

International Student Newsletter

Term 2 2018



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Warm mid winter greetings to you all. Term 2 has continued to be an eventful one for our students. Opportunities abound for them both inside and outside of the classroom. Some of the highlights have been the wonderful school production of *Catch Me If You Can*, Year 12 and 13 Ball held at the national museum of Te Papa, participation in a wide range of sports, drama productions and music performances.

To keep up to date with academic results, engagement and attendance, please visit our Portal. I encourage you to engage in conversation with your student about their achievements and involvement in the school.

Homestay Counsellor, Ms Robyn, Recipient of New Zealand Award

At the recent SIEBA (Schools International Education Business Association of NZ Inc) *hui*, Ms Robyn was awarded a Leadership Award for Outstanding Contribution to the School Sector. This award recognizes her 19 year long outstanding contribution and service as a homestay professional to Newlands College. Congratulations and this award is so well deserved.



Catch Me If You Can

This is one of the best experiences of my time here at school. I connected with a wide range of students and made a lot of new friends. I would love to have this experience again!!
Ada Zhang, China

The production has been an amazing journey for me on a personal level. I never thought that I would have the confidence to perform to over 1,400 people!!! I am so glad that I took this precious opportunity and would encourage you all to do the same!
Helen Kuang, China

I highly valued my experience this year and I definitely want to audition and get a role for next year!
Waolee Tanaka, Japan

Business Challenge

This was a great learning opportunity of business, putting theory into practice.
Vicheka Chhon, Cambodia

I was excited about this opportunity, working in groups allowed me to make new friends.
Leo Jiang, China

Football

I am really enjoying my opportunity to play with fellow students. The practices and games have been a lot of fun. Up until now we have won a few and lost only one game. The team is proud of this result.
Cilly Plassmann, Germany

Senior Ball

Wow! Everybody was so well dressed and they looked amazing! I had so much fun with all my friends. I can't wait until next year!!
Mira Wenda, Papuan Indonesia

We had a large group of International Students attend the the Ball held at Te Papa; it was most enjoyable, the food was delicious, music upbeat and everybody had fun!
Oliver Chen, China

