



WEEK 2, TERM 4

This is just a brief newsletter to keep you informed of what is happening in the next few days:

- This evening we are holding a Parents Information Evening in the Matamata College Staffroom for parents of current Year 8 students who are transferring to Matamata College next year.
- Tomorrow evening Kym Bolton Hampton, our Gateway Programme Co-Ordinator is hosting a Gateway Evening (see advert on Page 2)
- On Thursday Evening the Moscars will be taking place in the Matamata College School Hall (see advert on Page 2).
- On Wednesday 30 October we are holding another Year 10 Business Night in the Matamata College School Hall (see further information on Page 2).
- On Friday 1 November the Year 13 Leavers' Dinner will be held at the Memorial Centre in Matamata. A letter was emailed home on Monday this week with more information. If you did not receive this letter please contact the school office or email ki@matcol.nz
- Tuesday 5 November is the last day for Senior students who are then on Exam Leave.
- NCEA External Examinations begin on Thursday 8 November. Good luck to all students who have External Examinations. Control Click on the link <https://www.nzqa.govt.nz/ncea/ncea-exams-and-portfolios/external/digital-exams/> This contains important Digital Examination information that Senior students may find useful.

Thank you to all involved in the recent Lions Club Fertiliser Drive of which the Matamata College Sports Club are the very grateful recipients of \$8,500.00.

To John Bonencamp and the rest of the Matamata Lions Club, the contributing businesses - Wealleans, Daltons, J.Swaps - thank you!

To the parents, supporters, teachers and students of the college who contributed - thank you!

To the Matamata community who supported us, we appreciate your involvement, thank you & may your gardens flourish!! We look forward to representing you proudly & would love to see you on the sidelines.

Introducing our New Wood Technology

Teacher

As previously mentioned in the Contact Newsletter dated 5 September 2019, we bode farewell to Mr Sean Fullick. Mr Phil Appelman has been appointed to fill this vacancy. Returning to Matamata after 40 years, Mr Appelman did his apprenticeship at Colchester Engineering. He also spent 10 years in the Police force and the last 20 years teaching Technology. Welcome to our staff!



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LOOKING AHEAD

22 Oct to 22 Nov

Tuesday 22 October

Y8 Parents Night 6.30pm

Wednesday 23 October

Gateway Evening 7pm

Thursday 24 October

The Moscars 6.30pm

Monday 28 October

Labour Day

Wednesday 30 October

Business Night 4pm

Friday 1 November

Y13 Leavers Dinner

Tuesday 5 November

Last Day Seniors

Thursday 8 November

NCEA Exams Begin

Monday 18 November to Friday 22 November

Camp & Activities Week



"Maa mahi,
ka ora"



Matamata
College

You're Invited

Join us Wednesday 23rd at 7pm
Matamata College staff room

As we celebrate the success of our Gateway Students
and local employees who have helped shape
the future for our students.

Want to know more about the Matamata College Gateway Programme?

Included in the evening will be a presentation for
employers around how the programme works and the benefits
that both the employer and student will gain.



"Building tomorrow's workforce today"

hairdresser banker
journalist teacher
photographer
designer builder
lawyer mechanic
manager
conomist



Please contact Gateway
programme Coordinator,
Kym Bolton-Hampton
on bh@matcol.nz or
027 548 3929 to register
your attendance and
for further information.



"Maa mahi,
ka ora"



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College Team Photos



ON SALE NOW

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KODAK & BLACK

View and order
in store

MATAMATA COLLEGE PRESENTS

The Moscars

Come and join us for a night filled with
films, food and 'famous people'.

Thursday 24th October, 6:30pm
Matamata College Hall

GOLD COIN DONATION ON ENTRY
SMART/CASUAL DRESS CODE
FANCY DRESS OPTION - PRIZES AVAILABLE

"A night to
remember"
- Time
Magazine
★★★★★

"Truely amazing
visuals"
- The
Guardian
★★★★★

"Exquisite"
- Rolling Stone
★★★★★

Come and see some great films by our talented Year 12
and 13 Media students at The Moscars.

Please arrive in time for a 6.30pm start.

Gold coin donation.

There is a "fancy dress" theme which is not compulsory
but there are some prizes up for grabs.

Would love to see you all there!

Y10 BUSINESS NIGHT

Matamata College is pleased to host a Business Night
on Wednesday 30 October 2019 for our Year 10 Busi-
ness students who have been working hard in two co-
horts to produce food products for the event and a
range of non-food items for sale.

The event will run from 4.00pm to 6.00pm and
families and supporters of these intrepid
entrepreneurs are welcome to attend.