

BOTANY CAMPUS

Friday 21 July

Term 3: Week 1

STEPHEN BRISCOE - DEPUTY PRINCIPAL (SENIOR YEARS)

Welcome to Term 3.

This term much of our attention turns to preparation for NCEA external exams while continuing to foster the holistic development of your children. We will encourage them to embrace challenges, develop critical thinking skills, and explore their passions.

Next week our cultural camp takes place from Wednesday - Friday. This will be a great time to celebrate one another culture through food, games and other activities.

Brett Harvey from Tāima Kōrero will be with us on the 27th of July in the Church cafe. Brett delivers engaging, honest and sensible information on how to talk about pornography with your child or teenager, and why these conversations need to happen.

Backed by the latest statistics and research, Brett's presentations draw on his first-hand knowledge of the negative effects of pornography and provide attendees with an eye-opening insight into the multi-billion dollar industry that is targeting our children. You will leave feeling well-informed and equipped to have these difficult yet essential conversations with your children.

Please also see a range of other information sessions on Pg. 5 that you may be interested in.

DATES

THURSDAY 27 JULY

TĀIMA KŌRERO WORKSHOP CHURCH CAFE 6:30PM

TUESDAY 1 AUGUST

MUFTI DAY - SPORTS
COUNCIL

THURSDAY 3 AUGUST

BOTANY CAMPUS OPEN MORNING 9:15AM - 10:45AM

SATURDAY 5 AUGUST

Y11- 13 BALL
ELLERSLIE EVENTS
CENTER
7:00PM - MIDNIGHT

FRIDAY 18 AUGUST

TEACHER ONLY DAY

TUESDAY 22 AUGUST

SUBJECT OPTION EVENING 7:00PM

MONDAY 4 SEPTEMBER
- WEDNESDAY 13
SEPTEMBER

NCEA PRACTICE EXAMS

SPORT

Student Sport Council

Table tennis

A big congratulations to our successful table tennis teams on their success last term. Elim C1 - placed 1st in their grade for the Eastern Zone competition held weekly at St Kents (Botany Campus students - Nicole Liu, Joshua Hutchinson).

Elim D1 - placed 1st in their grade for the Eastern Zone competition held weekly at St Kents (Botany Campus students - Jesse Kerkhof)

Both teams qualified for Auckland Table Tenni.s Championships happening later in August.

Hockey

Congratulations to our Mixed 8 Aside Hockey Team who placed 1st in the Term 2 competition!

Botany Campus students were: Keagan Wolsky, Katie Eagleton, Chloe Roberts, Emma Roberts, and Bobby Jean Russ.







CONGRATULATIONS DUNCAN AND HANNAH ON THESE ACHIEVEMENTS!

Gymnastics

Duncan Ramsey represented Elim in the Secondary Schools Auckland Gymsports Championships last term and Placed 3rd in the Mens A grade for Artistic Gymnastics. Duncan had a fabulous national competition in the holidays bringing home two gold medals and the national champion title for Vault and Hi Bar.

Fundraising for Duncan Ramsey (Year 12)

Duncan is a level 7 MAG Gymnast and recently became the National champion in Vault and Hi-Bar. He has been invited to represent NZ Counties Manukau at the Australian National Clubs Carnival in September. He has been raising funds by selling fudge but we need to increase our efforts.

Please support us by buying a ticket to our fundraiser and the possibility of winning an amazing Thermomix® is yours



Basketball

Hannah Dunn has signed with the Northern Kāhu for the 2023 season!





Kotahitanga Award

Every week we focus on what it means to exemplify one of our school learning behaviours. Throughout the week teachers look for students displaying the selected behaviour and nominate them for a prize draw made during our Friday assembly.

Week 1 focus:

We are **COURAGEOUS**, We show **MĀIA**

The following students were recognised for displaying this value and nominated for this award:

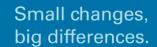
Kira Yu
Allen Gao
Will Dong
Emily Just
Jerry Zhang
Sherry Sun
Brooklyn Williams
Chloe Tu

WINNER: Junior Aiga

for

"courageously persevering with his personal responses"

AWARD CHOSEN: Staff Morning Tea







Two hours is all you need for a Teen Triple P

Discussion Group

Free positive parenting help for parents and caregivers of teenagers

TOPICS:

- Getting Teenagers to Co-operate
- Coping with Teenager's Emotions
- Reducing Family Conflict
- Building Teenager's Survival Skills

TIME: 10am-12pm

There is free parking in unmarked spaces in our carpark. No childcare is available so please arrange childcare to attend this parenting group.

BOOKINGS AND INFORMATION

Please contact Verona, family worker at Sowers Trust on 021 247 2024 or weronar@hcc.co.nz for more information or to register your attendance.

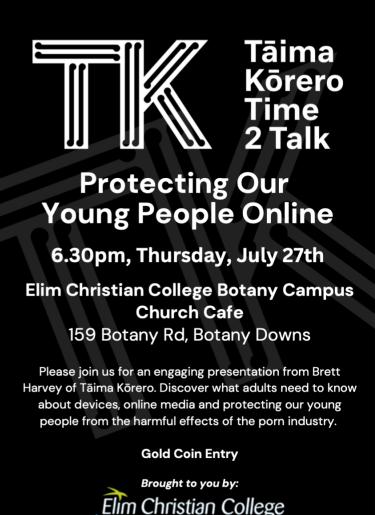
DATES:

- Wednesday 2nd August 2023
- Wednesday 16th August 2023
- Wednesday 6th September 2023
- Wednesday 20th September 2023

VENUE: Picton Centre, 120 Picton Street, Howick



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Spaces are limited, attendees can register for free on Zoom using this link: (https://netsafe-org-nz.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN Ld633JH6S9eBqdFcaPhfcQ)

Links to all the Netsafety Week events can be found on this webpage: https://netsafe.org.nz/netsafety-week-2023/