

Māngere College



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The Principal's Report

Kia ora, Ni sa bula, Taloha ni, Fakaalofa lahi atu, Malo e lelei, Halo Olaketa, la orana, Kia orana, Talofa lava, and warm Pacific greetings.

As I reflect on my first two terms as Principal/Tumuaki of this great college, I am filled with gratitude for the warmth, resilience, and dedication of our entire school community. Since starting at the end of May, I've had the privilege of immersing myself in the college and getting to know many of our incredible students, staff, and families. Together, as a College, we have navigated a year marked by both challenges and triumphs, a year that reflects the spirit of our school motto, "Seek the Heights."

Earlier this year, our school community lost a beloved long-serving staff member and pillar of the MC whānau, our dear Melegalenuu Ah Sam. Her passing left an undeniable void, and she will always be remembered for her unwavering commitment to our students, her love, her kindness, and her heart for Māngere College. She has built a lasting legacy that will live long within the MC community. Sadly we also mourned the loss of another staff member, our Check and Connect mentor Sandra Su'a, in Term 3 of this year. While we have felt the pain of these losses deeply, we have come together to honour their memories, their contributions, and to support one another through these difficult times.

Despite the challenges we have faced, we have also witnessed many remarkable achievements. Our students have continued to "seek the heights", not only in academics but in extracurricular activities, sports, and the arts. Whether it was in the classroom, on the sports field, or through their participation in various community events, our students have proven time and again that they are capable of great things. It has been inspiring to watch them embrace different opportunities to learn, grow, and make a positive impact on the world around them.

Our school is a dynamic and culturally diverse college, and this diversity is one of our greatest strengths. I've had the opportunity



to attend various school, sports, and community events, where I've witnessed firsthand the immense talent and passion of our students. From the energy of sporting achievements to the dedication shown in academic pursuits, I am continually inspired by the potential of our students to excel both inside and outside the classroom.

This year, we have had numerous community events that have further strengthened our connection to one another and to the larger community. These moments of shared joy and collaboration, whether through cultural language weeks, assemblies, whānau hui, whānau Hauora evenings, PSTs, prize givings, or social events, have been a testament to the values we hold dear as a school.

As we look ahead to 2025, I am filled with excitement and optimism for the future of our college and the

continued success of our students. The coming year represents a fresh start, an opportunity to continue building on our successes, and a chance to implement new ideas that will help us grow even stronger as a community. I am committed to working with our staff, students, and families to ensure that every student's potential is recognised, celebrated, and fully realised.

Together, we will continue to seek the heights, embracing every challenge as an opportunity to learn and grow. Thank you to our students, staff, and families for your hard work, your support, and your resilience. This year has shown me that when we come together, there is no limit to what we can achieve.

Ia manuia,

Geraint Tuiletoa Tagaloa
Principal

Māngere College Staff



Back Row: Li Lin, Tane Moore, Ravinesh Singh, Johnathon Gee, Tamausu Vaotu'u, Ivan Moses, Joanne Latif, Subrail Naidu

5th Row: Frances McIntosh, Nalini Singh, Raselin Imraan, Misato Watanabe France, Moana Ormsby, Zhengyi Zhang, Louise Reade, Xuan Yu, Asariah Potini

4th Row: Leah Mettam, Rosalie Kwan, Kusum Prasad, Shaniza Bano, Pj Campbell, Malaefilogia Aloalii, Sarita Narayan, Pauline Monteiro Kumar, Fuatino Nuusavili, Lavinia Faleola

3rd Row: Iunisi Fotofili, Arti Kumar, Daniel Wong, Melissa Tualalelei, Brenna Groves, Brian Aubrey, Siosi'ana Taukolo, Tai Uamaki, Huni Fifita, Katherine Powell

2nd Row: Vaipa Gasologa, Amera Franso, Alisi Tatafu, Mohammed Zaim, Neville Padavatan, Berasilepona Kalati, Daniel Kelly, Temukisa Pasese, Viliani Bloomfield, Mike Christo, Anuradha Lakhani, Kathleen Beazley

Front Row: Vivian Maskell, Savitri Nandan, Michael Darragh, Helen Faamoe, Melegalenuu Ah Sam, Jonathan Hardy, Elizabeth Tupua, Ben Euden, Roshni Singh, Alfie Lafoou Lusa, Alexander Upokokeu-Henry

Staff List

SENIOR LEADERSHIP TEAM

PRINCIPAL

G Tuiletoa Tagaloa, BSc, Dip T

ACTING PRINCIPAL

M Ah Sam, PCT, ACTD, Dip T (Term 1) (late)

DEPUTY PRINCIPALS

J Hardy, BA Hons, PGCE

A Maea-Brown

D Ward, MA (Hons), MProfStuds (Ed)(Hons), Dip T (leave)

ASSISTANT PRINCIPALS

L L Tupua MA(Hons), Dip TESL, Dip T

M Darragh, BA (Hons), MEdLd (Hons)

B Euden, BMus, PGCE

BUSINESS MANAGER

H Faamoe, Dip. HP, NCAE, Dip. LM, PGCEM

POSITIONS OF RESPONSIBILITY

Achievement Centre D Kelly, BEd

Art M Christo, MFA, Dip T

Careers A Lafo'ou Lusa, BA Evnt Mgm

Commerce S Nadan, PGDE, BA, Dip Ed

English L Keating

E.S.O.L T Khan Rahim, BA, Dip I.T, Dip T

Languages B Kalati (Term 1, 2, 3), X Yu (Term 4)

Learning Support R Singh, MEdLd (Hons), MEd(Hons), PGDE, PGD - SNRT, PGCE, BA, GDip

Mathematics A Lakhan, BEd, PG Cert AP

S Taukolo (Assistant HoD)

Performing Arts A Upokokeu-Henry BDanSt, PG Dip DanSt, Dip T

Physical Education & Health

M Darragh, BA (Hons), MEdLd (Hons)

A Potini, BPhEd, PG CERT DCL

(Assistant HoD)

Science V Bloomfield, MEdL, BSc, Dip T,

PGCertAP

D Wong, BSc, Dip T (Assistant HoD)

Social Sciences T Pasese, BA, GDip and MEd (1st Hons)

Student Services N Padavatan, BA, HEDip, FDip Ed, PG Cert DCL

Technology V Maskell, TTC, Dip SS

DEANS

Year 9 M Aloalii, BEd, Dip Ed, Cert TESL

M Tualaulelei BphEd, PGTC, PGCertDCL

Year 10 A Potini BPhEd, F Nuusavili, BA, Dip T

Year 11 L Tupua, S Taukolo

Year 12 A Maea-Brown, L Faleola, Dip T

Year 13 A Tatafu, BA, Dip A, PGDT, PGCertAP

N Teina, MTedLshp, BSC, BSport

TEACHING STAFF

M Aloalii

B Aubrey, B.Ed, Dip T

S Bano

F Bloomfield, BA, Dip Ed, Dip T

S Eda

L Faleola

H Fifita, BA, Dip T

A Franso, Dip T

S Gasmi

V Gasologa, BA, Dip T

J Gee

B Groves

D Howell

R Imraan, PGCE, BSc, Dip T

A Kumar

T Maninoa

U Matau

F McIntosh, MSc (Hons), Dip T

L Mettam, B SpRec, Dip T

T Moore

S Naidu, BA, Dip T

F Nuusavili, BA, Dip T

M Ormsby, B App Sci, Dip T

K Powell

K Prasad

T Rahim, BA, Dip I.T, Dip T

P Reddy, BCom, Dip T, Grad Dip TESL, PGDip AT

L Reynolds

N Samu, MProfStuds (Ed) (Hons), BA, Dip T

N Singh, BEd, PG Cert DCL

R Singh, BScGCE, PGDE

R Singh

N Teina MTedLshp, BSC, BSport

T Tonga

M Tualaulelei, BphEd, PGTC, PG CERT DCL

A Upokokeu-Henry

T Vaotu'ua

R Wade, BVA, Dip T

X Yu, BA, Dip T, MA

M Zaim, BA, Dip AS, Dip T

SUPPORT STAFF

Accounts & Payroll

Administrator

L Lin

Achievement Centre

Education Mentor

H Arp

Caretaker

B McMaster

Careers Support Administrator

I Fotofili

Check & Connect Mentor

S Su'a (late)

Communications Manager

J Latif, BCMS, Dip T, Dip CA

Community Liaison & Mentor

K Leniu, BA Criminology

Counsellor

G Dancey, M Foley,

BFA(Hons), Dip T,

PGDipCounsTh

J Lafo'ou

Data Manager

A Beazley

Groundsman

J Paul

Kaiawhina

Librarian

P Kumar, GradDipAdultLnTchg

Marketing & Communications

Assistant

C Manase

Office Administrator

K Beazley

Performing Arts Technician

B Hopman

Practice Lead Nurse

S Pillay

Principal's PA

& School Administrator

F Wong

Receptionist

K Boyes (T1-3), V Tolich (T 4)

Refugee Bilingual Tutor

Waila Michel Khan (T1&2)

& Liaison Support Worker

Nargis Hussaini (T 3&4)

Refugee Support Worker

R Kwan

Science Technician

S Narayan

Student Services' Administrator

K Beaton

Sports' Coordinator

T Uamaki

Staff Support Technician

R Siulangapo

Star and Gateway Coordinator

L Reade

Teacher Aides

C Masoe, N Palelei,

PJ Campbell, M

Watanabe, M. Masoe

and J. Leoo

Technology Technician

K Maskell

PROVIDER CONTRACTED SERVICES ONSITE

New ERA IT technician R Meiring (T 1, 2, 3), M Patua (T 4)

STRIVE Social worker H Tauo

ITINERANT TEACHERS

Drum Tutor

T Doyle

Piano/Strings Tutor

M Chang

Vocal Tutor

L Lamatoa

Guitar Tutor

N Loo

Haere mai to new staff



SHANIZA BANO
English Teacher



MONICA CHANG
Itinerant Teacher



STANLEY EDA
Technology Teacher



LAVINIA FALEOLA
Mathematics Teacher and Year 12 Dean



SOUMAYA GASMI
English Teacher



JOHNATHON GEE
PE Teacher



BRENNA GROVES
English Teacher



NARGIS HUSSAINI
Teacher Aide



CAROL KEUNG
Social Sciences Teacher



ULUFAFO MATAU
Social Sciences Teacher



WAILA MICHAN KHEL
Bilingual Support



ANDREW MAEA-BROWN
Deputy Principal



TALAVOU MANINOA
Language Teacher



MALAMA MASOE
Teacher Aide



SANTOSHNI PILLAY
Nurse



TANE MOORE
Social Sciences Teacher



JASINE LEO'O OLO
Teacher Aide



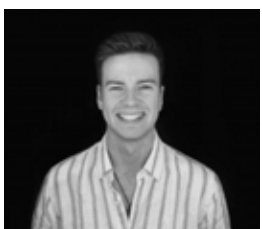
TEMUKISA PASESE
Head of Social Science



KUSUM PRASAD
English Teacher



FRANCINE WERRY
Digital Technologies Teacher



LEON REYNOLDS
Music Teacher



ABDUL SHAH
Sports & PE Teacher



VALARIE TOLICH
Receptionist



TELESIA TONGA
Language Teacher

Ka kite Ano au i a koutou



VIV MASKELL
Head of Technology

After 34 years of teaching at Māngere College, Viv Maskell, HOD Technology, is ready to scale back and relinquish her responsibilities. Starting at MC in 1991 as HOD of Home Economics and Clothing, Viv has overseen many changes. Students have benefitted

hugely from Viv's selfless contribution to school life, whether it be projects such as Starpath, the Homework Club, rugby aftermatch functions, barista competitions or Wearable Arts contests. As a form teacher she has been second to none and her ex-students are

regular visitors to keep her up-to-date with their progress. Staff will miss Viv. Her sense of humour, willingness to problem solve and support others have always been appreciated. Viv will miss her MC family and the sense of belonging it brings.



ALLAN BEAZLEY
Allan has retired from MC this year after serving as our Groundsman for 11 years. Ka kite ano Allan.



JOANNE LATIF
Jo started 13 years ago as a Teacher and has kept coming back to MC. She leaves as the Communications Manager.



BEN EUDEN
Ben began 8 years ago as our Head of Performing Arts and leaves as our Assistant Principal. Ka kite ano Ben.



DEB WARD
Deb served MC for 7 years as our Deputy Principal. Thank you for your inspirational leadership.



LYNN KEATING
We farewell Lynn, our Head of English after 7 years here at MC. All the best Lynn!



LEAH METTAM
Farewell to Leah, our PE Teacher, as she spends more time focussing on her whānau.



PARWATI REDDY
All the best to Parwati, Commerce Teacher, with an exciting opportunity at Southern Cross Campus.



BERASILEPONA KALATI
We farewell our Head of Languages, Berasi & thank her for all of her work this year especially with our Samoan students.



GABRIELLE DANCEY
Guidance Counsellor



RAVINDRA SINGH
Maths Teacher



CAROL KEUNG
Social Sciences Teacher



KALA BOYES
Receptionist



KATHERINE POWELL
Art Teacher (Maternity Leave)



IVAN MOSES
Technology Teacher



RYAN MEIRING
New ERA ICT Technician



DAVID HOWELL
Maths Teacher



TELESIA TONGA
Language Teacher



WAILA MICHAN KHEEL
Bilingual SupportTeacher



IUNISI FOTOFILI
Careers & Pathways Administrator



STANLEY EDA
Technology Teacher

Farewell to Our Beloved Tinā - Mrs Ah Sam



“E iloa oe i lau tu, i lau savali ma lau tautala” A person is known by the way they stand, by the way they walk and by the way they speak.

- Fuatino Melegalenuu To'alepaiali'i Ah Sam MNZM

Our beloved Mrs Ah Sam passed away Monday 15 April, just days short of her 76th birthday, surrounded by her loving family. She was acting Principal at her time of death, and her absence at Māngere College or Kolisi o Magele as she liked to call it - is greatly felt by all of us here.

Our school held a special memorial event for Mrs Ah Sam on Thursday 18 April. Our auditorium became a place where students and staff, past and present, whānau and community could gather and share memories. We then had a very moving drive-through ceremony in which Mrs Ah Sam was driven by a hearse through

the front gate and welcomed by our students and staff with haka, singing and cultural performances. Her aiga were also part of this ceremony.

Mrs Ah Sam was also celebrated later in the day with a large memorial service at the Malaeola Community Centre. She was laid to rest in Samoa with her final service being held at 10am on Monday 22 April at EFKS Vaimoso, before burial at the nearby family cemetery. A large number of her MC Whānau were present at the ceremony in Samoa.

Mrs Ah Sam was a cornerstone of the Māngere College community,

dedicating over 30 years to nurturing the growth and development of both students and staff.

Melegalenuu Ah Sam joined our staff at Mangere College in 1990 as Head of Commerce, moving on to HOD Languages and then Deputy Principal. She was a pioneer in the establishment of the languages block at Māngere College in 2012, aimed at enriching Māori and Pacific learning.

Mele will be remembered for her passion for teaching, her promotion of Gagana Sāmoa and her advocacy for Pacific Languages. In 2021 she

left behind an incredible legacy. "Mele was a proud Māngere person and protected [us from] criticisms regarding Māngere, Māngere College, South Auckland and Pacific - she would fight and ensure we were never looked down at or frowned upon. This attitude and her qualities, she passed on and shared with colleagues, friends, families and generations of all ages."

"She always is present or makes an effort to support local music, performing and creative artists, especially her past students of any school she has connected with."

During the memorial service at Malaeola, long time friend and MC colleague Viv Maskell shared the passion Ah Sam demonstrated for the students and Samoan language, but also mentioned the love that she

was honoured as one of the first recipients of a Tautai o le Gagana Language Champion Honours Award, an initiative of the Ministry for Pacific Peoples (MPP). In 2022 she was appointed a Member of the New Zealand Order of Merit (MNZM) for services to Pacific Language Education. Her citation noted that she was a founding member and executive officer of Fotu o Malama, the Association for Teachers of Sāmoan Language and Culture in the secondary and tertiary sectors. She was also acknowledged for her role as lead coordinator of the Sāmoan stage at the ASB Auckland Polyfest and as a member of the organising committee and Trust Board.

Former HOD Languages and friend Lemoa Henry Fesuluai says Mele has

showed to her colleagues.

"Our staff are grateful to Mele for the wisdom, love and kindness she showed us. She became our much loved Matriach, role model, mentor, builder of bridges and self-esteem. She took an interest in us and our families, celebrating events and supporting us in times of trauma or need."

MC Alumni student Salome Wright-Fanua reflects on the influence and impact that Mrs Ah Sam had on her life and on the lives of other students from Māngere College.

"O Mrs Ah Sam, o se tagata e ese ma le finau. A woman of strength and such great leadership. A lot of ex-students can testify that if it wasn't for her, we wouldn't see past the gates of Māngere College. When you're a kid from the hood and from the Southside, it's hard to believe that you could make it anywhere especially with systems that are in place in this country, but Mama was the type of teacher that embodied a fight to do better. O le gagana, o le aganu'u, e ese ma le taua. O le a'oga."

"To her, education was the key to everything, to great and better opportunities. No student was a dumb student to her."

"Mrs Ah Sam is someone that had this great ability to draw out greatness in people. She sees potential in everyone."

The loss of Mrs Ah Sam is vast and we will continue to live out her legacy here at Māngere College for years to come.



Haere rā e te piki Kōtuku, Sandra Su'a

Sandra Su'a was appointed as the Check and Connect Mentor at Māngere College at the beginning of 2023. Her core role was to work with students to improve their attendance and engagement. She did this exceptionally well and the students in her care were rewarded with great academic success.

Sandra was a positive team member who went above and beyond her duties. She was an enthusiastic and valuable team member who shared her expertise with her colleagues and the wider teaching staff. Sandra had great leadership skills and managed challenges well.

Her passion was working with our students. Whether it was first aid, a light meal for a hungry student or attending to a distressed child;

Sandra would eagerly respond. She was an active sports person and incorporated that into her practice. She facilitated the Boxing Programme and encouraged our students to be active and improve their wellbeing.

Sadly, Sandra passed away on the 17 September 2024, after a brief illness. The students and staff mourned her loss. She impacted our lives in a positive manner, and we are forever grateful for her contribution to Māngere College.

Fa'afetai tele mo lau tautua i le kolisi o Magele. Fa'afetai i lou lagolagoina o le fanau il le taimi e mana'omia ai lau fesoasoani. La manuia tele lau malaga ma ia maua sou nofoaga tumau i le lagi.



Powhiri for New Tumuaki

In May we welcomed our new Tumuaki Mr. Geraint Tuiletoa Tagaloa with a special pōwhiri. It was a beautiful ceremony in which One Tree Hill College and Mr Geraint's whānau came as our manuhiri to hand over Mr. Tagaloa.

Thank you to our Mana Whenua representatives from Te Ahiwaru & Waikato Tainui for their support in ensuring a smooth ceremony and also a huge thank you to our students and staff for their beautiful singing voices, haka and all the efforts to ensure a well-run event.

We're excited for this new season with our new Tumuaki.





Head Student

Henry Mataora

Ke Ola, Kia Orana kotou katoatoa te tau mai ki raro i te marumaru o te api'i Māngere.

I'm incredibly honored to have served as the Head Boy of Māngere College for 2024. First and foremost, I give thanks to our Heavenly Father, who has guided and supported me throughout my time here. This role has been both a privilege and a responsibility, and leading our student body has been one of the most rewarding experiences of my life.

MC was the place where I made great friends and met amazing teachers who have supported me throughout my journey. MC is also a place where I got to develop more of my leadership skills, build more knowledge, how to be confident, and know how to show and display our school values 'Respect and Responsibility'. I was fortunate enough to participate in extracurricular activities that made my time at MC much more enjoyable. One of the first programs I joined at MC was the Manawa Whenua Hauora Leaders Programme in Year 9 to Year 12. This program was instrumental in building my leadership skills and boosting my confidence.

In my senior years, I also joined the Polyfest group. Being part of that team not only deepened my

understanding of my Cook Islands culture, but it also ignited a passion within me to carry forward my family's legacy. There's nothing quite like the thrill of performing on stage and experiencing the joy of winning as a team. I was especially bummed that I couldn't be part of the Polyfest group this year due to my knee surgery. Talk about a major plot twist! I was all set to rock the stage, but instead, I got a front-row seat in the hospital bed with my poor leg in a brace.

Beyond Polyfest, I feel privileged to have been a part of so many other school activities throughout the years that allowed me to showcase my love for performing arts. I joined the Performing Arts Showcase, the MC Film Academy, and the Drama Club, where I got to express my passion and creativity. I was also lucky enough to take part in the return of Bring It On Dance after nine years. It was amazing to contribute to our school's legacy of excellence in this competition. These experiences have reinforced my love for the arts, and I'm excited to pursue Performing Arts as my major when I leave Māngere College. I'm also proud to say that I was a part of leaving lasting legacies here with my fellow student leaders. Together, we had the honour of welcoming our new Principal, Mr. Tagaloa, and Deputy Principal, Mr. Maya-Brown, into our

school community. We've hosted so many incredible events, like MC Vibes, the school ball, the Manawa Whenua Dinner, and, of course, our school assemblies. Running these assemblies on our own as student leaders was something we took great pride in. It was a chance for us to demonstrate our leadership and bring our school together as a team. Overall, my time at Mangere College has truly shaped me, and I am grateful for every opportunity to learn, grow, and connect with such a diverse and supportive community.

As we step into whatever comes next, remember that we've already overcome so much, and nothing is out of reach. Be proud of who you are and who you're becoming. Keep that Mangere College spirit alive. Stay strong, stay connected, and don't forget where you came from. Go out there, make some noise, and make a difference. And if things ever get tough, remember the words of Ms. Nu'usavili: Aua le kaukalaikiki don't be cheeky! Just keep going, keep believing, and always remember to SEEK THE HEIGHTS! Thank you all, for the memories, the laughter, and the journey.

Kia tupu ruperupe ua atu rai, I te api'i, Māngere. Atawai Wolo, Atawai Wolo, Atawai wolo Ye Maneke. Te atua Te aroa.



Head Student

Tulei Salu

Ae oute le'i utufia le vai moea ma le vaita, Faimai na momo'o ai le Tagaloa, Ae oute muai ete fimalie, ma seu malu lupe o le fogatiaseu o Ali'i E muamua lava ona ou fa'atulou, faatulou i le paia ua afifio mai, Tulou, Tulou, Tulouna lava

First and foremost, I thank God for His grace for this year. We are able to reflect and celebrate the achievements and successes of our students but for yet another milestone in our lives.

Thank you for trusting me in being your Student Representative on the Board and also supporting me in my role of being your Head Girl for 2024. I always say to myself 'being Head Girl is just a title', but the title comes with responsibilities and this is shown through your actions, your service and your passion for your school. In the Samoan proverb we say "E iloa le tama'ita'i Samoa i lana tu, savali, ma Le tautala".

And to the future student leaders and class of 2025 cohort. You are chosen to be the next role models, to lead by example and to represent our school by upholding our core values of Respect and Responsibility.

I'd like to acknowledge a few important people who have played a key role in my journey at Māngere College. Thank you to all my form class teachers since Year 9 for believing in and encouraging me. I'm also grateful to our principal, SLT, subject teachers, deans, careers advisers, supporting staff, and all the teachers before us for their constant support and inspiration. Special thanks to Hermann and Faye for your unwavering support throughout this year. I truly appreciate all your help and encouragement.

I would like to thank the matriarch of our school, the lady who has left a legacy for many to uphold - Mrs Ah Sam. You have served and kept this school close to your heart. Fa'afetai i lau alofa ma lau titi faitama, fa'afetai le fa'apalepale, fa'afetai le tautua. I will always remember the proverb you have taught my siblings and I "o le ala i le pule, o le tautua", "the pathway to leadership is through service" and Mama Mele, you are the epitome of this proverb. You have not only impacted our school but also the wider Pasifika community.

Lastly, my deepest gratitude goes to the two most important people in my life. The two people that have sacrificed it all for my siblings and I for something better than what they had. My parents, you are my ultimate role models and my "whys" in life, you both are prime examples of what hard work and dedication looks like. I can't thank you enough for the countless prayers and continuous support, I owe it all to you both, for believing in me and encouraging me that my dreams can turn into reality.

I would like to leave you all with a few words of advice. Never forget the sacrifices your parents and grandparents have made to get you where you are today. Do not be afraid to stand your ground and to voice your opinions. Be bold, hold your head high and in everything you do, be humble. Although we are young and there is so much more for us to learn, the world is our oyster so as you leave college, go and chase your dreams, get that bag and live life to the fullest.

Faafetai tele lava, soifua ma ia manuia.

Student Leaders

In 2024, the Student Leaders' meetings became an essential weekly session, held every Thursday after school in H4. The year commenced with a Leadership Day, providing students the opportunity to connect and discuss ways to leave a meaningful legacy. The group set clear goals for the year and planned significant events such as MC Vibes.

Despite facing challenges, including the passing of Mrs. Ah Sam, the students demonstrated remarkable resilience. Their strength was especially evident during the Pōwhiri welcoming our new Pasifika Principal, Mr. G. Tagaloa, in Term 2, and Deputy Principal, Mr. A. Maea-Brown, in Term 4.

Key highlights of the year included supporting and organizing events

like MC Vibes, the MC Whānau Hauora Dinner, the MC Senior Ball, and the Leavers' Dinner, as well as mentoring Year 9 students.

A special thanks goes to our Year 13 Deans, Ms. Tatafu, Tane Teina, and SLT member Mr. Darragh, for their unwavering guidance and support, which were instrumental in navigating a memorable and impactful year.



Back Row: Te Arawa Mcivor, Shwe Ko, Nise Lam, Michael Darragh (Management), Ane Po'uliva'ati, Monica Lemalu, Mee Cho Shwe

2nd Row: Maaria Karika-Nuku, Janaia Levao, Sapati Faaleaoga, Joseph Agafili, Mairi Nikau, Danielle Mancer

Front Row: Alisi Tatafu (Dean), Avi Narayan Reihana, Tulei Salu, Melegalenuu Ah Sam (Acting Principal), Henry Mataora, Ramona Tomuli Pritchard, Ngatokorua Teina (Dean)

Year 11/12 Prizegiving



FORM AND SUBJECT PRIZES:

Year 11

Level 1 Music	Luisa Antonio
11MME Form Class Prize	Ansha Chand
Level 1 Hauora	Sione Kuli
Level 1 Samoan	Silone Leatioo
Level 1 English	Sumaiya Mohammed Faiz
Level 1 English Academic	ShaziyanaShafeez
Level 1 History	ShaziyanaShafeez
Level 1 Science Physics, Earth and Space Science	ShaziyanaShafeez
Level 1 Cook Islands Maori	Memory Henry
Level 1 Fashion Focus	Rachel Lafo
11MMR Form Class Prize	Victoria Luatua
Level 1 Mechanical Engineering Technology	Trisha Naidu
Level 1 Mandarin	Alisha Sharma
Most Improved Student in Commerce	Alisha Sharma
Level 1 Drama	Jazmyne Taoai
Level 1 Sports Science	Jazmyne Taoai
Level 1 Tongan	Sione Alofaki
Level 1 Physical Education	Fouvale Fogavini
Level 1 Mathematics with Statistics	Cristopher Lansangan
Multi Level 1 ESOL	Cristopher Lansangan
11RSI Form Class Prize	Charlene Ramirez
Level 1 Building and Construction and Allied Trades	Mohammad Zia Bashardost
11TAU Form Class Prize	Alanica Leitu
Level 1 Catering	Alanica Leitu
Level 1 Geography	Alanica Leitu
Level 1 Maori	Whanau TewaiPairama
Level 1 Dance	Heimata Shah
11TYU Form Class Prize	Lawrence Tuileva
Level 1 Art	Lawrence Tuileva
Level 1 Design and Product Development	Lawrence Tuileva
Level 1 Digital Studies	Lawrence Tuileva
Level 1 Mathematics with Calculus	Lawrence Tuileva
11WRE Form Class Prize	Safa Mustafa
Level 1 Mathematics	Safa Mustafa
Level 1 Science Chemistry and Biology	Safa Mustafa
Top Student in Commerce	Safa Mustafa

SPORTS' AWARDS

Hall Award for Sportsmanship Charlee Nuku-Puletama

ATTENDANCE

Year 11

Excellent Attendance	Ansha Chand
Excellent Attendance	Sione Kuli
Excellent Attendance	Cleopatra Manu
Excellent Attendance	Charlene Ramirez
Excellent Attendance	Promise Siamomua
Excellent Attendance	Sione Uhi
Excellent Attendance	Matthew Phanith
Excellent Attendance	Lawrence Tuileva
100% Attendance	Silone Leatioo
100% Attendance	Sione Alofaki
100% Attendance	Saurav Deo
100% Attendance	Alanica Leitu

Year 12

Excellent Attendance	Zechariah Pio
Excellent Attendance	Lomantisi Loni
Excellent Attendance	Indy Huakau
Excellent Attendance	Aryan Chandra
Excellent Attendance	Tiresa Kwan Wing

STUDENT LEADERS 2024

Helen Andrew	Jeremiah Hafoka
Dorothy Lologa	Roselie Urika Filifilia
Stephne Maea	Yolanda Tamo'ua
Jumima Oliva Te'o	Riyansha Chand
Liu Tupou	Manuia Fox-Romia
Qwanell Vi	Malachi Henry
Hirihna Carlo	Alpha La'ai
Zechariah Pio	Tiresa Kwan Wing
Peter Togafau	Conn-danny Lam

FORM AND SUBJECT PRIZES:

Year 12

Year 12 - Gateway	Blaze Moreland
Level 2 Cook Islands Maori	Helen Andrew
Level 2 Business Studies	Dorothy Lologa
Level 2 Music	Dorothy Lologa
Level 2 Biology	Stephne Maea
12MGE Form Class Prize	Jumima Oliva Te'o
Level 2 Dance	Jumima Oliva Te'o
Level 2 Mathematics	Jumima Oliva Te'o
Level 2 Tourism Studies	Jumima Oliva Te'o
Level 2 Mechanical Engineering Technology	Kitione Palu
Level 2 Art	Hirihna Carlo
Level 2 Drama	George Ioramo
Level 2 Maori	Alazay Mountney
Level 2 Geography	Zechariah Pio
Level 1 Mathematics for LSC	RaceaeTaimalie
12RFI Form Class Prize	Peter Togafau
Multi Level 2 ESOL	Lomantisi Loni
Level 2 Sports Science	OfaMa'ukoloa
Level 2 Automotive	Myra Ropati
Level 2 Physical Education	Myra Ropati
12RIM Form Class Prize	Roselie Urika Filifilia
12TSA Form Class Prize	Indy Huakau
Level 2 Accounting	Indy Huakau
Level 2 Hospitality	Dorianna Muliava
Level 2 Economics	Salote Piutau

Level 2 Mathematics and Statistics	Salote Piutau
Level 2 Tongan	Yolanda Tamo'ua
Level 2 Samoan	Crystalbell Afitu
12WKU Form Class Prize	Riyansha Chand
Level 2 Civics and Future Preparation	Manuia Fox-Romia
Level 2 English Academic	Manuia Fox-Romia
Level 2 History	Manuia Fox-Romia
Level 2 Sustainability	Manuia Fox-Romia
Level 3 Hauora	Manuia Fox-Romia
Level 2 Hauora	Sena Latu
Level 2 Building Construction and Allied Trade Skills	Aryan Chandra
12WNA Form Class Prize	Tiresa Kwan Wing
Level 2 Chemistry	1Aryan Lakhan
Level 2 English	Aryan Lakhan
Level 2 Mathematics with Calculus	Aryan Lakhan
Level 2 Physics	Aryan Lakhan
Level 2 Design and Product Development	Conn-danny Lam
Level 2 Catering	Ree Meh
Level 2 Art Printmaking	Mikayla Sale
Level 2 Digital Studies	Mikayla Sale
Level 2 P Tech	Mikayla Sale

SPECIAL AWARDS:

The Achievement Centre "Trust your Power" Award	ACH Reyos Vaine
Outstanding Contribution to the Media Club	WRE Safa Mustafa
Contribution to the Student Council	Liu Tupou
Contribution to the Student Council	Hirihna Carlo
Renouf Cup for Musical Performance	Roselie Urika Filifilia
Emily Heeney Cup for Best Vocalist	Roselie Urika Filifilia
Year 12 Speech Award	Manuia Fox-Romia
Senior Debating Award	Manuia Fox-Romia
Leadership of Student Council	Manuia Fox-Romia
Outstanding Contribution to the Media Club	Manuia Fox-Romia
2024 First Foundation Scholarship	Manuia Fox-Romia
Opeloge Ah Sam Award for Senior Music Composer of the Year	Tiana-Lee Tairea

Year 11 Seek the Heights Award	Ansha Chand
Year 11 Student of the Year	Ansha Chand
Year 12 Seek the Heights Award	OfaMa'ukoloa
Year 12 Student of the Year	Riyansha Chand
Year 11 Top Scholar 2024	Shaziyana Shafeez
Year 12 Top Scholar 2024	Manuia Fox-Romia



Year 13 Prizegiving



SPORTS AWARDS

Aldridge Award for Sportsmanship	Khegan Matia
Senior Sports Girl of the Year	LaceyLuTohilima-Franklin
Senior Sports Boy of the Year	Kevin Faasao

ATTENDANCE

Excellent Attendance 2024	Shwe Ko
Excellent Attendance 2024	Rosina Faataui
Excellent Attendance 2024	Christine Leatioo
Excellent Attendance 2024	Marylene Lilomaiaava
100% Attendance for 2024	Ato Mamea

SPECIAL AWARDS

The Patricia Beazley Memorial Cup Senior Girls All Rounder Most Valuable Player	Maaria Karika-Nuku
Principal's Award for Head Students	Avi Narayan Reihana
Principal's Award for Head Students	Ramona Tomuli Pritchard
Principal's Award for Head Students	Henry Mataora
Principal's Award for Head Students	Tulei Salu
Board of Trustees Student Representative	Tulei Salu
Outstanding Contribution to the Media Club	Tulei Salu
Writers' Award	Sarahna Prasad
Thwaites Cup for the Most Improved Senior Music Student	Manuia Fox-Romia
Student	Lacey Lu Tohilima-Franklin
Senior Librarian Award - 13TFR Ron Pedder Cup for Outstanding Achievement in the Arts	Shwe Ko Siale 'Asi
Emily Heeney Cup for Best Vocalist	Maaria Karika-Nuku
The Pedder Cup for Outstanding Achievement in the Performing Arts	Quade Lam
Senior Dance Award Rhyders Cup for Achievement with Distinction in the 'Gateway' Programme	Quade Lam Joseph Agafili

Robson Cup for Achievement in Vocational Pathways	Key Reh
Outstanding Progress in the Achievement Centre	Joson Taime
Sarita Narayan & Family Cup for Top Y13 Science Student	Afiya Mustafa
The Senior Manawa Whenua Award	Tulei Salu
Ngaa Ao e Rua Award- 13WHANAU	Te Arawa Mclvor
Anavatausi - Ethnic Guardian Cup	Ramona Tomuli Pritchard
Measina - Ethnic Value Cup	Nise Lam
Te Ara ki te Whare Wananga Award	Lily Funaki
Senior Samoan Oratory Trophy (sponsored by 5 Star Motors)	Monica Lemalu
Courtney Award for Top Student studying Accounting, Business Studies and Economics	Monica Lemalu
Lion Foundation Young Enterprise Award: Distinguished Recognition Award	Monica Lemalu
Lion Foundation Young Enterprise Award: Distinguished Recognition Award	Ato Mamea
Lion Foundation Young Enterprise Award: Distinguished Recognition Award	Mary Ainiu
Lion Foundation Young Enterprise Award: Distinguished Recognition Award	Rosina Faataui
Lion Foundation Young Enterprise Award: Distinguished Recognition Award	Christine Leatioo
Lion Foundation Young Enterprise Award: Distinguished Recognition Award	Sameme Mamea



YEAR 13 SUBJECT PRIZES

13MBM Form Class Prize	Khegan Matia
Level 3 Civics and Future Preparation	Simaima Nau
Level 3 Tongan	Simaima Nau
Level 3 Cook Island	Taina Toi
Level 3 Design and Product Development	Benjamayn Faumuina
13MMO Form Class Prize	FaleilaPaniani
Level 3 Accounting	FaleilaPaniani
Level 3 English Literacy	Key Reh
Pathway Academy	Key Reh
Pathway Academy Careers	Key Reh
Pathway Academy Finance	Key Reh
Level 3 Physical Education	Tulei Salu
Level 3 Sustainability	Tulei Salu
Level 3 ESOL	Zohra Ahmadi
Level 3 Catering	Talita Ake
Level 3 Art Digital	Mahnaz Barbari
Level 3 Technology	Serina Fonoti
Level 3 English	Serina Fonoti
Pathway Academy Communication	Aj Ioane
Level 3 P Tech	Osai Pasikala
13RCS Form Class Prize	Sarahna Prasad
Level 3 Digital	Sarahna Prasad
Level 3 Mathematics with Calculus	Sarahna Prasad
Star	Joseph Agafili
Year 13 - Gateway	Joseph Agafili
Level 3 Art	Siale 'Asi
Level 3 Fashion Focus	Siale 'Asi
Level 3 Economics	Lily Funaki
Level 3 Hospitality and Customer Services	Lily Funaki

13TFR Form Class Prize	Shwe Ko
Level 3 Sports Science	Jacob Lal
Level 3 Biology	Afiya Mustafa
Level 3 Chemistry	Afiya Mustafa
Level 3 Mathematics with Statistics	Afiya Mustafa
Level 3 Physics	Afiya Mustafa
13TND Form Class Prize	Ramona Tomuli Pritchard
Level 3 English Academic	Ramona Tomuli Pritchard
Level 3 Geography	Ramona Tomuli Pritchard
Level 3 History	Ramona Tomuli Pritchard
Level 3 Mathematics	Ramona Tomuli Pritchard
Level 3 Mandarin	Ramona Tomuli Pritchard
Scholarship History	Ramona Tomuli Pritchard
Level 3 Tourism Studies	Mekarennafidow
Level 3 Samoan	Christine Leatioo
13WKN Form Class Prize	Monica Lemalu
Level 3 Accounting	Monica Lemalu
Level 3 Business Studies	Monica Lemalu
Scholarship Samoan	Monica Lemalu
Level 3 Drama	Henry Mataora
Level 3 Dance	Maaria Karika-Nuku
Level 3 Music	Maaria Karika-Nuku
13 Whanau Form Class	Rahzel Solomon-Slade-Carr
Level 3 Maori	Te Arawa Mclvor



SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS

Glenys Erickson Memorial Cup	Ramona Tomuli Pritchard
David Gock Cup for the Spirit of Rotary	Ramona Tomuli Pritchard
Williams and Cunningham Prize for Courtesy	Monica Lemalu
The Trish Smith Prize for Courage & Achievement	Monica Lemalu
Stan Kepa Prize for Leadership in Cultural Activities	Maaria Karika-Nuku
Watson Prize for Service to the Community Bader Award	Tulei Salu
Benson Award for Service to Others	Zohra Ahmadi
Lambie Prize for Leadership	Shwe Ko
University of Auckland Vaka Moana Scholarship 2025	Ramona Tomuli Pritchard
University of Auckland Vaka Moana Scholarship 2025	Nise Lam
University of Auckland Vaka Moana Scholarship 2025	Tulei Salu
University of Auckland Vaka Moana Scholarship 2025	Janaia Levao
University of Auckland Vaka Moana Scholarship 2025	Monica Lemalu
Auckland University of Technology - Kiwa	Monica Lemalu
University of Waikato - Ko TeTangata School Leaver Scholarship	Tulei Salu
Auckland University of Technology - Academic Excellence: High Academic Achievement	Tulei Salu
Auckland University of Technology - Academic Excellence: High Academic Achievement Kiwa: Recognising Maori and Pacific Students demonstrating ability and potential	Ramona Tomuli Pritchard

Auckland University of Technology - Hiki Ake (Lift Up)	Monica Lemalu
University of Waikato - Ko Te Tangata School Leaver Scholarship	Shwe Ko
University of Waikato - Pacific Excellence Scholarship	Tulei Salu
University of Otago Pacific Peoples' Entrance Scholarship	Janaia Levao
Victoria University Mana Pasifika Scholarship	Nise Lam
Victoria University Mana Pasifika Scholarship	Tulei Salu
Mangere College Leavers' Scholarship	Monica Lemalu
Mangere College Leavers' Scholarship	Ato Mamea
Mangere College Leavers' Scholarship	Zohra Ahmadi
Mangere College Leavers' Scholarship	Mahnaz Barbari
Mangere College Leavers' Scholarship	Mairi Nikau
Mangere College Leavers' Scholarship	Christine Leatioo
University of Auckland - DWC Scholarship	Ane Po'uliva'ati
The Mangere College Scholarship	Afiya Mustafa
Elizabeth Ellett Scholarship Recipient 2025-2027	Monica Lemalu
Year 13 Seek the Heights Award	Ramona Tomuli Pritchard
Year 13 Student of the Year	Tulei Salu Afiya Mustafa
The Proxime Accessit Top Senior Scholar/Dux 2024	Sarahna Prasad



Māngere College Alumni Achievements



ABDUL & MAHDIEH AHMADI

In December, Abdul and Mahdieh graduated as a dentist and oral health therapist, and with plans to give back to the community which supported them. Their parents fled their country of Afghanistan, settling in neighbouring Iran where their children were born. Abdul and Mahdieh moved to NZ as refugees, and were enrolled as ESOL students at Māngere College. We are immensely proud of their progress and achievement.



Zahra Habbi

Congratulations to Zahra Habbi who graduated with a Bachelor of Pharmacy with Honours. Zahra began Year 9 ESOL with Mr Fifita as a 16-year-old student with little English. She participated in many school activities, and with determination and hard work, she became Dux of Māngere College in 2019. Thanks to all teachers for your support, especially the Science department.



HON. WILLIE JACKSON

On 24 May, Labour MP and MC alumni Willie Jackson made history as the first Māori participant in an Oxford Union debate. Jackson argued against the motion, 'This House believes British museums are not very British', advocating for the return of ancient Māori artifacts from the British Museum to New Zealand. His powerful speech led to his victory in the debate.



SAIA FOLAU

Saia Folau, an alumni student and former staff member, was invited to sing on stage with Coldplay in Paris as part of the "This Is Our Home" Pacific Artists for Climate Justice on June 23. "I'm absolutely grateful and blessed to have this opportunity, not just for myself but for the entire 'This Is Our Home' project and the Fossil Fuel Treaty team."



SALOME WRIGHT- FANUA

Congratulations to MC alumni Salome from the class of 2013! In May, she was admitted to the Bar as a lawyer and graduated days later with a Master's Degree in Pacific Studies. "The bottom line is I have a real passion to help people. Now I can use my best skills, experience, and knowledge to do the best for people."

CAMERON TAIREA

Congratulations to our former student - CAMERON TAIREA who graduated with his Bachelor in Sport, Health and Physical Education. Cameron left Māngere College in 2018.



Support Staff



The Support Staff team pays tribute to the late Melegalenuu Ah Sam, a cherished pillar of our school community, known for her beautiful spirit and unwavering passion for students and their educational success. As Acting Principal in Term 1, she was a remarkable leader, deeply respected by her peers and widely admired in the community.

Melegalenuu's contributions to the promotion of Pasifika languages have left an indelible mark on educational practices, fostering a positive learning journey. Her leadership extended to the arts, school events, and celebrations, where her efforts enriched prizegivings, scholarships, and parent-teacher conferences. We deeply miss our beloved mama and tinā.

Our school did not escape the aftermath of flooding and debris damage also experienced by many Māngere families, and other parts of the country, who endured high rainfall and wild winds and storms at the start of the year.

It was a freakish and never-experienced school event however it was supported by excellent teamwork by the Senior Leadership Team (SLT), the caretaker, the school cleaners and others including students who were hands on deck with sandbags, water sweeping, cleaning, disposals, drying and moving furnishings to ensure areas affected would be functional spaces despite the disruption.

The start of the term brought the introduction of Kāinga houses into the school system, exciting for students and all staff who were allocated to one of the four Kāinga houses – Rangimārie, Whakapono, Tūmanako and Manaaki.

The Kāinga system is an opportunity for support staff to revisit a new approach to building connections with other staff in the same Kāinga but also brings a competitive edge and positive challenges to build resilience, teamwork and apply thinking outside the box.

This year support staff in their Kāinga groups were presented



with an opportunity to design and deliver PLD for each of the sessions throughout the year. Some of the themes that enriched support staff's learning time together were Communication, Health & Safety, Wellbeing, Cultural Awareness, Reflections and many more. Another PLD this year included Utilising Technology Better and many support staff were able to upskill in their digital fluency and technology skills.

Support staff are resolute professionals with the same commitment as teaching staff who give and support the school ethos but importantly, assist our students to achieve to the best of their abilities and "Seek the Heights."

Support Staff Contributions

Our Support Staff work tirelessly alongside teachers to support students and uphold the banner of "Seek the Heights." They are represented across various areas of the school, including:

- **Achievement Centre (Alternative Education)**
- **Administration**
- **ESOL and Refugee Support**
- **Learning Support**
- **Library**
- **Grounds and Property**
- **Science and Technology**
- **Careers**
- **Performing Arts**
- **Sports and Physical Education**
- **Student Services (social workers, nurses, counselors, etc.)**
- **School Management (Senior Leadership)**

Recognition and Farewells

We celebrate the achievements of our Support Staff:

- **Nancy Palelei: Lifetime Volleyball Member**
- **Tai Uamaki: Sports Recognition Award**

Congratulations to **Caitlin** on her appointment as Physical Activity Activator, a role funded by Active Sports to promote increased student participation in sports.

We also welcomed several new staff members:

- **Teacher Aides:**
Waila Michan Khel, Malama Masoe, Jasine Leoo Olo, Peter Tusa, Nargis Hussaini
- **Senior Nurse: Santoshni Pillay**
- **Receptionist: Valarie Tolich**

Sadly, we bid farewell to:

- **Senior Nurse: Sinai Tomoniko**
- **Nurse: Hannah Terrace**
- **Counselor: Gabrielle Dancy**
- **Groundsman: Allan Beazley**
- **Careers Admin Support: 'Iunisi Fotofili**
- **Receptionist: Kala Boyes**
- **Communications Manager: Jo Latif**

Special recognition goes to Jo Latif for her outstanding work as Communications Manager. Jo's expertise in media and communications significantly enhanced the school's presence through newsletters, the annual magazine, the school website, social media, and community engagement. Her dedication has been instrumental in showcasing Māngere College. Jo, your contributions will be deeply missed, and we wish you every success in your new endeavors.

We also extend gratitude to the many volunteers who supported various school activities, from the school garden to sports coaching. Thank you for your invaluable contributions.

Looking Ahead

Thank you, Principal Geraint, for recognising the importance of professional development for Support Staff. Appreciation also goes to the administration team for their unwavering support of students, staff, and the wider community, and to our caretaker for their commitment during a challenging year. We acknowledge Allan Beazley for his dedication and wish him well in retirement.

To all Support Staff, your contributions are deeply valued, and I look forward to 2025, filled with more opportunities for growth and collaboration through kainga initiatives and PLD.

Let us honor the memories of the late Melegalenuu and Sandra, whose legacies continue to inspire us. As we celebrate the festive season, may you find joy with your families and welcome the New Year with renewed energy and enthusiasm for the learning opportunities ahead.

Helen Faamoe – Business Manager

Kāinga System

This year we had several competitions and opportunities for students to earn points for their kāinga provided by several departments and our new Sports and Physical Activity Council, MC Active.

In Term 1 we had Athletics where Rangimārie took it out for the second year in a row! The staff also represented and placed first equal with Tūmanako, however, they along with the other kāinga were no match for the purple team. Rangimārie had the most points of the term giving them the win for the term!

Term 2 saw a range of activities. In May, for New Zealand Music Month, our Performing Arts Department held a 'Cover Challenge'. Students were to submit a video or audio track of them performing a Kiwi song. Congratulations to our winners, Year 13s from Manaaki- Sapati, Maaria, Atalua, Lacey and Elizana with their rendition of 'Don't Say Goodbye'. Tūmanako earned the most points for the MC Film Academy, Sāmoan Language Week, and Refugee Week competitions. The big upset came from the Matariki Amazing Race for staff. Rangimārie earned 400 points and bumped them to the top of the leaderboard, winning Term 2!

Here is a list of the current standings of our Kāinga points for the year:

KĀINGA COMP		
2024 RANKINGS		
RANK	TEAMS	MATCH
1	TŪMANAKO	1778
2	RANGIMĀRIE	1612
3	MANAAKI	1491
4	WHAKAPONO	1377





Generosity



Peace



Hope



Faith

Term 3 was the term that MC Active launched. The Council held regular lunchtime activities where students were awarded a point for participating and extra points if their kāinga won a team sport competition. MC Active hosted Pickleball, Hungerball, Badminton, Tapu Ae, Chalk Art etc. games and we saw awesome numbers coming in! It was great seeing year levels mix and have fun with one another. We also had Reo Skits for Māori Language Week and activities for Chinese and Tongan Language Week. With most of the points coming from lunchtime events, Tūmanako were the most consistent in participation with their Year 9s leading the way! The team rocketed to the top with a difference of 190 from the second team. Well done Tūmanako for winning Term 3!

The race has been close amongst the kāinga groups!

In Term 4 we held our Tabloid Sports on the second to last day of school. It was announced there that Manaaki won for our Year 9s and Tūmanako won for the Year 10s! With this announcement, Tūmanako won the cup for Kāinga of the Term and officially won the cup for Kāinga of the Year!!! Congratulations Tūmanako on your win!!!



DEPARTMENTS

Achievement Centre

2024 has been a challenging year with multiple ups and downs along the way however, our rangatahi have shown resilience and the ability to adapt in new situations & challenges.

Throughout this year, we have ventured as a centre beyond new and exciting heights. To watch our Rangatahi grow and develop has been a highlight of our mahi. We are exceptionally proud of the dedication of our rangatahi to stay the course and push through in their academics. We are looking forward to what is in place for 2025 and the many challenges that await us. Without a doubt, our Rangatahi will search and venture for new heights and we'll be right there behind them



KEY HIGHLIGHTS

STAR Work Placement

One of our students successfully completed his STAR Workplace Placement at the Warehouse during Term 3 which gained him additional credits to complete his NCEA L2. He got positive comments as a reflection of his work ethic. Thank you Louise Reade for your awesome support.

Digital Toi - VAKA Collab

In a collaboration with VAKA, we held a workshop for rangatahi to design, draft and prototype a 3D Printed Taonga and learnt the skills necessary to produce these outcomes. Over the two day workshop, students learnt key skills and mahi required to develop these taonga. Positive feedback and engagement during these workshops was outstanding.

Driver Licensing/Forklift

Two of our ACH Rangatahi participated in their Learner Drivers Programme delivered through the Gateway department at school.

Security Course

One of the students successfully completed the Security Qualification Course which gained him 11 additional credits. We were impressed with his dedication during school holidays to complete this mahi.



Te Wānanga O Aotearoa WHAKAIRO Programme

We had 4 students participate in Te Wānanga o Aotearoa's STAR Whakairo Carving programme throughout Term 2 to Term 4. Our students successfully participated and gained their required credits.

Senior Prizegiving Success

3 of our students were successful in receiving awards during Senior Prizegiving. 2 awards were from the Achievement Centre for their achievement throughout the year in ACH. 1 of our students received a subject award for top in Gateway studies. It was an awesome afternoon to celebrate with and alongside our Rangatahi and their whānau.



Polyfest Performance/Involvement

This year we had 5 Students from Achievement Centre compete in Polyfest groups (2 Students for Kapa Haka, 2 Students for Cook Island Group and 1 Student for Tongan Group).

Te Ahi Kaa Baking Enterprise

Throughout the earlier terms, our kōhine have been working towards building and sustaining their own Business Enterprise with the support of the Achievement Centre (AE Māngere College Provider). They developed their own brand (Te Ahi Kaa - Kai that warms the Soul) which is centered around their culture and the ability to uplift people's mana through home-made kai.

Ōtara Art Gallery Visit - Live + Die South Auckland (Vasemaca Tavola)

ACH was very privileged to be invited by renowned Fijian artist - Vasemaca Tavola to attend an exclusive gallery tour at the Fresh Gallery of her exhibition - To Live + Die in South Auckland.



Engagement with School Maara (Garden)

During Term 4, our Junior Māori students were involved in working alongside the kaitiaki of the Maara every week to enhance our engagement and connection with the whenua.

RAD (Refurbish a Device) Programme

This year we were able to take part in the RAD Programme. We spent the day learning how to refurbish a laptop. Our instructors were two young men: one in year 13 and the other just starting his first year at university. They guided us through the process of replacing and



repairing various laptop components, troubleshooting, common issues, and installing Windows on the device. This hands-on experience was both new and challenging, but it was incredibly valuable to understand the inner workings of a laptop. By the end of the day, we were fortunate enough to receive our fully refurbished laptop to keep, which has and will be a great asset for my schoolwork and assignments.

Thank you RADs for the awesome workshop ~ Written by Blaze Moreland.

Wider living Week - Wellington X'plorers collab with Learning Support Centre & 10THE

In collaboration with the Learning Support Centre and 10THE Form Class, we visited Wellington as part of our Wider Living Week activity. 2 of our students went along for a trip of a lifetime.

OIWI HAWAII Trip 2025:

At the end of Term 3, 2025, four of our Achievement Centre students will join a group of 20 other students on a trip of a lifetime - to connect with youth and Hawaiian, Pasifika and world indigenous practitioners in Oahu, Hawai'i.

Commerce Department

What a challenging but rewarding year for the Business Department!

Despite the hurdles we faced, including the loss of our beloved mentor, line manager, and Deputy Principal Mele Ah Sam, we persevered and achieved remarkable success. Here's a recap of our highlights from this year:

Wellington Trip

Walking, laughing, and seizing opportunities in Wellington! This year, we visited the New Zealand Reserve Bank, met our local Māngere MP Lemauga Lydia Soseve, explored audience engagement at Weta Workshop, and, my personal favorite, visited grocery stores outside Auckland.

As a second-year attendee, I appreciated seeing Wellington through a fresh perspective as my understanding of commerce deepened. For many, it was their



first time experiencing Aotearoa beyond Tāmaki Makaurau (Auckland). The trip was an excellent bonding experience, filled with unforgettable moments, including karaoke sessions! On behalf of the Year 13 Business students, we extend heartfelt thanks to Mrs. Nadan, Head of the Commerce Department, and Mrs. Reddy for making this annual trip possible. It was a memorable and enriching experience for us all.
By Janaia Levao



Student Reflection

My experience as a Level 3 Business student has been a truly bittersweet journey. This year felt different from the previous ones. In the past, it always seemed like there was a clock ticking down, adding pressure to everything. However, this year's challenges pushed me to grow in ways I never anticipated, and I know I couldn't have done it without the support of our incredible teacher, Mrs. Nadan.

One of the most significant moments for me was pitching our product for the first time. It's still hard to believe I stepped out of my comfort zone to do it, as I've always preferred keeping to myself. It was completely out of character but also a moment of personal growth that I'll always remember.

Although I didn't participate in the Wellington trip due to being less outgoing, looking back now, I realize I missed out on what would have been a fantastic experience. I also contributed to our team's production efforts, trying my hand at sewing and crafting—skills I've never been good at. While those attempts didn't go as planned, I'm



proud that I tried something new. Our team faced many stressful moments, from writing our business review to preparing for our pitch. Yet every challenge we overcame felt incredibly rewarding. Even though we didn't achieve all our goals, I'm grateful for the experience. Choosing business as a subject on a whim in Year 11 turned out to be one of the best decisions I made.

As I near the end of my schooling years, I realize how much I'll miss being in Mrs. Nadan's classroom. Her guidance and support have been invaluable, not only in business but in life.

A special thank you to Mrs. Reddy and Rosalie for your support throughout this journey.

By Ben Pahulu

FINAL MESSAGE

A great year with great achievements by my students. I wish all my students to aim high and reach the heights. I wish you all Merry Christmas and Happy New Year

Mrs Nadan(HOD Commerce)

Business Awards Night

Every year, Māngere College Level 3 Business students participate in the Young Enterprise Scheme (YES) by the Lion Foundation, developing innovative product ideas. This year, we created sustainable pot plants from recycled basketballs.

The 'Le Aute Sisters' team successfully completed all four YES challenges, earning the Excellence in Emerging Businesses award at the October 2024

finals! The team, led by CEO Monica Lemalu alongside Christine Leatio'o, Sameme Mamea, Ato Mamea, Rosina Fa'ataui, and Mary Ainiu, showcased resilience, teamwork, and dedication.

We honor our late Mama Melegalenu'u To'alepaiali'i Ah Sam, who encouraged us to pursue business. Though she couldn't celebrate with us, we are certain she would have been proud of our success.

The Awards Night was a celebration of determination and achievement. Special thanks to Principal Geraint Tagaloa for attending and to Mrs. Nadan for her guidance. To our families, your unwavering support means the world. Finally, to my incredible team—thank you for your hard work and perseverance.

"With God, we can do everything."

By Monica Lemalu, CEO,
Le Aute Sisters



Careers and Pathways

A Year in Review

Kia Ora, Talofa Lava, Kia Orana, Fakaalofa lahi atu, Namaste, As-Salaam-Alaikum, and a warm welcome to you all!

2024 has been an incredible year of striving for excellence! A select group of students had the privilege of being mentored under the Te Ara ki te Whare Wānanga program, funded and operated by the University of Auckland.



Te Ara ki te Whare Wānanga Programme Highlights



Throughout the year, mentees engaged in academic counseling with mentors, explored potential career pathways, and participated in university excursions. Mentors closely monitored academic progress and guided students on their journey to excellence.

We extend our best wishes to all our mentees, especially those preparing for exams and completing assignments. Your mentors have every confidence in your ability to excel, academically and in life.

Acknowledging Our Benefactors

Graham (a retired engineer) and Shona (a nurse) Matthews are the generous benefactors funding the Te Ara ki te Whare Wānanga program. During their visit to Māngere College, they emphasized their gratitude for the contributions their workforce made to Graham's business and expressed a desire to support students' academic success.

Dr. Ngaire Hoben (EdD), the University of Auckland's Te Ara ki te Whare Wānanga project mentor, oversees the program, collaborating with Māngere College and Aorere College.

On behalf of our Māngere College whānau, especially the students benefitting from this program, we offer our sincere thanks to Graham, Shona, and Ngaire for their invaluable support in making this year a success.



Student Testimonial

"As a mentee in this program, I worked alongside students from my year level and discovered the many opportunities and benefits open to me for my future career.

My mentors kept me on track, guiding me through grades, NCEA requirements, and the transition to university, including scholarships, courses, and internships. They opened my eyes to possibilities beyond high school. My experience was incredibly useful, and I highly recommend reaching out to the mentors and Careers Advisors."

-Tulei Salu, Year 13 Mentee

Year 13 Highlights Dedicated Mentorship

Ms. Alfie has been a tireless mentor for her Year 13 mentees, setting a personal goal to guide all her students toward success, whether securing university entrance, calculating rank scores, gaining university admissions, or earning scholarships.

Key Events:

- South Auckland Expo at Due Drop Manukau (27th June 2024): The largest careers expo in South Auckland introduced students to a wide range of pathways.
- Manawa Mai UoA Open Day (24th August 2024): Year 13s explored university subjects, asked questions, and experienced "Life at University," inspiring their preparation for post-secondary education.



Student Testimonial

"This program has been invaluable, not just for me but for everyone involved. As a young woman eager to embrace university life, I am incredibly grateful for the guidance and encouragement provided by this program. I strongly encourage others to take advantage of this opportunity!"



Year 10 & 11 Highlights UoA South Campus Visit (27th June 2024)



Year 11 students explored the new Manukau campus and attended a panel of inspirational speakers, including: Tangatakiikii Pauline Teura'atua-Rupeni (Head of UoA South Campus)

Christian Baledrokadroka
(Chairperson, SENZ Youth Advisory Board)

Julian Dennison (Actor)

Soakai Malamala (Teacher of Music and Tongan, Aorere College)

Orientation Day at Aorere College
(14th March 2024):

Year 10 students attended a fun-filled day networking with Aorere College students, exploring career pathways, and participating in interactive activities.

“ Student Testimonials

“Hearing testimonies from ex-students about identity and success was inspiring.”

-David Leaula, 10WRH

“I like meeting new people, and events like this help me grow.”

-Sarah Mustafa, 10WRH

“Exploring new spaces and learning about endorsements was useful.”

-Michael Chourb, 10RVA

Year 12 Highlights UoA City Campus Visit (10th May 2024)

Students explored the University of Auckland's city campus, participating in an Amazing Race and networking with peers from Aorere College and UoA.

PILOT Program at MIT Ōtara (1st August 2024):

The Pacific Island Leaders of Tomorrow program encouraged students to embrace leadership, make informed decisions, and envision a bright future.

Student Testimonial:

"Being part of this program has sparked my interest in engineering and boosted my confidence. I look forward to continuing as a mentee next year!"

Liu Tupou, Year 12 Mentee



A Message of Gratitude

To our students, mentors, benefactors, and partners, thank you for making 2024 a year of growth and achievement. May your futures be bright, and may you continue to strive for excellence.

**Careers and Pathways
Department, Māngere
College**

About Me

Once upon a time, there was a liar
Who brought up fire
Upon everyone he was around
He had some kind of light
He had to fight
To fulfil his dream of becoming somebody
He had to start off as nobody
But he never knew that
Sometimes being a nobody
Is better than being a somebody
For someone to look around
You have to be around and say to yourself
I am great and it must be fate
For me to be me
This is a poem about me

Written by Kennedy Tunupopo (9 WPE)

Fire and water come to life

In the dance, fire and water collide
In a cosmic waltz
Where opposites abide

Fire fierce and wild, with its burning bright
Water calm and deep, in the still of night
Fire crackles and roars, a passionate embrace
Water flows and soothes, with a tranquil grace
Together they intertwine in a timeless play
Creating a symphony of night and day

In this eternal tango, they find their balance
Fire's heat meets water's cool
Ambiances a dance of life
Of power and a flow
In this cosmic ballet, they both bestow

Fire and water in harmony they strive
In their eternal dance they come alive

Written by Tuku Orika 9WPE

Empowering ESOL Students

(ESOL STANDS FOR ENGLISH FOR SPEAKERS OF OTHER LANGUAGES)



A YEAR OF SUCCESS & CELEBRATION

Our ESOL department has had a whirlwind year, filled with enriching events inside and outside school. Here are some highlights of our recent activities that left our students excited and more confident.



CELEBRATING PACIFIC CULTURE:

In Week 8, our ESOL and refugee students eagerly joined a Ukulele tutoring session at Māngere Bridge Library, embracing the vibrant Pacific culture. They quickly learned the basics and gained confidence in their new skills, demonstrating the power of experiential learning, culture, fostering growth and self assurance.

REFUGEE BIG DAY OUT: A JOURNEY OF CONNECTION

Our refugee whānau had a fantastic "Refugee Big Day Out" at the Māngere Refugee Resettlement Centre on February 13. It was packed with icebreakers, team-building activities, and games, fostering connections among students. The day ended with a reflective discussion, providing valuable insights into life in New Zealand. Overall, it was a successful event, boosting students' confidence and leadership skills.

EMPOWER YOUTH WORKSHOP: IGNITING POTENTIAL

In Week 6, our ESOL students attended a workshop by EmpowerYouth, offering mentoring and vital academic/life skills. The response was immense, with many students eager for ongoing mentoring. This initiative empowered students, guiding them confidently in their academic and personal paths.



REFUGEE WEEK FESTIVITIES

Refugee Week, celebrated from June 17-21, was a vibrant time at Māngere College. Highlights included a staff shared kai on Thursday, June 20, where our refugee students contributed by bringing in and sharing their cultural foods with staff. Students had the chance to participate in various fun and educational activities, earning individual points and points for their Kāinga.

CELEBRATING SUCCESS STORIES

We also celebrated numerous success stories this year: Ethnic Youth Academic Awards 2024: Congratulations to Afiya Mustafa and Shwe Ko. Celebration of Excellence: Hserku Hser and Eh Taku Wah were recognized for their achievements in NCEA Level 3 2023. First Foundation Recipients: Kamilya Islam and Mee Cho Shwe, along with their mentors, were honored. Community Volunteering: Former student Aquila Rajah Ali and current students Zohra Ahmadi, Aishah Akbar, and Kamilya Islam volunteered at Everybody Eats, a pay-as-you-eat dining concept.

VISIT FROM MĀNGERE REFUGEE RESETTLEMENT

Term 2 began with a special visit from students of the Māngere Refugee Resettlement Center (TAMA). These students came to Māngere College on Tuesday, May 14, 2024, to observe and learn about school life in New Zealand. They started the day with observing the pōwhiri practice and then visited various classes to attend lessons. This visit aimed to provide a comprehensive understanding of the New Zealand education system and help the students feel more integrated and comfortable in their new environment.

CELEBRATING WORLD REFUGEE DAY

The highlight of term 2 was the celebration of World Refugee Day (WRD) for the first time at Māngere College. This event was a collaborative effort with RASNZ, MIXIT, and participating schools including Mount Roskill Grammar School, Ōtāhuhu College, Papatoetoe High School, Aorere College and our special guests from the Ministry of Education. Our aim was to provide a platform for refugees and students to come together, foster connections, and celebrate diversity.



Cook Islands Māori Language Week



This years Cook Islands Language week was celebrated from 4 - 10 August.

The 2024 theme for Cook Islands Māori Language Week is 'Ātui'ia au ki te vaka o tōku matakeinanga - connect me to the canoe of my tribe.

This theme derives from the overarching Language Week Series theme for 2024, 'Sustainability'.

We had a busy week of performances from the Cook Islands Language students and had visitors from the Ministry of Education who heard how talented our Cook Islands students were and how well we celebrate our language weeks here at Māngere College.



Tongan Language Week

This year our Tongan Language Week was from 18 - 24 August.

The 2024 theme for Tonga Language Week is 'E tu'uloa 'a e lea faka-Tongá 'o ka lea'aki 'i 'api, síasi (lotú), mo e nofo-'a-kāngá - The Tongan Language will be sustainable when used at home, church and in the wider community.

This theme derives from the overarching Language Week Series theme for 2024, 'Sustainability'.

We had a busy week with performances from Tongan Language classes, Tongan Language activities in the library, and tasty Tongan food.



Mandarin

Chinese Culture Workshop

Y9-Y13 Mandarin class students had the exciting opportunity to explore a traditional Chinese performing art - Shadow Puppet Play. To commemorate the Dragon Boat Festival, which took place on June 10th, students created characters inspired by this significant Chinese celebration. Working in groups, they performed the story of the Dragon Boat Festival in Chinese, using the puppets they had crafted. This immersive experience not only allowed our students to delve deeper into Chinese culture but also provided a practical platform to practice the language skills they have been learning.



Mooncake Workshop

We organized two workshops in November for the Y9-10 Mandarin classes to experience the Chinese Mooncake making process. With the support of Tui Tuia Learning Circle UoA, students learnt about the Mid-Autumn Festival traditions and had the opportunity to hand make their own mooncakes. The junior classes represented our school values well and showcased their Chinese language skill when interacting with our visitors.



Samoan Language Week

Vaiaso o le Gagana Sāmoa

**“E iloa ‘oe i lau tu, i lau savali ma lau tautala”,
Alagaupu sa fa’aogaina
ma fiafia tele ai le Afioga
le Fuatino Melegalenu’u
To’alepaiali’i Ah Sam.**

Aso 26 Me - 1 Iuni, sa fa’amanatuina ai le Vaiaso o le Gagana Sāmoa i totonu o Aotearoa atoa. “Tautua i le Alofa, Manuia le Lumana’i” o le sini ‘autu o lenei tausaga. E fa’aperetaniaina e fa’apea, “Serve with love, for a better future”. O lona uiga e tatou te galulue, a’o’oga ma faia mea uma ona o le alofa i aiga, alalafaga aemaise tapua’iga a nai o tatou tuua auā e le pine ona maua lea o le manuia. E moni ai upu a le atunu’u, “O le ala i le pule le tautua”. I tausaga uma, e fa’ailogaina e le Kolisi o Magele lenei vaiaso taua, aua e fa’atauaina ai le taua o tu ma aga, gagana ma le aganu’u fa’asāmoa.

O se tausaga ‘ese nei i le Vaiaso o le Gagana Sāmoa i totonu o le laumua, aua ua le mafai e si o matou tinā, le poutoa o le Gagana Sāmoa i totonu o Magele, ae le gata i lea o Aotearoa atoa ona auai i polokalame ma fuafuaga. E talu ai ona o le vala’au paia a le Atua, i le Afioga ia Fuatino Melegalenu’u To’alepaiali’i Ah Sam. Sa misi alofa e le aiga faiaoga ma le laumua aua e taulamua Mele i vaiaso fa’apenei. E manatua pea ana galuega lelei i totonu o le laumua aemaise o lona naunauta’iga aua le Gagana Sāmoa ia fa’aolaolaina.

Sa tele tapenapenaga ma sauniuniga, e le gata o polokalame sa faia i totonu lava o le laumua ae o vala’aulia ma tu’ufa’atasiga ma isi laumua sa auai atu ai. Na tatalaina le Vaiaso o le Gagana Sāmoa i se sauniga lotu sa faia i le Kolisi Maua luga a Papatoetoe i le Aso Sa



26 o Me 2024. Sa auai ai susuga i faia’oga, alo ma fanau o le Vasega 12 & 13, fa’atasi ai ma tuua sa maimoa i fa’afiafiaga ma ‘aitema na tapenaina e Kolisi maua luga ‘ese’ese. O le Aso Gafua sa faia ai se tu’ufa’atasiga (Senior assembly). Na auai le Tofa ia Ulugia, nofoaalo ma le aiga ma o se fiafiaga tele lea i o matou loto ona o le talisapaia o se fa’atala’u’ula atu. Sa matagofie mea uma mai le amataga se’ia o’o le fa’ai’uina, na faia togiga a susuga i faia’oga, alo ma fanau Sāmoa, ma isi kulupu ‘ese’ese sa fa’afiafia. Na faia molimau, saunoaga a nisi o alo ma fanau sa a’oa’oina i tausaga ua mavae, (Salome Wrights ma Pamata), ‘aitema, fa’afiafiaga ‘ese’ese ‘aemaise o le malu le taeao sa tapenaina e le Tofa ia Ulugia ma le nofoaalo.

Na mata’ina fa’afiafiaga a vasega Sāmoa ta’itasi sa faia i Hotspot i taimi o malologa, o ta’aloga fa’asāmoa aemaise o fa’ailoga sa tau’a’oina. Na maua fo’i le avanoa e auai atu ai le Vasega 12 i le so’otaga

sa faia ma le Kolisi o Aorere. O le agaga fa’agae’etia ona ua mafai e alo ma fanau ona maua le avanoa i tu’ufa’atasiga fa’apea, ina ia fa’amasani ai aua taualumaga le tausaga fou. Sa fa’atinoina tu ma aga e masani ai le atunu’u e ala i le ‘Ava o le feiloa’iga, sa molimauina e na auai le talileleia o i latou e le Kolisi o Aorere. Na vala’aulia fo’i i tauvaga fetufatufa’iga (debate) Aso Lulu ma isi laumua ‘ese’ese fa’atasi ai ma nisi o faia’oga e a’oa’otauina le Gagana Sāmoa. E le gata i lea, ae sa maua fo’i le avanoa e fa’afiafia, i le vala’aulia mai le A’oga Tulaga Lua a Mountain View. Sa va’aia le fiafia ma le fa’agae’etia o nai alo ma fanau ona ua mafai ona auai atu i le tatou laumua. O le tele o vala’aulia sa gafa ma le Tausaga 12.

O le toe aso nai Moamoa, sa faia ai polokalame a le Tausaga 13, le tausaga fa’ai’uaso, na faia le taumafataga o le aoauli faatasi ai ma nisi o faiaoga sa fesoasoani, e fa’ama’eaina ai le Vaiaso o le Gagana Sāmoa. Sa i’u ma le manuia fuafuaga sa fuafua mamao aua lea vaiaso. A mae’a ona tatou faia se galuega, ona tatou fa’apea ifo lea, o tatou o ‘au’auna le aoga.

E avea a’u e fai ma sui o le Tausaga 13, e momoli le agaga fa’afetai i susuga i le Puleaoga ia Geraint Tuiletoa Tagaloa ma le Senior Leadership auā le taliaina o se talosaga e ala i fa’atinoga ma



fuafuaga uma sa fa'atinoia le Vaiao o le Gagana Sāmoa, susuga i ali'i ma tama'ita'i faiaoga mo le lagolago, ae fa'asili se fa'afetai i susuga i faiaoga Sāmoa ia Ms Kalati ma Ms Nu'u auā le fa'afoeina le polokalame i le Vaiao atoa mai lava le amataina se'ia o'o le toe aso o le fa'amoemoe. E ua malie taliga e fa'alogo, o la outou tu'utu'u tau'au ua mama ai le avega, ua outou faia mea sili ona o le silasila alofa i le tatou tinā ia Melegalenu'u Ah Sam, ua le nofoia le nofoa o Tavita lenei tausaga. E le fa'agaloina le lagolago a le pa'ia o matua i latou alo ma fanau, aua ana le seanoa le latou pulupulu lima lelei, semanu e le mafai e alo ma fanau ona fa'atino polokalame uma sa iai. 'Ae fa'asilisili le fa'afetai i alo ma fanau Sāmoa uma sa fa'afiafia, amata mai i le Tausaga 9 se'ia o'o le Tausaga 13, e le'o pese, siva, ta'aloga ma togiga 'ae o le taua o le Vaiao le Gagana Sāmoa, ina ia fa'aolaolaina ai pea le tatou Gagana i totonu o a'oga, aiga aemaise o Aotearoa. Ua oge ni manatu, 'ae o toe 'upu, ia manatua, "Tautua i le alofa, manuia le lumana'i".

Monica Lemalu, Tausaga 13



Te Reo Maaori 2024

Tuuwhitia te hopo, mairangatia te angituu!
Feel the fear and do it anyway!

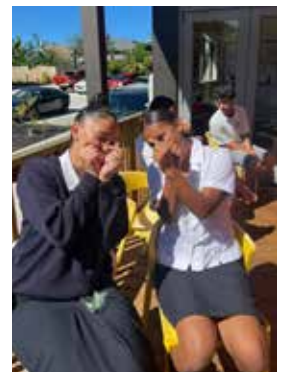
This year our te reo Maaori classes focused on pushing boundaries and experiencing the beauty of the Maaori culture through learning about the values of puuraakau, taiao and our atua Maaori.

We had a number of trips and experiences that elevated our deeper understanding of te ao Maaori.

Te Pou Theatre, Enviro Hub, Ngaa Manu Koorero and Polyfest 2024 were just a few highlights that exposed us to various ways our Maaori culture lives on in Aotearoa.

We're ready for a fresh year, with fresh opportunities in 2025.

Mauri Ora!



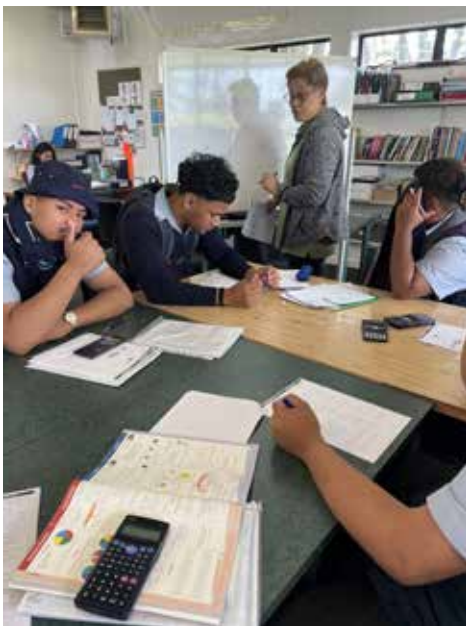
Learning Support Centre

During Term 3 in our MC Scholars Clubs, we have been running a Literacy Workshop for our Year 10 students preparing them for their Literacy Co-requisite Exam. They sat the exams in Week 8 of Term 3 which was worth 10 Credits at NCEA Level 1.

Throughout the workshop our students looked deeper into the Reading Exam breaking down the topics and meanings behind each text and also gained a deeper understanding of what the author's purpose is. They also looked at their Writing Exam requirements to write in the following structures:

Email Writing
Formal Letter Writing
Article Writing

I am proud of our Learning Support Year 10 students who did their co-requisite exams.



Mathematics and Statistics

Farewell Mr Singh

It is with mixed emotions that we say goodbye to Mr Ravinesh Singh as he steps into an exciting new role as Assistant Head of Mathematics at Southern Cross Campus. While we will deeply miss his leadership and dedication, we are incredibly proud of this well-deserved achievement.

Throughout his time with us, Mr Singh has been an invaluable asset to our team. His commitment to passion for education, and ability to inspire students have left a lasting mark on our department. As Ravinesh embarks on this new journey, we know that he will bring the same energy and vision to the Maths team at his new school.



SAMC 2024

Going to the arena for the competition really scared me, not in a bad way but watching all the school teams working together just gave me a rush of excitement. The questions were so difficult but there were some things we knew. Even if we win or lose I was still happy we got the opportunity to

come here for the competition. I found competitions and lunchtime training to be fun. If I get a chance again next year I will go again, this time with more practice.

**South and West Auckland
-placed 2nd**

Our Year 9 team placed 2nd in the final rounds of SAMC at De La Salle College! They competed against 23 other teams from Central West and South Auckland schools.

Asiah Oziullah



Maths Week - Interform Maths competition



Performing Arts



Red, White and Brass

At the end of Term 2, senior Drama students went to watch the 'Red, White, and Brass' live production at the ASB Waterfront Theatre. This was a good opportunity for us young Polynesians to experience Polynesian culture being adapted into a national production.

- Quade Lam and Henry Mataora (3DRM)

Pring It On

On the 8th of August, our Performing Arts leaders and Mr Henry took a trip to the production 'Pring It On' at the ASB Waterfront Theatre in the Wynyard Quarter. The production was a great opportunity for our leaders to gain ideas and collaborate as a team. It also honoured our amazing Mrs Ah Sam, which was a tear-jerking and memorable experience.

EXCEL

We were so happy to have the touring group from EXCEL School of Performing Arts to give our students a dance and music show! As our seniors consider what they're doing after schooling, it was great to have EXCEL in to show our performing artists what kind of options are possible for them in our area.



Stand Up Stand Out

'Stand Up Stand Out' has come around for another year and MC Performing Arts was well represented! Well done to Stephne, Mele, Dorothy (Year 12) and Rina (Year 11) for performing across Solo Vocal, Group Vocal, and Solo Instrumental heats. And a big congratulations to our PA Leader Rosalie for being a Solo Vocal Finalist! She performed beautifully on the Auckland Town Hall stage at the Finals on the 14th of September. We are so proud of everyone's effort!

Bring It On

'Bring It On' was back in Auckland this year and Māngere College (as 4-time and reigning champions) are stoked to have been involved! Our crew, led by Dance leaders Quade and Maaria and supervised by Mr Henry and Miss Hopman, were working hard this term to put together a routine for the Bring It On stage and we are so proud to say MC are now 5-time champions! Thank you to everyone who came out to support us and special thanks to Janaia and Dallas for their BTS help! Check the PA Insta for pics and vids from the event. #EMCEE24!



Performing Arts Showcase

In Term 4, we had our annual Performing Arts Showcase, and for the first time in 3 years, we were able to hold it at Māngere Arts Centre. Our students performed 4 shows over 2 days, 2 matinees for our junior school, and 2 evening shows for our families and community. We had performances from all of our senior Dance, Drama, and Music classes as well as a cultural performance, our Year 10 dance group, our 'Bring It On' champions, and for the first time, we also presented a Film Academy short film on the big screen! Thank you to everyone who came out to support our students at the matinees or evening shows, your energy was wonderful and infectious; thank you to Matua Hermann for collaborating with us through the Film Academy, and to Jo and Caitlin for photographing and videoing the event and helping behind the scenes; and thank you to our Performing Arts students, who performed so admirably and really made that MAC stage their own! We can't wait to see what our hugely talented students will come up with next year!

Creative In Schools

This term our Level 3 dancers have been collaborating with Sierra Diprose, a dancer, photographer, and owner of the Creative Human Project. They have been working on a long-form dance and photography project centred around Tūrangawaewae that was shown at Showcase and is available to view through the link in our PA Instagram!

Meanwhile, our Level 1 and 2 dancers have also been working with Sierra on dance and movement photography. Some of these images were placed on exhibition in the foyer of Māngere Arts Centre for November. More photos and videos can be found on our Performing Arts website!

Here are some photos taken by Sierra from the Level 3 rehearsals.



Performing Arts Awards

We were stoked to present our annual Performing Arts Awards this year at Māngere Arts Centre for the first time! At this event, we were able to acknowledge so many of our students in their Performing Arts successes this year, and we were also happy to include Film Academy and Media Club with their awards as well. Special shout out to our Performing Artist of the Year for 2024: Maaria Karika-Nuku! Thank you to our families for helping us celebrate our students' accomplishments, and to Jo and Caitlin for photographing and live streaming the event, as well as Valarie, Rose, and SLT for their work.



New Head of Department

New Head of Department
You may know that Mr Alex Upokokeu-Henry was our acting HoD for this year, and we are thrilled to confirm that he will take over the role permanently in 2025! This news comes as we farewell our previous HoD and Assistant Principal Mr Ben Euden, who is moving on to other opportunities after 8 years here as a Music teacher and 7 years as Head of Performing Arts. We thank Mr Euden for all of his work and dedication to music at Māngere College and wish him all the best in his future endeavours. We would also like to officially welcome Mr Upokokeu-Henry into the position of Head of Performing Arts as we see in the new year. Congrats Mr Henry, we can't wait to see what we can do under your leadership in 2025 and beyond!

PA Instagram

Be sure to follow the Performing Arts Instagram for details and photos as they happen!



@mangerecollegeperformingarts
or scan the code here.

Science Department

2024 has been a remarkable year for our Science Department. From excellent student achievements to exciting curriculum updates and enriching field trips, it's been a year filled with discovery, learning, and innovation.

One of the pillars of our success is our stable and passionate Science staff. With years of collective experience and a shared commitment to nurturing curiosity, the team has gone above and beyond to provide a supportive learning environment. Regular professional development ensures

our educators stay ahead of the latest advancements in teaching strategies and scientific research.

This year, we introduced the new Level 1 Science curriculum, aligning with the latest educational standards. The updated curriculum emphasises hands-on experiments, critical thinking, and real-world applications. Students have embraced the changes, enjoying a more interactive and inquiry-based approach to learning. The L2 and L3 curriculum refresh will be in the next couple of years.

Our senior Physics students had the unique opportunity to visit Auckland University. They explored state-of-the-art laboratories, participated in interactive physics demonstrations,

and engaged in discussions with university researchers. This experience provided invaluable insight into tertiary-level physics and potential career pathways. Also the Physics department offered a scholarship for one of our top Physics students to continue their learning in 2025 and beyond.

Biology students ventured to the Arataki Visitor Centre, delving into the lush forests of the Waitākere Ranges. They conducted fieldwork on biodiversity, studied ecological interactions, and observed native flora and fauna. This trip reinforced their classroom learning and deepened their appreciation for conservation.

As we prepare for the new year, the Science Department is excited to expand its offerings. Plans are underway for more field trips, including trips for our junior Science students. We are also looking forward to integrating even more digital tools into our teaching, with more devices for our students to use.

2024 has truly been a year to remember for our Science Department. The dedication of our students and staff, combined with innovative curriculum developments and inspiring experiences, has set a strong foundation for the future. I would like to wish all the Y13 Science students all the best for their future dreams and aspirations.

We can't wait to see what 2025 will bring!



Social Science Department

Geography

On August 14th – 16th this term, 22 Year 13 Geography students were able to fly down to Queenstown in the South Island to conduct their inquiry for Achievement Standard 91430 (3.5) worth 5 credits which also forms the basis for their external - Achievement Standard 91427 (3.2) worth 4 credits looking at tourism in Aotearoa. Students were able to visit various landmarks and locations around Queenstown as well as try

out the famous Ferg Burger as part of the tourist experience. From Arrowtown and Glenorchy, to the beautiful Lake Wakatipu - students were exposed to the beautiful tourist attractions of the adventure capital of Aotearoa. Huge thank you to everyone who supported all our fundraising efforts that made this trip possible as well as our teachers for organising and making this trip happen!



Sustainability

This term, our Year 12 and Year 13 Sustainability students are conducting an inquiry into strengthening aspects of sustainability around the school. Some of our Year 12 students are repurposing old Social Science maps as part of their inquiry worth 6 credits. Check out some of the restoration jobs they are doing in the classroom!

History Scholarship

Our Year 13 History Scholarship students this year have kickstarted their journey to prepare for their scholarship exam on Friday 8th November. This year the theme is Treaties and Indigenous Peoples with a focus on Te Tiriti o Waitangi, 1830 – 1840's Aotearoa and indigenous treaties with other peoples. Tutorials run every week in preparation for the upcoming exam. Best of luck to our Year 13's!



New Courses 2025

In 2025, a new subject within the Social Sciences curriculum, titled Indigenous Studies, will be introduced. This course will focus on topics impacting Indigenous peoples both historically and in contemporary contexts, allowing students to explore various aspects of Indigenous cultures and draw connections to their own experiences. Indigenous Studies will be offered alongside our existing senior subjects of History and Geography.



Ms Keung Farewell

On Friday 30th August, Ms Keung was welcomed into Aorere College with a beautiful pōwhiri by akonga and Kaiako. Ms Keung started with us in February this year as a Civics and Social Studies teacher, and although serving at Māngere College for a short time, has made an impact on our Social Science students and wider kura. We will miss her as she embarks on the next steps of her journey teaching in the bilingual unit at Aorere College.

Y10 Ihumātao Trip

Our Year 10 Social Studies had the opportunity to go on a hikoi around Ihumātao on Monday 11th November as part of their research into the topic of land confiscations and social activism surrounding Ihumātao. Our students were guided through the whenua by Te Ahiwaru and Te Ihu Mataoho as well as given a deep korero about the grievances of the land.



TECHNOLOGY

A FOND FAREWELL

When I started at Māngere College in 1991 as Head of Home Economics and Clothing I did not for a minute think that I would be writing my final magazine article in December 2024 – but here I am 34 years later

doing just that! It has been an honour and a privilege to have been able to share my passion for my subject with so many for so long. I have loved being a part of the lives of the students that I have taught,

the families I have met and the teachers I have worked with. It has been a great journey, one that I have happily shared and been supported by the amazing and talented Technology staff dedicated to trying to make a difference to the lives of our students so that they may reach their heights. As my time here is done, I can look back over the years and wonder at how quickly time as gone by and I can take comfort from knowing that the Technology Department will go on under the guidance of Ms Singh with help from Mr Padavatan, Ms Franso, Mr Aubrey and Ms Werry. The Māngere College community will always hold a special place in my heart and I give thanks for having the opportunity to be a part of it.

Arohanui, Viv Maskell



P-Tech 2024

Māngere College joined the P-Tech (Pathways to Technology) program in 2022 and we have successfully completed three years of the program with students attending MIT and MDS (Media Design School). We are so proud of graduating students who were part of this program from the beginning and set the precedent for cohorts to come. This cohort worked well as a team for the past 3 years and demonstrated the MC values of 'Respect and Responsibility' all throughout. MC's P-Tech department look to continue on this upward trajectory and provide ongoing guidance, support, motivation and encouragement to all our students.

Year 13 P-Tech Awarded Students for 2024



ASOTOLU PELESASA 13TND

She was awarded an internship by ANZ Bank



AVI NARAYAN-REIHANA 13TFR

He was awarded an internship by Spark NZ



CHANTEL PAIRAMA 13TND

She was awarded an academic success award with a prezzy card by MDS

Year 13 P-Tech Expo at Spark NZ



Year 11 P-Tech Careers & Mentoring Trip



Year 10 MOTAT Taster Course



Year 11 P-Tech Mentoring Workshop





SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

Active As

MC is part of the Active As programme which aims to provide positive and inclusive active recreation and sporting opportunities for our rangatahi.

We look to enhance the well-being and learning of students through increased physical activity. This is set to be a 3-year project with 3 outcomes;

- For rangatahi to enjoy being Physically Active
- Rangatahi to be more active more often
- Improve the well-being of our rangatahi and create better connections with their education

The list of our main projects for the year:

1. Development of our school's Sports and Activity Council, MC Active
2. Voice of Rangatahi Survey
3. Improving our outdoor space and environment
4. Big school event to increase student engagement and strengthen relationships between students and student-to-teacher

We focus on improving physical health, mental well-being, teamwork, confidence, and increasing participation. This year we have arranged many activities for students during breaks.

One of the activities that was quickly popularised among students was Hunger Ball, it is a game that consists of teamwork, strategy, and fun competition. We also introduced another new sport called Pickleball. It is a friendly and easy-to-learn sport that has students queueing up.



Māngere College is well known for its competitiveness, and combining the Kāinga points system with our matches brought out fierce competition within the houses. During breaks, we had competitions of sports such as Badminton, Netball, Volleyball, Football, Basketball, Talopato (Tongan Dodgeball) and Peipei Tiporo (lime juggling) through which the winning team contributed to their house with points. Students who don't usually participate stepped out of their comfort zones and joined in on the fun.

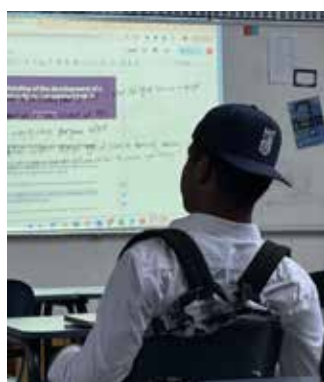
We also want to engage our less outgoing students who might not often participate in activities. We organised different sorts of events in the library, such as Tivaevae arts and crafts, Quiz for Tongan Language Week, Chalk Art, Giant Connect Four and Jenga and various other activities. We want to inspire these students to engage more often, both physically and mentally, while also building their confidence which is part of MC Active's goals.

We held a Staff v Student Leaders netball game to get staff involved and found it drew a huge crowd to watch! It was also great seeing our teachers and support staff get active

and show off their competitive nature! The students took it out so maybe next year will be the year for staff...

MC Active has only just begun and we are committed to achieving our goals by expanding the variety of our events and increasing the participation of students. We wish to create a physical environment where students feel comfortable and safe participating, a judgment-free space where students of all skill levels participate and learn. We believe physical health is an important part of life and MC Active's goal is to convey that being healthy can also be fun. In the future we plan to introduce more and more groups and activities of unrecognised and unique sports, providing opportunities for students to discover new passions and talents. It's also been a great way to develop our leadership skills and confidence in physical activity, especially for quieter students.

In term 4 we utilised some of the funding to go towards a day event for our Junior Students at Kokako Lodge and in school with the 'Girl, get out there' initiative! We welcomed the following providers; Scouts Aotearoa, Craft Lab NZ,





Counties Manukau Orienteering, Kori Collab, Rock Up Ltd and Outward Bound. Our students grew more confident with their outdoor knowledge and skills. It also was a test of personal growth and we are thankful to all the providers for providing a great experience for our rangatahi.

We are excited and extremely honoured to be a part of this initiative and to see how we can use the significant funding that comes with this project to support our students and get more of us Active As.

Safa Mustafa, Year 11



Student Council

This year has been an exciting one for our Māngere College Student Council. Our Student Council consists of members from a range of year levels who are ready to serve and represent the best interests of our rangatahi here at Māngere College. For Student Council members, this year has been full of progressive conversations about what actions we can take as a school to better the lives and experiences of our students here at MC. Collectively the members had decided that a canteen would be more than beneficial for the students at our school, as it would improve engagement, provide students with a larger variety of options and ensure that students have access to food that is appealing to them. From there they planned to present their ideas to the Principal through a slideshow presentation, constructed by our amazing members. The process was extremely collaborative,



where we had different people presenting, designing the slideshow, conducting data and even carrying out interviews around the school to gain student feedback on the prospect of a canteen. We are so grateful to have an amazing team of students that have a space where they not only can fight for their voices to be heard but also can build healthy relationships with their peers around them.

Student Council members: Sumaiya Mohammed Faiz, Safa Mustafa, Sarah Mustafa, Chevron Rameriz, Liu Tupou, Lole Sua Sagapolutele, Shaziya Shafeez, Nina Sua Sagapolutele, Liu Tupou, Manuia Fox-Romia, Tevita Alofaki, Hirihna Carlo, Ansha Chand, Jackson Davida, Cecilia Goodwin-Tupou, Alanica Leitu, Chevron Ramirez, Nina Sua Sagapolutele, Touanga Tangatiloa, Jahziel Togafau, Lawrence Tuilev.

Library

The library is the heart of our school, fostering a community of lifelong learners who have the passion and drive to make a mark on the world. The library is a vibrant place where learning transcends the limitations of the classroom, encouraging individuals to explore new areas, it is a safe place where anyone is welcomed with open arms.

Within these walls, students can blossom a love for reading, while strengthening and enhancing their literacy skills and expanding their perspectives in every aspect. The library is a place where students are free to discuss assorted topics, develop critical thinking skills, and gain knowledge in every subject, ranging from science, cooking, languages, literacy, history, and culture to fictional books such as comics and novels.

It is a space where students can freely explore new topics, discover new passions, and enable themselves with the information and skills necessary to excel, not just in their studies, but in pursuing their dreams.

This year, the library is always lively and crowded with students during breaks, especially year 9 students. Most of the students are intrigued by our library's new range of various board games and our new arrival of the latest books every week.

We had the author of many great books, Maureen Fepuleai, visit our library in August. She spoke about her latest book "Our Koviki Tears" to our staff and students.





While our non-fiction section is always bustling, our fiction section is perfectly quiet and calm for the readers who enjoy their own silent time. There was a significant increase of librarians in our library whānau this year as many new students were keen to join the library.

Our librarians participated in Daffodil Day. Selling ribbons to raise money for The Cancer Society. Our library celebrates many occasions, but we recently



celebrated Tongan Language Week where the librarians embraced the cultural celebration by dressing in traditional Tongan attire. We also commemorated Niuean, Sāmoan, Māori and Chinese language week.

The library also served as a space for the school community to come together and honour the passing of the beloved Assistant Principal and "mother", Mrs. Ah Sam. The librarians thoughtfully compiled a memorial book, filled with heartfelt tributes and memories shared by

staff and students; to celebrate Mrs. Ah Sam's legacy and the positive influence she had on the school.

The library also hosts a scholar's club which students are encouraged to attend after school and are given extra facilities such as computers and teachers to help them complete any homework and schoolwork, these teachers also support and assist any kind of struggle students face towards subjects.

In conclusion, our library is a lively place where students can explore their interests and connect with friends. This year has been especially fun with cultural celebrations and events like Daffodil Day, showing how we all come together as a community. We love fostering a passion for reading and learning, making sure everyone feels welcome. Together, we're building a brighter future, one adventure at a time!

Safa Mustafa I1WRE



First row: Aryan Chandra, Nihaal Umair, Ayushi Chandra, Riyansha Chand, and Ankush Prasad.

Second row: Saurav Deo, Safa Mustafa, Sarah Mustafa, Freya Mohamed Faiz, Shaziyana Shafeez, Ansha Chand, Liza Sopheak, Cristopher Lansangan, Crystalene Ramirez, Jahziel Togafau, Viniola Fifita, Tri Tran, Chevron Ramirez, and Tevita Alofaki.

Third Row: Nasi Hifo, Sameme Mamae, Shwe Ko, Ato Mamae, Lawrence Tuileva, Shantal Gounder, Shruti Nivasan, Farzan Khan and Logan Jackson.

Not in the photo: Mrs P Kumar (photographer), Zaki Ali, Asiah Oziullah, Malia Hifo, Ane Kofe, Grace Marama, Silone Leatioo, Prashnil Pratap, Charlene Ramirez, Hirihna Carlo, Faleaka Davobalava, Malachi Henry, Tiresa Kwan Wing, Ashmit Singh, Jt Tulimaiau, Zohra Ahmadi, Mary Ainiu, Mahnaz Barbari, Christine Leatioo, Monica Henry, Danielle Mancer, Avi Narayan Reihana and

Mee Cho Shwe.

Mana Whenua Hauora Leaders

This year marked five incredible years of the Manawa Whenua Hauora Leaders Program, with exceptional leadership from our Year 13 students. Term 1 kicked off with MC Vibes, a fantastic event where our Year 13 student leaders connected with the Year 9 students and their families. It was a fun-filled afternoon with candy floss, popcorn, sausage sizzles, and refreshing water.

The Lunch Time Challenges allowed students to engage in exciting and interactive activities at the Hot Spot. Staff also participated in weekly challenges, dancing into the staffroom and earning spot prizes. Term 2 saw the Manawa Whenua Hauora Dinner, a memorable event to welcome our new Principal Mr. G Tagaloa and celebrate the final MWH gathering at Mangere College.

A special fakamalo to the Toko Collaboration Charitable Trust and Marina Potter Toko Project manager for years of unwavering support, nurturing the hauora of our Māngere College students, staff, and whānau.

Alisi Tatafu



MC Mana Maori



This year our MC Mana Māori have been busy with developing their kaupapa within the school, with students and staff, but also enhancing whānau and local mana whenua connections.

Here are some highlights from the year:

- **Kapa Haka:** Our Kapa Haka roopu started off the year strong with Polyfest and they also continued throughout the year with various events and opportunities e.g, a performance at the Māngere Town Centre
- **Whanau Hui:** We have had two successful hui this year and increased whānau engagement. Pōwhiri for new Tumuaki Geraint
- **Tuiletoa Tagaloa:** Through this significant pōwhiri we were able to build on relationships with various key mana whenua while also enhancing our own school tikanga for important events.
- **Te Wiki o te reo Māori Language Week:** A busy week with daily te reo activities for students and staff. There were library activations as well as a special video that was shot called 'Project Wairua'.



- **Matariki:** Matariki is a specific celebration to Aotearoa New Zealand and honours our season of winter under our stars. It is an opportunity for all New Zealanders to honour our environment and to open ourselves to learning about the traditions of this country which go back hundreds of years beyond colonial settlement. During this week our MC Mana Māori group organised activities and worksheets.
- **Toitu te tiriti activations:** To uphold Te Tiriti and show support to the founding document of Aotearoa, a number of our MC Mana Māori staff attended activations at Māngere Bridge, walking down Queen Street and also attended the Hiko Mo Te Tiriti at Ihumātao.
- We have been developing our school pepeha with Te Ahiwaru.
- **Ngaa Ariki o te Moananui aa Kiwa (Koroneihana Celebration for Kiingi Tuheitia):** Ngatokorua Teina, Hermann Arp and our Ngaa Ariki o te Moananui aa Kiwa represented Māngere College at the Koroneihana in Ngaaruawaahia. What an amazing way to join alongside Te Kiingi Māori and our Mana Whenua Tainui in a special kaupapa and hui.
- Our MC Mana Māori students and staff also attended the Tangihanga for Kiingi Tuheitia.



Film Academy

This year the Film Academy created a short film called 'Where's the Beef?'. The film was included in the Performing Arts Showcase and starred Jackson Davida and Tri Tran. Jackson and Tri received an award for their film and we hope to share the film out to the school community in the new year.



MC Media

With a packed and full year, there is no doubt that our MC Media crew were behind the scenes hard at work ensuring that all of it was documented on our social media platforms, school website, newsletters and even in the yearbook in your hands right now!

This year we were extremely fortunate to have purchased a new laptop with the help of the Ministry of Internal Affairs' funding. This laptop has helped us with processing photos, editing images and creating videos and other advertisements, where we help promote, encourage and alert

students about things happening around the school from reminders about pink shirt day to urging students to fill out surveys that help us get new facilities. It is our job to not only bring awareness to the things that happen around the school, but also to ensure that those things are documented in a way that's fun and interesting. From the eccentric performances at Polyfest to the welcoming of our new principal, we have been more than ecstatic to capture it all on camera and share such amazing and memorable moments with the rest of our MC Whanau.

Maniua Fox-Romia



My Duke of Edinburgh Camping Adventure with Māngere College

A 3-Day, 2-Night Challenge

As part of the Duke of Edinburgh Award, I recently took part in a 3-day, 2-night camping trip. It was an adventure filled with challenges, new experiences, and personal growth. From packing my first camping bag to hiking through the beautiful Hunua Ranges, the trip was a memorable part of my journey towards achieving the award.

Day 1: Hiking to Awhitu Environmental Camp

We began at Bluelight Environmental Camp, learning how to pack and carry camping bags, a completely new challenge for me. The heavy load made hiking daunting at first, but reaching Awhitu Camp brought a deep sense of accomplishment. Setting up tents and cooking outdoors with friends

added to the satisfaction, making every effort worthwhile.

Day 2: Hunua Ranges and Sleeping Under the Stars

The second day pushed us further, hiking through rugged terrain in the Hunua Ranges. With improved bag-packing skills, I felt more prepared to take on the physical demands. The beauty of the forests and waterfalls made the effort rewarding. That night, we camped outdoors under

the stars, sharing stories around a campfire and savoring s'mores, a magical moment of connection and joy.

Day 3: Suspension Bridge Walk at Hunua Falls

Our final hike took us to the iconic suspension bridge at Hunua Falls. Walking above the roaring waters was a breathtaking way to end the trip, leaving us with a shared sense of pride and accomplishment.



Lessons Learned: Growth, Teamwork, and Perseverance

Looking back, this camping trip wasn't just about physical endurance, it was a journey of personal growth. Packing and wearing a camping bag for the first time was tough, but it taught me about preparation and resilience. I also learned valuable lessons in teamwork, especially when setting

up tents and working together in the wilderness.

The experience has left me with a deeper appreciation for nature and a stronger sense of confidence in my abilities. The bonds strengthened during the trip, along with the skills gained, will stay with me as I continue my Duke of Edinburgh journey. This trip wasn't just an adventure in the wilderness; it was an opportunity to push myself

beyond my limits and discover what I'm truly capable of.

As my last year of high school approaches its end, this trip will always hold a special place in my heart. It's bittersweet to think that this could be one of the last big adventures I share with my friends before we all go our separate ways. The memories we created together, especially around that campfire, laughing in our tent will be ones I treasure forever.

MeeCho Shwe

POLYFEST



Māngere Nui

Cook Islands Group

Polyfest 2024 was one of my favourite highlights of the year.

Coming from the motherland to a new environment where the atmosphere is overflowing with a strong sense of friendship, community, and inclusion for both participants and performers, it was an incredible experience. Families, friends, and communities united to create an exciting environment as they support their loved ones. As a first-time performer on the Polyfest stage, I had the opportunity to experience other traditional dances, from Māori and Pacific cultural groups. I took up the opportunity to join Māngere College

on the Cook Islands stage. After many tiring practices, Māngere College was on a mission to keep their winning title of two years, but unfortunately we came second. Nonetheless, we went all out and left our hearts on the stage, proudly showcasing our culture to the people of Tamaki Makaurau. Polyfest gave me the confidence to keep going and to do what makes me happy. My advice for the next generation joining Polyfest for 2025 is to “never forget where you came from; we are all destined for greatness.” So from me to you: “Seek The Heights.”

Taina Toi



Indian Group

The experience I had at Polyfest was truly astonishing.

Participating in Polyfest was an unforgettable opportunity to celebrate and showcase my culture. From the moment I stepped onto the stage, the vibrant atmosphere—filled with music, dance, and laughter—was electrifying. Preparing for that one day alongside my group taught me valuable lessons about teamwork and dedication. During that time, I got to know everyone better, and I can honestly say that Polyfest helped me overcome my social anxiety. It was a turning point that allowed me to connect with others in a meaningful way.

The support from our teachers and families made the experience even more special. I felt a deep sense of pride representing my heritage and connecting with others through our shared traditions. It's a memory I will always cherish, knowing that such moments may never come again. Initially, when I first heard about Polyfest, I was terrified at the thought of competing against other schools. It felt daunting, but in the end, it was absolutely worth it. When we finally got up on stage, the audience was buzzing with excitement. Their energy fueled my enthusiasm, and any nerves I had melted away. Seeing

everyone's joyful reactions after our performance was incredible. Some people even came up to compliment us on how well we performed. Knowing that our hard work was acknowledged made the experience even more rewarding. I want to thank our teachers for giving me the opportunity to represent Māngere College, as well as my supportive and understanding teammates, especially since I'm not the best dancer. Together, we created something special, and I'll always treasure that.

Ansha Chand



Kapahaka Roopu

As a year 9 doing Polyfest it was a big deal for me to perform.

I always wanted to experience performing kapa haka on stage for Polyfest. I was not expecting it to be like this. I loved it and I just want us to keep performing, our culture is beautiful.

Aaleah Rata



Karen Group

Having the opportunity to showcase our culture at Polyfest was really meaningful.

Coming to a country that celebrates its diverse cultural heritage encouraged us to share our culture using dance, costumes, and music. Our Karen Polyfest group concluded that it would be best to perform at Polyfest in the non-competitive category rather than to compete for a prize. We did this in order to showcase our song, dance, and culture to everyone.

Having one of our student choreographers overseas while we were practicing made things difficult, but it was worthwhile. We managed to figure out how to communicate and practice every day after school. We have all learned patience from these memories, along with the value of teamwork and time management. One thing we can all learn is that trying something new and genuinely loving it counts more than being exceptionally good at something.

Shwe Ko



Niuean Group

It was an honour and privilege to be able to organise a Niuean group for Māngere College for Polyfest 2024.

It was a slow start getting our rangatahi signed up and interested but once we had our solid base crew the group came together and we practiced our little hearts out! I'm so proud of all our Niuean and non-Niuean ākonga that made the group possible.

It warmed my heart to be a part of my culture and share that gift with our MC ākonga to showcase onstage at Polyfest 2024! Cheehoihoi!!

Kala Boyes

Results:

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| • Lologo Tapu Tuai | - 2nd |
| • Meke | - 3rd |
| • Fakaotiaga | - 3rd |
| • Tauteuteaga Vaha Tuai | - 3rd |



Samoan Group

Ua malumaunu le fogatia, auā ua atoa ali'i seu ma o latou soaseu. Ua le toe seu tafilia la le na'a, ae ua seu matato'aga auā le fuifui ua totō ifo i maotaga. Ua sausau falele fo'i le manu sa moe afusia, auā e faigatā Samoa o le fue lavelave, a o se i'a mai moana, ma ua ifo tonu fo'i le fuiniu i le lapalapa. Mua la ona goga le alofa ma le agalelei o le Atua aua o le faamoemoe sa fau ao fau po, o lenei ua tini pa'ō, ua tau 'ai o le tapalega, ua i'u ma le manuia le fa'amoemoe.

This year, our Samoan group carried a profound sense of loss with the passing of our beloved Mama

Melegalenu'u To'alepaiali'i Ah Sam. She was not only our Acting Principal on the day she passed but also our Samoan teacher, a mother of immense stature, a fighter for justice, and a fierce defender of Gagana Sāmoa (Samoan language). Her influence extended far beyond Māngere College, reaching across Aotearoa.

Her life embodied the Samoan proverb, Tautua nei mo se manuia taeao (Serve now, for a better tomorrow). She dedicated 31 years of service to education and passed

away shortly after Polyfest. Her legacy will forever inspire us, and her tireless work for Pasifika students will never be forgotten. E le mavae le Alofa!



MALO LE SOIFUA MAUA MA LE LAGI E MAMĀ!

O se faamoemoe ua taunu'u, o le la'au lea o le ola, e iai lenei faamoemoe ina ua faai'uina ma le manuia polokalame uma sa fuafuaina. O itu 'eseese sa tauva iai Kolisi Mauululuga o Aukilani, e pei o tauvaga tautalaga, pese ma siva faaleaganu'u. Na amata tatalaina i le Aso Lulu 20 Mati - Aso To'ona'i 23 o Mati 2024.

Sa tatala aloa'ia i tauvaga tautalaga a le Tausaga 9-11 i le Aso Lulu a'o le Tausaga 12-13 le Aso Tofi. Sa fa'amanuiaina ai Silone Leatio'o mai le Tausaga 11 i le tulaga muamua. O Gene i le tulaga lua i le Tausaga 13. Ma Monica Lemalu, tulaga muamua i le Tauvaga Tautalaga Le Saunia i le Tausaga 13.

Aso Faraile ma le Aso To'ona'i, sa fa'atinoina ai Tauvaga Siva ma Pese. E ui e le'i fa'amanuiaina se tulaga i le tu'ufa'atasiga o togi ae o le agaga o le fa'agae'etia ona sa mafai ona maua tulaga i isi vaega 'ese'ese o Siva ma Pese: Tulaga Tolu i le Ma'ulu'ulu & Tulaga Tolu le Togiga. O le agaga fiafia ma le loto fa'afetai

lea o alo ma fanau sa tauva aua ua taulia le tigaina ma le tautiga i taimi o a'ogamea ma fa'ata'ita'iga i aso uma. Ua pei o se avega e matu atu ina ua mae'a le fa'amoemoe. E le'o na'o tauvaga i le silaisla a alo ma fanau lea aso, ae o le latou fiafiaga ma le mitamitaga, ona o lo'o mafai ona fa'auauina ma fa'aololaina pea fa'afiafiaga fa'asamoa i totonu o Aotearoa.

Putting all our performances together within just eight weeks of practice was no easy journey. Although we didn't place, what truly mattered to our group was the opportunity to learn, embrace our culture, and celebrate our identity through practicing siva and pese fa'asamoa. These practices allowed us to strengthen our connections with one another and share our heritage.

Performing in front of other schools, our people, aiga, and friends was an unforgettable experience. First, I want to express our heartfelt



gratitude to our tutors, who dedicated their time and effort to teaching us dances, songs, and performances. We also deeply thank our teachers for their ongoing support, as well as our wonderful parents who attended our fiafia night and helped in countless ways. Special thanks go to our group - our brothers and sisters - who stepped up to represent the Māngere College Samoan Group 2024. Without each of you, there would be no group. This year, 51 talented and proud young Samoans joined us, embodying patience, perseverance, and resilience. Thank you for not giving up.

Samoan Group 2024 signing out!
Soifua ma ia manuia.

Monica Lemalu

Tongan Group

The Māngere College Tongan Group delivered an outstanding performance at the 2024 Ma'ulu'ulu ASB Polyfest, securing 3rd place on the Tongan stage. A heartfelt fakamalo lahi (thank you) goes out to our dedicated teachers in charge, Viliami and Fisiitotoa Bloomfield, as well as the support of other Tongan teachers: Alfie Lafoou-Lusa, Jules Lafoou, Lavinia Faleola, Frances McIntosh, and 'Alisi Tatafu.

A special fakamalo to Punake Lavina Niuafe, her sons Tapu Niuafe, her siblings, and former Māngere College student Lavoni Hala for their drumming support, as well as the Langitu'a. We also extend our gratitude to the families and students for their dedication and commitment.

A huge malo aupito to the 2024 MC Tongan group leaders, Ane Pouliwa'ati and Sam Kaifa, and all our Year 13 students for their exemplary leadership. The group had an incredible time learning and sharing Tongan cultural dances, and in doing so, strengthened our connections to our Tongan heritage.



SPORTS





	MOST IMPROVED PLAYER	LEADERSHIP AND COMMITMENT	PLAYERS PLAYER	PLAYER OF THE YEAR
Basketball				
Junior Boys	Francis Sammon	Tokani Saumani Afaese	Unu Tearikimana- David	Aisake Blake
Football				
	Soe Reh	Prashnil Pratap	Saurav Deo	Puki Punga
Netball				
Senior A	Elizana Tuakore	Maaria Karika-Nuku	Maaria Karika-Nuku	LaceyLu Tohilima- Franklin
Senior B	Ofa Feiloakitau	Liana Nuku	Rangi'Nevaeh Tapara	Rangi'Nevaeh Tapara
Boys	Teivanui Taero		Beni Tikinau	Jacob Lal
Rugby				
U15	Hamani Fifita	Sam Kuli	Hamani Fifita	Tamati Ngatai Adams
Girls 10 a side	Ake Lemalu	Lesina Elikapo	Jumima Oliva Te'o	Emili Vuki
1st XV	Pepefiti Siatu	Sapati Faaleaoga	Sapati Faaleaoga	Isaia Nikau
Rugby League				
Senior Boys	Isaia Nikau	Junior Henoa	Hamani Fifita	Qwanell Vi
Volleyball				
Senior Girls	Say Na Htoo	Henrietta Paitomaleifi	No Award	Fangaipulotu Tupou
Senior Boys	Rodney Lilomaiaive	Joseph Agafili	Kevin Faasao	Kevin Faasao



REGIONAL & NATIONAL

Senior Sports Girl	LaceyLu Tohilima-Franklin
Senior Sports Boy	Kevin Faasao
Knight Award for outstanding contribution to sport	Nise Lam
Hall Award for Sportsmanship (female)	Charlee Nuku-Puletama
Aldridge Award for Sportsmanship (male)	Khegan Matia
Team of the Year	Under 15 Rugby
Johnson Cup	JT Tulimaiau
Sports Council/ Student Sports Service Award	No Award
Junior Girls Sportsmanship	Ane Kofe
Junior Boys Sportsmanship	Neli Aute
Junior Sports Girl	Rose Vaitoa Ulupago
Junior Sports Boy	Aisake Blake
The Patricia Beazley Memorial Cup Junior Girls All Rounder	Malia Hifo
The Patricia Beazley Memorial Cup Senior Girls All Rounder	Maaria Karika-Nuku



Basketball 2024

JUNIOR BOYS

Unfortunately, we only had one Basketball team that entered this year, our Junior Boys. The team found training very frustrating as our school gym was unavailable due to renovation. The only way to have training was to go to the local Māngere Town Centre at David Lange or train outside on the school basketball court without hoops. We are now thankful to ActiveAs that we have four new basketball hoops on our school courts for the upcoming basketball teams for 2025.

Our Junior Boys finished 9th place in the Counties Manukau Zone, B grade division. They played 12 games, won 6 and lost 6. The boys played with grit and determination by having that mindset to stay committed to all training which showed that they were willing to play.

Qwanell Vi



Netball

BOYS NETBALL

Thank God for the opportunity He has given us to play and represent our school and our community. This year we had 3 teams sent out to play in the Counties Manukau Secondary Schools Competition for 10 weeks at Papakura Netball Center. The Boys team placed 3rd overall in the Boys' grade, Senior B Girls came 3rd overall in the B division I am proud to announce that our Senior A team were runner-up overall in the A division.

All teams poured their heart and souls into training and our games, allowing us to not only see as students playing together but as a team that thrives. To my girls, I would like to take this time to first thank you all for the great experience, I have had the honour to work, train, cry and laugh along with you guys. I also want to thank our coaches Tai and Piper, our strongholds, they are the people who never slacked off and are the

people who believed in us the most. We may not say it but we are forever grateful for your leadership, your kindness and your dedication. To the year 13's, it is very upsetting to know that this will be your last year to be able to represent Māngere College but I think we all can say that it was

our pleasure to be able to have this opportunity to play alongside with yous. Thank you to all our supporters and families for coming and hope that you all be blessed!

Kaya Taufo'ou



SENIOR A



SENIOR B



Rugby

This year we had 3 teams: the Girls' rugby, Boys First XV & Boys Under 15s. The Girls' Rugby team played 8 games this year in the Auckland Secondary School Girls Rugby comp. It was a tough season but they managed to get by. First XV rugby boys competed in the Auckland

Secondary Schools 1B comp and placed 8th in their division. The U15 Boys were placed 6th in their grade.

Our U15 Boys had a rough start, in the beginning as they had no coach, but after a very long time, they were blessed with the most hard-working,

kind-hearted and dedicated man. The team was invited to participate in a Rugby tournament consisting of 10 U15B rugby teams from the greater Auckland Rugby district on September 7th where they placed 2nd over.

During these games, our boys proved everyone's bad thoughts wrong, showing them what kind of students we have here at Māngere College, and showing respect and responsibility. These boys played with determination, strength and amazingness. Showing us what real sportsmanship is.

Special thanks to this year's coaches and managers for making this all a reality, on behalf of all the players. We want to express our gratitude for their leadership, encouragement, and late nights. The players wouldn't be able to play the game they love without you all.

Kaya Taufou'ou & Myra Ropati

1st XV BOYS RUGBY



GIRLS RUGBY



U15 RUGBY



Rugby League

We only had 1 rugby league team this year which was the Senior boys where they finished 5th place in the Auckland Secondary Schools Rugby League zone in the Senior A grade division. They won 1 game and lost 5 games. Our team's hard work, determination, and passion truly shone on the field. Their resilience has made us all proud, and their sportsmanship sets a remarkable example for others.

We had alumni come back to coach and manage our boys so it was great for the team to be under the guidance of familiar faces. The team was also gifted new uniforms sponsored by 'One, Two UPPER CUTS' and 'Dreams to Reality' for the year. Thank you for your support. You have helped our players grow not just as athletes but as individuals. Your dedication to their development has been evident, and it has made a significant difference. We are grateful for the countless hours you've invested to ensure the team's success.

Sarah Mustafa



Volleyball

This year MC had a Senior A and Senior B Girls Volleyball team and 1 Boys Volleyball team.

For the South East Senior Boys competition, The Senior Boys A team won 5 and lost 3 games and placed 3rd overall. For the Southern Zone, the Boys B team won 7 and lost 1 game placing 3rd overall. For the Auckland Secondary School Volleyball competition, the Boys team placed 15th out of 60 teams.

The Premier Girls competition games are typically hosted by schools in their gyms, however, due to the renovation of our school gym, all games were played away. For the South East Senior Girls competition, our Girls A team won 3 and lost 5

games placing 6th in the. Girls A team won 3 and lost 5 games placing 7th. Girls B team played 8 games won 7 & lost 1 game placing 2nd. For the Auckland Secondary School Volleyball competition at Bruce Pulman Stadium, the Papakura Girls team placed 12th overall from 57 teams

Our Prem team participated in the New Zealand Secondary Schools Volleyball Championship at Arena Manawatu, in Palmerston North in Division 3 and placed 22nd. Thank you, Mr Samu, Ms Palelei and all those who helped us throughout the year. Your dedication and support allow us all to play the game we love.

Alpha La'ai



Football

MC had 1 Boys' team consisting of Junior and Senior students who played in the Counties Manukau Secondary Senior Boys B grade competition. The Boys played 12 matches altogether against a few of our local schools. All games were played on Wednesday afternoons from May until mid-August. Even though they didn't see many wins, the team still played with passion, energy, spirit, and patience. It displayed our school's values of respect and responsibility as well as good sportsmanship.

Helping to establish the team for 2024, since 2018 was the last time we had a team in the competition. We express our gratitude to our coaches and team management for their guidance, encouragement, late nights and re-introduction of football to our school.

Sumaiya Mohamed Faiz



Badminton

MC introduced a new sport to the school this year, Badminton. Run and facilitated by Ms Tai Uamaki, she targeted students who are typically inactive and do not represent our school in Sports. The group were made up of many of our introverted students which got them out of their comfort zone. This served as an opportunity for them to get

physically active and meet new peers. Training was held every Friday after school where Tai would teach the fundamentals of the sport. She welcomed staff to join also so it was a great way to end the week.

Although it was only training and no actual games, the sport was

a great success in engaging the students. Next year Tai looks to enter the players into a competition building on their momentum. For several of these students, it will be their first experience playing competitive sport so we look forward to them actioning all that they have learnt and building their confidence!





SCHOOL LEAVERS 2024





Year 13 Leavers Dinner

The Māngere College Year 13 Leavers Dinner was a memorable occasion, initiated and driven by the Year 13 Student Leaders. Their vision was to celebrate the end of their high school journey with a special dinner at a local restaurant, marking the completion of an important chapter.

The event was made possible with the support of several dedicated

individuals. A big thank you to Mrs Beazley for her assistance in organising the Year 13 Leavers Certificates, which were presented to acknowledge the hard work and dedication of the students during their time at Māngere College. We also thank Mrs Wong and Mrs Lin for their invaluable administrative support, ensuring everything ran smoothly. Caitlin, creative guru, for our Year 13 Flyer.

Special thanks go to Avi from Valentines Manukau for providing a welcoming venue and delicious meal, creating a warm and celebratory atmosphere for the Year 13 students to enjoy with their friends and teachers. It was truly a night to remember for everyone from the Year 13 Form classes, their form teachers and Co Deans.



School Leavers

CLASS OF 2024



JOSEPH AGAFILI
Seek the heights,
Don't seek the
Low.



MARY AINI
"Commit
everything you do
to the Lord. Trust
Him, and he will
help you" #fg



AISHAH AKBAR
Look at her she's
the only one you
see - Hello Kitty



TALITA AKE
Life ain't easy,
but every day, it's
a blessing - Rod
Wave



**JOSEPH
MATTHEW
APAAPA,**
MC is the best



**VAIPOULI
APINERU**
Limo went
through a lot this
year :(#RAVC\$



SIALE ASI,
Look at her she's
the only one you
see - Hello Kitty.



TALA ASIATA
"oh sir, i'll come
back..."



NHAN BACH
Life ain't easy,
but every day, it's
a blessing - Rod
Wave



**MAHNAZ
BARBARI**
Limo went
through a lot this
year :(#RAVC\$



**ADRYANA
BOWER**
I survived I guess
Imao



MIKE CHALLANS
My name is TALA,
I was born in
Samoa



THOR DEY
if you see mike
challans at kroad,
chcuk a dollar at
him



KERENA EMERY
im gonna miss
my bf manawa



MARCUS ESTALL
When I came to
this school mc
baddests came
back



**APIKAILA
FAATUAU**
Live love idlewild
takeaway #pg



**CHRISTOPHER
FAAFIAULA**
Top of the morn-
in.



**SAPATI
FAALEAOGA**
I aint run it #pg



**BENJAMAYN
FAUMUINA**
20 - 14 AUS (VS)
TGN



**MEKARENNA
FIDOW**
Finished my
13yr sentence.
#RAVC\$



SERINA FONOTI
Same lotu



LILY FUNAKI
3 Words, 8 Letters



MAIAH HEMARA
" Be the change
that you wish to
see in the world "
🌍🌱



FAAUILA HENRY
I crashed the
bros car at Moyle
Park but that's
alright.



AJ IOANE
Assalamualaikum



SAM KAIFA
I just woke up
cbb doing this
stuff



EZEKIEL
KARIKA-NUKU
Tbh ill ta'i all of
yous



MAARIA
KARIKA-NUKU
John 3:16 ❤️



SHWE KO
Matthew 21:22



MOSESE KULI
Seek the heights



ANNA LA'AI
"They said don't
give up on your
dreams so I went
back to sleep."
😂 #signing out



JACOB LAL
Dryy anna



PERENISE LAM
Alo i ou faiva
maytee #pg



QUADE LAM
I've driven half
of y'all around,
but some of you
missed the exit.



WIRIANA LAULU
Miss stop chang-
ing everyones
quote



CHRISTINE
LEATIOO
"I can do all
things through
Christ who
strengthens me"
#fg signing out ✅



MONICA
LEMALU
"When one door
closes, another
one opens" #fg
signing out



MALAKAI
LEMEKI
#kilifa



LIPA JUNIOR
MASELINO
Te tepu Powhiri
a nga Akonga
- Mangukaha
Porirua



KHEGAN MATIA
I love MC.



TE ARAWA
MCIVOR
How can we not
talk about family
when family's all
that we got : Wiz
Khalifa



PASI MOIMOI
Seek the Heights



TUKURA
MUNOKOA
Wait so whats
happening?



CHARLIE
NGUYEN
I didn't need
school, school
needed me



MAIRI NIKAU
You never get a
second chance
to make a first
impression.



NOA OPUU
387



BEN PAHULU
Big Ben



CHANTEL
PAIRAMA
Signing out, but
my magick and
fire desire more
studying and
stress.



FALEILA PANIANI
Believe in your-
self mate :)



**FREDERICK
PAPALII**
Bury me in my
Leathers 1958.



**KAITLYN
PARAONE**
No Risk, No Re-
ward. #HH



**OSAIASI
PASIKALA**
So You See. Do
Not Think, Be-
come.



**ASOTOLU
PELESASA**
Embrace the chal-
lenge, for they are
stepping stone to your
success



**MERCEDEZ
PETERSEN-
TOFILAU**
'Living Young and Wild,
and Free' - Snoop Dogg &
Bruno Mars



**LOSALINE
PIUTAU**
Masiva kae ifo pe



**ANE
PO'ULIVA'ATI**
Born to be an
Excellence,
forced to be a
Not Achieved
#RAVC\$
F.A.N.D.O



**CARLIN
ROBERTSON**
F.A.N.D.O



PESE RUBENA
Seek the Heights



**SAMNAZARETH
SALEFAO**
MC on top



TULEI SALU
#SAYNO2LA-
GOS - COOKIE
DOUGH



HAROLD SAUNI
Tbh without kiri
we would've got
kicked out



TAUVELA SAUNI
Tbh i'll outbench
everyone in this
sch



MEE CHO SHWE
0/1 This was
nothing like
Royale High
but anyways :)
Romans 8:18



LEVI SIMOO
Seek the heights
.



**KAMALIYA SIRA-
ZUL ISLAM**
Subscribe to Mr
Beast



RAHZEL SOLOMON
-SLADE-CARR
James Cook's
baddest period



**SHAOLIN
STAFFORD**
Keep me
different Lord



TEIVANUI TAERO
I'm bobby lees
brother



JOSON TAIME
"idle"



**MAAFU
TAUFOO**
An apple a
day keeps the
principal away
#pg



CLARE TAUIA
Come to my
restaurant in 15
years time. Use
code "lime" for a
free meal :D



BENJAMIN TEMU
Bwoah - Kimi
Raikonen



TAINA TOI
Should've went to
ohs :(



**RAMONA
TOMULI
PRITCHARD**
I've lived my life
the best I could not
knowing what the
future may hold,
not knowing what
the future holds
seems exciting.



**ELIZANA
TUAKORE**
It will be worth it
in the end.



**MARIANNE
TULIMAIAU**
Ho visto l'angelo
nel marmo.



**FANGAIPULOTU
TUPOU**
Come to my
restaurant in 15
years time. Use
code "lime" for a
free meal :D



MANATU TUPOU
literally don't
know.



SIAIOSI TUSANI
So you see.. A
glowstick has to
break, before it
shines - Luffy-
FromTheHidden-
LeafVillage



MIKI FONUA
Hey guys



JIMMY LEELO
Hi guys



GEORGE MALO
Wassup

Year 13 Students



Form Group Photos



10MGS

Back Row: Ellis Liakimatagi, Heneli Fehoko, Krysterlina Tariau, Maxine Rees, Tia Mataia, Marquerite Siumu, Jayden Pou

2nd Row: Ezaliah Tongotongo, Logan Vailea, Karis Faatuau, Unu Tearikimana-David, Dj Tuakore, Akosita Tuihalangie, Soumaya Gasmi (Teacher)

Front Row: Ake Lemalu, Samantha Kalu, Rubina Piutau, Cityzen Salt, Ava Magalogo, Emili Vuki, Estina Atienza

Absent: Ayyah Blackmoore-Muller, Hannah Faau-Siakumi, Margaret Malungahu, Eric Petelo, Matthew Siloi, Tolovae Soosemea, Alex Taumihau



10MZA

Back Row: Renell Taisau, Riak John

3rd Row: Vaolilo Otto, Eseta Taoai, Baby Numanga, Pano Rahui, Tokani Saumani Afaese, Bianka Tonga, Reesha Sharma

2nd Row: Avery Tuiloma, Usaia Teaurere, Suega Tulimaiau, Phillip Matagi, Phoenix Tongotongo, Mubarak Abdulmanan Ahmed, Nifa Lulu, Mohammed Zaim (Teacher)

Front Row: Carolynna Smith, Melanie Aholelei, Teresa Leolaga, Adeela Ali, Salousis Greig, Tyra Paulo, Tekoyoveve Rivaia

Absent: Shaos Edwards, Carolyn Malo



10RBF

Back Row: Paice Ah see, Katarina Ave, Sione Pasikala, Mina Apelu, Sam Kuli, Mele Auva'a-Akuino, Phi Al-Shareef De Lasan

2nd Row: Michael Timo, Simon Seulu, Sefo Valiana, Richard Samuels, Emmanuel Paitomaleifi, Judah Walker, Christopher Gilbert, Viliami Bloomfield (Teacher), Shya Goodwin Tupou

Front Row: Selby Edwards, Thein Ko, Hemowai Popata, Sofaia Alipate, Anushka Charan, Rose Vaitoa Ulupago, Taleh Pasifatama

Absent: Mina Fred, Faith Leef, Jaz Tango



TORVA

Back Row: Aglonysha Lene, David Misipele, S.j Kiel, Lupeolo Kaufusi, Aylynn Samuelu

2nd Row: Sione Pakalani, Manutai Faasao, Junior Pelesasa, Ariel Ili, Eteuati Matini Silao, Mareko Sila Vai, Peter Fukofuka, Tamausu Vaotu'ua (Teacher)

Front Row: Poe Meh, Bae Meh, Meaalofa Misipele, Finau Paletua, Michael Chourb, Petra Opeta Malama, Emma Xie

Absent: Mohammed Asif, Tekiera Fortes, Thein Ko, Baby Numanga, Travis Russell, Atilus Taimatau, Mark Teleiai, Manaia Thompson



10THE

Back Row: Ulualo Latu, Pharell Vi, Folototo Eteuati, Tupou Uhi, Tai Alefaio, Ioane Pauga, Channel Ah Lam

2nd Row: Castro Kulimoeanga, Duane Naduva, Taulelei Faatupu, Lima Ofisa, Aisake Blake, Eljay Pisone, Tj Felise, Alexander Upokokey-Henry (Teacher), Michael Stock

Front Row: Malia Hifo, Beni Tikinau, Elenor Matakaiongo, Anamaria Davida, Tieni Tereda, Ane Kofe, Crystalene Ramirez

Absent: Summer-Lee Arii Tupou, Sione Finau, Maria Fuimaono, Jayvaniah Maiava, Unique Ngatai, Jared Tapuosi



10WMI

Back Row: Liana Nuku, Applyn Nati, Leon Fale Leota, Kalysto Niukore, Leko Gasio Vaifale, Teura Ratumu, Fendi Tukariri

2nd Row: Harlem Broadway, Mark Pahi Ruaporo, Devontaye Lilo, Dayton Cox, Antonio Pasi, Cairo Karika, Iosefa Iosua, Frances McIntosh (Teacher)

Front Row: Paityn Smith, Janette Tiria, Nika Lefale, Marrylysha Leau-Schwenke, Temukisa Satala, Ofa Feiloakitau, Priyanshu Pratap

Absent: Mare Nusipepa, Smylee Tapaitau



TOWRH

Back Row: Sarah Mustafa, Fotofili Isitolo, Josiah Tere Tetu, John Siupolu, Iupita Sofara, David Leaula

2nd Row: Vinolia Ve'ehala, Sol Heather, Jake Iakopo Pename, Wade Puleagapule, Talite Tuihaangana, Toofan Khan Rahim (Teacher)

Front Row: Elina Ta'ufo'ou, Jaydeen Vaomotou, River Pairama, Grace Marama, Summer Ormsby, Kelly Baker

Absent: Euta Faatoese, Rehu Falwasser, Mohammed Faraaz, Wesley Misipati, Alize Tana



TIMME

Back Row: Toeupumoni Lemoa, Kovi Napa'a, Kerely Laeli, Choyita Savea, Dhalia Petersen, Seu Laulu, Ma'afu Pasikala

2nd Row: Kaiyin Mataio, Samuel Otai, Connie Ioka-Akaruru, Isaia Nikau, Malakai Taufou, Sione Kuli, Utah Robertson, Leah Mettam (Teacher)

Front Row: Rina Vaitoa, Sumaiya Mohamed Faiz, Silone Leatioo, Shaziyaan Shafeez, Ansha Chand, Luisa Antonio, Rosana Paepae

Absent: Virginia Kapoa, Iroam Kopa-Taylor, Sione Mafi, Petelo Malo, Giovanni Ripata



TIMMR

Back Row: Alisha Aysha, Trisha Naidu
3rd Row: Louisa Autagavaia, Jazmyne Taoai, Ryan Blackmoore-Muller, Rachel Lafo, Saraiah Sale, Nasi Hifo, Memory Henry

2nd Row: Erick Peaufa, Julius Carlo, Jacob Savele, Julius Leota, Ras Numanga, Cassius Sao-Mafiti, Marcus Fuapau, Tane Moore (Teacher)

Front Row: Waiora Marsters, Teina Walter, Victoria Luatua, Luana-May Viniki, Aliya Ali, Tilomai Kosi, Charlotte Ake

Absent: Dziah Rang, Pelisa Soafa, Ou Ve, Ane Veehala, Mihya Wynyard



11RSI

Back Row: Tee Popata, Ankush Prasad

3rd Row: Jayralee Tonga, Nina Sua Sagapolutele, Saurav Deo, Joe Tonga, Prashnil Pratap, Cristopher Lansangan, Promise Siamomua

2nd Row: Brenna Groves (Teacher), Elia Mamoe, Carlito Fetokai-Hadfield, Ehsan Ahmadi, Sione Uhi, J-j Sione, Sione Alofaki, Nalini Singh (Teacher), Tamara Ah San

Front Row: Mele Koloi, Cleopatra Manu, Sariah Talia'uli, Charlene Ramirez, Lily Kwan-Wing, 'Iunisi Piutau, Ailine Fehoko

Absent: Fouvale Fogavini, Melelupe Fua, Saia Masi, Dallas Tuakore, Sasae Valoaga Lualua, Naim Yunos



11TAU

Back Row: Samir Ahmadi, Ali Reza Bashardost

3rd Row: Alanica Leitu, Hamani Fifita, Antonio Taufahema, Sene Ah Lam, Rodney Lilomaiaava, Mohammad Zia Bashardost, Tewai Pairama

2nd Row: Jezaiah Boese, Ki-Ge' Terekia, Tyrell Tenari, Simi Maki, David Lagaia, Sam Seiuli-Toa, Morris Gasu, Brian Aubrey (Teacher), Vynzwellah Laban

Front Row: Katerina Tupuai, Jaedyn Thompson, Feterika Sanele Maiava, Say Na Htoo, Heimata Shah, Salafai Paulo, Neioapo Tuula

Absent: Mohammed Farhan, Cj Farrell, Dré Leef, Silopa Pio, Zularius Raea, Margaret Tongotongo



11TYU

Back Row: Matthew Phanith, Martina Eraio, Maselusi Fakapa, Henrietta Paitomaleifi, Soe Reh

2nd Row: Brayson Pou, Grant Satala, Ejay Naduva, James Tamalua - Sione, Lawrence Tuileva, Angelo Ah-Fook-Vaafusuaga, Papa Teaurere, Xuan Yu (Teacher)

Front Row: Dallas Tofilau, Nyhia Metuangaro, Lavendah Tavake, Zeldajeon Faatupu, Larissa Siosifa, Josie Paul, Kaya Taufoou

Absent: Debrah Fonoti, Faith Kiel, Anareta Malo, Nezian Meleisea, Sam Sanerivi, Heta Scott, Toi Scott, Sharnee anne Walker



11WRE

Back Row: Lennox Tangatakino, Sam Lauhingo, Elijah Malama

2nd Row: Bronson Rahui, Lotu Takeifanga, Mark Lologa, Charlie Gasologa Solomona, Kero Rahui, Parwati Reddy (Teacher)

Front Row: Farizah Aziz, Safa Mustafa, Taylor Kepa, Salina Kalonihea, Louisa Tetu

Absent: Tieni Elkington, Jacob Faitala, Lavinia Fehoko, Mosese Francis Eteuati, Duante Hapimana, Romeo Koni-Rakena, Sarah La'ai, Lilyen Leiataua, Zdeno Martin, Laithym Rihari, Mummyneke Tekena, Z'ghanalee Telea, Milika Vuki, Rital Yousef



12MGE

Back Row: Isaac Tuilaepa, Oki Tangiaere, Christian Sanft, Matilda Schmidt, Liu Tupou

2nd Row: Sai Sauni, Tautalafua Matagi, Qwanell Vi, Jj Tawhi Pai, Kitione Palu, Cullen Tekeu, Johnathon Gee (Teacher)

Front Row: Helen Andrew, Stephne Maea, Fuatino Ieriko Sepu, Rania Tekena, Jumima Oliva Te'o, Dorothy Lologa, Anamanu Nimo

Absent: Sione Havea, Ayaan Kumar, Colleen P



12RFI

Back Row: Moubarack Abdallah, Niko Feiloakitau, Ian Urika Filifilia, Devontae Fonokalafi, Alazay Mountney

2nd Row: Pj Campbell (Support Staff), Damian Nabong, Zechariah Pio, Junior Henoa, George Ioramo, Peter Togafau, Hossein Shah Mohamady, Huni Fifita (Teacher)

Front Row: Temara Metuangaro, Mele Fehoko, Lucia Aneterea, Maylene Fuimaono, Saratomouaina Leutele, Madison Morunga, Hirihna Carlo

Absent: Siaki Finau, 'Elenisi Fua, Sancia Hill, Pepefiti Siatu, Trung Thanh, Losa Tonga



12RIM

Back Row: Tatyana Hemara, Revelation Manumalealii, Cruz Ng Chok, Benaiah Robson, Thomas Ngarouru Rogers, Eikura Ngatuakana, Nevaeh Fotunga

2nd Row: Muna Salaikeni, Myra Ropati, Jeremiah Hafoka, Lucas Toelupe, Joziah Siosifa, Monrovia Tuimauga, Saia Vakaloa, Raselin Imraan (Teacher)

Front Row: Ofa Maukoloa, Tayla Siaosi Ah Wong, Roselie Urika Filifilia, Tehaina Popata -Strickland, Le-Sinatapuitema Elikapo, Asil Cowley, Fozmin Fazeel



12TSA

Back Row: Dorianna Muliava, Uaniva Teisi, 'Uluaki Maka, Puki Punga, Yolanda Tamo'ua, Ayush Charan

2nd Row: Sateki Tuitupou, Lafu Williams, Rang'i Nevaeh Tapara, Omega La'ai, Kobe Koloni, Norton Dey

Front Row: Pesa Mauafu, Indy Huakau, Shruti Nivasan, Salote Piutau, Sharna Kipa, Seni Aholelei
Absent: Henrietta Ahomana, Tapu Iosefo, Sancia Lagaloga, Charlee Nuku-Puletama, Ethan Taia, Toni Tupou, Carlos Vaoleti



12WKU

Back Row: Crystalbell Afitu, Ulatina Falemoe

3rd Row: Mercy Siamomua, Amanda Perenise, Meleana Rihari, Faleaka Davobalavu, Tilia Pineki

2nd Row: Bailey Petersen-Tofilau, Jt Tulimaiau, Malachi Henry, Alpha La'ai, Isi Kaliopasi, Jonathan Hardy (Teacher)

Front Row: Ameera Ali, Sae Meh, Posia Tutai-Amiri, Manuia Fox-Romia, Riyansha Chand

Absent: Jack Apolo Iusitini, Emmaus Biddle, Myra Din, Sieni Iose Amosa, Cullen Munokoa, Lani Rudolph, Avryl Anne San Juan, Tepou Taura



12WNA

Back Row: Mohammed Huzayl, Fuard Mohamed Faiz, James Apineru, Simote Hafoka, Steven Kaufusi, Aryan Lakhan, Aryan Chandra

2nd Row: Narrow Palu, Conn-danny Lam, Nale Ulunga, Steven Niutao, Titus Fuapau, Ashmit Singh, Subrail Naidu (Teacher)

Front Row: Suzanne Vaavaai, Tiresa Kwan Wing, Mikayla Sale, Ree Meh, Ku Meh, Sarah-Rose Vaomotou, Tessa Bureta

Absent: Sami Ahmadi, Amir Hussain Hussaini, Albert Kimiora, Tiana-Lee Tairea, Kira Walker



13MBM

Back Row: Losaline Piutau, Taina Toi, Jessie Robson, Ezekiel Karika-Nuku, Elizana Tuakore

2nd Row: Khegan Matia, Harold Sauni, Noa Opuu, Thor Dey, Sonny Ofisa, Mike Challans, Tauvela Sauni, Fisiitotoa Bloomfield (Teacher)

Front Row: Dejah Faleni Maiava, Abby Paulo, Mee Cho Shwe, Kerena Emery, Nise Lam, Ato Mamea, Simaima Nau

Absent: Joseph Apaapa, Petilisa Mafi, Pasi Moimoi, Mahli Orika, Detu Lau



13MMO

Back Row: Atalua Paulo, Kurarua Mateo, Sisilia Ika, Key Reh, Faleila Paniani

2nd Row: Benjamin Temu, Oscar Siaki, Christopher Faafiaula, Sam Kaifa, Siaosi Tusani, Kristal Montrose-Arnold (Teacher)

Front Row: Fangaipulotu Tupou, Jade Peniuesi, Tulei Salu, Tukura Munokoa, Maria Vakaloa

Absent: Aishah Akbar, Leta Aleni, Nhan Bach, Penina Brown, Benjamayn Faumuina, Lipa Junior Maselino, Grace Tanginoa



13RCS

Back Row: Manatu Tupou, Serina Fonoti, Aj Ioane, LaceyLu Tohilima-Franklin, Sarahna Prasad

2nd Row: Tauvela Sauni, Mosese Kuli, Osai Pasikala, Wiriana Laulu, Maiah Hemara, Mike Christo (Teacher)

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13TFR

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Absent: Okhashah Akbar Shah, Tj Lafo, Sione Manu



9TWG

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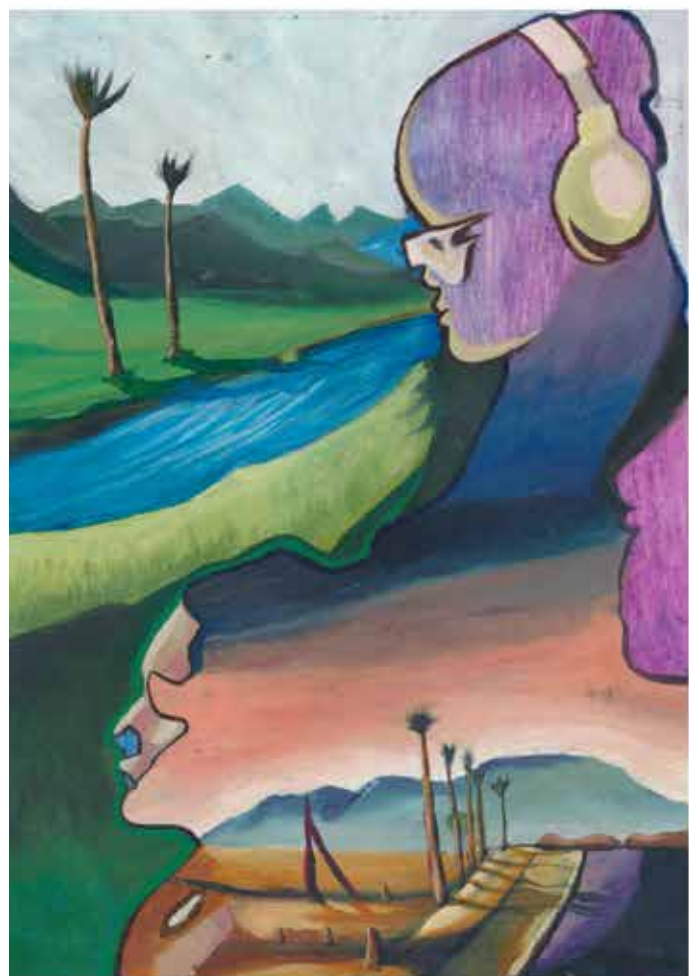
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