



Upcoming Events

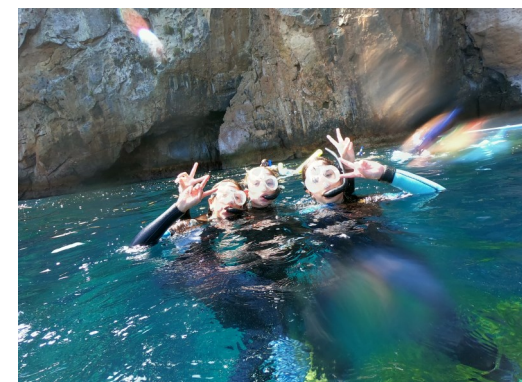
11 April Friday	Last day of school School holidays begin
28 April Monday	Term 2 begins
1 May Thursday	ShowQuest Competition Year 3-13 Forum North
2 May Friday	Hong Kong Teachers Visit to Excellere College
2 May Friday	Senior School Leaders Auckland Trip
4 May Tuesday	School Cross Country Year 1-13
9 May Friday	World Vision Ambassador Day
13&14 May Tues&Wed	DOE Bronze Trip Pinnacles, Coromandel
16 May Friday	Level 1 Visual Art Hundertwasser Trip
22 May Thursday	CAAs - Literacy P3-5 (Reading) (Y10-13) NZQA Co-Reqs
23 May Friday	NSSSA Cross Country Champs Year 7-13 qualifiers
26 May Monday	NSSSA Cross Country Champs, qualifiers only year 7-13
28 May Wednesday	CAAs - Numeracy P3-5 (Y10-13) - NZQA Co-Reqs

Level 1 Poor Knights Trip



On the 11th of March the Y12 and 13 PE class went to the Poor Knights on the Perfect Day charter by Dive Tutukaka. The weather was lovely and sunny, but there was a decent swell running, so there were some very happy people to make it to the Poor Knights Islands. Once we had anchored up the

students plunged into the crystal clear water, getting to see a plethora of fish. They also had fun kayaking, paddleboarding and playing on the floating mat. After we had finished our snorkelling the boat took us on a tour of the islands, including going into the largest sea cave in the world, Rikoriko cave. The students



enjoyed the amazingly clear water in this cave, and the incredible acoustics, it got quite loud. This was a great culmination for their assessment and made the hard work all worth it. What a wonderful day in God's beautiful creation. *Photos continued page 2*

- Ben Keyte, Hod Physical Education & Health

From the Principal

Kia ora/Kamusta/haai/Annyeong haseyo
Excellere College whānau/families,



Term 1 has been a wonderful first quarter of our year. We feel so blessed that by keeping God at the heart of everything we do, we see His hand along the way with us. The team from DHS has made great progress on the foundations of our

four new classrooms. This has been a tricky process due to the softer ground but their professionalism and technical expertise has meant that the progress is apparent for all to see. I recently met offsite with the three deputy principals for a prayer and planning day. We were able to discuss strategic goals and to plan for a variety of scenarios as our school grows. It was such a privilege to spend time with God together as a team and ask Him for direction and to repeatedly hand issues over to Him. This brings to mind the verses below:

At Excellere College, we want to live in a way that honours God, and 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18 (NKJV) gives us three simple but powerful instructions:

16 Rejoice always, 17 pray without ceasing, 18 in everything give thanks; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.

Rejoice always – This means choosing joy no matter what is happening in life. Joy isn't just about being happy when things go well; it's about trusting that God is with us even in

hard times. We can be joyful because we know God loves us, cares for us, and has a good plan for our lives.

Pray without ceasing – Prayer is how we stay connected to God. It doesn't mean we have to be on our knees 24/7, but we should have an attitude of prayer, talking to God throughout the day—whether we're at school, playing sports, or spending time with friends.

Give thanks in everything – Gratitude is a key part of following Jesus. Even when things don't go the way we want, we can thank God for His love, His blessings, and the lessons we learn through challenges.

When we follow these three instructions, we live in God's will and grow in faith, becoming a light to those around us.

Weekly Prayer Group

Each Thursday at around 8:15am several staff meet to pray for the school, including students, families, other staff and more personal prayer needs. We pray for safety on the building site and those travelling for school events. If the weather isn't ideal we meet inside but we do use the Prayer Garden behind Room 12 as it's such a central position in the school. Parents and community members are invited to join us or to come and pray at other times. Simply sign in at the office as usual and be a prayer warrior for our growing school. We do so appreciate your prayerful support.

School Docs

Over the next few weeks you will see some changes to the Excellere College website. You will find a link to all the school policy

documents and there will be a publicised cyclical review process where members of the school community will have regular opportunities to read and comment on school policies. We will give plenty of information once this system has gone "live" and you will receive community login information. We are excited to finally have these documents available publicly and there has been a great deal of background work from many people that has made this process possible.

And finally, with the holidays starting please take the time for a well-deserved break. This is a time of acknowledging sacrifice. Easter is such an important time in the Christian calendar where we commemorate Christ's sacrifice on the cross for our sins. ANZAC Day (April 25) is also in the holidays and is a somber reminder of the sacrifice made by so many New Zealand and Australian soldiers to protect our way of life here in the South Pacific.

24 who Himself bore our sins in His own body on the tree, that we, having died to sins, might live for righteousness—by whose stripes you were healed. 1 Peter 2:24 (NKJV)

Andy Mouat
Tumuaki



Poor Knights Photos Cont...



School Board Student Representative: Abinaya Pokkiri Raja



As the student representative on the School Board, I've had the privilege of working with a dedicated group of people who are all passionate about creating a positive, healthy school

environment that honours God. Attending our monthly meetings and receiving updates about new developments at the school has really given me a fresh perspective on our school community and widened my view on the governance side of school.

At our monthly board meetings we discuss a variety of things, issues that have come up, how to best use our budget, potential problems that might arise and how to handle them, new staffing appointments, and other important matters related to the governance of the school.

Overall, I'm really enjoying my time on the board and getting more involved with student interests by attending student council meetings and supporting their ideas at board meetings.

Excellere College 2025 Students Leaders



Leander Nel - Head Prefect (left)

As one of Excellere College's Head Prefects, I strive to lead by example, embodying the values of honour, integrity, and compassion in everything I do. Our school's special character has deeply influenced who I am today, teaching me the importance of faith-driven leadership, humility, and service to others.

Leadership, to me, is about more than responsibility—it's about serving with purpose, building a strong, supportive community, and making a positive impact. Through mentoring, school initiatives, and everyday interactions, I aim to inspire others to live out these values. It's an honour to represent Excellere and contribute to an environment where students are encouraged,

valued, and supported in both their faith and learning.

Jacob Mitchell - Head Prefect (centre)

I joined Excellere College in Year 5 and am grateful for the unique opportunities I've had here. I've learned the importance of perseverance and applying the core values of honour, integrity, and compassion. Honour means doing what is right, integrity is about building trust, and compassion is supporting my peers.

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Being part of a Special Character school has shaped who I am today, encouraging me to lead with purpose and embrace a culture of kindness, excellence, and servant leadership. I'm proud to be part of this community.

Eunice Maria Rajesh Samuel - Head Prefect

In just six months at Excellere College, I've experienced a transformative journey. This school not only prioritizes academic excellence but also nurtures faith and character. I've learned the true meaning of honour, integrity, and compassion as guiding principles for my daily life.

Being part of a Christ-centered community has deepened my understanding of faith, kindness, and conviction. Excellere's foundation has shaped me, helping me grow in both confidence and purpose.

Looking ahead, I aim to continue striving for excellence, uplifting those around me, and leading with humility and strength. May we always seek wisdom, walk in love, and stand firm in truth, knowing that with God, all things are possible.



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Ruven Duinkerke — School Board Member

My name is Ruven Duinkerke. I was elected to the Excellere College Board in October 2023 and I am a parent representative on the Board. I currently look after the Property Portfolio which was recently handed over to me. This portfolio oversees the assets and property of the school, ensuring that maintenance, repairs and replacement of the asset are undertaken when they are required. I believe the school's future success lies not only in creating an excellent learning environment, but in remaining steadfast in our desire to educate the next generation from a biblical worldview giving all present and future students a solid foundation in the Word of God. I have been involved in Christian Education since a child, having been a founding student at Immanuel Christian School in Avondale, Auckland when my family first immigrated to New Zealand.

My wife, Anneke, and I have been married for almost 21 years. We have six children, all of whom attend, or have attended, Excellere. We have lived in Kamo for just over four years now. Prior to moving to Whangarei we lived for 17 years in Papakura and our children attended Elim Christian College.

I am an Architectural Designer and have been working in this

industry for 25+ years. I am currently a senior designer at Mandeno Design working on a range of projects including residential, commercial and educational.

As a family we are members of Maungakaramaea Reformed Church where we actively serve in various roles. We also enjoy being active outdoors, including sports for the children and exploring all the beaches and beautiful creation that makes up our local area.



Scholastics Northland Surfing Competition

In this competition we had June Underwood, surfing in the under 16 girls and Tyler Reo, who surfed in the under 14 boys and made it to the semi-finals.

Although the weather was nice and warm, the conditions were shifty. The competition started in the main bay and then moved to Tasman Heights – both June and Tyler surfed Tasman Heights which was big and dumpy (2-3 metre swell, strong cross current and dumping waves).

Round 3 is scheduled for Wednesday 9th April, we wish both these students all the best.



Netball Rule Coaching Session

The netball girls had an amazing rule training session with Sue Robert in the school gym. We are so thankful that Sue was willing to come and do this for the girls free of charge. Everyone walked out after the session with a bit more information around the rules of netball.



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NSSSA Athletics Championships

Our top athletes participated in the Northland Secondary Schools Sports Association Athletics Championship on the 19th March at Trigg Stadium. They represented Excellere College in conjunction with all the other top athletes in Northland. All the students did their best on the day and we are so very proud of them all. The results are as follows:

Lydia Jongkind

Intermediate Girls Triple Jump: 1st Place

Waldo Potgieter

Intermediate Boys Javelin: 2nd Place

Intermediate Boys Discus: 3rd Place

James Bradley

Intermediate Boys Discus: 2nd Place

Intermediate Boys Triple Jump: 2nd Place

James Walker

Intermediate Boys 100m Sprint: 3rd Place

Intermediate Boys Triple jump: 3rd Place



Yummy Sticker Sports Gear Fundraiser

We are collecting Yummy Stickers again for 2025 so please send them into Room 4 to trade for House Group counters. Yummy Nectarine stickers, Yummy bag cut outs, and Yummy carton boxes all count towards the rewards. If you purchase a bag that doesn't have the sports gear label, please cut out the circle barcode that has the Yummy outline.

Many thanks, Jess Shanks



Yummy Sticker Rewards!

Join Whangarei Girls Brigade

**Calling all girls
5-18yrs!**

Do you like the idea of fun, friends, and faith?

Come join us!

**2ND WHANGĀREI
GIRLS' BRIGADE**

*Held at Hope Central
(formerly St Andrews)
Cnr Bank & Hunt Streets*

Thursdays 5.30pm - 7.00pm during term time

Contact Sue 021 260 0792 / admin@whangareigirlsbrigade.nz



Year 12 Camp - Tangihua Lions Lodge Camp

Four days at the Tangihua Lions Lodge for the Year 12's featured challenging team building events, bush walks and a challenging confidence course, plus of course our famous 'special' Burma Trail on the last night.

Challenge activities included 'Bridges-into-the-Amazon', tangrams, a cook and camp-out, refreshing swims. Lodge living was easy for all Year 12s with great catering by Mrs Minnaar and Mrs Lotz, although the odd snorer was not appreciated in the bunk rooms. We were blessed with Mr McKenzie's zany leadership as well as excellent parent help. We especially appreciated the Lord blessing us with great weather and an awesome group of students.

Caylin Watkins' highlight:

"We kicked off day three with the thrilling – and honestly terrifying – confidence course! One part that really pushed me was a series of wooden platforms suspended high above the ground. The goal was to leap from the highest one and continue jumping from platform to platform until you reached the ground. There was nothing to catch you if you fell, which made it even more nerve-wracking. Despite all the fear and overthinking, I kept pushing through the doubt. After a serious mental battle with myself – I did it! One jump at a time, I made it all the way to the bottom, and then moved in to complete the entire course. "

- Mr Buchanan, Camp Leader



Level 1 Art Photography Trip

An enthusiastic group of Level 1 Art students with Miss Hale and Zola McDonald in support, walked from Whangarei Falls to AH Reed park, taking photos for their NCEA art project. The students were so keen that it took an hour for them to finish taking photos around the falls.

All students used digital DSLR cameras and were able to learn how to control the lighting on a very bright sunny day. Some students even challenged themselves and learnt how to use their camera on manual mode during this trip.

Halfway through, we had a 'ban on all photos' until we reached AH Reed park as the students had taken so many, the camera batteries were already running low.

We stopped for a quick break at the waterhole in AH Reed park and were lucky to photograph the splashes made by two local swimmers.

Peter did not forget us, picking us up on time after our walk through the AH Reed kauri trees and past Pukenui Falls. The students returned to school buzzing and got straight onto editing and selecting photos for their assessment.

I rate this trip 10/10, would do again.

- Julie Hale, HoD Visual Art



Increasing Our International Homestay Community

We are very proud of our Mission Statement where we are educating students to develop and excel in their God-given gifts and talents, according to His Word and purpose. We would like to extend God's Kingdom by opening our doors to hosting more international students in 2025.

Hosting international students is a wonderful way to share and gain a global perspective for the whole family. We are looking for host families for Year 7-13 students for both short stay (2-4 weeks) and/or long stay (up to 1 year+). A \$300 weekly allowance is paid to the host family to reflect the costs of hosting a young person in your home.

Please email our International Director, Barbie Reynolds, if you are interested in this exciting opportunity please contact: barbie.reynolds@excellerecollege.school.nz

Whāea Barbie would love to hear from you and chat about how you can support our school with this mission.



Year 8 Easter Poetry

TRIUMPHANT HOSANNA:

*On Palm Sunday the spirit rise,
Beneath the clear and blue sky,
The people gather, hearts alight,
To welcome in the Saviour's might.
With palms in hand, they sing and cheer,
A King so humble, is drawing near.
Not crowned in gold, but clothed in light,
He rides in peace to set things right.
Hosanna! Hosanna!*

*Praise the Lord,
God bless the one who comes in the Name of the Lord.
As they laid the palms down,
For a King with no crown.
They spread the clothes on the way,
His love will guide and hearts will stay.
In Jesus Name, we find our guide,
Our hope, our Saviour, by our side.
On palm Sunday, all is clear,
For Christ has come, and hope is here.*

- By Ella, Elin, and Nevaeh



Enrichment Centre—Special Olympics

A strong team of 6 students represented our school this year at the Special Olympics Athletics. There were multiple first, second and third place winners in both the track and field events. A standout performance was winning the School Relay event for the second year running!

The Learning Support Assistants and myself could not have been prouder at the way our students conducted themselves, ensuring that they cheered on all participants and gave every event 100%. Congratulations: Connor Fowke, Aidan Midhun, Samara Laurenson, Hayley Allan, Elijah Semenoff-Mayall, Harkirat Barrington.



Junior, Middle & Senior Student Council

Congratulations to our successful Student Council members. We had over 40 applications and it was a difficult process where we had to shortlist in the end. My fellow Head Prefects and I enjoyed getting to know the younger students who we interviewed. We are looking forward to working with each one of you this year. - Leander, Jacob & Eunice



School Leadership 2025

Head Prefects: Eunice Rajesh Samuel, Jacob Mitchell, Leander Nel

Prefects: Jacob King, Mishe Lotz, Nina Murray Ishii

Senior College Council: Year 10-11: Luane Nel, June Underwood, Heino van Niekerk, Luane Nel, Maisy Nicholls, Clarissa van der Westhuizen

Middle College Council: Year 7- 9: Sarvag Shankar, Xavier Phetsomphou, Mia van der Hulst, Erica Werhan, Akisha Monding

Junior Council: Year 4 - 6 : Lola Dow, Grace Meyer, Mana Dunn, Jay du Plessis, Mila Vigus

Year 11 Food and Beverage Course

Over the past two weeks, half of the Year 11 group has been attending the Food & Beverage course at NorthTec, gaining hands-on experience in a restaurant setting. They have been learning essential skills such as taking food orders, effectively communicating with the kitchen, and providing quality service to customers. Some students were truly in their element, especially when they had the opportunity to serve their teachers delicious food items, making the experience even more enjoyable and rewarding.



Fun in Room 1 with New Entrant Students

We are learning about identity. We are all created in God's image. Genesis 1:27. We have been making Weet-Bix cocoa creations and having fun creating .



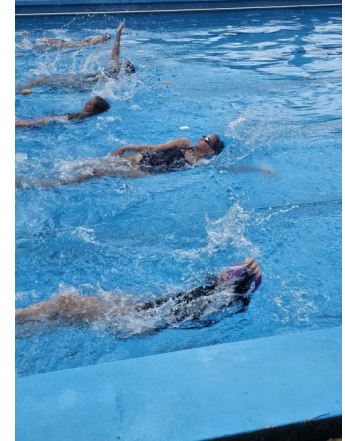
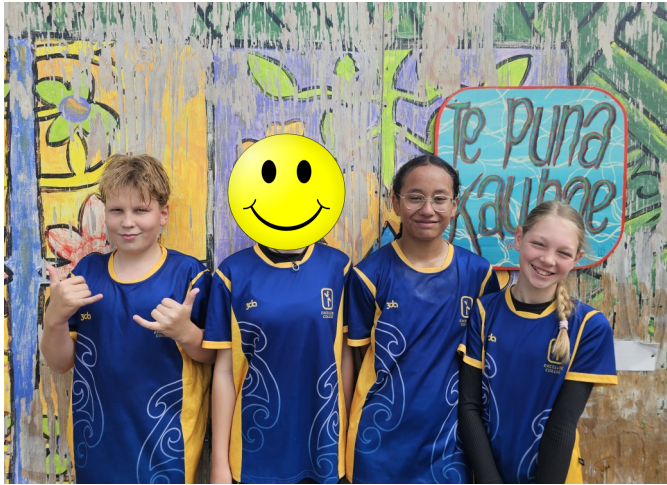
Dem Bones Science Kit

Room 6 students have used small skeletons, images of 'see-through Zac', and a set of X-rays to discover and explore all the bones in their bodies and understand their form and function. Animal skeletons in resin and sets of image cards allowed students to compare the human skeleton with that of other animal species.



WPSSA Swimming Championships

Our swimmers participated in the Whangarei Primary Schools Sports Association Swimming championship on the 12th March. There was some beautiful swimming from everyone. Unfortunately none of our swimmers got in the top 10 but they showed great potential. As a school we are very proud of these students.



Grace After-School Care Program

Looking for a safe and enriching place for your child after school and school holidays? Our After-School Care Program offers a nurturing environment where students can learn, play, and grow while you finish your workday with peace of mind.



Location: Excellere College

Time: After school 3:00-5:30pm

School holidays from 8:00am-5:30pm

Ages: 5-13 (Yr 0 - 8)

Starting: April 2024 School holidays and Term 2 onwards.

Enrolment: Limited spots available!

For more information or to register, contact:
graceafterschoolcare@gmail.com

Year 11 First Aid Course

The entire Year 11 group recently attended a First Aid course at Matapouri Hall with Mark from First Training, where they learned vital life-saving skills. They focused on DRSABC and how to assess an environment before providing first aid in real-world situations. Students particularly enjoyed acting out scenarios, applying their knowledge to practical cases, and gaining confidence in responding to emergencies in the community.



Senior College Netball Teams

Amethysts			
Coach: tbc			
#	Name	Last name	Year
1	Sophie	Walker	9
2	Harper	Heperi	9
3	Lucy	Allan	9
4	Olivia	Cullum	10
5	Mariesa	Duinkerke	10
6	Tamsen	Browne	10
7	June	Underwood	10

Training: Tuesdays, 3 - 5pm in the gym & outdoor courts. We are still in need of a coach for this team.

Jades			
Coaches: Mrs Chantel Minnaar & tbc			
#	Name	Last name	Year
1	Ashtone	Steyn	11
2	Maxie	Nel	11
3	Luane	Nel	11
4	Maisy	Nicholls	11
5	Clarissa	Van der Westhuizen	11
6	Kayley	Buchler	11
7	Eunice	Rajesh Samuel	13
8	Jasmine	Barker	13

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2025 Competition Dates PREMIER, SENIOR, COLLEGE & INTERMEDIATE

PREMIER 1 & COLLEGE PREMIER		PREMIER 2, SENIOR & COLLEGE GRADES	
Premier 1 - McKay Stadium College Premier - Te Ora Hau			
MAY			
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16	Premier Round 1 – Game 2	17	Round 1 – Game 2
23	Premier Round 1 – Game 3	24	Round 1 - Game 3
30	KINGS BIRTHDAY Weekend – NO PLAY	31	KINGS BIRTHDAY Weekend – NO PLAY
JUNE			
6	Premier Round 1 – Game 4	7	Round 1 – Game 4
13	Premier Round 1 – Game 5	14	Round 1 – Game 5
20	MATARIKI Weekend – NO PLAY	21	MATARIKI Weekend – NO PLAY
27	Premier Round 2 – Game 1	28	Round 2 – Game 1
JULY			
4	SCHOOL HOLIDAYS – NO PLAY	5	SCHOOL HOLIDAYS – NO PLAY
11	Premier Round 2 – Game 2	12	Round 2 – Game 2
18	Premier Round 2 – Game 3	19	Round 2 - Game 3
25	Premier Round 2 – Game 4	26	Round 2 – Game 4
AUGUST			
1	Premier Round 2 – Game 5	2	Round 2 – Game 5
8	Semi-Finals	9	Semi-finals
16	Premier Finals	16	Finals

Sports Coaches Wanted

In 2025 I would love to have more team or individual sports on offer for our students at Excellere College.

Currently one of our limiting factors are available coaches, so I am just putting it out there, if you have a passion for a certain sport and you are keen to help deliver that sport to our Excellere students, please get in touch with me.

We have students that are keen for more and are willing to learn and I would love to be able to offer our students more options. Please get in touch ASAP.

Email: alisha.duplessis@excellerecollege.school.nz

Netball Middle Teams

Excellere Diamonds			
Coaches: Mrs Sarah Stewart & Mrs Sam Ras			
#	Name	Last name	Year
1	Mia	Ras	6
2	Emily	Bell	7
3	Zelda	Kampinya	7
4	Sarvag	Shankar	7
5	Danique	Minnaar	7
6	Lydia	Johnston	7
7	Caitlin	Aubrey	7
8	Renee	Trass	7
9	Sophie	Blithe	7

Training: Wednesdays, 3 - 4.30pm in the school gym.

Excellere Rubies			
Coaches: Mrs Melanie Boshoff & Mrs Shani Delpont			
#	Name	Last name	Year
1	Vaughne	Buchler	6
2	Isabella	Delpont	7
3	Mialeee	Boshoff	7
4	Jeanel	Fraser	7
5	Diane	De la Harpe	8
6	Akshaya	Pokkiriraja	8
7	Leané	Botha	8
8	Addiena	Gordon	8
9	Rosie	Tuff	8

Training: Thursdays, 3 - 5pm in the gym & outdoor

Excellere Sapphires			
Coach: Mrs Anneke Duinkerke			
#	Name	Last name	Year
1	Nevaeh	Tana	8
2	Kristin	Ras	8
3	Lienka	Van Niekerk	8
4	Willow	Semenoff-Mayall	8
5	Mikayla	Falloon	8
6	Mia	Marais	8
7	Chloe	Jordaan	8*
8	Xandri	Van der Westhuizen	9
9	Jacob	Duinkerke	10

Training: Thursdays, 3 - 5pm in the gym & outdoor courts.

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Netball Junior Teams

Excellere Pearls			
Primary Yr1/2 - 4 v 4			
Coaches: Nat Brown & Xandri van der Westhuizen			
#	Name	Last name	Year
1	Aviana	Brown	1
2	Gizelle	Buchler	1
3	Bree	Heperi	2
4	Brooke	Sims	2
5	Kaylen	De la Harpe	2
6	Elijah-Jayne	Tamihana	2
7	Mya	Thorne	0-1

Training: Wednesday lunchtimes in the Junior area. Xandri and Nat will come and collect them.

Excellere Crystals			
Primary Yr 5/6 - 6 v 6			
Coaches: Mrs Rachel van der Hulst & Clarissa van der Westhuizen			
#	Name	Last name	Year
1	Arabella	Johnston	5
2	Karliem	Botha	5
3	Larissa	Van der Hulst	5
4	Mianke	Fraser	5
5	Sacha	Trass	5
6	Yelena	Malone-Walker	5
7	Kira	Alkema	5
8	Abbiel	Warner	6*
9	Mila	Vigus	6
10	Amore	De la Harpe	6**

Training: Fridays, 1pm - 2pm in the gym and outdoor courts.

Excellere Opals			
Primary Yr 3/4 - 5 v 5			
Coaches: Tamsen Browne, Mariesa Duinkerke & Lienke van Niekerk			
#	Name	Last name	Year
1	Luane	Steyn	3
2	Haim	Park	3
3	Chloe	Zwaanenburg	3
4	Grace	Meyer	4
5	Neve	Almeida	4
6	Alexia	Pokkiriraja	4
7	Milla	Eke	4
8	Lola	Dow	4

Training: Fridays, 1.20pm - 1.50pm in the gym. First training session will be Friday 28th March (Week 8)

2025 Competition Dates

FutureFERNs – Years 1-6

FutureFERNs – Years 1-4		FutureFERNs – Year 5-6	
Monday		Saturday	
MAY			
5	Week 1	3	Week 1
12	Week 2	10	Week 2
19	Week 3	17	Week 3
26	Week 4	24	Week 4
		31	KINGS BIRTHDAY – NO PLAY
JUNE			
2	KINGS BIRTHDAY – NO PLAY		
9	Week 5	7	Week 5
16	Week 6	14	Week 6
23	Week 7	21	MATARIKI Weekend – NO PLAY
30	SCHOOL HOLIDAYS – NO PLAY	28	Week 7
JULY			
7	SCHOOL HOLIDAYS – NO PLAY	5	SCHOOL HOLIDAYS – NO PLAY
14	Week 8	12	Week 8
21	Week 9	19	Week 9
28	Round 10	26	Week 10
AUGUST			
3	Field Days (JUNIOR FESTIVAL)	3	Field Day (JUNIOR FESTIVAL)