



NEXT WEEK @ HOWICK COLLEGE

THE WEEK AHEAD

Mon 22: Student ID Photos

Tue 23 February: Student ID Photos Continue

Weds 24 February: BOT Meeting 6:00-8:00pm

Thurs 25 February: Athletics Day

STUDENT ID PHOTOS

Monday 22 - Tuesday 23 February

Attendance is compulsory as it is essential that ALL students have a valid ID card.

Students will be called up via class, a runner will advise each class when they are due to come up. We remind all students to pay particular attention to their personal grooming and uniform i.e.

- No nose rings, multiple earrings, makeup, extension eyelashes or nail polish.
- No t-shirts to be visible under shirts/blouses
- No facial hair
- Hair must be a natural colour

For more uniform information please see our website <https://www.howickcollege.school.nz/uniform-stationery>

STUDENT LEADERSHIP - COUNCILS

Applications Close Monday 22 February

Students interested in getting involved with one of our student leadership councils are invited to apply online.

Please see your student email for the link to apply. Students can apply over the weekend as long as their application is received by **Monday 22 February**.

For more information about the various councils, please go to <https://www.howickcollege.school.nz/service>

EXTRA CURRICULAR & CULTURAL ARTS MUSTER Tuesday 2 March - Lunchtime in Theatre

Information and sign up sheets for all Y9 -Y13 for a huge variety of clubs and activities will be available for students wanting to get involved and meet new people with common interests.

TERM 1 WEEK 3: 22 - 26 February

INFORMATION EVENING & FAMILY PICNIC FOR YEAR 9 AND NEW STUDENTS

NEW DATE - WEDNESDAY 3 MARCH

Howick College warmly invites all our Year 9 students and any students new to the College, their parents, caregivers and families, to join us for an evening of information sharing and a fun family picnic on the revised date of **Wednesday 3 March** (*subject to the Alert Level Announcement on Monday 22 February*)

The Information section of the evening will commence at 6:00pm in the Bill Dimery Performing Arts Centre with a formal welcome by our Principal, Mr Iva Ropati, and a brief introduction of some of our key staff members.

This will be followed by sausage sizzles and a family picnic on the field. This is a great chance to mix and mingle with our teaching staff and other families. There will also be an opportunity to join our student leaders for a tug of war!

You are very welcome to bring a picnic dinner and drinks to this event and each House will provide FREE sausage sizzles for students. We strongly encourage you to come along to this fun family occasion.

Parents with younger children: Childcare will be available onsite provided by our ECE teacher and students. Please meet in the Bill Dimery Performing

ATHLETICS DAY

Thursday 25 February

Our annual Athletics Day is a compulsory event for all Y9 students with an optional sign up for Y10 - 13 students.

Students are welcome to dress up in their house colours but are reminded that they must be able to move freely and safely.

Please bring a lunch, a drink bottle, sunblock and a hat. The Canteen will be open but competitors may find it easier to bring a packed lunch.

LIBRARY HOURS FOR 2021

The library will now be open Monday - Friday from 8:30am - 3:30pm.



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CAREERS DEPARTMENT NEWS

There are a number of University/Tertiary Liaison visits coming to school over the next few weeks so please check the attached schedule below and make sure you come along and find out what is on offer.

LAST WEEK TO COLLECT Y13 LEAVERS PACKS 2020

There are still a number of Y13 leavers packs to be collected from the Student Office. Packs contain the Y13 Leaving Certificate, Record of Involvement and Achievement (RIA), any certificates received and a complimentary copy of the 2020 Year book. Packs can be collected from the Student Office on presentation of a completed clearance form.

2020 YEARBOOKS

Some 2020 Yearbooks ordered at the end of last year are still waiting to be collected from the Student Office.

Limited copies of the 2020 Yearbook are available for \$15 from the Student Office for those who would like to purchase one.

UNDERWATER HOCKEY "HAVE A GO" DAY

Howick College Underwater Hockey invites all new players (juniors and seniors, boys and girls) to come along and give it a go at their "have a go day" on **Sunday 28 February** (See attached flyer for details)

Howick College has a strong and very successful Underwater Hockey team with several past students representing NZ at world championships.

We are fortunate to have very experienced and dedicated coaches (all past students) who are extremely passionate about UWH.

For more information please email:
howickuwh@gmail.com

NZ BLOOD DRIVE Monday 1 March

Just one donation can help save the lives of up to 3 people. If you are in good health and over 16 years of age you can do your part to support this worthy cause.

Students can sign up from **Wednesday 24 February** at the Health Centre.

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HOWICK COLLEGE CRICKET FUNDRAISER Apothecary Burger Night - Sunday 28 February

Bring your family and friends along for a great night out and support our Cricket team fundraiser. See the attached flyer for details.

Numbers are limited so book today! Contact Nadine at ant.nad@xtra.co.nz or phone 027 4741233

CLEVEDON BUSES MORNING DEPARTURE TIMES FOR 2021

We would like to remind parents and students that the Broughams Buses' Clevedon Express morning bus run will now leave at the earlier time of 7:30am on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday.

On Wednesday mornings, due to the later school start, the Clevedon buses will begin their run at 8:00am.

All Clevedon buses depart from Monument Rd, Clevedon.

IMPORTANT DATES FOR TERM 1

Due to the current COVID-19 Alert Level 2, some planned events and activities have been postponed or may be subject to change according to updated Alert Levels. As a result, we are unable to plan too far in advance. We will continue to keep our community informed of all changes and apologise for any inconvenience this may cause.

Weds 3 March: Y9/new students Picnic & Information Evening

Thurs 18 March: NCEA Information Evening

Mon 29 March: Parent/Teacher Interviews

Weds 31 March: Parent/Teacher Interviews

Fri 2 April: Good Friday (Public Holiday)

Mon 5 April: Easter Monday (Public Holiday)

Tues 6 April: Easter Tuesday (School Holiday)

Thurs 8 - Fri 9 April: Summer Sports & Cultural Photos

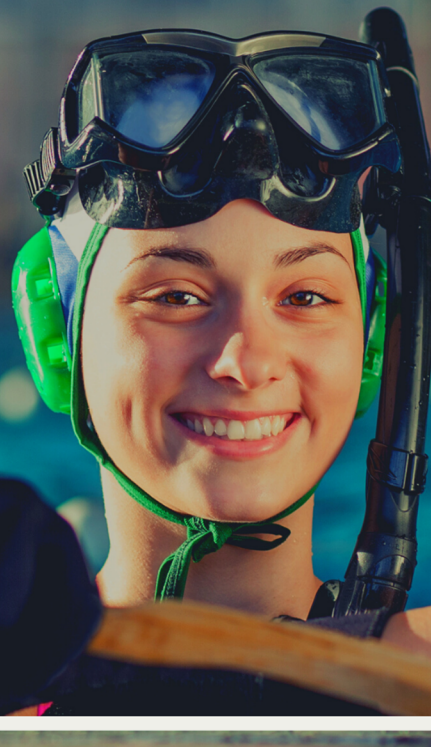
Fri 16 April: Last Day Term 1

Mon 3 May: Term 2 Begins

New date!

HOWICK COLLEGE UNDERWATER HOCKEY
COME AND JOIN US

HAVE A GO AT UNDERWATER HOCKEY!



Ever wondered what playing hockey in a pool is like? Come along and try it!

When: Sunday 28th February, 2:30pm- 4:30

Cost: FREE!

Where: Manurewa Pool, Sykes Road, Manurewa

Gear: Supplied

Howick College Cricket Burger Night

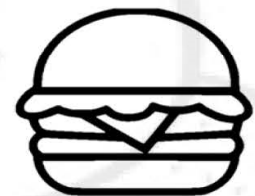
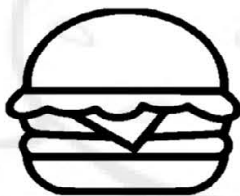
Get on down and support Howick College Cricket's Fundraiser

Sunday 28th February 6pm

The Apothecary Howick

Limited numbers available

Prepayment Required



Bookings Required before 24th February

Students: Chicken or Beef Burger, Chips and a Drink ~ \$25

Adults: Chicken or Beef Burger and Chips ~ \$25

Note: First drink for students is free, adults purchase own drinks.

Contact Nadine to book for you and your family

PH: 0274741233

Email: ant.nad@extra.co.nz

University/Tertiary Visits 2021

<i>University/ Tech</i>	<i>Day</i>	<i>First Visit</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Venue</i>	<i>Planning Visit</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Venue</i>
<i>Otago University</i>	Tues	2 March, Karyn	1.40pm	H13	Tuesday, 3 August	1.40pm	H3
<i>Massey University</i>	Wed	3 March, Dane	12.40pm	H3	Wednesday, 18 August	12.40pm	H3
Victoria University	Fri	5 March, Will	1.40pm	H3	Thursday, 12 August	1.40pm	H3
<i>Canterbury University</i>	Wed	10 March, Yafan	12.40pm	H3	---		
<i>Auckland University</i>	Tues	16 March, Veronica	1.40pm	Theatre			
<i>Lincoln University</i>	Fri	26 March, Rania	1.40pm	H3	---		
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<i>Waikato University</i>	Tues	30 March, Catherine	1.40pm	H3	Wednesday 11 August	12.40pm	H3
<i>MIT</i>	Wed	31 March, Gina	12.40pm	H3			
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Howick College Careers Evening – Wednesday 16 June, 5.30pm to 7.30pm, Theatre and M Block

Open Days

Otago University	Sunday 23 and Monday 24 May 2021	Dunedin
Waikato University	Friday 21 May, 2021, Hamilton Friday 28 May, 2021, Tauranga	
Victoria University	Friday 20 August 2021	Wellington
Canterbury University	Thursday 9 September 2021	Christchurch
Lincoln University	Virtual Open Days every month, check the website https://www.lincoln.ac.uk/home/studywithus/opendaysandvisits/undergraduateopendays/	
Massey University 3 campuses	Weds 4 August Palmerston North/Manawatu Fri 20 August Wellington Sat 21 August Albany, Auckland	
AUT and The University of Auckland	Saturday 28 August 2021 (TBC)	Auckland City