



King's Week

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Building Men for Life

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FOCUS ON ART

Featured in the foyer this week are two pieces of reduction woodcuts from Mr Waters' Year 10 Art class. Liam Hewson (left) and Drew Kinney.



And, in the library, Ms Schauman is pictured with the "Graphic Novel" sign that Mr Waters spent hours working on. This is an amazing piece of work with a lot of intricate detail – the photo does not do it justice – make sure you head along to the library and take a look.



SCIENCE IN SYDNEY AN EYE-OPENER

From June 28th to July 11th, thanks to the Royal Society of New Zealand, I attended the Professor Harry Messel International Science School. This was two weeks of inspiring lectures and activities at the University of Sydney, with about 130 other students from around the world.

It was an absolute adventure into the various amazing and exciting fields of science, with all aspects of the programme inspiring me to live my life as a scientist.

I will never forget this experience!
Sam van der Weerden (back right).



HIGHLANDERS TROPHY VISITS SCHOOL

Many boys took the opportunity to hold the Super 15 Trophy when it visited school on Tuesday including Year 9 students Ryan Jones (left) and Tumai Cassidy.



GEOGRAPHY FIELD TRIP TO QUEENSTOWN

Year 13 Geography went on a field trip to Queenstown to study (and experience) 'Tourism Development' in the area earlier this week.



ECONOMICS

Year 10 Economics have just completed a financial literacy unit on budgeting.

To practice personal record keeping and dealing with unexpected expenses we have been playing Tactix, a game produced by the Young Enterprise Trust.



JUNIOR PARENT/TEACHER INTERVIEWS

You are now able to book for the Junior Parent/Teacher interviews being held on Thursday 6th August using the online booking system through www.schoolinterviews.co.nz and enter Event Code: 6MV8W, but, before you start please have your son's teacher's names with you.

If you are unable to select a staff member it means they are unavailable on the night.

It is possible to organise an e-mail or phone conversation instead. Please contact the office on 455-7547 or you can access their e-mail address via our web site, www.kingshigh.school.nz, "Contact Us", "E-mail Staff".

KING'S SUCCESS IN OCT-A-CAN

King's won the Oct-a-Can Competition and were presented with a voucher from The Edge radio station.

Below, Edge interns Toby Black (left) and James Beard receive the voucher.



SPORTING SUCCESSES

Congratulations to the King's boys that got selected for the 13th/14th grade Otago Rep football teams for 2015

13th Grade

Genta Kojima, Kaleb de Groot-Green, Rueben Peyroux, William Sharpf, Oliver Lobb, Ryan Gardiner.

14th Grade

Matt Hanrahan, Jed Collings, Jordan Hand, Matt Lloyd, Ethan van Staden, Sam O'Kane, Chi Campbell, Hala Moata'ane, Tomos Jones, Dermott Tierney, Tate Barron, Josh Toomin, Aaron Allan.

CONGRATULATIONS TO...

Taylor Haugh who has been included in the initial NZ Secondary Schools Rugby Squad that the NZSS Team will be selected from.

Ollie McCombie who has been chosen to attend a NZ U17 training Squad trial for Basketball in Christchurch this weekend, we wish him well.

Kees Duyvesteyn who finished 4th in the South Island Secondary Schools U20 Road Race in Christchurch during the Holidays.

Chi Campbell and Jack Kelly who represented Otago U16 Futsal at NZ Federation Tournament in Wellington and finished 3rd.

Finally, below is a photo of two International boys Nico Mueller (left) and Tom Huefner who both played their first ever game of rugby for the Third XV last Saturday against OBHS U16 White. Nico Mueller (who featured in last week's King's Week for winning a South Island Wrestling title after 2 weeks in NZ, scored two tries in his first ever game of Rugby!

