

NEWSLETTER

NELSON COLLEGE

Te Kura Tamatāne o Whakatū



27 June 2024

Kia ora koutou,

As my time as Acting Principal draws to a close, I find myself reflecting on what has been an incredibly rewarding and enjoyable experience leading New Zealand's oldest state school. It has been over five years since I last led a school, and I really did wonder if I was the right person for the job; I hope history will record that I didn't make too many mistakes! The past nine months have been filled with memorable moments, achievements, and above all, the spirit of camaraderie that defines our community.

Together, we have navigated challenges, celebrated successes, and strengthened the foundation upon which Nelson College stands. It has been a privilege to work alongside such dedicated staff, enthusiastic students, and supportive parents throughout this journey.

I am grateful for the trust and support you have shown me during my tenure. Your commitment to the welfare and success of our students is truly commendable and has been a driving force behind our collective accomplishments.

As I prepare to hand over the reins to the incoming Tumuaki Richard Washington, I am confident that Nelson College will continue to grow and flourish, maintaining its excellent reputation within the New Zealand educational landscape. The values of manaaki (care), pono (integrity), and kairangi (success) that define our institution will always guide us as we embark on the next chapter of our journey. Nelson College has much to look forward to.

Thank you once again for your unwavering support and collaboration. It has been an honour to serve as Acting Principal, and I look forward to witnessing the continued growth and success of Nelson College in the future.

Warm regards,

Tim Oughton
Acting Principal

uniform review



We are pleased to update you on the progress of our uniform review. The Board of Trustees has selected NZ Uniforms as our new uniform supplier. From the beginning of Term 3, our uniform retail outlet will be located at:

NZ Uniforms
8/38 Estuary Place, Richmond
Tel. 03 928 0757

- online sales have now ended
- uniform shop will be closing end of term 2
- updates on how to purchase uniforms to follow

The store will have a dedicated section for Nelson College uniforms, with clear guidelines on how they should be worn. An online shop will also be available for ordering uniforms, offering various payment options, including Zip.

We are introducing a new uniform design, which will be compulsory for Year 7 and Year 9 students from the beginning of 2025. Other students (Years 8 and 10-13) can wear the old uniform for one year, but only new uniform items will be available for purchase. All students must be in the new uniform by 2026.

For feedback on the new design, please contact Deputy Principal Richard McLaren at rm@nelson.school.nz.

Timeline for adoption: 2025: Year 7 and Year 9 students in new school uniform
2026: All Nelson College students in new school uniform

NZU NELSON COLLEGE
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Short Sleeve Polo
Years 7 - 10

Bespoke Nelson College neck tape in Navy Blue to support identity within the garment. Contrast inside placket and buttons in Navy Blue

Cut and sew design featuring Navy Blue shoulder panels and white piping

Breatheable pique knit with cotton inside, feels cool and comfortable

UPF 50+ Excellent, giving great protection from the sun

Designed By *Jessica Bunnell*
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Short Sleeve Shirt
Years 11 - 13

65% Polyester, 35% Cotton
Reliable poly cotton poplin fabric, offers excellent value and easy-care, easy iron performance

Navy embroidery on the left chest

Classic fit, with slight tapering through the chest and shoulders, straight fit through the waist, Suitable for all body shapes

Curved hemline to be worn untucked

Subtle modern detailing with Navy buttons

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College Lowers

FOB zipper pocket accessible through the open side seam pocket

Woven side pip in side seams to support identity within the uniform

Flat front with Internal flexi-waist band to allow for more stretch and room for movement

65% Polyester, 35% Viscose, 250gsm - great colourfastness, and highly breathable, suitable to wear all year-round

NZU NELSON COLLEGE
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Jacket

Bespoke zip puller in navy with NC embossed

Double piping in Sky Blue and Reflective Tape along the front and back of the sleeves

Tuck-away hood

Longer length with dropped tail hem

Fabric Outer: 60% Polyester, 4% Elastane
Fabric Inner: 100% Polyester micro-Fleece
320gsm 3 layer bonded softshell

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Blazer



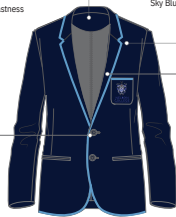
Black leather shoes



Bespoke blazer lining and buttons. Blazer lining features the school crest in a tone on tone pattern. Navy buttons have Nelson College engraved.



Contemporary 2-button tailored blazer with Nelson College engraved inside the button



Honours Blazer Option - Sky Blue grosgrain ribbon

School motto embroidered above the inside blazer welt pocket, to support identity

55% Polyester, 45% Wool 250gsm, twill weave for durability. The wool composition allows for longevity and breathability while the Polyester allows for great colourfastness

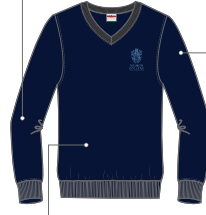


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Te Kura Tamatāne o Whakatu

Knitwear

Elastic support in the cu and basque gives longevity to the garment. Elbows are reinforced



Modern fit to suit all body shapes

80% Merino Wool, 20% Nylon Merino wool provides a superior warmth and a soft hand-feel



Knitted ribbed cu and hem to keep warmth in

Classic zip and collar style



Ribbed V-neckline, armholes and cuffs



Embroidery on the left chest in Sky Blue

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Accessories



CREW SOCK
2 Stripes in Sky Blue on the top cu
75% Cotton, 21% Polyamide, 4% Elastane
Breathable, cushioned footbed



TIE OPTION 1



TIE OPTION 2



TIE OPTION 3



NELSON COLLEGE

Te Kura Tamatāne o Whakatu

Accessories



CAP
65% Polyester, 35% Cotton
One size fits all
Fade resistant
Elastic fastening
Pre-curved peak
4 rows of stitching on brim
Embroidery on the centre front



BUCKET HAT
100% Breathable Polyester Twill
2 Sizes - M/L (57cm) & L/XL (60cm)
Fade resistant
Embroidered eyelets
Non-woven 2 stitch sweatband
Embroidery on the centre front



BEANIE
100% Acrylic
One-size
Fade resistant
Embroidery on the centre front



hospitality



tournament dinner

Quad guests from Whanganui Collegiate, Christ's College, Wellington College and of course, our own boys were treated to a sumptuous banquet after a hard day on the rugby field on Tuesday.

Prepared and served by Year 9 boarders and Year 12 hospitality students, diners were able to experience the fruits of many hours of culinary prowess at the dinner which included guest speakers and toasts in the beautifully decorated hall. Well done to everyone who helped to make it a night to remember!



sports office snippets



This term was busy and it sure flew by! We are so thrilled to have hosted the 98th Quadrangular Rugby Tournament and our annual Winter Sports Tournament with Shirley Boys High School. Well done to all the boys who are out playing their winter codes week in, week out. It has been amazing seeing you all enjoying your sport. Not only do we have 29 basketball teams playing on a Wednesday night, we have a whole bunch of boys who are refereeing these games. Thank you boys for doing this as without referees sport doesn't happen (well, Ultimate Frisbee will !!)

winter sports exchange

Thanks to everyone who contributed to making our annual winter sports exchange with Shirley Boys High School a success. New friendships made, great sportsmanship displayed. Thanks SBHS for making the trip up to us. See you next year in Christchurch.

Results:

1st XI Hockey 4-2 Nelson College

1st XI Football 1-1

Junior Football 4-3 Nelson College

Yr 11 Basketball 98-55 Nelson College

1st XV Rugby 57-19 Nelson College (Miles Toyota Championship Game)


2nd XV Rugby 36-12 Nelson College

U15A Rugby 48-14 Nelson College



hockey



#	TEAM	P	PTS	GD	%	W	L	D	BYE
1	NC Prep 	5	15	49	1325.00	5	0	0	0
2	NC Prep Blue	4	9	20	253.85	3	1	0	1
3	Waimai United - Blue	5	9	13	200.00	3	2	0	0
4	N.C.G. Federal Phoenix	5	9	9	175.00	3	2	0	0
5	N.C.G. Federal Falcons	4	6	-15	34.78	2	2	0	1
6	Stoke Mixed	4	3	-12	45.45	1	3	0	1
7	Tasman Div 5 Intermediate (Mixed)	4	3	-18	25.00	1	3	0	1
8	Waimai United - Orange	5	3	-21	30.00	1	4	0	0


Jolly Hockey Sticks! We just had to take a minute to acknowledge the phenomenal achievement of our hockey players. We are top of the logs in all the competitions we play in but more importantly, our young men are out there, loving their sport, forging friendships and being part of a team!

Premier 2 Men's

NBS Senior Competition, Winter 2024

Fixture Ladder Statistics

Show advanced ladder

#	TEAM	P	PTS	GD	%	W	L	D	BYE
1	Nelson College 	7	21	51	1120.00	7	0	0	0
2	Federal Masters Men	7	18	22	344.44	6	1	0	0
3	Tasman P2 Mens	7	10	-6	84.71	3	3	1	0
4	Waimai United	7	9	-6	72.73	3	4	0	0
5	Federal Senior Men	7	3	-35	16.67	1	6	0	0
6	Stoke P2 Mens	7	1	-26	25.71	0	5	1	0

Secondary Boys

NBS Junior Competition, Winter 2024

Fixture Ladder Statistics

Show advanced ladder

#	TEAM	P	PTS	GD	%	W	L	D	BYE
1	NC Navy 	7	16	10	166.67	5	1	1	1
2	NC Sky	6	10	7	146.67	3	1	1	2
3	Tasman/Garin Boys Secondary	7	9	5	133.33	3	4	0	1
4	Federal	6	9	3	121.43	3	3	0	2
5	Stoke Mixed	6	3	-25	21.88	1	5	0	2

Ladder calculated from Round 1





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George Aerakis
Dallas Kelso
Jarryd nicholls
Flynn Simkin
Chamod
Balasuriya
Niall McLeod
Jack Potter
Hogan Ward
Zac Bunny
Tommy Moloney
Harry Restieaux
Kurt Ward

Austin Dulieu-
Parlane
Walter Moloney
Fynn Roberts
Jack Westwood
Ryder Gestro
Sandith
Nanayakkara
Yosh Rodley
Charlie Wilson
Elijah Hassan
Campbell Gallagher
Oran Sim

2024/25 1ST XI
SQUAD
announcement



NELSON COLLEGE CRICKET



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Come along to the Saxton indoor nets at the following times if you're interested in some holiday cricket action. Suitable for all players from 1st XI to year 9 as we have multiple nets booked.

Bring your gear!

Tuesday 9th July 10am
Tuesday 16th July 10am
Friday 19th July 10am



98th quadrangular tournament



Quad fever has truly taken hold and what a fantastic kick off to the event we had on Tuesday. Christ's College faced off against Whanganui Collegiate with the southerners taking away the win at full time with a 31-10 result.

Wellington College just weren't feeling it that day and although they put up a battle of gladiatorial proportions, failed to get one across the line. The result a brutal 47-0 win to the boys in blue. But still, there's everything to play for as with Quad, sportsmanship and hospitality is the name of the game.



Day 1 Final Results

	vs	
Christ's College		Whanganui Collegiate
31		10
	vs	
Nelson College		Wellington College
47		0



		
Wellington College	vs	Whanganui Collegiate
28		21

Minor Final Results

		
Nelson College	vs	Christ's College
53		35

Major Final Results

The last day of Quad saw Wellington College come back with a 28-21 win over Whanganui Collegiate, while Nelson College came away with the win for the 98th Quadrangular Tournament 2024! Well done boys.



gala dinner



The atmosphere was electric at last night's Nelson College Old Boys Association Gala Dinner. Media man and Old Boy Sean Plunket welcomed the packed house and entertained the crowds with mostly wholesome stories of his memories of life at NC.

Special guest and former All Blacks captain Nev MacEwan presented the All Blacks jersey he wore during the 1960 tour, when he captained the team in a game against Northern Transvaal, as a gift to the school. In a very touching speech, Nev explained how, during difficult times, he was forced to sell his precious jerseys in order to keep the family and the home together.



Nev's son Angus never forgot the pain of losing that taonga and set about trying to reunite the jerseys with the family. Angus' quest led him to a small Welsh club, who agreed to return the jersey on condition that he brought Nev to Wales, so they could properly honour him at a function in 2005. Another jersey surfaced, this time in the World Rugby Museum in London.

When Angus saw it on auction he bought it, and for 19 years wondered where it should be. Eight weeks ago Angus made contact with Old Boys Liaison Lucy Jackson. He said that he and his father wanted the jersey to go to the place where his father had learned to play rugby. And so from Aotearoa, to London, and back again, that jersey has now found its forever home in Nelson College and we couldn't be more thankful to the MacEwan family.

The Great Redeemer Sir Graham Henry gave a short talk on resilience, determination and achievement before opening the floor to questions. He took time out of his evening (and dessert) to give a personalised message to our team on the eve of their big game against Christ's which clearly paid off!



Artwork from Nelson College was up for auction, and lucky bidders got to walk away with their own piece of college history. Pieces of College 'present' were also up for grabs in the form of some special 'Front Field Blend' - the grass seed used to re-sow our iconic front field.

Two other jerseys went up for auction. One was a 2023 signed AB's world cup jersey and the other was a signed rugby 7's playing jersey both donated by current 1st XV manager Will Moloney.

Also donated was a crusaders jersey from long time supporter and Old Boy Colin Gibbons. We want to thank everyone who bought a ticket, and supported this very special event. Photos from the event will be available soon and we will let you know how to access them.

japanese

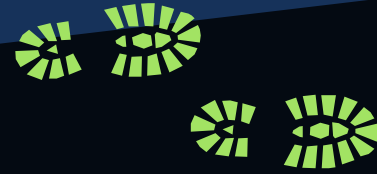


The New Zealand Association of Japanese Language Teachers (NZAJLT) runs a Japanese Trivia Championship every year across 9 different regions. This year it was held on Friday 21 June at Waimea College. There were four competing schools: NC, NCG, Waimea College and Motueka High school. There is a national winner, prizes for the top 3 teams in each region, as well as a prize for best dressed on the night.

Waimea took out the top prize this year, and our Year 9 NC team won 3rd place. That team was comprised of CJ Green, Solly Schryvers, Troy Kelso and Ashton Proctor (left to right in team photo).



nc out and about



karenni national day



It was the 149th anniversary of Karenni national day recently. Our boys performed dances and modelled some traditional Karenni clothing during the festivities over at Nelson College for Girls. FC Karenni also won the cup so there was plenty to celebrate! Shout out to our boys Baw Reh, No Reh, Hsu Reh, Ple Reh, Bu Reh, Kay Reh and Aung Thin for their amazing performances.





jazzquest

It has been a vibrant few weeks in the music department with multiple performances taking place around the school. The Combined Jazz Combo received a silver award at the Jazz Quest, which took place at ARA in Christchurch.

The students involved – Ned Rainey, Zachary Irving, Jay Brixton, and JP Moynihan – did exceptionally well, representing Nelson College in a nationally recognised contest. Under the guidance of jazz maestro and old boy Brad Banks, the students excelled.



More recently, Nelson College students also did exceptionally well in the Rockquest regional finals, with the top two bands having Nelson College students as principal musicians. Oscar Beggs, an exceptional drummer, led his band to win the regional finals, with Ned Rainey, Tamu Domoni, Zachary Irving, and Jonah Hilchal coming second and advancing to the national finals.

rockquest



the big sing



Nelson students also competed in the Big Sing recently with the combined Nelson College's choir.



The concert band played at the Quad Gala dinner and at the NC 1st XV games, announcing the team with the Imperial Stormtrooper March. Next week, we have the prep students showcasing their talent on the 4th of July. This concert is for the prep parents and is an opportunity for the prep students to showcase their talent.

The combined concert band opened for the gala dinner with the school song. They had help from the guests who were in fine voice. The words were clearly displayed on the screen but more than a few seem to have committed them to memory!





Nelson news in brief

Nelson College start Quad tournament with a bang, the Chemist Warehouse is coming and the wild weekend weather caused minor slips.

The Post / Jun 25



<https://www.thepost.co.nz/news/350321936/school-ball-goers-swerve-fast-fashion-and-pricey-outfits>



Kapa haka performers showcase 'Māori world'

Nelson students "ready and excited" to represent the region as the national secondary competition gets under way in their home town for the first time.

The Post / Jun 25

Nelson Heat trio head to World Series

JACK MALCOLM

Three aspiring local baseballers and their coach are on their way to America ahead of debuting at the international World Series.



Three local baseballers, Carlos Thompson, 14, Beiro Polanco, 14, and Mahe Reilly, 15, say they're excited to test themselves against some of the world's best ahead of the U15 International World Series in California. Photo: Jack Malcolm.

coach for the team. "At this kind of age in the American system, this is where the college coaches and selectors start casting their eyes," says Hayden. "The level they're at, the pitchers are really having movement on the ball. . . . Some guys in the US are getting up to 80 [miles per hour] with their pitches."

Nelson College's Mahe is behind the plate, having moved into the catcher's position recently and saying he's enjoyed the change. "You're in every play in the game. It's hard, though. When they swing, you've just got to hope your glove is in front of the ball. You can't see anything."

As the oldest of the trio of players, he has six years of baseball experience without any softball background. Because baseball uses a larger diamond and outfield, local games are played on a grass field in the Station complex because the local softball facilities do not meet their needs.

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Bands rock the regionals

KATE RUSSELL

Combined Gairn College and Nelson College band Solace has claimed first place at the Nelson regional final of Szelek's rockquest.

Bands from all around the region took the stage for the event at the Theatre Royal on Saturday night. Solace is made up of Mia Collicott (acoustic guitar and vocals), Daniel MacIntyre (keyboards), Oscar Walsh (electric guitar and vocals), Oscar Begg (drums), and Bosten Harvey (bass).

Mia says it was "exciting" to come away with the win and her band claimed \$500 musical equipment from the Rockshop for their efforts.

"Performing on the Szelek's rockquest stage is one of the most amazing feelings. The support we have all received over the years is so special, there is nothing quite like it."

Finessed, from Nelson College and Nelson College for Girls, came second place in the band category and also played first in Szelek's Tangata Beats.

Coming in third in the band category was Salisbury Road from Wairarapa College and Wairarapa Intermediate, whose singer Madison Connor also won the best vocals award.

The solo-duo winners from Nelson were Lucilla Pessante from Nelson College for Girls and Shenae Speedy from Wairarapa College, who also won the APRA lyric award.

Donal manager Danya Sancerin says the regional finals are a



Left: Combined Gairn College and Nelson College band Solace were named the best band at the Nelson regional final of Szelek's rockquest on Saturday night. Right: Finessed placed second in the band category. Photos: Supplied.

"highlight of the event year."

"It's fascinating to see the growth in these bands from the heats to the finals. They really step up their game, pouring everything they've got into their performances. It's like they hit a new level, and you can't help but feel proud of them."

The musician-plac award went to Grace Palmer, lead guitarist of

East Avenue from Nelson College for Girls, and JP Molyneux, bassist/vocalist of Shoebands from Nelson College.

The ZM best song award was awarded to Imperfect Circles from Motueka High School, while the Rock-shy best use of electronic assistance award went to Liljans and

New from Gairn College.

The programme, which is now in its 37th year, is held nationwide. The top two bands plan the winners of the solo duo category can submit a video of their original material to potentially be selected as one of the top 10 national finalists.

and it's idealised, which is great for the boys to show what they can do."

As a Wellington College Old Boy, Jono says it will be great to reunite with some of his former classmates and play he coached during his tenure with the Hurricanes, like Piri Weepu.

He also wanted to thank everyone who made this year's edition one of the biggest and best to date.

"The ground which the Old Boys generously donated looks great, it's amazing what they've done."

Wednesday night sees the action on the field take a break as world-cup winning coach Sir Graham Henry delivers a keynote speech at Nelson College Old Boys Association's sold-out charity gala dinner and auction night. That sets the stage for a massive Thursday, with the action starting at 10.30am with the minor final before the grand finale kicking off at midday, both games on the front field and live on Sky Sport 3.

SPORT



Writing another chapter after 100 years

JACK MALCOLM

When you mention tradition, rugby and Nelson College in the same sentence, it's not hard to think of the Quadrangular Tournament.

With tradition already under way, the wait is on for Thursday's final to see who will win the 100th edition of the historic competition. Now in its 100th year, having taken two years of during the Second World War, the tournament has transcended the game of rugby to encompass a shared history. Nelson College, Christ's College, Wellington College and Whangarei Collegiate share an

unbreakable bond that will write another chapter this Thursday with the finals. With Tuesday's action (game report on the Nelson App) already in the books, just one game stands between the two top teams and their chance at unmitigated glory. Former players call the Quad tournament the highlight of their school boy rugby career, a pinnacle event on their calendar, especially at home.

With the best changing every year, a four-year cycle between tournaments means some players will never get to play on their home ground, which adds to the gravity of this year's edition for the Nelson College side. After an



Nelson College will be eager to recreate the performance of the school's 2020 Quad campaign, the last time the tournament was held locally, when they won the final 35-22 over Christ's College. Photo: (P) Chris Symon/ShutterSport.

incredibly hot start to the season, they come into the tournament as the only undefeated team in their regular first XV competition after five rounds of action. There are no easy games, with their first match against the Piri Weepu coached Wellington Col-

lege - the most winning team in tournament history - on Tuesday. But the other side of the draw isn't any easier.

Christ's have lost just one game this season, with Whangarei Collegiate eager to turn around a poor start to the season with just one win from their seven games. Whangarei were the team to knock out Nelson College last year in a 35-28 win, before falling short in a thrilling final to Wellington College, 32-31.

Nelson College coach Jono Phillips says that the defeat will be in the back of the minds of some of their players as they look to earn redemption on their front field.

"Quad plays a special part in the College's history. When you run into Old Boys, they often ask how you did in Quad. "They'll definitely recall it [from last year] and will call on that as part of their motivation."

Jono says the team are in a strong place coming into the tournament, playing "some great rugby" and "just loving it."

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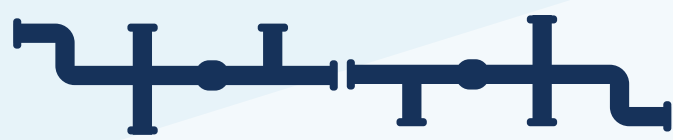
[Keep checking out our events on the Nelson College Careerwise web page](#)

fantastic futures

Wednesday the 26th of June was Fantastic Futures Day. This Career Exploration Event is annual event and is a perfect opportunity to get a deeper dive into the diversity of career pathways in some of our big local industries. 30 kids got to come along to the event and delve into a diverse array of career opportunities.



careers events in the pipeline



2 July	<u>Auckland University Information Evening, Nelson</u>	Registration Closed
18 July	<u>Lincoln University Open Day</u>	
31 July	Hospitality Day (TBC)	Registration by 1 July
23 Aug	<u>Victoria University Open Day</u>	
23 Aug	Massey University Open Day (for COCA campus, Wgtn)	
30 Aug	<u>UC Open Day</u>	Registration by July 1
7 Sept	<u>Empower – esports and e-careers</u>	

university preparation

Next week we have a few events for university bound students in the library

Monday 1st July

Some of last year's Y13 students are coming to talk to our current Y13 cohort about their experience at university, halls and uni life

Thursday 4th July

Drop-in session at lunchtime for any questions or support

Friday 5th July

Final Halls session: preparing Halls applications direct to Halls

Over the upcoming July holidays university students should be actioning the following so that they are not overloaded in Term 3.

1. Beginning the process of setting up a RealMe Identity
2. Setting up an account with each University
3. Preparing and editing your Scholarship applications (if applying) – check the closing dates (usually around 15 Aug)
4. Preparing and editing your Halls application (if applying)

NB: if you are looking to apply to UC – aim to have your application written, checked and ready to submit by 10th August

This is a free magazine that is targeted at Y12 and Y13. It comes out four times per year. Each issue has articles about different trades and study options for students in NZ, as well as general information that is helpful for leaving school like budgeting ideas, interviewing skills, CV writing tips etc

This issue features young people in a whole variety of apprenticeship and starting out roles such as: a glazier, a hydrographic (ocean floor) surveyor, and a builder, a formula one car racer and a young person using their degree to work in a matauranga Māori role with Fonterra. Read the magazine [here](#)



Firefighter



Did you know that you can train as a Firefighter for Fire and Emergency NZ or within the NZ Airforce? Firefighters need to be physically fit as well as being good at communicating with people who come from diverse backgrounds and cultures. If you are good at solving problems, can be calm while making decisions under pressure and like helping others while working in a team ... then maybe becoming a Firefighter is something that could be of interest to you.

volunteering club

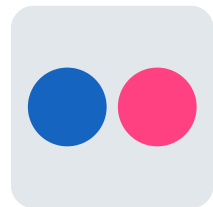
We have a few volunteering events coming up. Get in touch with vh@nc.school.nz if you are not in our NCVC and would like to support any of these events

3rd August: NC Open Day – Y13 students needed to help usher families and prospective students around the school

30th August: Daffodil Day - NCVC will be running a Daffodil Day week leading up to Daffodil Day with a variety of activities in school, and volunteering out in the community.

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Nelson College Open Day



Programme Details to Come













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TRAIL MAP



*Please check our website or social media for conditions on the day of your visit.

**For those without snow chains, there is a pre-bookable shuttle bus service with multiple daily trips from the base car park to the Ski Area.

Rainbow Ski Area is on DOC Conservation Land. Please leave your dogs at home.



Friday 16 August
7 - 9.30pm
Red Door Theatre

FUNNY YOUTH

(A COMEDY SHOW)



Come and support Nelson's local youth show their stand up comedy skills. Followed by celebrated stand-up comedian and award-winning radio host Nick Rado.



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COMEDIAN
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No Alcohol

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auahi kore

vapefree

smokefree

TICKETS adults \$10, youth \$5:

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Bridge Valley is super excited to have our Heroes Camp happening these coming school holidays on the 15th - 19th of July. They are day camps for 7 - 13 year olds. We have games themed with your favourite superheroes and really exciting activities planned. Sign up soon on our website to secure a spot and feel free to bring your own costume to dress up in. We would love to see you there!