERMEDIATE GIRLS	Briar Plummer-Butt	
		INTERMEDIATE BOYS	Steven Davison	
		SENIOR GIRLS	Annika Wallin	
		SENIOR BOYS	Ronald Graham	
OVERALL HOUSI	E POINTS FOR THE MORI	INE CUP:		
	1st	Barrett	1287 points	
	2nd	Darnell	1115 points	
	3rd	Richmond	959 points	
	4th	Atkinson	689 points	
INDIVIDUAL TRA	DILLEC			

INDIVIDUAL TROPHIES:

Hazel Robertson Trophy-Senior Girls` Athletic Champion: Annika Wallin

2004 SPOTSWOOD COLLEGE ANNUAL SWIMMING SPORTS:

	1ST	2ND	3RD	TIME
JUNIOR GIRLS: 25m Freestyle 25m Backstroke 25m Breaststroke 25m Butterfly 50m Freestyle 50m Backstroke 50m Breaststroke 100m Freestyle	Lisa Zieltjes (A) Tess Novak (B) Lisa Zieltjes (A) Chelsea Officer (R) Lisa Zieltjes (A) Lisa Zieltjes (A) Lisa Zieltjes (A) Lisa Zieltjes (A)	Hazel Mason (A) Lisa Zieltjes (A) Chelsea Officer (R) Maree Aiello (D) Maree Aiello (D) Jane Allemann (B) Chelsea Officer (R) Jane Allemann (B)	Chelsea Officer (R) Jane Allemann (B) Tess Novak (B) Lisa Zieltjes (A) Jane Allemann (B) Andrea Bruce (D) Jane Allemann (B) Rose Poa (B)	17.15secs 21.42 secs 22.77secs 22.10secs 40.50secs 52.11secs 51.46secs 1min 32.05secs
4 x 25m Freestyle Relay	Atkinson	Richmond	Darnell	1min 22.30secs
4 x 25m Medley Relay	Richmond	Darnell	Atkinson	1min 36.7secs
INTERMEDIATE G 25m Freestyle 25m Backstroke 25m Breaststroke 25m Butterfly 50m Freestyle 50m Backstroke 50m Breaststroke 100m Freestyle	Abigail Voss (B) Kendra Ludeke (D)	Jasmine Lovell (R) Jasmine Lovell (R) Jasmine Lovell (R) Abigail Voss (B) Abigail Voss (B) Michelle Atkins (B) Jasmine Lovell (R) Melissa Long (B)	Kendra Ludeke (D) Samantha Richards Samantha Richards Waiata Moana (B) Jasmine Lovell (R) Abigail Voss (B) Holly Eaton (R) Charlotte Williams (I	(B) 22.31secs 20.01secs 42.45secs 49.10secs 54.58secs
4 x 25m Freestyle Relay	Barrett	Darnell	Richmond	1 min 14.55secs
4 x 25m Medley Relay	Barrett	Darnell	Richmond	1 min 34.57secs
SENIOR GIRLS: 25m Freestyle 25m Backstroke 25m Breaststroke 25m Butterfly 50m Freestyle 50m Backstroke 50m Breaststroke 100m Freestyle 4 x 25m Freestyle Relay 4 x 25m Medley	Candice Noyes (D) Candice Noyes (D) Sarah Allemann (B) Sarah Allemann (B) Sarah Allemann (B) Candice Noyes (D) Sarah Alleman (B) Barrett & Darnell=	Sarah Allemann (B)= Sarah Allemann (B) Sarah Allemann (B) Candice Noyes (D) Candice Noyes (D) Candice Noyes (D) Sarah Allemann (B) Candice Noyes (D) Richmond	Erin Goodwin(D) Erin Goodwin (D)	15.68secs 18.70secs 18.82secs 17.34secs 35.11secs 40.1 secs 42.32secs 1min 19.73secs 1min 18.23secs
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OPEN GIRLS: 4 x 25m Medley	Sarah Allemann (B)	Candice Noyes (D)	Erin Goodwin (D)	1min 30.74secs
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4 x 25m Medley Relay	Darnell	Richmond	Atkinson	1min 36.15secs
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Relay	Barrett	Darnell	Atkinson 1min	13.50secs(record)
SENIOR BOYS: 25m Freestyle 25m Backstroke 25m Breaststroke 25m Butterfly 50m Freestyle 50m Backstroke 50m Breaststroke	Jackson Coe (R)	Rhys Harvey (R) Sam Keegan (D) Rhys Harvey (R) Sam Keegan (D) Euan Ashby (B) Sam Keegan (D) Reece Julian (R) Sam Keegan (D)	Reece Julian (R) Rhys Harvey (R) Reece Julian (R) David Wells (R) Rhys Harvey (R) David Wells (R) Toby Fitz Patrick (R) Reece Julian (R)	14.20secs 15.85secs(record) 18.80secs 14.72secs 31.06secs 35.47secs 2) 43.77secs 1min 21.76secs
4 x 25m Freestyle Relay	Richmond	Darnell	Atkinson	1min 10.94secs
4 x 25m Medley Relay	Darnell	Richmond	Barrett	1min 21.97secs
OPEN BOYS: 4 x 25m Medley	Michael Riley (B)	Sam Keegan (D)	Jayden Hill (B)	1min 19.93secs
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JUNIOR BOYS			EVAN HAWKSWO	RTH
INTERMEDIATE GIRLS			KENDRA LUDEKE	3
INTERMEDIATE	BOYS		MICHAEL RILEY	
SENIOR GIRLS			SARAH ALLEMAN	N
SENIOR BOYS			JACKSON COE	
OVERALL POINT	S FOR THE CRAIGN	MYLE INTER-HOUSE	ГКОРНҮ:	
1ST		BARRETT		569 points
2ND		DARNELL		559 points
3RD		RICHMOND		486 points
4TH		ATKINSON		267 points

Cross Country Championships

The annual Cross Country Championships were held at the College on Thursday 6th May in fine but windy conditions. The results were:

Junior Girls	
Jane Allemann (Barrett)	1,
19 minutes 20.0 secs	2
Jessie Muggeridge (Richmond) Lisa Zieltjes (Atkinson)	2 3
Lisa Zieitjes (Atkinson)	3
Junior Boys	
Christian Lovell (Richmond)	1
17 minutes 52 secs	
Jesse Bradley (Barrett)	2 3
Brooke Sarten (Darnell)	3
Intermediate Girls	
Kendra Ludeke (Darnell)	1
Jasmine Lovell (Richmond)	2
Sammy Everest (Richmond)	3
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Intermediate Boys	
Steven Davison (Atkinson)	1
16 minutes 48 secs	2
Peter Allemann (Barrett)	2 3
Michael Harrison (Atkinson)	3
Senior Girls	
Courtney Kendall (Barrett)	1
25 minutes 33 secs	
Ava Sakamoto (Richmond)	2
Sarah Allemann (Barrett) & Natali	ie Brien
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Senior Boys Resear Julian (Richmond)	1
Reece Julian (Richmond) 16 minutes 59 secs	1
Jason Gaastra (Barrett)	2
Paul Glucina (Atkinson)	2 3
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Inter-House for the Ballinger Trop	ohy
Darnell	18 points 1st
Barrett	14 points 2nd
Richmond	10 points 3rd



Cross Country

Back Row: Ash McDowell, Michael Harrison. Middle Row: Se Whei Park, Steven Davison, Abigail Voss, Christian Lovell.

Front Row: Alex Barlow, Elanor Gaastra, Chrissie Turner, Kirsten Farley, Jane Allemann.



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Girls' Hockey

After losing a few "oldies" last year we weren 't too sure about our numbers, but in true Spotty tradition we pulled through. We even managed a sub - a big achievement for us! Due to pure skill we made it to the final where we, unfortunately, faced Sacred Heart ... enough said.

Big thanks to Kathryn and Kim from Sacred Heart for joining our team and yet again thank you to Sarah and Claire, our imports from Okato. We will miss Claire next year (bugger, who's going to score all our goals??!). But with our juniors Stace, Arlene and Andrea still here alongside our remaining seniors Sakura, Jasmine, Sara and Kimmie we are expecting to have just as much fun next season. To our departing Spotty girl Kimberley, good luck for next year!

To Mrs Gabites, thank you for taking us on! You kept us well organised as our new manager and your recovery advice was well noted!

Last words for our supporters who turned up every week - we hope to see you all next year!

Sara Trevathan and Kim Doran



Girls Turf Hockey

Back Row: Garnett Henderson (Coach), Sara Trevathan, Kim Doran, Kimberley Leighton, Jesse Miller (Coach). Front Row: Astacia Froom, Sakura Smithers, Arlene Jeffery, Jasmine Lovell, Andrea Bruce.

Boys' Hockey

The boys' hockey team played extremely well this year. We ended up first equal with Stratford High School in the Taranaki Secondary Schools league, with the score being nil all.

A lot of players' parents, senior students and teachers supported us throughout the season. Mr Daryl Parker was a great coach throughout this season and the players owe him a lot. A number of players made the Taranaki Secondary Schools Hockey Representative team. They were: Stewart Julian, Reece Julian, Nathan Andrews, Sam Keegan, Cerhys Phillips and Evan Hawksworth.

Evan Hawksworth Year 10



Boys Turf Hockey

Back Row: Paul Davis, Sam Keegan, Nathan Andrews,

Middle Row: Mr Daryl Parker (Coach), Nick Murphy, Cerhys Phillips, Fraser Millward, Evan Hawksworth, Marsden Gaastra, Judy Julian (Manager).

Front Row: Luke Balks, Jacob Seath, Reece Julian, Steven Davison, Karl Raubenheimer.



Atkinson



Inline Hockey

Back Row: Hannan Pillette, Reece Julian, Jayden Hill. Front Row: Rueben Brown, Jayden Murphy-Pine, Hunter Osborne, Claire Aiello.

Girls' Cricket

A small group of very enthusiastic girls answered the call to join up for the girls' cricket team for 2004. The team was arranged and coaches organised but sadly the weather didn't oblige. In the end we played only one game. This was against an accomplished Stratford High School Team and though we tried hard we were soundly beaten. Thanks however to coaches Nik George, James Anderson and Courtney Woodward. Thanks also to Miss Gabites for scoring. Let's hope for better luck next season.

R Moran Associate Principal





Cricket Juniors

Back Row: Jamie McLachlan, Anaru Matthews, Daniel Campbell, Mr Nick Taylor (Coach).
Front Row: Karl Giddy, Nathan Sole, Tod Rookes, Sam Burton, Nick Murphy.



Cricket Seniors

Back Row: Reece Julian, Rhys Harvey, Euan Ritchie, Karl Reid.

Front Row: Anaru Matthews, Michael Paterson, James Anderson, Mitchel Smith, Peter Allemann.

Girls Cricket

Back Row: Elka Moeller, James Anderson (Coach), Sarah Allemann, Alex Barlow.

Front Row: Jane Allemann, Rebecca Shannon, Kimberley Kalin, Rose Salvatore, Brooke Bowers.

Golf

This year the golf team of Euan Ritchie, Nick Collins, Cameron Faulkner, Se Whei Park and James Lee had a fairly good year. We finished fourth out of over 20 teams at Opunake during the Secondary School Golf Championship. The team also managed a 3rd place at the handicapped 9-hole event.

The team and I would like to thank Mr Rodney Ward for the commitment he put into the team. We also wish to thank him for the work he has done to get us up to Hamilton in December.

Nick Collins Year 12



Golf

Back Row: Euan Ritchie, Keoung Lee, Cameron Faulkner, Se Whei Park.

Absent: Mr Rodney Ward (Manager).

Wanganui Sports Exchange

On Tuesday the 18th of May our rugby, netball, basketball, hockey, volleyball, soccer and golf teams travelled to Wanganui City College for our annual sports exchange.

Despite the very early start (6 am!) all students turned up, keen and ready for the day ahead.

The day went smoothly with students watching each other 's games and vocally supporting and cheering on their peers.

Our students were well-dressed, well-behaved, well-mannered, good sportspersons and great ambassadors for Spotswood College.

Spotswood won at hockey, volleyball and golf and had narrow losses in most other codes.

Emily Scott



Indoor Bowls

In the Taranaki Secondary Schools Indoor Bowls we had three teams – a fours, a pairs and a singles team. Unfortunately we lost most of our games. Hopefully we can do better than this next year.

Thanks to Mr Saunders for organising our team and arranging our transport and also thanks to Mrs Potter for helping with transport throughout the season.

Cara Potter Year 9



Indoor Bowls

Back Row: Euan Ritchie, Michael Paterson, James Anderson. Front Row: Andrea Bruce, Sarah Anderson, Astacia Froom, Cara Potter.

Skiing and Snowboarding

The National Ski and Snowboard Competition was held at Mount Ruapehu. We weren't very successful due to heavy snowfall, bad weather and poor visability. So in conclusion ... no races were held this year!

Skiing started Sunday through to Tuesday. We got a good day on Saturday, the day before skiing officially started, but the weather turned nasty on the Sunday.

Luckily for the snowboard team our races didn't get cancelled for the first time in three years. The races began on the Wednesday and the weather turned for the better on this day, being the best day on the fields since 2001.

The team consisted of 5 skiers and 5 snowboarders, with many reserves. Thank you very much to Mr Rolands, Mr Saunders, Clive Saleman and Richard Osborne who all helped to make the 7 days successful and fun. We really appreciated it.

Greer Osborne Year 11



Skiing

Back Row: Greer Osborne, Claire Hinton, Renee Eaton. Front Row: Hunter Osborne, Thomas Salesman, Toby Dixon, Cameron Stewart.



Snowboarding

Back Row: Greer Osborne, Claire Hinton. Front Row: Nick Thomas, William Askew, Renee Eaton.



Orienteering

Jayden Hill.

TSSSA Badminton

For two terms the badminton club met every Monday afternoon.

Out of all the students who came to play, 2 senior girls and 2 senior boys and 2 junior boys and 2 junior girls were selected to compete in the TSSSA Badminton competition.

Around 12 schools participated. There were juniors single and double games and seniors single and double games. There were no mixed games in doubles or singles.

Places were awarded to the top 1st and 2nd single players and double players. The top players from each region go to Palmerston North to play in the championships.

Results:

Senior Boys
Euan Ritchie 1st
Euan Ritchie /Nikhil George (doubles) 3rd=

Senior Girls Sally van der Hulst /Aya Sakamoto (doubles) 2nd



TSSSA Badminton

Back Row: Ashleigh Hinton, Sally van der Hulst, Shu Nam Leong, Euan Ritchie.

Front Row: Sarah Anderson, Aya Sakamoto, Xion Wai.

Junior Boys Simon Mace 3rd= Leroy Dockery/Xion Wai 3rd=

Junior Girls
Cindy Leong 3rd =
Ashleigh Hinton 3rd =
Cindy Leong/Sarah Anderson 3rd =

Thank you to Mrs Cottam for organising the badminton club this year.

Sarah Anderson Year 10

TSSSA Touch

Our team of very new players travelled to Palmerston North to compete in the Touch regionals. Even though we didn't win many games it was a good experience for us all and it was great to see other schools in action.

A big thank you to our coaches Liz Carroll and Brad Kemp who did a great job coaching and looking after us.

Clive Tonga Awhikau Year 12



Touch

Back Row: Miss Liz Carroll (Coach), Ewyn Ashby, Anaru Matthews, Joseph Tattersall, Bradley Shotter, Denise Bridgeman.

Front Row: Tony Kumeroa, Kendra Ludeke, Clive Tonga-Awhikau, Aleasha Brider-Graham, Mitchel Smith, Cain Matthews.

Absent: Laura Salvatore, Rebecca Cameron.

TSSSA Triathlon

The TSSSA Triathlon was held on the 21st of March this year. Spotswood College had two teams, one of which was a mixed team which consisted of Thomas Lindup, Reece Julian and Sarah Allemann; the other team was four junior girls who consisted of Lisa Zeltgeber, Alex Barlow and Jane Allemann. Evan Hawksworth did the individual Triathlon. The water seemed to be much more colder this year compared to the last 4 years and the team couldn't help but notice the difference in temperature. The bikers decided to make it harder for themselves by using mountain bikes, and the runners (when they finally turned up), finished off in style. The two teams ended up first in both their categories. Overall it was an excellent effort for a Sunday morning. Well done, and good luck to those who are competing again next year.

Sarah Allemann Year 13



Triathlon

Back Row: Reece Julian, Thomas Lindup. Front Row: Jane Allemann, Sarah Allemann, Alex Barlow.

TSSSA Yachting

Spotswood College unfortunately lost the trial to Boys' High so we were unable to compete in the national secondary schools racing competition.

The team consisted of Reece Julian as 1st skipper and captain; I was 2nd skipper and Philip Whalen and Michael Pitman rotated in 3rd skipper position. Crews consisted of Tim Honeyfield, Laura Salvatore and Renee Eaton.

Earlier this year I competed in the TSSSA yachting competition which I won overall coming 1st four times.

In the build-up to next year's nationals in Tauranga I was placed 26th out of 44 at the winter championships.

Later this season we will start training for the 2005 teams racing nationals. We want to get a jump on Boys` High!

Stuart Julian Year 11



Yachting

Back Row: Akira Tsujii, Alisdair Wright, Michael Pitman. Front Row: Tim Honeyfield, Phillip Whalen, Reece Julian, Stuart Julian.

TSSSA Softball

This year our team competed in the senior boys section and got through to the final playing Opunake High School. We were confident that we could win this game and kept focused on what we had to do. The end result was a win to us, which was awesome.

Clive Tonga Awhikau Year 12



TSSSA Softball

Back Row: Dominic Cooksley-Gruys, Colin Hammond, Jayden Hill, Ian Hammond.

Front Row: Tony Kumeroa, Steven Davison, Clive Tonga-Awhikau, Peter Alleman, Kallum Jury-Field.



TSSSA Lifesaving

Back Row: Rebecca Shannon, Ian Hammond, Colin Hammond.

Front Row: Abigail Voss, Elka Moeller, Jane Allemann, Brooke Bowers.

TSSSA Swimming

About 15 students, who comprised the Spotswood College swimming team, went to the Stratford TSB Community Pool earlier in the year to compete against other Taranaki secondary schools.

A standout performance came from Michael Riley who came in second in the Senior Boys 50 metres breaststroke and third in the Senior Boys 50 metres butterfly. The Senior Boys Relay Team also got 4th.

Despite not taking the competition with our overall points, there was no doubt that we won in the Team Spirit category. We were all guts! Who needs a speedo?!

Michael Riley Year 12



Swimming

Back Row: Ian Hammond, Sam Keegan, Michael Riley. Front Row: Erin Goodwin, Chelsea Officer, Sarah Allemann, Kendra Ludeke.



TSSSA Dressage Results held on 6 April 2004

Individual
Junior Riding Test
Class 1A - 15 in the class
1 Holly Eaton

2 Brooke Browers

3 Chantelle Miles

Class 1B - 15 in the class

Caroline Beekman
 Jessie Muggeridge

3 Brooke Bowers

4 Holly Eaton

5 Chantelle Miles

Intermediate Riding Test Class 2B - 18 in the class 1 Matthew Dickey

Novice Dressage Test Class 3A - 10 in the class

Sammy EverestMatthew Thomas

Class 3B - 10 in the class 2 Matthew Thomas

3 Claire Hinton

Teams Results - 12 teams

2nd Team 3 - Matthew Thomas, Sammy Everest, Claire Hinton, Matthew Dickie

4th Team 2 - Caroline Beekman, Jessie Muggeridge, Holly Eaton

5th Team 1 - Chantelle Miles, Brooke Bowers, Rose Salvatore



Equestrian

Back Row: Sammy Everest, Chantelle Miles. Front Row: Renee Eaton, Claire Hinton, Rose Salvatore, Brooke Bowers.



Tennis

Back Row: Michelle Atkins, Kanae Murakami.



Gymnastics

Kimberely Kalin.



Tenpin

Back Row: Kendra Ludeke, Stacey Lawlor, Renee Eaton.



Smallbore

Back Row: Karl Giddy, Daniel Campbell, Nathan Sole.



Athletics

Back Row: Chaio Ngaia, Sarah Barry, Clive Tonga-Awhikau, Luke Ahkoui, Steven Davison, Jasmine Lovell. Middle Row: Aaron Graham, Daniel Bruce, Anaru Matthews, Jayden Hill, Reece Julian, Ian Hammond, Jason Gaastra.

Front Row: Layson Ngaia, Alex Barlow, Aleasha Brider-Graham, Elanor Gaastra, Abigail Voss, Jane Allemann.



8Ball

Back Row: Mitchell Redington, Renee Eaton, Brodie Woodward, Gene McPherson.



Back Row: Mr David Biddle (Manager), Aurora Goodin, Nikita Lubransky, Anaru Matthews.

Front Row: Sarah Shannon, Brooke Bowers, Rebecca Shannon, Elka Moeller.





Atkinson House Leaders

Back Row: Dayna Kivell, Steven Davison, Frances Doran.



Barrett House Leaders

Back Row: Elicia May-Nahi, Thomas Lindup.



Darnell House Leaders

Back Row: Michael Paterson, Candace Noyes, Sam Keegan.



Richmond House Leaders

Back Row: Dylan Wharepapa, Natalie Brien, Erin Prebble, David Wells.



Senior A Basketball

This year's team was mainly made up of new players. We had a few wins and yes a few losses, however the team stayed together to the end and maintained really good discipline on and off the court.

We were very fortunate to have Mr Shaw as our coach. His knowledge of the game is amazing and he had us doing some really awesome drills and game plans.

We look forward to next season and hope that we will play with great enthusiasm that we showed on court and have as much fun as we had this year.

Clive Tonga Awhikau Year 12



Senior A Boys Basketball

Back Row: Mr Daryn Shaw (Coach), Nathan Woods, Coehn Smith, Ian Hammond.

Front Row: Huriwaka Rewa, Anaru Matthews, Clive Tonga-Awhikau, Peter Allemann, Steven Davison.

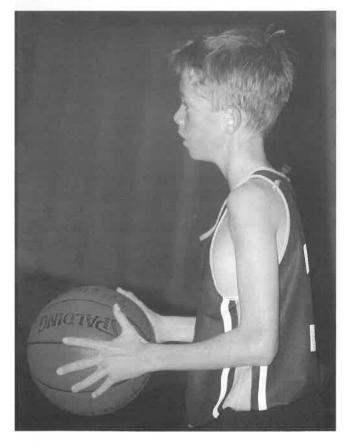




UI6 Prem Basketball

Back Row: Mr Daryn Shaw (Coach), Anaru Matthews, Te Uru Kowhai Ratana.

Front Row: Matthew Dickey, Daniel Campbell, Josh Reeves, Regan Cassidy.



Senior A Girls Basketball

Back Row: Misha Rangihaeta-Katene, Charo Ngaia, Sina Faamai.

Front Row: Makuini Cameron, Tanisha Rangihaeta, Aya Sakamoto, Aki Sato.

Absent: Holly Snowden, Natalie Cameron.

Celtics Basketball

This is the third year the Celtics Girls basketball team have been together and its certainly showed on the court. We went the whole season undefeated bar one game where we were disadvantaged with five of our players unavailable for various reasons.

We played in the finals where we came out on top by over twenty points. This is the first year that the Celtics team has won the open girls basketball grade. Our success was due to hard work by the players and the great coaching from Maurice Paurini, Hot Felix and Jan Carnahan. It was a great season and we can't wait till next year.

By the Celtics Girls Year 11



Celtics

Back Row: Greer Osborne, Sophie Norris, Renee Eaton. Front Row: Dayna Roberts, Brodie Woodward, Kendra Ludeke, Claire Hinton, Mr Maurice Paurini (Coach).





Sonics

Back Row: Clem Hannam, Ian Hammond, Coehn Smith, Daniel Ashe.

Front Row: Colin Hammond, Thomas Brouwers, Lee Hanson, Brooke Coombe, Tim Short.



Red Hawkes

Back Row: Paul Davis, Matthew Anderson, Simon Spiers, Cameron Faulkner.



Bufu

Back Row: Talia Tuavao, Sarah Barry, Shannon Offord. Front Row: Kanei Grace, Sandra Tuigaleava, Larissa Joyce, Waiata Moana, Saphire Stuart.

Absent: Natalie Cameron (Coach), Holly Snowden.

Junior Basketball

This year the junior boys basketball team had a pretty disappointing season with losses to Boys High, Francis Douglas and Waitara High schools. Thankfully the team came back and only narrowly lost to Boys` High A team and the Francis Douglas A teams.

From the team, Anaru Matthews made the New Plymouth under-14 basketball squad that went to Auckland to compete in the New Zealand National Basketball Championships in Waitakere. He has now also received an invitation to trial out for the New Zealand Koru Squad.

Regan Cassidy and Anaru Matthews Year 9



Lakers

Back Row: Thomas Wiseman, Axel Dickinson, Corey Brookes.

Front Row: Karl Giddy, Dominic FitzPatrick, Daniel Campbell, Tom Somerville.

Absent: Glen Brookes (Coach).





New Zealand and North Island Reps

Back Row: Anaru Matthews, Toby FitzPatrick, Dominic Cooksley-Gruys.

Front Row: Claire Aiello, Steven Davison, Jayden Hill, Peter Allemann.



Taranaki Reps All Codes

Back Row: Pat Brennan, Reece Julian, Anaru Matthews, Kallum Jury-Field, Aleasha Brider-Graham. Front Row: Kim Doran, Jayden Hill, Stuart Julian, Sara Trevathan, Steven Davison.

Junior Boys' Volleyball Team 2003 and trip to North Island Secondary Schools' Volleyball Championship Napier 2003

The Junior Boys volleyball team 2003 played well over the October and November 2003 Season and were successful in winning 2 Taranaki Titles. They won the TSSSA Junior Volleyball Championship beating NPBHS in the final and then winning the Taranaki Secondary Schools Regional Championship.

This qualified the boys` in top spot for the region and we were off to the North Island Secondary schools championship.

The Junior Boys' volleyball team went to Napier to take part in the North Island Secondary Schools Volleyball championship on the 19th to 23rd November.

The boys qualified to play in the First Division and were successful in playing some very good volleyball.

Standout players were Steven Davison and Peter Allemann.

Results:

Pool Play
Won 2-1 over Whakatane High School
17-25, 25-22, 16-14.
Lost 1-2 to Tauranga Boys` College
18-25, 25-15, 12-15.
Won 2-1 over Campion College (Poverty Bay)
21-25, 25-8, 15-3.

We were then able to qualify to the top division and our results were:

First Division

Pool Play

Lost 1-2 to Kelston Boys High School (Auckland) 16-25, 25-23, 15-11.

Lost 0-2 to Western Heights High School (Rotorua) 20-25, 22-25.

Won 2-0 over Wellington St Patrick's Silverstream 25-22, 25-16.

Post Section Play

Lost 0-2 to Otumoetai College A (Tauranga) 21-25, 25-27.

Playoff for 11th and 12th Place

Won 2-1 Trident High School 21-25, 25-17, 15-12.

The team: Peter Allemann (Captain), Steven Davison, Philip Whalen, Jono Walsh, Toby Dixon, Stuart Julian, Jayden Hill, Dominic Cooksley-Gruys, Michael Harrison and Joe Coates.

North Island Ranking: Spotswood College 11th Place North Island Secondary Schools Junior Boys 2003

North Island Secondary School Beach Volleyball Championship December 2003

The North Island Secondary Beach Volleyball Championship was held at Ngamotu beach on the 7th and 8th Dec 2003.

In the Senior Boys' Contest Spotswood College A (Jeffrey Reidy and Ben Greaney) were the defending champions from 2002. The Boys' were hoping to repeat the title win in 2003.

The competition ended up being a Spotswood Benefit with Spotswood College teams taking 4 of the 8 quarter-final berths and ended up being a Spotswood College final amongst the Schools A and B Teams in the final.

In the final it was a close contest with Spotswood College B of Silas Avery and Joshua Rolls disrupting the party for the Spotswood A team and winning the title and being the North Island Secondary Schools Senior Boys` beach Volleyball Champions for 2003.

In the Junior Boys' Fours Contest Spotswood College B (Dominic Cooksley-Gruys, Toby Dixon, Jono Walsh and Peter Manning) won the Junior Boys' North Island Secondary Schools title for the boys and were crowned the Champions.

The Spotswood College A of team of (Phillip Whalen, Stuart Julian, Jayden Hill and Luke Erickson) took out 3rd place and gained the bronze medal.

So the medal hauls for the boys volleyball teams at the North Island Secondary Schools Beach Volleyball Championship were:

Senior Boys' Pairs

Gold Medal Spotswood College B Silas Avery and Joshua Rolls Silver Medal Spotswood College A Jeffrey Reidy and Ben Greaney

Junior Boys' Fours'

Gold Medal = Spotswood B
Dominic Cooksley-Gruys, Toby Dixon, Jono
Walsh and Peter Manning

Bronze Medal = Spotswood College A Phillip Whalen, Stuart Julian, Jayden Hill and Luke Erickson

(* Steven Davison and Peter Allemann were eligible to play in the Junior Boys` Section but chose to play in the senior section and gained 5th place)

Senior Boys Pairs Final Placing:

1 Spotswood College Silas Avery & Joshua Rolls

2 Spotswood College Jeffrey Reidy & Ben Greaney

3 Hillcrest High School Eggleton & Sharp 4 Otumoetai College Cairns & Stewart 5= Spotswood College Shaun Radford & Chris Martin

Spotswood College Steven Davison & Peter Allemann

Otumoetai College Muller & McDonald Glenfield College Tarata & Bell 9= Spotswood College Robert Shanks & Matthew Goodwin

Glenfield College McPhee & Marsters NPBHS Poh & Snowden NPBHS Aiden & Prescott NPBHS Sassman & Harford

New Zealand Secondary Schools Year 11 Under 16 Junior Beach Volleyball Champions 2004

The New Zealand Secondary Schools Beach Volleyball Championship was held at Mount Manganui Beach for the first time since 2001. Spotswood College sent 2 teams to the Championship with Steven Davison and Peter Allemann favoured to take out the title.

The Spotswood combination didn't disappoint in the championship and went through the championship undefeated winning all their games and taking out the title.

In the final, despite some strong jump serving from the Otumoetai boys, the Spotswood team were too experienced on the sand for the local team, taking out the match 2-0.

National Beach coach Mike Dudson was impressed by the high level of skill shown during this match and will be keeping his eye on a number of these athletes in years to come.

The team played well throughout the championship showing superior attacking options and better court vision than their opponents and hope that they can now step up to Senior ranks for 2004.

The win gave the Spotswood College its 5th Boys National beach title and the team of Steven Davison and Peter Allemann are now taking on Australia's best at South Australian Beach Volleyball Championship on the 27th and 28th December Under 19 Division and then the Australian Under 17 Beach Volleyball Championship at Adelaide's Glenelg Beach. This Championship is on the 29th to 31st December 2004. Once this event is over the boys get to see the Australian Pro tour event and will be taking part in some officiating on the 1st to 3rd January and then arrive back to New Zealand to participate in the New Zealand Pro tour events on the 5th January onwards.

The other Spotswood combination of Philip Whalen and Stuart Julian were unable to get to the quarter-final stages of the tournament but were successful in winning the Plate division in the championship and finishing in 9th Spot.

The Spotswood teams are now looking forward to taking part in the Taranaki Secondary Schools Beach volleyball championship on the 15th January and preparing for the upcoming indoor volleyball season.

Spotswood College A (Steven Davison and Peter Allemann)
Pool Play
Won 2-0. 21-12, 21-12.
Vs Tauranga Boys College E (Jeff Lind and Hamiora Bennett).
Won 2-0. 21-17, 21-16.
Vs Otumoetai College B (Tauranga) (Alex Howitt and Zac Norris)

Post Section Play Quarter- Final Won 2-0. 21-10, 21-6. Vs Tauranga College B (Josh Hall and Hohepa Goebel)

Semi- Final Won 2-0. 21-11, 21-15. Vs Bethlehem College (Tauranga) (Jorden Culpepper and Ben De Ryk).

Final Won 2-0. 21-15, 21-14. Vs Otumoetai College A (Tauranga) (Michael Watson and Edwin Odea).

Final Placing New Zealand Under 16 Junior Beach Volleyball Champions 2004

Taranaki Secondary Schools Sports Association Junior Volleyball Championship 2004

We sent 3 teams to the Junior Boys` Championship and the 3 teams did well.

The boys' were all Year 9 boys and as the competition was for Year 9 and Year 10 students their performance was very creditable.

The A team Tim Hook, Daniel Campbell, Anaru Matthews, Ben Taylor, Beau Worthington, Regan Cassidy and coach Mr Watson. We won 4 matches but lost the final to a very large Francis Douglas team. The A team recorded wins over Hawera High School B, Inglewood High School, Waitara High School and NPBHS B. They ended up in 2nd place. An excellent result considering the team is all Year 9 students.



Junior Boys A Volleyball

Back Row: Mr Antony Joe (Coach), Anaru Matthews, Beau Worthington, Mr Russell Watson (Coach). Front Row: Regan Cassidy, Daniel Campbell, Tim Hook, Ben Taylor.

The B team Thomas Wiseman, Tom Sommersville, Daniel Bruce, Corey Brooks, Nathan Sole, Steven Long, Michael Tume and coach Mr Joe. The B team recorded 4 wins and 1 loss. They recorded wins over Hawera High School A, Francis Douglas A, Waitara High School, and NPBHS A. The team finished in 4th place. Another good result for the Year 9 students.

The C team Evan Brien, Christian Lovell, Dominic FitzPatrick, Matt Shotter, Sam Burton, Mitchell Redington, Regan Foster, Daamon Williams and coaches Michael Riley and Duncan Mac Dirmid. The C team recorded 2 wins and 3 losses. The team finished 10th place. This team did very well



Junior Boys B Volleyball

Back Row: Mr Antony Joe (Coach), Michael Tume, Thomas Wiseman, Mr Russell Watson (Coach).

Front Row: Nathan Sole, Evan Brien, Tom Sommerville, Daniel Bruce.

Absent: Corey Brookes, Luke Ahkoui.

considering that they were a replacement team for the championship and were called in to the tournament on the day before the tournament. Thanks must go for the coaches for the C team who helped for the day.

Finally the Junior Boys' squads now try to qualify for the North Island Secondary schools volleyball tournament in Auckland on the 24th to 27th November. The team are taking 2 teams to this event and hope and use it as an opportunity to develop its team for 2 years in this North Island Secondary school event. Good luck guys.



Junior Boys C Volleyball

Back Row: Mr Antony Joe (Coach), Mitchell Redington, Leroy Berquist, Steven Long, Mr Russell Watson (Coach). Front Row: Christian Lovell, Dominic FitzPatrick, Sam Burton, Regan Foster, Matt Shotter.

Absent: Daamon Williams, Joshua Waitere.

Senior Boys Volleyball 2004

The senior boys' volleyball programme started late this year after a successful beach volleyball season. We were very lucky to gain the services of ex-student and past member of the Boys' Volleyball programme Mr Russell Watson. (Russell's experience has invaluable and been able to bring new life to the programme.) Russell has played representative volleyball for both New Zealand's indoor and beach volleyball teams and has helped considerably the Spotswood boys volleyball programme.

The team decided late to enter the Taranaki Regional volleyball championship and once we committed we entered 2 teams. A Team Peter Allemann, Steven Davison, Philip Whalen, Dominic Cooksley-Gruys, Toby Dixon, Matt Reidy, Cameron Rolls, Jono Walsh, and Stuart Julian. B Team Nikhil George, Pat Brennan, Duncan MacDiarmid, Clive Tonga-Awhikau, Michael Riley, MJ Sioli, Hunter McLeod, Nathan Andrews, Andrew Steel, Daniel Campbell.

The results of the Taranaki Volleyball championship was that Spotswood were unable to win the regional volleyball championship and were beaten by a better NPBHS A team. The finishing order of the Taranaki Regional Senior Boys' Volleyball championship for 2004 were: 1st NPBHS A

2nd Spotswood College A

3rd F.D.M.C.

4th NPBHS B

5th Spotswood College B



Senior Boys A Volleyball

Back Row: Mr Antony Joe (Coach), Dominic Cooksley-Gruys, Phillip Whalen, Toby Dixon, Mr Russell Watson (Coach).

Front Row: Duncan MacDiarmid, Steven Davison, Peter Allemann, Cameron Rolls.

Absent: Matt Reidy, Pat Brennan.



Senior Boys B Volleyball

Back Row: Mr Antony Joe (Coach), Clive Tonga-Awhitkau, Jayden Hill, Mr Russell Watson (Coach). Front Row: Daniel Campbell, Stuart Julian, Jono Walsh,

Absent: Nikhil George, Hunter McLeod, Nathan Andrews, MJ Sioli, Sam Reidy.

After Volleyball Regionals it was off to Nationals. We decided to take 1 team to the National championship and choose a squad of 9 players. Peter Allemann, Steven Davison, Philip Whalen, Dominic Cooksley-Gruys, Toby Dixon, Matt Reidy, Cameron Rolls, Pat Brennan and Duncan Mac Diarmid.

New Zealand Secondary School Volleyball Championship was held in March 2004 in Tauranga. As the team had qualified for the New Zealand Championships in the top 40 position and a new format was to be played this year the team was set some real important objectives.

1. Not to lose it position in the top 40 for the region.

Play great defence and with attitude.

Develop as a team.

4. Gain as many wins as we could as this helps the overall picture and results an gain a good National Ranking.

Pool Play

Michael Riley.

Auckland Grammar Lost (1-3) 20-25, 27-25, 16-25, 18-25.

This game was an exciting game as we played with excellent attitude and effort and Cameron Rolls had his best game of the tournament. But we were unable to sustain the effort and dropped off in the later parts of the match.

Trident High School (Whakatane) Lost (0-3) 14-25, 8-25, 17-25.

This game was dominated by the New Zealand Secondary schools captain Daamon Haenga who spiked us off the court. We were unable to answer his power and were beaten convincingly.

Hillary College (Auckland) Lost (1-3) 13-25, 15-25, 25-22, 18-25.

This game we were competitive at times but our passing and offence lacked at times and it allowed the Pacific Island Boys' dominate us with their power.

Wanganui City College Won (3-0) 25-21, 25-20, 25-21.

We were able to win our first and only win of the tournament but this was a crucial win as it allowed us to secure the top 40 position and also achieved our main objective.

Post Section Play

Te Puke High School Lost (1-3) 25-19, 19-25, 19-25, 18-25.

This game started promisingly but we lost our ball control at crucial parts of the game and were unable to win the important points at the end of each set.

Christchurch Boys High School Lost (2-3) 25-21, 18-25, 25-17, 24-26, 12-15.

This game was a mammoth game and we were unable to be on the winning side of it. This game was an intense game with lots of emotions boiling on after the game due to missed opportunities and tensions. The boys' played probably their 2nd best game of the tournament but were still unlucky.

Otumoetai College B (Tauranga) Lost (0-3) 23-25, 21-25, 17-25.

This game was close but we were unable to get ahead in any of the sets near the business end of the match and therefore Otumoetai were able to win in straight sets.

NPBHS Lost (0-3) 21-25, 28-30, 17-25.

The game between the 2 New Plymouth schools was a disappointment as both schools had played well in the tournament but were playing off each other in the lower parts of the tournament.

St Andrews College (Christchurch) Lost (0-3) 23-25, 18-25, 12-25.

This was our last game of the tournament but probably our worse. The guys were unable to get momentum in the match and we struggled to give decent ball to hitters or setter and we dropped off in the match.

We finished in 31st spot in New Zealand so that was a good spot considering we have a team that will be back next year.

Volleyball

The National Secondary Schools Beach Volleyball Championships were held on the 31st January to 1st February. This year Spotswood only had two teams in the competition: top seeds Steven Davison and myself and the unpredictable pairings of Philip Whalen and Stuart Julian. The night before we just managed to get some sleep after Phillip had finished playing with his plastic packaging. Early the next morning we woke to the sound of rain on our cabins roof. Off to the beach we drove. The tournament was nearly called off but as the hail died down to just a heavy rain the first nets got set up.

The tournament went well with Steven and myself making the finals comfortably after beating teams from Otumoetai, Tauranga Boys and winning the semi-final against Bethlehem College. During the hitting warm-up for the final many words of a negative quality were thrown at us by supporters of our opponents. But after the 1st set which we won 21-17 the remarks had died down. With help from our supporters and the quick words of advice from our coach Antony Joe we brought the title home to Spotswood College.

We had won the Under 16 Beach Volleyball Nationals. We were ecstatic! To add to the celebrations Phillip and Stuart won the plate. An enormous thanks to Mr Joe for putting in an endless number of training and also transporting us to the tournament. Thanks also to Phillip and Stuart for supporting helping and us train ha ha! A big thanks to Steven for helping win the title and because he is the man!

Peter Allemann Year 11



New Zealand Secondary Schools Year 11 Under 16 Beach Volleyball

Back Row: Mr Antony Joe (Coach), Peter Allemann, Steven Davison, Mr Russell Watson (Coach)



North Island Junior Boys Secondary Schools Beach Volleyball

Back Row: Mr Antony Joe (Coach), Jayden Hill, Toby Dixon, Mr Russell Watson (Coach).

Front Row: Phillip Whalen, Stuart Julian, Dominic Cooksley-Gruys.

Absent: Jono Walsh, Peter Manning, Luke Erickson.

Girls Volleyball 2004

It is again with great pleasure that we can report on another very successful year for the various junior and senior girls teams that have represented Spotswood College at Indoor and Beach Volleyball during the last twelve months.

The major highlights during the past year were:

- * The 2003 Year 10 Junior Girls A team winning the Taranaki Regional Qualifying series.
- * The 2003 Year 10 Junior Girls team finished in 3rd place in Division Two at the North Island Secondary Schools Championships at Napier, last November.
- * Our two Junior Girls four aside teams winning the Silver and Bronze medals at the 2003, 4th North Island Secondary Schools Beach Volleyball Championships played at Ngamotu Beach on 5th December.
- * Unfortunately due to bad weather, the 2004 Taranaki Secondary Schools Beach Volleyball Championships (TSSSA) scheduled for 15th February were cancelled.
- * The senior girls Gold team won the 2004 Taranaki regional qualifying series undefeated with the Green team finishing fourth.
- * The senior girls team qualified for Division Three at the NZSS Championships played in Tauranga where they finished in 11th place (43rd overall).

- * School BLUES were awarded to Sarah Wales, Annika Wallin and Kim Doran for Beach Volleyball, and Sarah Wales and Natalie Cameron for Indoor Volleyball.
- * The junior girls teams finished in 3rd, 4th and 9th places at the 2004 Taranaki Secondary Schools Sports Association (TSSSA) Championships played at the TSB Stadium on Tuesday 31st August.
- * The Year 9 & 10 junior girls team had a very successful day at the annual Te Aroha Invitational tournament on 18th September, finishing in 12th place.

The following is a summary of the various activities in which our girls volleyball teams participated in during the last twelve months:

1. 2003 TARANAKI SECONDARY SCHOOLS JUNIOR REGIONAL QUALIFYING SERIES:

There were three schools entered in the 2003 junior regional series that was played over four days in October-November.

The A team of Michelle Atkins, Kim Doran, Nicole Eady, Melissa Long, Kayla Pryce, Briar Plummer-Butt and Sara Trevathan won the series undefeated winning all 10 games. The B team of Elle Brennan, Carley Stokell, Lena Gudjonsson, Sarah Maessen, Natalie Yuile, Ayaka Kawasaki, Yui Asakawa, and Cheryl Chung won 4 games to finish 4th.

The C team of Maree Aiello, Laura Carley, Jessica Dixon, Aurora Goodin, Nicole Eichstaedt, Nikita Lubransky, Jessie Muggeridge, Shelley Rolston, and Sarah Taylor finished 5th.



Senior Volleyball

Back Row: Mr Phil Gayton (Coach), Analeigh Peoples, Jessica Dixon, Elle Brennan, Carley Stokell, Maree Aiello. Front Row: Kim Doran, Annika Wallin, Sarah Wales, Natalie Cameron, Nicole Eady.

Absent: Lena Gudjonsson, Melissa Long, Rebecca Cameron, Kayla Pryce.

2. 2003-20th NORTH ISLAND JUNIOR INDOOR CHAMPIONSHIPS - NAPIER:

The Year 10 squad travelled to Napier in late-November and after pool play qualified for the Division Two Championship. Our results were: Pool play: lost to Otumoetai College B (Tauranga) 0-2; beat Tauranga Girls College B 2-1; lost to McAuley High School (Auckland) 0-2; beat Rangitoto College (Auckland) 2-0; Division Two Championship: Beat Napier Girls High School 2-0; beat Birkenhead College (Auckland) 2-1; beat Sacred Heart College (Lower Hutt) 2-0; beat Woodford House (Napier)

3. 2003 4th NORTH ISLAND SECONDARY SCHOOLS BEACH VOLLEYBALL CHAMPIONSHIPS - NEW PLYMOUTH:

2-0; semi-final lost to Matamata College 1-2;

Final placing = 3rd

The 4th North Island Secondary Schools Beach Volleyball Championships were played at Ngamotu Beach on Friday 5th December. The junior competition was played in four aside teams, with the seniors in pairs teams. Our results were: Junior Girls Fours:

2nd: Nicole Eady, Lena Gudjonsson, Briar

Plummer-Butt, Carley Stokell 3rd: Jessica Dixon, Maree Aiello, Sarah Taylor, Elle Brennan Senior Girls Pairs:

5th= Kim Doran and Kayla Pryce 5th= Analeigh Peoples and Annika Wallin 9th= Sarah Wales and Rebecca Cameron



4. 2003 NEW ZEALAND SECONDARY SCHOOLS BEACH VOLLEYBALL CHAMPIONSHIPS:

This event was not held in 2003.

5. 2004 7th TARANAKI SECONDARY SCHOOLS BEACH VOLLEYBALL CHAMPIONSHIPS - NGAMOTU BEACH. SUNDAY 15th FEBRUARY.

Due to bad weather, this years 7th TSSSA Beach Championships were cancelled.

6. 2004 TARANAKI SECONDARY SCHOOLS SENIOR REGIONAL QUALIFYING SERIES:

Three schools entered this years senior regional qualifying series.

Our squads were:

Gold team-Sarah Wales, Annika Wallin, Rebecca Cameron, Kim Doran, Kayla Pryce, Nicole Eady, and Melissa Long winning all 4 matches to finish first.

Green team- Natalie Cameron, Analeigh Peoples, Lena Gudjonsson, Carley Stokell, Briar Plummer-Butt, Elle Brennan, Jessica Dixon, and Maree Aiello finished 4th.



Regionals Junior Gold and Green

Back Row: Megan Reid, Emily Bower, Carolyn Hayward, Charlotte Voss.

Middle Row: Elka Moeller, Shannon Offord, Tessa Edwards, Jessie Muggeridge, Chrissie Turner, Mr Phil Gayton (Coach). Front Row: Jane Allemann, Lucy van der Fits, Jessica Dixon, Pera Ferrier, Alex Barlow, Maree Aiello.

2003 North Island Beach Champs

Back Row: Mr Phil Gayton (Coach), Elle Brennan, Carley Stokell.

Front Row: Jessica Dixon, Nicole Eady, Maree Aiello.

7. 2004 - 36th N.Z.S.S. SENIOR INDOOR CHAMPIONSHIPS - TAURANGA:

The senior girls squad of Sarah Wales (Captain), Natalie Cameron, Annika Wallin, Kim Doran, Nicole Eady, Kayla Pryce, Lena Gudjonsson, Melissa Long, Briar Plummer-Butt, Carley Stokell, Maree Aiello and Jessica Dixon travelled to Tauranga for this years national championships in late-March. As we had a very young and inexperienced squad, the decision was made to aim for match experience at this high level in preparation for future years. The new format was again used with teams in ten pools for section play. Teams were then ranked into four divisions for championship play according to their final pool placing.

Our Pool E results in were: lost to Hornby High School (Christchurch) 0-3; 5-25, 12-25, 17-25 lost to Tauranga Girls College B

0-3; 9-25, 9-25, 10-25

lost to Kelston Girls High School (Auckland) 2-3; 25-19,17-25,14-25,25-14,7-15

lost to Rotorua Girls High School 1-3; 23-25, 12-25, 25-20, 16-25 Division Three Championship results: lost to Otahuhu College (Auckland)

lost to Otahuhu College (Auckland) 0-3; 24-26, 19-25, 19-25 lost to Te Aroha College

2-3; 25-23,23-25,10-25,25-19,10-15 beat Saint.Margarets College(Christchurch)

3-1; 25-19, 21-25, 25-9, 25-16 beat Marlborough Girls College Blue 3-0; 25-12, 25-13, 25-18

lost to Rangitoto College (Auckland) 1-3; 18-25, 25-14, 20-25, 21-25

Played: 9 Won: 2 Lost: 7 Sets For: 12 Sets Against: 22 Final placing = 11th in Division Three. Placed 43rd in New Zealand.

All twelve players developed well as the tournament progressed. It is hoped that this experience will be of benefit to nine Year 10 and 11 players over the next three years.

8. 2004 NEW PLYMOUTH WINTER LEAGUE:

This year, five teams were entered in the New Plymouth Winter league:
Spotswood Panthers - Kim Doran, Melissa Long, Jessie Muggeridge, and ex-pupil Rachel Clareburt. This team won the D grade.
Spotswood Chix On A Mission (Year 10 and 11) - Nicole Eady, Lena Gudjonsson, Maree Aiello, Jessica Dixon
Spotswood Cougars (Year 10 and 11) - Nicole Eichstaedt, Laura Carley, Sarah Taylor, Yun-Ting

Chung, Chiemi Masuda, Kanae Murakami Spotswood Lions (Year 9) - Jane Allemann, Alex Barlow, Lucy van der Fits, Pera Ferrier, Charlotte Voss, Shannon Offord. This team finished 2nd in the E grade.

Spotswood Tigers (Year 9) - Chrissie Turner, Megan Reid, Tessa Edwards, Elka Moeller, Carolyn Hayward, Emily Bower



Cougars Volleyball

Back Row: Mr Phil Gayton (Coach), Kanae Murakami, Chiemi Masuada

Front Row: Yun Ting Chung, Nicole Eischstaedt, Laura Carley.

Absent: Sarah Taylor.



Year 9 Lions Indoor Volleyball

Back Row: Mr Phil Gayton (Coach), Pera Ferrier, Shannon Offord, Charlotte Voss.

Front Row: Lucy van der Fits, Alex Barlow, Jane Allemann.



Year 9 Tigers Indoor Volleyball

Back Row: Carolyn Hayward, Tessa Edwards, Megan Reid, Mr Phil Gayton (Coach). Front Row: Elka Moeller, Chrissie Turner, Emily Bower.

9. INTER SCHOOL MATCHES:

a. Wanganui High School:

Wanganui High School visited Spotswood on Friday 2nd April and played against our senior girls team at lunchtime. Spotswood ran out the winners 3-2, 25-21, 20-25, 25-23, 16-25, 15-11.

b. Wanganui City College:

The annual inter-school fixture was played in Wanganui on Wednesday 5th May. Our senior team of Sarah Wales, Natalie Cameron, Annika Wallin, Kim Doran, Nicole Eady, Lena Gudjonsson, Kayla Pryce, Melissa Long, Briar Plummer-Butt, and Carley Stokell ran out the winners 2-0, 25-7, 25-11

winners 2-0, 25-7, 25-11. c. Fairfield College (Hamilton):

Unfortunately this years exchange was cancelled.

10. 2004 TARANAKI SECONDARY SCHOOLS JUNIOR VOLLEYBALL CHAMPIONSHIPS:

This years championships were played at the TSB Stadium on Tuesday 31st August, with eleven girls teams entered. Our results were:

Spotswood Gold:

beat Saint.Marys Diocesan 59-39, beat Inglewood High School 59-35, lost to New Plymouth Girls High School-A 30-56, lost to Waitara High School 40-50 to finish in 3rd place.

Spotswood C:

beat Hawera High School-B 62-26, Spotswood Green 54-28, lost to New Plymouth Girls High School-A 38-50, beat Hawera High School-A 48-41, beat Saint Marys Diocesan 54-37 to finish in 4th place.

Spotswood Green:

lost to New Plymouth Girls High School-A 24-34, lost to Spotswood C 28-54, beat Hawera High School-B 52-40, beat Inglewood HS 44-43, lost to Sacred Heart College 43-49 to finish in 9th place after a three-way countback for 7th.

11. JUNIOR GIRLS NORTHERN TOUR:

The junior squad competed in the annual invitation tournament at Te Aroha on Saturday 18th September. Our results were: lost to Trident High School-A (Whakatane) 16-65, lost to Hillcrest High School-A (Hamilton) 19-61, beat Te Aroha College-B 56-25, lost to Tauranga Girls College-B 39-41, lost to Otumoetai College-B 30-59, lost to Trident High School-B 39-40 to finish 12th in the 15 team tournament.

CONCLUSION:

A big thanks to all of the junior and senior players for their involvement in the girls Volleyball programme during 2004. A special thanks to all of the parents who have help me with our teams fund-raising, transport, chaperoning and managing during 2003/2004 - Mrs Doran, Mrs Trevathan, Mrs Allemann, Mrs Bower and Mr Long. Best wishes to the junior girls as they prepare for their regional qualifying series and the North Island Championships in Auckland. Good luck to those who will be involved in the various beach Volleyball events during the summer of 2004/2005. Those players returning can look forward to another enjoyable and successful year in 2005 remember that you are only as good as you practice, and you don't improve unless you practice.

Phil Gayton



Senior A Beach Volleyball

Back Row: Mr Phil Gayton (Coach).
Front Row: Kim Doran, Annika Wallin, Sarah Wales, Analeigh Peoples.
Absent: Natalie Cameron, Kayla Pryce.



2003 Junior Girls North Island

Back Row: Mr Phil Gayton (Coach), Elle Brennan, Carley Stokell.

Front Row: Nicole Eady, Sara Trevathan, Kim Doran. Absent: Lena Gudjonsson, Melissa Long, Briar Plummer-Butt, Kayla Pryce.











Year 13 Students 2004

Back Row: Hashim Ali, Jason Gaastra, Josh Holtom, Billy Berger, Isaac Vennik, Michael Paterson, Thomas Lindup, Keith Trevathan, Sam Keegan, Jacopo Mosca, Lexa Dickinson, Gina Ankerson, Candace Noyes, Rickie McGee, Chris Maessen, Adam Sarten, Fraser Millward, Adam Preston, Adam Fabish.

Fifth Row: Philip Barriball, Jenny Bush, Clifford Holland, Ben Hunter, Jesse Laing, Tanya Richards, James Anderson, Jasmine Brandt, Elicia-May Nahi, Phil Sanders, Frances Doran, Paul Glucina, Joana Devine, Alexandra Nel.

Fourth Row: Mathew Tolhopf, Nikhil George, Jasmine Owen, Elina Mikkola, Julia Berry, Michelle Lotter, Kayne Katene, Hohaia Tane, Natalie Cameron, Holly Snowdon, Bonita Te Awhe, Jo Fitness, Pawinee Santichalanan, Sopheak Suon, Aya Sakamoto.

Third Row: Chris Zimmerman, Angie Palm, Kylie Vincent, David O'Sullivan, Luke Day, Alex Voss, Sally van der Hulst, Jason Watts, Jackson Coe, Whitney Moore, Nathan Andrews, Shem Plummer-Butt, Sarah Wales, Gus Turner, Matthew

Second Row: Regan Robinson, Luke Maxwell, David Wells, Scott Davis, Toby Fitzpatrick, Katie Reid, Reece Julian, Sarah Allemann, Rhys Harvey, Natalie Brien, Euan Ritchie, Amanda Eady, Shane Martin.

Front Row: Dylan Wharepapa, Kriszti Ga'l, Heather Sanderson-Collins, Janette Crow, Jane Manning, Kimberley Leighton, Alanah Cooper, Rachael Allen, Erin Prebble.

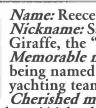




Name: Toby Fitzpatrick Nickname: No forehead guy Memorable moments: When Elina farted in class, when Jackson whipped out his you know, Dayna kissing Dirty-Neck Kerry Cherished moments: Thomas in lycra, Sam's horse training

escapades Favourite teacher/subject: Mr Gilmore - fun with cream cheese! Pet peeves: Fun Police, lurkers Future aspirations: To quoth mead greedily from the skulls of my vanquished foes

Parting comment: "My forehead is normal size!!"



Name: Reece Julian Nickname: Sailor Boy, Puddle, Giraffe, the "Grown Up Police" Memorable moments: The Ball, being named captain of the yachting team
Cherished moments: Winning

boys 'A' hockey, being named captain of the Spotswood boy's team
Favourite teacher/subject: Graphics
Pet peeves: Thomas's hair (get a haircut!), losing, getting injured Future aspirations: To be an architect, living a

good life, playing hockey Parting comment: "If you're a short, skinny, shy dude, go hard! Who knows where you will turn up"



Name: Regan Robinson Nickname: Reg, Reggie, RGR Memorable moments: None Cherished moments: Any of the many occasions I was malevolent Favourite teacher/subject: They 're all equal ...

Pet peeves: People who make statements they will not back

Future aspirations: Bar-coded, RFID implanted

Parting comment: "Vae Victius"



Name: Lexa-Rose Dickinson Nickname: Waireka, Leck Memorable moments: The time Phil falsely accused me of punching him Cherished moments: Dylan and Courtney getting together because

of me!! Favourite teacher/subject: Mr Chivers - Drama Pet peeves: Getting beaten up in Theatre Studies Future aspirations: To get out of Okato! Parting comment: "Okato is not that bad".



Name: Jackson Coe Nickname: Lanky Lurker Memorable moments: Farting in Photography, spilling yoghurt on Katie

Cherished moments: Back to the 80's musical, Shakespeare festivals Favourite teacher/subject: Mr

Chivers - Drama

Pet peeves: Cameras appearing at the wrong

Future aspirations: Being murdered by Michael

Parting comment: "Hope to catch you at the Oscars'



Name: Dayna-Maree Kivell Nickname: Smat Australian Memorable moments: When Shelley told me she slept in the dog kennel after the Ball Cherished moments: The parties and soccer

Favourite teacher/subject: Mr Robinson, History
Pet peeves: Stupid Canadian (you know who you are!)

Future aspirations: To become the fourth Powder Puff girl Parting comment: "Love you all"

> Name: Alexandra Nel Nickname: Smelly Memorable moments: Blue Bag Cherished moments: Xtreme sports, notes on the whiteboard

Favourite teacher/subject: Mr

Sewter - Economics, 'cough cough' Pet peeves: The attack of the Blue Bag Boy Future aspirations: Fame and fortune Parting comment: "Go hard or go home!"

> Name: Kimberley Leighton Nickname: Kim, Kimmy, Quiet Memorable moments: When Leasa lost 'Brittany', Year 13 drinks and parties Cherished moments: The "blonde

crew", our old traditions Favourite teacher/subject: Hassling Mr Taylor in bio, Graphics and study Pet peeves: Xtreme soccer and cricket Future aspirations: To go to Spain Parting comment: None



Name: Latashia Kilpatrick Nickname: Tarsh, Targe Memorable moments: The Ball!! Cherished moments: My whole Spotty life Favourite teacher/subject: Study!! Pet peeves: Common room soccer

Future aspirations: To be rich and famous... Parting comment: "Life is a daring adventure or nothing at all. Live life to its fullest!"



Name: Jasmine Owen Nickname: Jaz Memorable moments: Winning Young Enterprise Cherished moments: The Ball Favourite teacher/subject: Miss Scott - English

Pet peeves: None Future aspirations: To be an accountant Parting comment: "Look my nail broke again!"

> Name: Sarah Wales Nickname: Oopsy, Daytripper Memorable moments: With the girls going to Lys, going to Edgefeast04, 18th birthday Cherished moments: 3,2,1 let it

rip, 18th birthday Favourite teacher/subject: None Pet peeves: Back chat, people leaving rubbish in my car

Future aspirations: To win Lotto! Parting comment: "Catch you up"



Name: Euan Ritchie Nickname: Euban, Euman, Eumo, El Memorable moments: Getting kicked out of Pizza Hut Cherished moments: Winning Badminton, Rhys and Tobes

beating me up in Niks car Favourite teacher/subject: Mr Gabites - Physics Pet peeves: Blue Bag Boy, my hygiene Future aspirations: To become an engineer Parting comment: "It doesn't matter how you get there...it's the effort that counts"



Name: Keith Trevathan Nickname: Bandit Keith, Trev Memorable moments: Sitting in the common room Cherished moments: Life at Spotswood College Favourite teacher/subject: Mr

Hodgkinson Pet peeves: Everyone Future aspirations: Army Parting comment: "Stop smelling your feet"



Name: Frances Doran Nickname: Fran Memorable moments: The raft we made at leadership camp Cherished moments: My trip to Favourite teacher/subject: Mr

Gabites - Physics Pet peeves: Bad spellers (love you Erin!!) Future aspirations: To make lots of money and travel the world Parting comment: "Estoy Muy Guapo!"



Name: Michael Paterson Nickname: That guy with the dyed eyebrows, Dye Eye

Memorable moments: Thomas in lycra, Sam's portrayal of a horse trainer; Wall of Death Cherished moments: 50 runs in the rain, coming last in the 1500m

Favourite teacher/subject: Sam taught me all I need to know!! Pet peeves: Being hit in the face with rugby balls Future aspirations: To have a plentiful supply Parting comment: "Put the wood in the hole", "Is that all?" and "I don't have dyed eyebrows!"



Name: Jason Gaastra Nickname: Someone's brother, Sensible Sleeper
Memorable moments: Winning school cross-country

Cherished moments: Being a Year
13 student, the Ball, camp, Back to the 80's

Favourite teacher/subject: Mr Chivers, Biology, Pet peeves: Swearing, getting hit in the head by Frisbees Future aspirations: BBQ sauce or sausage

manufacturer Parting comment: "I'm trying to think", "Thank you" and "Please"



Name: Sally van der Hulst Nickname: Sal Memorable moments: Winning Young Enterprise Regionals 2003, Arts week Cherished moments: The Ball Favourite teacher/subject: Mr

Taylor - Biology Pet peeves: Filling out forms like this! Future aspirations: To work in genetics to find the blonde gene

Parting comment: "Half of being smart is making sure you're not stupid"



Name: Jenny Bush Nickname: None Memorable moments: None Cherished moments: Winning Young Enterprise and getting most of the awards Favourite teacher/subject: Mr

Buchanan-Brown, Economics Pet peeves: Being drawn on by Reece Future aspirations: To graduate uni, travel, own an apartment in a city Parting comment: "What we want, get and deserve are all very different things



Name: Rhys Harvey Nickname: None
Memorable moments: Regan and
Jenni in a portaloo, Jackson lurking Cherished moments: When Scott

threw a pinecone and it hit me in the eye, Blue Bag Boy

Favourite teacher/subject: Lolly Mondays (in English), Foyboy NZ

Pet neeves: Transland Pet peeves: Trev, Jackson lurking, Toby's personal hygiene!! Future aspirations: To become an astronaut or voice double for famous seagull

Parting comment: "Natalie likes Rhys more than Sarah", "Wood in the hole"



Name: Aya Sakamoto Nickname: Eskimo, Eya, Aiya Memorable moments: When I first arrived in New Plymouth Cherished moments: Time spent with my friends here Favourite teacher/subject: Mrs

Holland (she is my mum in New Zealand!) Pet peeves: Being called "small" or "short"!
Future aspirations: I will be the most famous Japanese artist so remember me Parting comment: "Matane!"



Name: Luke Day Nickname: None Memorable moments: Ricky getting shat on the head by a bird Cherished moments: Playing soccer for the first eleven Favourite teacher/subject: Mr

Gilmore - Art History Pet peeves: People sniffing in exams Future aspirations: To become a professional Parting comment: "Skateboarding for life"



Name: Julia Berry Nickname: Juju, Jewels Memorable moments: Jackson dressed as a girl, bad taste day, face painting day Cherished moments: Sam training

horses, Melbourne trip, The Ball Favourite teacher/subject: Art, Painting and Textiles

Pet peeves: None Future aspirations: To be a well-known fashion

Parting comment: "Life is here to be lived, so enjoy"



Name: Jo Fitness Nickname: Jo Shmoe, Jomofoline, Average Jo, Jo Eskimo Memorable moments: Arts week, leadership camp Cherished moments: The Ball,

sharing the year with all my friends Favourite teacher/subject: Biology and Chemistry Pet peeves: Playing ball games in the common room at study and lunch
Future aspirations: To be a zoologist, doing research around the world

Parting comment: "Grab every opportunity given to vou"



Name: Jaclyn Anderson Nickname: Jackie, Jack Memorable moments: Most of the stupid things I've done Cherished moments: Going to Favourite teacher/subject: All my

teachers were great Pet peeves: You don't want to know Future aspirations: To be a Japanese comic artist and interpreter Parting comment: None

Name: Myra Jane Manning Nickname: Myra, MJ, Janey Memorable moments: Too many to write!

Cherished moments: Umm... Thomas in his lycra...ha ha...not!! Favourite teacher/subject: Ahh,

that's a hard one

Pet peeves: People assuming things, having cold hands

Future aspirations: A rich husband with a nice

Parting comment: "See ya"



Name: Chris Maessen Nickname: Ginja Ninja Memorable moments: Wall of Death Cherished moments: Japan

Favourite teacher/subject: Ms DeLong

Pet peeves: 2 years of Natalie's questions, useless Ball date

Future aspirations: To represent NZ for Wall of Death 2008 Olympics

Parting comment: "You're a parting comment!"



Name: Elicia-May Nahi Nickname: Jandalz, Elle-Jandals, Elle-May, E-May

Memorable moments: Bad taste
day when Jackson looked like

Richard Simmons Cherished moments: The musical,

the Ball; Kapa Haka nationals Favourite teacher/subject: Mr Chivers - Theatre

Pet peeves: A certain person who talks a lot of crap, laughs at nothing, sings all the time...
Future aspirations: To be rich, but probably end up living in a bus stop!! Parting comment: "See ya at the next reunion!"



Name: Philip Sanders Nickname: That guy from a third world country Memorable moments: When

Elina had toilet paper stuck to her back

Cherished moments: Blue Bag Boy's rendition of "She Bangs"
Favourite teacher/subject: Yoda - The way of

Pet peeves: Fun Police, new punk-rock
Future aspirations: Walk around in the jungle
with a big stick for 10 years

Parting comment: "Eeny meeny exemeenyexemeeny salimini. Eeny-meeny exemeeny salimini so!"



Name: Rachael Jodi Allen *Nickname:* Rach Memorable moments: The many 'spur of the moment' hot chocolate trips with Krizti Cherished moments: None Favourite teacher/subject: Mr

Gilmore, Photography Pet peeves: No milk in the fridge! Future aspirations: To be the best I can be Parting comment: "Take care and good luck for the future"

> Name: Erin Prebble Nickname: Lil Prebs, Ernie Memorable moments: Coming to school in a wet suit to win third form speech (and I did!!) calling Miss Carnachan my mum by mistake

Cherished moments: When I nearly gave up fifth form Maths because I was doing really poorly and Mrs Taylor encouraging and supporting me and I passed!! Favourite teacher/subject: Mr Ward -

Photography
Pet peeves: Screaming girls
Future aspirations: To become an architectural
photographer or architectural drafter
Parting comment: "Be satisfied in walking in your own shoes. Don't try fitting into someone else's"



Name: Nathan Andrews Nickname: Needles, Native (Styles) Memorable moments: Bunt like a Seagull

Cherished moments: Vibration Creation - Wellington Sheminem

Favourite teacher/subject: Mr Hodgkinson -History

Pet peeves: None Future aspirations: Drift between South American countries living under false identities Parting comment: "Goodbye"

> Name: Katie Reid Nickname: Spud, Kat, Langa, Baby Lane, Katie Potatie Memorable moments: Cruising in Langmobile, the Ball, hangover breakfasts at McD's Cherished moments: Steaming

Langmobile up mountain, dancing with the girls, Thomas' dancing

Favourite teacher/subject: Mr Gilmore Pet peeves: People who don't appreciate the true genius of the man that invented toffee apples Future aspirations: Spongebob Squarepants wife Parting comment: "Keep 'in ' real, love you guys!"



Name: Janette Crow Nickname: Netty, Netty-Spagetti, Net, Net Net Memorable moments: The Ball, going up the mountain in the Langmobile Cherished moments: Laxin out at the pools with the girls, weekend

nights Favourite teacher/subject: Mr Ward -Photography Pet peeves: People who write "If you read this you are gay"

Future aspirations: To be successful

Parting comment: "Take chances don't hold
back, for you never know when another one



will come along"

Name: Candace Noyes Nickname: Candy, Shmandy, Candy Pants, Nana, Noisey Memorable moments: Dayna kissing Dirty-Neck Kerry, David making me laugh so hard snot came out my nose!, Japan trip Cherished moments: Cruzin in the

Langmobile with mah gurlies Favourite teacher/subject: Mr Hodgkinson -History (put up with me for 5 years!)

Pet peeves: People who write messages saying

"If you read this you are gay" and stupid Aussies

Future aspirations: Fame and fortune ... of course

Parting comment: "Keep 'n' real and I'm gonna
miss you guys and love ya lots"



Name: David Wells Nickname: Well-z, Davie boy, David Smells, Davie boy Memorable moments: Regan and the huge chick, Ricky... Cherished moments: Me farting and soiling my underpants! Favourite teacher/subject: Xtreme

soccer, FovBovNZ Pet peeves: Blue Bag Boy, Jackson lurking, soiled underpants Future aspirations: Fast food franchise beat-box champion Parting comment: "Ciao and if you read this you are gay..."



Name: Natalie Brien Nickname: Nat, "Dirty Blonde", Fun Police, Sarah... Memorable moments: Dumb week, Toby's sweaty forearms Cherished moments: Organising the Ball, cruising in the Langmobile

Miss Scott Pet peeves: Being called "Fun Police", doing other peoples dishes, Blue Bag Boy Future aspirations: To marry a millionaire Parting comment: "I will miss Rhys the most ha ha Sarah!!"

Favourite teacher/subject: Lolly Monday with



Name: Holly Maree Snowdon Nickname: Mama, Chicken, Memorable moments: Lunchtime drives in my car, playing with the

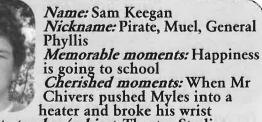
camera Cherished moments: Drunken nights out wherever we are, seeing

my mates Favourite teacher/subject: Photography, Design, Form Time mmm food

Pet peeves: Cold, wet, windy mornings at school, "Him" you know..._

Future aspirations: To become rich and famous, sex, drugs and rock 'n' roll

Parting comment: "Do everything and nothing and be happy. See you in the next chapter'



Favourite teacher/subject: Theatre Studies, horses, Mr Crawford, Mrs DeLong Pet peeves: Blue Bag Boy, Natalie's stupid questions, everyone making fun of me! Future aspirations: To overthrow Megatron and become the deception leader, horse trainer Parting comment: "I like noodles", "I like horses", 'mmm horses"



Name: Whitney Moore Nickname: Moo, Bub Memorable moments: Top three finalist in the young designer of the year Cherished moments: Cruzin in

da Langmobile Favourite teacher/subject: Textiles!! Pet peeves: People who stop on the way to turn into McDonalds

Future aspirations: To work on the New York catwalk

Parting comment: "To be continued..."



Name: Natalie Cameron Nickname: Nat, Nataz Memorable moments: Meeting nanny Wales, getting Ball dresses with Holly Cherished moments: Breakfast beach, finding Bambi

Favourite teacher/subject: Form time Pet peeves: People leaving rubbish in my car, Jacopo leaving

Future aspirations: To be a Coastal Fisheries Officer, leader of the Green party Parting comment: "My definition of a free society is a society where it is safe to be unpopular"



Name: James Anderson Nickname: Imz Blond, Doh Boy Memorable moments: Winning Taranaki regional Young Enterprise

Cherished moments: Leaving Jaffa

Favourite teacher/subject: Mr Gribbon -Computers

Pet peeves: Thomas' bike Future aspirations: Bachelor of Engineering

Parting comment: "Grab life by the balls and



Name: Fraser Millward Nickname: Frayz Memorable moments: "Just the people" Cherished moments: When Sam sprayed coke in his own eye,

when Rickie puked Favourite teacher/subject: Mr Gabites - Physics

Pet peeves: Fun Police Future aspirations: To be an architect/designer Parting comment: "Stay for year 13, its rad and well worth it; work hard though"



Name: Michelle Lotter Nickname: Lotter, Porno, Lotte, Funny Shews, Michellina, Doug Mace Memorable moments: Sam's

dodgy old mans voice, Gilmore's cream cheese and lycra stories!

Cherished moments: Toby in a

green and pink tracksuit, the Ball, last years

Theatre Studies class

Favourite teacher/subject: Classics, English, History, Mrs FitzPatrick, Mr Chivers and The G-G-G- Unit!!!

Pet peeves: Being mimicked by Chris and Bonita Future aspirations: I would love to be an actress but will probably end up being an extra cheesy news anchor

Parting comment: "Spotswood, you have shaped me into who I am and I am going to bawl my eyes out when I have to leave!"

Name: Shem Plummer-Butt Nickname: Snow Boy, the Lost

Memorable moments: Getting my blue award

Cherished moments: Having music, playing volleyball

Favourite teacher/subject: They are all so good! Pet peeves: People who talk, no snow, no music Future aspirations: To become a snow boarder, owner of Maize Maze

Parting comment: "Yup"



Name: Thomas Lindup Nickname: That hard out biker Memorable moments: Wearing

lycra, the social *Cherished moments:* Wearing lycra, dancing Favourite teacher/subject: Mr

Buchanan-Brown - Chemistry Pet peeves: People saying "Get a haircut"
Future aspirations: To be a pro endurance mountain biker Parting comment: "X to the Y", "Eat your



potatoes"

Name: Sarah Allemann Nickname: Sass, Fun Police, Head Girl, Girl, Natalie, Ruben Memorable moments: Melbourne 'Cake' guy, musical and the Ball Cherished moments: Working in the canteen with Natalie, battles with Candace on swimming sports

Favourite teacher/subject: who has a favourite teacher these days? It's all about the students!! Pet peeves: Being called "Fun Police", scary Australian men, smoking Future aspirations: To be an All Black Parting comment: "I will miss Rhys more than Natalie ... ha ha ha!"



Name: Nikhil George Nickname: White lightning, negative nickel, nickel pickle Memorable moments: Catching cricket balls...not dropping them, Wall of Death, eating raspberry jam and meat sandwiches Cherished moments: Rhys, \$7

protein bars, Xtreme soccer, that straight drive

Favourite teacher/subject: Every single one of them... FoyboyNZ, Sewdogg, Miss S(hrek)
Pet peeves: Sarah's lack of personal hygiene, Natalie's questions, Fun Police
Future aspirations: To be an astronaut so watch this space...or the newspaper Parting comment: "Take all your opportunities. Remember me!!! Argh...!!!"



Name: Yu Chao Hu Nickname: None Memorable moments: The brilliant five hours under the "Sky Tower" Cherished moments: Rhys and Favourite teacher/subject:

Chemistry (Euban) Pet peeves: Sarah's lack of personal hygiene, Natalie's questions

Future aspirations: Don't know yet.... to be like
Rhys and Nik? Parting comment: "Ni Men Zhe QunBian Tai! Zai Jiancha. Bye guys. Enjoy your holidays!'



Name: Adam Sarten Nickname: None Memorable moments: Xtreme soccer, Wall of Death, seeing Mr Han trip up Skate Wednesdays, Rhys and Nik Favourite teacher/subject: Mr

Hodgkinson, Graphics Pet peeves: Sarah's lack of personal hygiene, Natalie's questions Future aspirations: To become an architect Parting comment: "Say no to drugs!!!"



Name: Jeremy Hopkinson Nickname: Barney Memorable moments: Doing cross-country and coming 24th Cherished moments: When the super bike came and I touched it Favourite teacher/subject: Mr

Chivers - Drama Pet peeves: None Future aspirations: To become an actor Parting comment: "Good bye, I'll miss you"



Boys High"

Name: Rickie McGee Nickname: Richard Summong Memorable moments: Xtreme soccer, after school detention Cherished moments: Hanging out with the foreign exchange students, Rhys and Nik Favourite teacher/subject: Mr

Buchanan-Brown - Chemistry Pet peeves: Chick flicks, communism, Sarah's lack of personal hygiene, Natalie's questions Future aspirations: World domination, first man on the moon Parting comment: "Spotswood is better than

first New Zealander

Favourite teacher/subject:

Name: Clifford Holland Nickname: Cliff Memorable moments: Coming to New Zealand Cherished moments: Meeting my

Biology Pet peeves: Annoying people Future aspirations: Forensics Parting comment: "Later"

Name: Jason Watts Nickname: Barney Memorable moments: Having lunch with friends Cherished moments: Going to the Favourite teacher/subject: Mrs

Mack Pet peeves: The computer crashing! Future aspirations: To work at Firewood Services Parting comment: "See you around"

> Name: Angelique Palm Nickname: Angie, Ang Memorable moments: Work experience Cherished moments: Going to the Favourite teacher/subject: Mrs

Salter Pet peeves: Ignorance Future aspirations: To go to Polytech Parting comment: "What's up?"



Name: Courtney Kendall Nickname: Mystery Girl Memorable moments: Auckland trip, somehow winning crosscountry Cherished moments: Meeting Dylly

Favourite teacher/subject: Mr Lanning, Biology Pet peeves: Not getting one of the pink fluffy hearts from the production Future aspirations: To travel the world Parting comment: "Save me apeman!"

Name: Shane Martin Nickname: Speedy Memorable moments: Topec, the Cherished moments: Socialising and joining in group conversations

Favourite teacher/subject: Mrs Palm, work experience Pet peeves: Physio, typing Future aspirations: To become a Holden racecar

Parting comment: "I've enjoyed attending Spotswood College"



Name: David Bell Nickname: Scribe Memorable moments: Work experience Cherished moments: Playing Favourite teacher/subject: Mrs

Salter

Pet peeves: Getting up in the morning! Future aspirations: To become a TV star Parting comment: "Meet you at the Treehouse"

> Name: Gus Turner Nickname: Gus the Bus Memorable moments: Going to work experience with Mrs Leuthard Cherished moments: Having lunch on the deck with my friends

Favourite teacher/subject: Mrs Leuthard Pet peeves: Too much noise in the classroom Future aspirations: To work at Energy FM Parting comment: "See you later alligator"



Name: Billy Berger Nickname: Burger, Cheese Memorable moments: Every time an experiment in Science went wrong Cherished moments: Coming to

New Plymouth and Spotswood
College in Year 10. To think I nearly went to

Boy's High! Favourite teacher/subject: I hate to play favourites but ... Mrs FitzPatrick Pet peeves: Graphics calculators as they are an unfair advantage if you have one but I don't so you are all cheaters! Future aspirations: I would like to go to the

Ceroc nationals next year Parting comment: "I have loved every moment at Spotswood, the people more than anything"



Name: Tayna Richards Nickname: Taryn, Tarn, Pippi Longstockings Memorable moments: None Cherished moments: None Favourite teacher/subject: Mr Buchanan-Brown - Chemistry

Pet peeves: People you think they know it all Future aspirations: New York hairdresser Parting comment: "Live life to the fullest because you never know when it will end"



Name: Jesse Laing Nickname: Resse Memorable moments: Building a fort in the Year 13 common room Cherished moments: Being told people don't build forts in the Year 13 common room

Favourite teacher/subject: None Pet peeves: Adam Sarten Future aspirations: To become an architect or a street bum cardboard box designer Parting comment: "Say no to Adam Sarten"



Name: Dylan Wharepapa Nickname: Dilma Memorable moments: Playing one of the main characters in the musical Cherished moments: Meeting my best friend Courtney for the first

Favourite teacher/subject: Mr Erueti, interval, lunchtime Pet peeves: Being called a Mama's boy! Future aspirations: To have a good job and to live till an old age Parting comment: "Elvis has left the building"



Name: Bonita Te Awhe Nickname: Neatz Memorable moments: Coming to school in my pyjamas for Elina's last day, Ferg and me getting 'Cutest Couple' at the Ball Cherished moments: Being a part of the production, the Ball, dressing up for Athletics day Go Barrett!!

Favourite teacher/subject: Mr Gilmore - Art History ... he's a crack up!

Pet peeves: The boys playing soccer in the common room, the way Reece Julian dances

Future aspirations: To travel the world, be rich and become a well-known fashion designer Parting comment: "It's so sad to leave as five years have just gone by so quickly but hey that's cool!"



Name: Jasmine Brandt Nickname: Jade Memorable moments: When I munched nachos in Joanna's hair Cherished moments: Winning Pae Rangatahi Competitions
Favourite teacher/subject: Mr Martin (Senior) - Maori Studies

Pet peeves: Thomas Lindup's lycra shorts, Blue Bag Boy Future aspirations: To invent Playgirl magazine, to legalise cannabis

Parting comment: "If it's not worth doing, cheat and if you get caught, don't ask me, you were dumb enough to listen!"

Name: Mathew Tolhopf Nickname: Troll Memorable moments: Expo days at TSB Stadium Cherished moments: Topec Favourite teacher/subject: Work experience

Pet peeves: Standing in the corridor and the bell ringing Future aspirations: To own a computer video

Parting comment: "Have a good holiday!"

Name: Philip Barriball Nickname: Barry Memorable moments: The Ball Cherished moments: Topec Favourite teacher/subject: Mr Webster - Computing Pet peeves: Stupid people

Future aspirations: To design a big selling computer game Parting comment: "Adios Amigos"

> Name: Amiee Vercoe Nickname: None Memorable moments: Leaving school Cherished moments: Making lots of friends Favourite teacher/subject: Miss

Morris and Mr Leonard Pet peeves: Too many times at Topec Future aspirations: To get a job working with computers Parting comment: "Miss ya!"

> Name: Kevin Marris Nickname: None Memorable moments: None Cherished moments: Making lots of friends Favourite teacher/subject: Mr Webster - Computing

Pet peeves: Iob club Future aspirations: To work with animals Parting comment: "I can't wait to leave!"



Name: Sopheak Suon Nickname: None Memorable moments: Fun times Cherished moments: Having good times and friends here Favourite teacher/subject: English, ESOL

Pet peeves: None Future aspirations: To improve my English, to take a holiday Parting comment: None

> Name: Luke Maxwell Nickname: Luke the Duke Memorable moments: The Ball, getting a new power chair Cherished moments: Making many friends Favourite teacher/subject:

Computing, Music Pet peeves: Wet weather (means no horse riding) Future aspirations: To go to Polytech Parting comment: None

> Name: David O`Sullivan Nickname: Davey Memorable moments: Swimming Cherished moments: Horse riding Favourite teacher/subject: Music Pet peeves: Having to get out of the pool

Future aspirations: None Parting comment: None

Name: Kylie Vincent Nickname: Missy Memorable moments: Visiting Brooklands Zoo Cherished moments: The Ball Favourite teacher/subject: None Pet peeves: None, I love everything about school!

Future aspirations: To work in a pet shop Parting comment: None

Name: Patrick Pascoe
Nickname: Patch, Bud
Memorable moments: Dancing
on the stage at the Bowl of
Brooklands
Cherished moments: Activities
week

Favourite teacher/subject: Music Pet peeves: None Future aspirations: To be a drummer in a band Parting comment: None



Name: Paul Glucina
Nickname: Justin Timberlake
Memorable moments: Euan
falling over while playing tenpin
bowling
Cherished moments: Surfing on
athletics day

Favourite teacher/subject: Mr Gabites
Pet peeves: None
Future aspirations: To become a pro surfer and
graphic designer
Parting comment: "Do us a favour"

Name: Amanda Eady
Nickname: Manda
Memorable moments: The old
times – back when all my friends
were still at school!
Cherished moments: The "blonde
crew"

Favourite teacher/subject: Mr Taylor - Biology Pet peeves: Grumpy teachers, early mornings, rainy days

Future aspirations: To become a veterinarian

Parting comment: "Good luck everyone!"

Name: Phillip Quinlan
Nickname: Phillyside
Memorable moments: Always
beating Adam at skate
Cherished moments: None
Favourite teacher/subject: Mr
Rowlands - Graphics

Pet peeves: These questions!
Future aspirations: To get a drift car
Parting comment: "Go to form class!"



Name: Scott Davis
Nickname: None
Memorable moments: None
Cherished moments: Being at
school for Year 13
Favourite teacher/subject: Mrs
FitzPatrick - Classical Studies

Pet peeves: None
Future aspirations: To become a head chef
Parting comment: "Life is a like a box of
chocolates – you never know what you are going
to get"

Student Council

Back Row: Nick Murphy, Aya Sakamoto, Stuart Julian, Kristy Bradley, Andrew Sanders. Third Row: Elicia-May Nahi, Kimberley Leighton, Jenny Bush, Yu Chao Hu, Julia Berry, Bonita Te Awhe.

Second Row: Michael Paterson, Sam Keegan, Jackson Coe, Rhys Harvey, Toby FitzPatrick, Euan Ritchie.

Front Row: Laura Salvatore, Natalie Brien, Reece Julian, Nikhil George, Sarah Allemann, Katie Reid, Frances Doran.



International Students

Back Row: Jenny Yue Ling Tang, Taabita Teriuea, Kanae Murakami, Allen Jian Gong, Yosuke Ihara, Alexandre de Mello.

Third Row: Ms Gloria Holland, Tiffany Ho, Friderike Weege, Chris Keshi Zhang, Vicheth Suon, Cheryl Yun Ting Chung, Aki Sato, Shiori Kikukawa, Mr Brett Sloan, Mrs Janet Lean.

Second Row: Sopheak Suon, Kriszti Ga'l, Alex Ao Qu, Rafael Domingues, Bruno Menezes, Shu Nam Leung, Xion Cheuk Ki Wai, Jacky Su, Elina Mikkola.

Front Row: Sindy Shuming Shen, Chiemi Masuda, Se Whei Park, Pawinee Santichalanan, Aya Sakamoto, Hiroko Fujii, Sandy Huishan Shen.

Absent: Yu Chao Hu, Akira Tsujii.

Special Education

Back Row: Yvonne Masters, Matthew Jamieson, Felix Hartmann, Wendy Bryant. Third Row: Elizabeth Chandler, Christine Brown, Maurice Paurini, Chris Zimmerman, Kylie Vincent, John Mannex.

Second Row: Raewyn Barron, Wharekuka Tonga, David O'Sullivan, Kayne Berry, Sam Fleming, Ben Smith, Tim Rush, Shaun Jones, Lee George, Judith Terrill.

Front Row: June Moseley, Luke Maxwell, Shaun Marshall, Cori Coxhead, Charley Harvey, Hamish Pope, Caitlin McLellan, Christie van Alphen.

On Floor: Joanne Ellis, Phillip Sole, Sarah Morris.





I3ABA

Back Row: Mrs Angela Bayly, Regan Robinson, Isaac Vennik, Phil Sanders, Adam Preston.

Front Row: Joanna Devine, Jason Gaastra, Sarah Allemann, Elicia-May Nahi, Matthew Maxwell.

Absent: Jonathan Anguna, Carl Paton, Hohaia Tane.

13LGE/JMO

Back Row: Dylan Wharepapa, David Wells, Lexa Dickinson.

Second Row: Mrs June Moseley, Kriszti Ga'l, Sally van der Hulst, Christopher Zimmerman, Angie Palm.

Front Row: Jason Watts, Rhys Harvey, Katie Reid, Alexa Nel, Aya Sakamoto.

Absent: Josh Holtom, Justin Hughes.

13BBR

Back Row: Philip Barriball, Thomas Lindup, Ben Hunter, Clifford Holland. Second Row: Mr Barry Bradshaw, Keith Trevathan, Scott Davis, Heather Sanderson-

Front Row: Kylie Vincent, Jenny Bush, Julia Berry, Elina Mikkola, Bonita Te Awhe. Absent: Amiee Vercoe, Nicole Hunt, Patrick Pascoe.



13FCO

Back Row: Rachael Allen, Frances Doran, Paul Glucina, Kayne Katene, Adam Sarten. Front Row: Alanah Cooper, Kimberley Leighton, Amanda Eady, Sopheak Suon, Courtney Kendall. Absent: Mrs Freida Cooper



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13LKR

Back Row: Josephine Fitness, Gina Ankerson, Sam Keegan, Michael Paterson, Michelle Lotter, Tanya Richards.

Front Row: Shane Martin, Gus Turner, Jaclyn Anderson, Jasmine Owen, Pawinee Santichalanan.

Absent: Yu Chao Hu, Mrs Lesley Kreisler.



13LUP

Back Row: Whitney Moore, Adam Fabish, Chris Maessen, Sarah Wales, Rickie McGee, Mr Leighton Upson.

Front Row: Euan Ritchie, Jesse Laing, Fraser Millward, Janette Crow, Billy Berger.



13MSE

Back Row: Mr Mark Sewter, Jasmine Brandt, Nikhil George, Mathew Tolhopf. Front Row: James Anderson, Jane Manning, Natalie Cameron, Candace Noyes.

13SMO

Back Row: Jackson Coe, Reece Julian, Nathan Andrews, Jacopo Mosca, Hashim Ali, Ms Sarah Morris.

Front Row: Luke Maxwell, Toby FitzPatrick, Shem Plummer-Butt, Natalie Brien, Erin Prebble.

Absent: Latashia Kilpatrick, Kathleen Vedder, Lori Sorensen, David Shearer, Kieren Faull, David O'Sullivan, Daryl Hayman.



12ATO

Back Row: Matt Dietrich, Danielle Donald. Second Row: Ao Qu, Rafael Domingues, Logan Bruce, Jeremy Olsen.

Front Row: Jordan Rolston, Jasmine Lovell, Ryan Coombridge, Friderike Weege, Allen Gong, Jamie-Lee Koha, Steveie Rangihaeata-Katene.

Absent: Mr Arnie Tohia



12IGA

Back Row: Matthew Thomas, Sam Hutchieson, Kane Sturgess.

Second Row: Kimberley Betteridge, Joseph Nahi, Damin Scott, Nicholas Collins, Hunter Osborne.

Front Row: Jessica Kilpatrick, Shannon Hetherington, Linda Berridge, Tony Kumeroa, Gwendoline Taylor, Erin Goodwin, Stacey Harper.

Absent: Mr Ian Gabites

12KPO

Back Row: Alex de Mello, Krystle Smith-Mckenzie, Daniel Fake, Paul Smith, Shenee Frost.

Second Row: Ms Katy Power, John Mannex, Andrew Steel, James Nepia, Jaydan Raymond, Ash McDowell.

Front Row: Angelique Bollen, Daniel Shotter, Kara Ratana, Rebecca Cameron, Annika Wallin, Cameron Rolls, Sam Jackson.



12NML

Back Row: Ben Wiseman, Croydon Smith, Phillip Dalton.

Second Row: Mr Neil McLauchlan, Josh Nahi, Shanan Young, Wayne Berry.

Front Row: Nyssa West, Rebekah Cannell, Duncan MacDiarmid, Hamish Dixon, Alastair Bennett, Megan Quarterman, Cara MacKinnon.

Absent: Ashley Johnston, Mihi Katene, Tim McDonald, Michael Riley, Jurgen Swartz, Morehu Tuuta-Ransfield.



12PGA

Back Row: Simon Wicks, Sam Goble, Hanan Pillette.

Second Row: Mr Phil Gayton, Ben Smith, Scott Frechtling, Sam Reidy, Alex Campbell, Jordan Smith, Phillip Sole.

Front Row: Chelsea-Jo Lacy, Abbey Garrett, Leah Daish, Uriah Tumai, Matt Turner, Shaun Humphrey, Rebecca Phillips.

Absent: Angela Brown, Cindy Rowe, Ben Lealand, Sylvester Stone, Kyle Wilson.

12SCO

Back Row: Sakura Smithers, Rhys Newland, Bethel Hawksworth.

Second Row: Mrs Susan Cottam, Bryce Fawcet, Matthew Reidy, Akira Tsujii, Beau Tuheke.

Front Row: Natasha Walsh, Analeigh Peoples, Steven McGiven, Ian Sims, Charley Harvey, Renee Booker, Brendon Goodwin.

Absent: Robin Phillips, Jesse Tepaea, Conrad Bright.





12SMA

Back Row: Daniel Wackrow, Jeide Urlich, Hunter McLeod, Antony Guinness, Brad Squire.

Third Row: Jeremy Hogg, Daniel Ferguson, Mariella Volino, Chloe Hook, Anton Booth. Second Row: Kelly Dickson, Chris Partridge, Ben Woods, Rosie Shanks, Steven Tunnicliff, Mrs Sheila Mack.

Front Row: Jodi Nicholson, Anna Saunders, Kirsten Cooper, Tim Ragg, Nicole Berry, Elvera Woodhead, Sandy Shen.



12WBA

Back Row: Damien Ross, Bruno Menezes, Karla Christiansen, Craig Balks, Cory Tweedie. Front Row: Sara Quilter, Clive Tonga, Ewyn Ashby, Ronald Graham, Jeremy Clyma, Karl Mould, Stacey Tarrant. Absent: Mrs Wendy Bayly

IIDFR

Back Row: Lee Hanson, Andrew Terrill, Luke D'Ath, Alex Ace, Cain Richards.

Second Row: Mr David Froom, Yun Ting Chung, Leigh Edwards, Simon Speirs, Michael Willoughby, Michael McLeod.

Front Row: Ashleigh Miller, Wiremu Shute, Chantelle Wilcox-Niwa, Matt Atkins, Lucian Fenton, Maryanne Horgan, Kaycie-Lee Knox.



HHRI

Back Row: Jacob Waitere, Nathan Wood, Shu Nam Leung, Daniel Ashe, Matthew Anderson. Third Row: Thomas MacLeod, Huriwaka Rewa, Philip Whalen, Bradley Shotter, Lisa McElhannan.

Second Row: Mr Harold Rilkoff, MJ Sioli, Te Urukowhai Ratana, Valdimar Einarsson, Clem Hannam, Mitchell Smith.

Front Row: Bonnie Feek, Carley Stokell, Nicole Wynd, Yosuke Ihara, Krystal Allan, Jessica Partridge, Lisa Taylor.

Absent: Cory Dean, Timothy Bishop, Alex Chambers, Reina Nordstrom, Sharina Parsottam.



HIJBB

Back Row: Laura Robinson, Matthew Davis, Michael Pitman, Alisdair Wright, Thomas Saleman, Cameron Faulkner, Elle Brennan, Aleasha Brider-Graham.

Third Row: Sarah Maessen, Nicole Eady, Stuart Julian, Kim Doran, Sara Trevathan, Michelle Atkins, Anthea Shortland.

Second Row: Mr Buchanan-Brown, Amy McLeod, Mike De Lange, Sylvia Avery, Jayden Hill, Peter Allemann, Frank Hick, Claire Hinton, Chris Zhang.

Front Row: Laura Salvatore, Se Whei Park, Kanae Murakami, Rebecca Williams, Kayla Pryce, Abigail Voss, Melissa Long.

HJLO

Back Row: Iain Hammond, Thomas Brouwers, Anton Aldridge, David Hanson, Tristan Rowe.

Third Row: Adam Krutz, Joshua Reeves, Catherine Smith, Jason Luke, Leif Trye, Kirsty Hemara.

Second Row: Sina Faamai, David Jago, David Morris, Damien Coombe, Jonathan Walsh, Angelique McLean, Dayln Standing.

Front Row: Holly Rubick, Claire Wiseman, Aaron Kirkby, Corey Coster, Denise Bridgeman, Natalie Yule, Christie Van Alphen. Absent: Mrs Jennifer Locket



IIKCR

Back Row: Brook Coombe, Ryan Collins, Scott Hunter, Lance Winters.

Third Row: Lisa Graystone, Liana Foster, Lauren Hartley, Ruby Mana.

Second Row: Troy Quinn, Gareth Phillips, Jonathan Rozencwajg, Stephen Bond, Rick Ingram.

Front Row: Laura Styles, Kimico Hook, Katherine Davies, Steven Davison, Luke Erickson, Marion Tricklebank, Shay Telfer. Absent: Mr Ken Crawford



IINNG

Back Row: Ben Manukonga, Teremoana Takie, Jazz O'Brien, Jai Tako.

Second Row: Nicola Ngarewa (Pouako), Ashley Griffiths, Tavalea Malili, Charo Ngaia, Tame Ngatai.

Front Row: La-Toya McLeod, Waiwehe Rangihaeata, Amiria Bristowe, Mishah Rangihaeata-Katene, Alisha Yardley, Lona Tiaui, Jahnika Tako.

Absent: Makuini Cameron.

IISAR

Back Row: Charlotte Williams, Paul Davis, Dominic Cooksley-Gruys, Peter Manning, Toby Dixon, Kallum Jury-Field, Emma Kennedy.

Third Row: Amber Owen, Chelsea Hawkins, Mitch Follas, Karl Raubenheimer, Joe Coates, Pat Brennan, Amy Glucina.

Second Row: Miss Sarah Arnold, Elanor Gaastra, Sophie Norris, Briar Plummer-Butt, Brodie Woodward, Jane Cox, Aki Sato, Lena Gudjonsson, Rochelle Christmas, Daniel Holland.

Front Row: Chiemi Masuda, Rhiannon Wood, Dayna Roberts, Kendra Ludeke, Renee Eaton, Sherman Perry, Claire Aiello.



IIWHA

Back Row: Karl Reid, William Askew, Coehn Smith, Louis Ashwin, Colin Hammond, Liam Harker.

Third Row: Ana Richardson, Nicole Herbst, Lucia Williams, Stacey Lawlor, Kimberley Watts, Shawnee Smith, Toby Cashin. Second Row: Mr Wilson Han, Ashley Zenovich, Jacky Su, Tim Short, Damian Hopkinson, Cameron Mace, Christopher Faigan, Samuel Parkinson, Chelsea Loveridge.

Front Row: Ronel Geldenhuys, Sharon Lotter, Rochelle Sanger, Penny Reid, Rebecca Brien, Samantha Fitness, Rebecca Christini.

Absent: Aaron Graham, Johanna Crean-Hay, Blair Jones.



10DSH

Back Row: Leroy Dockery, Hohepa Carayanidis, Mahanga Baker, Trent Raymond, Michael Huggard.

Third Row: Anna Walsh, Renee Tahau, Darcey Lewis, Silas Hulbert, Kaneihana Grace. Second Row: Mr Daryn Shaw, Cerhys Phillips, Maaka Hukatai, Talia Tuavao, Xion Wai, Tyladane Pihama, Cain Mitchell.

Front Row: Denise Inwood, Grace Lawrie, Rachel Johnston, Nathan Wood, Vance Westley, Jazmine Benny, Portia Robson.



Back Row: Asti Priest, Justin Vercoe-Smart, Liang Chen, Tony Young, Kayla Green, Nicholas James, Caleb Humphrey. Third Row: Linda-Lee Nahi, Kristy Bradley, Nikki Leighton, Jessie Muggeridge, Holly Eaton, Julie Richards, Mere Berger. Second Row: Aurora Goodin, Peter Fitness, Belinda Riddle, Steph Goodman, Nicky Ross, Nick Thomas, Sammy Everest, Sam Tuigaleava, Miss Liz Carroll.

Front Row: Jeremy Jonas, Casey McLean, Caitlynne Hayward, Nikita Lubransky, Sarah Shannon, Rachel Crockett, Alex Taylor. Absent: Kellen Hull, Cherise Liggins.





10ESC

Back Row: Jonathan Marks, Kyle Coutts, Todd Bishop, Keshla Hopkinson, Krystal Cochran, Paul Burt.

Third Row: Lorelle Bayly-Knight, David Patterson, Beaudine Smith, Joshua Adams, Shaun Richards, Nicky Hayman.

Second Row: Miss Emily Scott, Cori Coxhead, Jason Ellis, Josephine Parkes, Waiata Moana, Barton Molenaar, Sophie Davies, Hannah Wilson.

Front Row: Abbey Hinz, Jeffrey Gall, Shannon Katene, Zeek Jensen, Nicole Burns, Chloe Goble, Reuben Naus.

Absent: Sam Fleming.



10JGA

Back Row: Tiffany Ho, Jack Horrocks, Daniel Kiely, Samantha Richards, Carl Rangi, Jamie Sarten.

Second Row: Mrs Jocelyn Gabites, Stefan Topless, Jeremy Conn, Sarah Barry, Laura Smith, Peter Vedder, Matthew McGill.

Front Row: Sean Kahui, Jessica Greenbank, Stephanie Slater-Savenye, Chelsea Haddon, Layson-Cree Ngaia, Joanna Sutherland, Courtney Moore.

Absent: Samantha Collinson, Ziia Rakete, Krystal Aitken, Kyro Pakileata.

IOKRO

Back Row: Rehua Wilson, Brook Findlay, James Watson, Ashley Joseph, Vicheth Suon, Andries Van Zyl.

Second Row: Mr Kevin Rowlands, Leigh Cresswell, Mykael Lambert, Steven Harris, Terry Taura, Luke Balks, Auron Steen, Mrs Pauline Maioha.

Front Row: Ana Rautu, Jaden Murphy-Pine, Robyn Yates, Letitia Mellow, Adam Hall, Mark McCormick, Deanna Tattersall. Absent: Kayleigh Ackroyd, Jacinta Morrison, Simon Wales.



10MDL

Back Row: Nicole Eichstaedt, Tim Honeyfield, Reuben Brown, Caroline Beekman, Tyla Ireland.

Third Row: Evan Hawksworth, Andrea Bruce, Stass McGee, Jamie Law, Lara Batten, Marsden Gaastra, Saphire Stuart.

Second Row: Mrs Martha DeLong, Jimmy Hick, Sarah Taylor, Jessica Dixon, Chris Price, Josh O'Sullivan, Laura Carley, Cameron Stewart, Tim Rush.

Front Row: Maree Aiello, David Van Der Hulst, Jayden Laing, Marcus Ebert, Shiori Kikukawa, Sarah Anderson, Brent Parkes. Absent: Linka-Jane Hanscombe, Caitlin McLellan.



IOTLA

Back Row: Logan Squire, Reece Baker, Max McPherson, Mike Fake, Samuel Watts.
Third Row: Gina Davies, Rachel Hotene, Rosie Dobbin, Ursula Voice, Vicky Shute, Andrew Taylor-Purdie, Taryn Davis.
Second Row: Arlene Jeffery, Mr Trevor Lanning, O J Juneau, Bartek Witkowiak, Arana Wharepapa, Scott Mowat, Tom McAlpine, Mitch Webb, Amanda Roberts, Harley Beale.

Front Row: Kalman Jury, Hiroko Fujii, Kim Coppen, Lisa Streeton, Emma Davidson, Kimberly Baker, Sam Martin.

9CCH

Back Row: Katie Reid (Peer Support), Rickilee Takie, Melissa Kelly.

Third Row: Matthew McDowell, Ethan Moynihan, Paige McClelland, Kris Cooper, Asia O'Brien.

Second Row: Mrs Christine Charteris, Kelly Clarke, Nathan Sole, Jaydin Deller, Moana Maaka, Katarina Harrison.

Front Row: Phillip Zhou, Senna Sullivan, Amy Beale, Gene McPherson, Regan Foster, Robert Senior, Joshua Finey.





9DLI

Back Row: Tracey Billing, Danielle Coombe, Bradley Edwards, Stace Nepia, Mr Dennis Little.

Front Row: Rachel Berry, Sindy Shen, Toiana Oka, Dylan Jenkins, Zachery Hannam, Brooke Sarten, Kirsten Jones.



9EMR

Back Row: Kelsey Farmer, Chantelle Miles, Nathan Woodhead, Wouter Boeren, Codi Hackett, Nicole Richards.

Third Row: Hannah Hendriks, Bryn Winters, Kirstin Farley, Evan Brien, Jessica Nepia, Brodie Coombridge, Andrew Southgate.

Second Row: Sarah Davis, Joshua Sinclair, Tui Wright, Shay Porteous, Carol Bush, Emma Mattock, Karl Giddy, Miss Liz Murray.

Front Row: Andrew Sanders, Steven Lee, Laura Ross, Rebecca Shannon, Monique Walsh, Nicholas Murphy, Josh Baker.

Absent: Jay Botica, Jacob Seath.

9HGA

Back Row: Sarah Hanson, Jonnelle Scott, Steven Long, Cameron Brill, Joe Cole. Second Row: Cameron Day, Larissa Hook, Jazmin McDonald, Beau Worthington, Regan Cassidy, Courtney Carroll, Miss Hilary Gabites.

Front Row: Daniel Moore, Kimberley Kalin, Joshua Parkinson, Alana Crow, Cara Potter, Aaron Bell, Dannielle Johnston. Absent: Haley Dell.



9NJO

Back Row: Pera Ferrier, Thomas Wiseman, Daniel Bruce, Tess Novak, Tom Sommerville, Lisa Zieltjes, Alex Barlow.

Third Row: Rumbi Musvaire, Ashleigh Marsters, Elise Wolfgram, Charlotte Mellow, Samantha Woods, Rosie Alldridge, Samantha Hill.

Second Row: Joshua Waitere, Tessa Edwards, Kasey Henderson, David Summerfield, Daniel Terrill, Carolyn Hayward, Dominic Fitzpatrick, Mrs Naomi Jonas.

Front Row: Petrice McCarthy, Tod Rookes, Daamon Williams, Robert Bush, Jane Allemann, Mathew Dickey, Gemma Gower-Stills.



9RMG

Back Row: Sean Jacobsen, Leroy Berquist, Ashleigh Hinton, James Hamill, Leigha Gardiner-Williams.

Third Row: Courtney Downs, Michael Tume, Mitchell Redington, Andrew Judson, Gemma Malster.

Malster.
Second Row: Rose-Anna Kurth, Paige Walker,
Haylie Marshall, Daniel Campbell, Vanya
Viskovich, Ms Roslyn McGlade.
Front Row: Elka Moeller, Haydon Klenner,
Sean McDonald, Ana Tuuta-Ransfield, Mark
Bevin, Adam Collins, Brooke Bowers.

9SCA

Back Row: Keith Pearse, Jamie McLachlan, Anaru Matthews, Wessley Neal, Mitchel Stening.

Third Row: Tobias Cashin, Taabita Teriuea, Jonathan McLernon, Timothy Hook, Joshua Kadar-Mia, Casey Taylor.

Second Row: Miss Skye Cameron, Connor Parkes, Bernedette Box, Victoria Hatton-Moore, Rose Salvatore, Ashleigh Donald. Front Row: Janelle Stallard, Andrew Joel Graham, Zoe Jones, Rhys Ware, Stacey Burrell, Jesse Bradley, Matthew Shotter.

Absent: Calum Ross, Shay Wilson.





9TPE

Back Row: Thomas Hopkirk, Devon Warner, Stephanie Alty, Axel Dickinson, Netahn Tuuta, Corey Brookes, Ashleigh Trott.

Third Row: Danae Ross, Hazel Mason, Astacia Froom, Emily Bower, Andrew Berry, Ben Taylor, Braden Robinson.

Second Row: Mallory Scott, Shannon Offord, Luke Ahkuoi, Sam Towler, Chelsea Officer, Megan Reid, Christian Lovell, Mr Tony Peters.

Front Row: Cassandra McLachan, Lucy van der Fits, Monique Williamson, Dave Nuku, Shaun Day, Charlotte Voss, Shannon Andrews.

Absent: Alana Griffiths.



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