

BIRKENHEAD COLLEGE NEWSLETTER



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Dear Parents and Friends

Term 3

Issue 9

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Senior students return to class on Monday and for some, getting their exam results will be a wakeup call about the amount of study required to do well in the NZQA exams. Year 12 and 13 students particularly only have 9 school days next term before they depart for their exams, and all senior students should be planning a solid revision programme for the holidays.

Do try and attend our Sports Prizegiving which takes place on Thursday evening. As well as celebrating our top sports people, we have our Head Boy from 2008, Simon Edwards, as our guest Speaker. Simon has been working with the successful Breakers organisation amongst other things.

Next Friday, the last day of term, will be a Rugby World Cup Mufti-day. To come in mufti, students are required to dress in the colours or uniform of their favourite team or country. We expect a lot of black! All students wearing mufti will have to pay \$2 for the privilege.

SCHOOL CALENDAR 2011

TERM 3

Week 10	Tue 4 Oct	Parent Support Meeting
	Thu 6 Oct	SPORTS PRIZEGIVING
	Fri 7 Oct	Junior Progress Reports
	Fri 7 Oct	Last day of Term 3

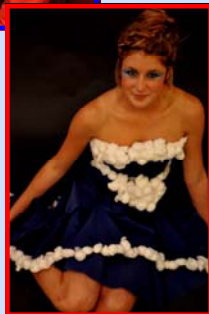
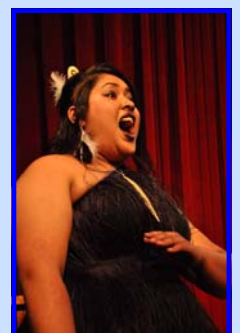
TERM 4

Week 1	Tue 25 Oct	First day of Term 4
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Photos from the 2011 Arts Awards. Right — Arts Person of the Year Alex Green



ARTS AWARDS 2011



Monday 3 October is Day 6

R C Page, Acting Principal

BIRKENHEAD COLLEGE
SPORTS AWARDS
THURSDAY 6 OCTOBER @ 7.30 PM

Gateway Information Evening

Tuesday 4 October @ 6pm in the staffroom.
For all parents and students wanting to be part of 2012 Gateway programme.

UNIFORM UPDATE — Sandals may now be worn to school. These must be regulation school sandals, black, brown or blue sandals with a back strap. 'Gladiator' sandals are **NOT** permitted.

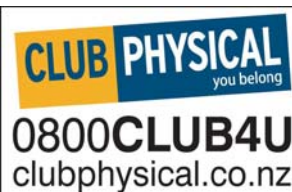
Parent Support Meeting (PSG)

Tuesday 4th October @ 7.30pm in the staffroom

Don't forget the PSG meeting. Please come along and learn a little more about the school.

Pre-order your School Yearbook

The School Yearbook will remain at \$15 for this year. To ensure that you receive your copy, please pay **before the 31st October 2011.**



Join up now!

In today's world smart guys and girls like YOU take the time to stay in shape.

You'll save with a student membership at just \$11.90

weekly. This gives you full access to all locations and most classes including PILATES, ZUMBA, HOT HULA, XRIDE and more!

Make a time to see the club today!

ALL STAR CHEERLEADING HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

Always wanted to give cheerleading a go? Now is your chance! The All Star Cheerleaders are offering a 'cheer' programme during the first week of the October school holidays (10th—14th) at the local North Shore Gym. The holiday programme is open to all ages and abilities. For more information or a brochure please phone 0800 CHEERLEADER or 444 5597, or email office@allstarcheerleaders.co.nz.



www.allstarcheerleaders.co.nz



Harbour Rugby League
Birkenhead College vs Takapuna

BC won by default, which means we are now off to the finals. Well done boys.



Finals day is **Saturday 1st October**, Stanmore Bay Reserve, Hibiscus Coast Rugby League club at **12.40pm - Under 85kg Grand Final.**

Please come and support our team. Go BC!

LAST CHANCE TO WIN AN XBOX 360 -



If your school donation is paid by the end of September, you could win an Xbox 360. Be in it to win it, pay now!

Support your local Intermediate

Birkdale Intermediate School presents:
Disney's Aladdin Jr.

7:00pm Tuesday 4th,
Wednesday 5th and Thursday
6th October.

Tickets \$7.00, available from
Birkdale Intermediate School
Office,



RAFFLE PRIZES

Did you buy a raffle ticket at the Arts Awards? We have two unclaimed prizes, just waiting for you to collect. If you have nos. 26 and 48 raffle tickets please phone the office to claim your prize. Thank you.



Community Notices

The information given is printed as a service to parents. The school neither endorses nor recommends any offers or proposals made.