

## Girls Netball Day Out

The Year 7 & Year 8 Netball girls had a fantastic day out at the South West Zone Netball Tournament out at the Mangere Otahuhu Netball Centre. The Year 7 girls played 4 games and came away with one win against Robertson Road. While our Year 8 team played 6 games and came away with two wins against Al Madinah & Southern Cross Campus.

Standout players from the Year 7 team were **Kiri Thomson, Ana Paea & Langaola Penisoni** in the midcourt with awesome intercepts! Our Most Valuable Players from the Year 8 squad were **Neomai Vea & Fusi Tongotongo** with awesome defence shutting down the shooting circle as well as **Otolose Fangufangu** dominating the mid-court and **Fifita Havea** with awesome shooting & rebounding.

Well done to our ladies and also a big thank you to the families that came through to support!

Miss Silipa & Miss Trainer  
Year 7 & Year 8 Coaches



### CALENDAR: TERM 3

#### Monday 15 August

Year 8 College Transition  
Talks - 9am  
Otahuhu College  
Pacific Advanced Secondary

Sports Camp Afterschool  
Training 3pm – 4.30pm

#### Tuesday 16 August

South West Boys Netball  
(MONA COURTS)

OIS Annual Emergency  
Lockdown Practice

#### Wednesday 17 August

Affirming Works Program  
Police Mentoring Program  
Revolution Tour—Assembly/  
Presentation  
Wahine Toa Group

Sports Camp Afterschool  
Training 3pm - 4.30pm

#### Thursday 18 August

The Brick It - RIMU  
Board of Trust Meeting  
5.30pm — 7.30pm

#### Friday 19 August

Kowhai Syndicate Trip  
(Auckland Zoo)

#### Monday 22 August

Sports Camp Afterschool  
Training 3pm - 4.30pm

#### Wednesday 24 August

Affirming Works Program  
Police Mentoring Program  
Wahine Toa Group

Sports Camp Afterschool  
Training 3pm - 4.30pm

### TEACHERS ONLY DAY

**Friday 26 August**

NO SCHOOL



## **COLLEGE ENROLMENTS: YEAR 8 STUDENTS**

**(Enrolment forms for Otahuhu College and PASS for year 8 students are available in our school (OIS) office)**

### **OTAHUHU COLLEGE:**

Otahuhu College welcomes all enrolment applications from throughout Auckland. All enrolments can now be done online or a printed copy of the enrolment application.

Once completed and submitted a meeting will be set up for the student and parent/s to meet with the Deputy Principal of the Senior or Junior school.

At the meeting you will need to bring with you the following information:

- Proof of ID – NZ born a birth certificate or passport – Overseas born we will need to sight the passport and immigration approval e.g. residency permit or student visa or MOE approval.
  - Proof of address
  - Immunisation Certificate
  - A most recent school report .

Should you require further information please call or e-mail our enrolment officer on 9634000 or [enquiries@otahuhucollege.school.nz](mailto:enquiries@otahuhucollege.school.nz)

### **PASS: Pacific Advance Secondary School**

To enroll: Contact the school on 09-276 0375 **OR**  
*TEXT— your contact details to 0800 PASS.*

## **SPORTS CORNER:**

### **South West Boys Netball Tournament**

(Tuesday 16th August, MONA Courts)

### **REMINDERS:**

Full PE gear, Netball or sports running shoes, packed lunch & plenty of water, School jumper or warriors jacket OR plain black or navy jacket.

Cut nails, permission slip.

NEED to be at school by 8.15am to leave @ 8.30am...

### **Rugby League Training**

**- Remember boots and mouthguard.**

Please remember a spare change of clothes to train in, you can not train in your school uniform or PE gear



StepsWeb is a programme we are using at school this year. This is a specialist literacy programme which teaches reading, spelling, vocabulary and comprehension. StepsWeb can be accessed at [www.stepsweb.com](http://www.stepsweb.com)

Thanks to all the students and families that visited us in the hall last week to find out more about STEPS WEB.

Every student at school has a login they can use at school and at home and at Otahuhu Library.

Room 2 won the competition we ran. 18 students brought their families to find out more about STEPS WEB literacy online learning. Their prize was pizza. Please come and talk to us if you want to know more about STEPSWEB.

It can be a good homework activity.



# RIMU SYNDICATE TRIP

## Cinderella Ballet

Yesterday, Ropu RIMU had the privilege of attending the *Royal New Zealand Ballet's* performance of **Cinderella** in the famous '*Dame Kiri Te Kanawa*' theatre hall on Aotea Square in the city. We watched Act 1 of the performance. RNZ Ballet supplied 3 busses to transport us. We were one of many schools who attended the ballet.

This ballet version was a slightly different storyline to the traditional fairytale, but it still had the same elements of young ones falling in love. Cinderella fell in love with the messenger of the Royal ball. The sparkling fairy-god mother performed her magic, and the two disrespectful sisters and the step-mother were there too and gave a wonderful performance of 'nasty family'. Students enjoyed watching the swordfight between the Prince and Charming. It was delightful to see the many mice 'become' footmen. The costumes were exquisite, and the ball gowns reigned down from the ceiling. The changes to the settings in different scenes were almost magical itself and students applauded loudly throughout. One of the most outstanding things for students was watching the ballet dancers spin around on their toes in ballet shoes and spin in the air. The dancers must be stronger than the All-Blacks rugby players!

A huge thanks to the parents who assisted us with our students, who enjoyed themselves and were a wonderful audience! Hopefully we have some future ballet enthusiasts in our school.

