
KIA ORA KI TE PAI O TE KĀRETI O ONSLOW

POSITIVES AT ONSLOW

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Our vision is for every ākonga (student) to come as they are to Onslow College, to grow as a whole person (academically, socially, artistically, culturally, sports wise) and to thrive in their future. This fortnightly newsletter celebrates the many kinds of successes across our school. It also highlights how our values - whānau, whakapapa, whenua, diversity and community are present inside and outside our school every day.

Matariki Celebrations

Last Thursday saw a group of students from the performing arts get together to celebrate Matariki.

The evening began with a stunning, powerful and polished performance from our Kapahaka.

After some shared Kai the evening continued with two beautifully lit spaces in the music department, showing a huge range of talent and performances.

The evening was well supported by parents, students and teachers.



Tuhina's Tennis Adventure in Australia

During term two Tuhina had a great experience in Australia with some tough challenges,:

- being away from home ,
- playing against competitive opponents in tennis
- while still keeping up with her school work.

Although the ITF's were tough, she managed to cruise a few rounds in doubles.

A few notable successes was being a Finalist in one of the Under 16 Tier 1 tournament.

The best one was being Singles and Doubles Finalist in Rod Laver 18 and under tournament.

Pictured right is Tuhina with the trophies she collected on her tennis journey. Amazing mahi shown .



Shout Outs

Luke Flowerdew and Josh Brown have been named in the U17 Football Squad. There will be 2 games against New Caledonia in Auckland. The games will be played on Tuesday 8 and Thursday 10 August. Both kicking off at 3pm. We wish them both the very best.

Blake Chambers has made the training squad for the NZ U20 Ultimate Team—Onslow is well represented with previous students Sam Cooper, Issac Living, Finn McKenzie and Ollie Taylor also being named. Well done to all!!

At the end of term two the Cross Country Champs were held in Palmerston North, Onslow was well represented, Max Doherty (11th Senior Boys), Rhys Elliot (18th Year 9 Boys), and Scarlett Anderson (80th Senior Girls)

Max also represented Wellington with his team coming in 3rd in the Senior A (Boys) category, and Scarlett's team came in 1st in the Senior C (Girls) category.

Max has been selected to travel to Australia in August with the New Zealand Secondary Schools Cross country team!