

# DAILY NOTICES TE PANUI

DAY 6– Friday 23rd August 2024  
TE RA 6– Paraire 23rd Ākuhata 2024  
Duty Deputy Principal: Mr. MRT

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<https://forms.gle/gjET9cdzHnbBeqmk8>

## Introduction to Programming

Please come to C13 at lunch today (Friday 23/08/2024) to upskill your programming abilities. Everyone is welcome. Please check out the Google Classroom for more information:  
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Here is a phrase you can use during today to say thank you to your teachers and your peers, **Malo** and **Malo Aupito**. **Malo** means 'Thank you' and **Malo Aupito** means 'Thank you very much'

**Activity: Come along to the Flagpole at lunch for Pineapple Pies and traditional Keke 'Isite and make sure to bring along some money!**

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**The Upper Harbour Youth Council Presents: A Once-in-a-Lifetime Opportunity! - Overseas University Talk**

Date: August 24th

Time: 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

Get ready to meet brilliant students that have gotten into some of the top UK (Cambridge), US (UCDavis) and Australian (UNSW) universities! Join us for an extraordinary evening filled with engaging discussions, interactive panels, and invaluable networking opportunities. Discover firsthand insights into applying to overseas universities from Rangitoto College alumni Jonathon Sun and Lucas Liu, and Westlake alumni such as Andy Tao and Vikram Varadarajan, who have experienced it all. Expand your horizons, connect with international peers, and unlock new possibilities for your future. Don't miss out on this exclusive chance to shape your academic journey on a global stage.

Mark your calendar and be part of this game-changing event! Sign up using the form below <https://forms.gle/TC1HGToC32TSo5bx7>

**Battle of the Bands is next week!**

Please come to the auditorium at lunchtime on Wednesday 28th and support your peers!

**Spirit of Adventure - 10 DAY DEVELOPMENT VOYAGES 2025**

A 10 Day Voyage on board Spirit of New Zealand is a life-changing experience - unlocking your potential, leaving you ready to face your future! They have just released their 2025 dates!

You must:

- Be aged between 16-19 years (must not have had 20th birthday)
- Meet the medical criteria of the voyage
- Agree to the code of conduct / terms and conditions of the voyage

Click on this link to show your expression of interest: <https://forms.gle/Fa69HQaSgy84ds9HA>

You can also see Mrs Derbyshire for information in the Year 11 Deans' Office if you are interested.

**Rangitoto Bouldering & Rock Climbing Club:**

There will be a BRCC meeting today at lunch in room M9.

Whether you're a crusher, a weekend warrior, or just curious about the sport, everyone is welcome to join us! Come ask questions, help us decide session times, and discuss upcoming events. We hope to see you there!

Google Classroom code: z7oy6yg

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Come and audition for the chaotic comedy Twelfth Night. No need to prepare anything, just bring yourself, some enthusiasm and maybe a friend to E1 at lunchtime next Tuesday.

**RATONGA-SERVING THE COMMUNITY**

**Calling all Environmental Warriors**

Auckland Council is running a session this Saturday 10 – 12 on pest control. This will include laying trap lines and learning how to clear and reset traps.

This will occur at two locations: Centorian Reserve and Burnside in Albany.

We are looking for students who are 16 or older (or soon to be 16) who want to join as part of a roster where you will check the traps multiple times a year.

If you are younger than 16 you can still get involved if you bring a parent/guardian with you.

This Saturday will be the initial laying of traps and education on how to check them. We are also looking for Student Leaders in this area, particularly if you have worked with UWEN or Te Hono before.

You can sign up and involve your family and friends and all attend the event.

If you will attend, please add your name to the link below:

[https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1jG8neo3TayW0BWDm2-69bgA2I0o-npbO\\_nNI7pdv\\_m9Y/edit?gid=0#gid=0](https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1jG8neo3TayW0BWDm2-69bgA2I0o-npbO_nNI7pdv_m9Y/edit?gid=0#gid=0)

Email [corrie.morrissey@cloud.rangitoto.school.nz](mailto:corrie.morrissey@cloud.rangitoto.school.nz) if you have any questions. We look forward to seeing you there!

## SENIORS

### **Seeking a part time job, full time job, school holiday work, or apprenticeship?**

Then make sure you head along to the [RangiNet Careers page](#) to view a variety of current job vacancies which are updated on a regular basis.

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**Panorama creative writing competition** - There are four categories: Senior poetry, junior poetry, senior prose and junior prose. The winner of each category receives \$100 and will be published in the school year book. Entries must be no more than 500 words and cannot have been part of an NCEA internal assessment. Email your writing [annie.finnie@cloud.rangitoto.school.nz](mailto:annie.finnie@cloud.rangitoto.school.nz). You must have your full name and the category you are entering your piece into at the top of your document. Entries close Thursday 5th September.

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**Senior Students** - Please check your NCEA scholarship entries via "Student Assessment Statement" report. If you need to make any changes, please email Penny.Till@rangitoto.school.nz or come to NZQA office in C block. The deadline is Thur 22nd Aug.

**Panorama senior painting competition** - This year we are running a senior art competition for the school yearbook. There will be three categories: Level 1, Level 2, and Level 3. The winner of each category will receive \$100 and their work will be published in the year book. To enter, scan or photograph your best piece of NCEA work, upload it to Google Drive, and share it with [annie.finnie@cloud.rangitoto.school.nz](mailto:annie.finnie@cloud.rangitoto.school.nz). Do not print them. Entries close Thursday 5th September.

We need volunteers at our **Rangitoto Kindy Trike-a-thon** !

Come along and volunteer at the Rangitoto Kindy Trike-a-thon on Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> September, 12 pm to 3 pm at Murrays Bay Primary School,

Help us out on various stalls, plus, if you're artistic, we need help with face painting too.

Come for the whole time or just stay an hour or two – the choice is yours.

If accepted, you will also need to come to an orientation session on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> September after school at 3.30 pm at Rangitoto Kindy.

To say thank you, you'll receive a letter of acknowledgment for your CV, plus it will also be added to your profile.

Click on the link **\*\*[HERE](#)\*\*** to sign up by Friday 12<sup>th</sup> September and we'll contact you soon.

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## **MUSIC, DANCE & DRAMA**

**WE NEED MORE SINGERS WITH LOW VOICES!!!**

**Come along to MU4 after school on Thursday THIS WEEK** and join our all-comers mixed choir!

It doesn't matter if you've never sung in a group before, or if you're a bit shy – there will be a large range of students, voices and abilities there, and plenty of support for new singers.

No need to sign up, just turn up...and BRING A FRIEND!

## **RUGBY FUNDRAISER - Hurricanes U15 Tournament Team**

Another Sausage Sizzle will be on offer this Friday 23rd of August near the Upper Tuck Shop! \$2.50 for a sausage, we will have a bank transfer available for this. All money will go directly to supporting our young men as they prepare for their tournament in Wellington

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