# PRINCIPALS REPORT: September 2019

## Strategic Decisions / Discussions

- Health Education school community consultation tabled
- Student trustee elections two nominations; voting to be held 25 and 26 September, 2019

# Strategic Monitoring

### Assurance Report on 2019 School Improvement Challenges

#### **STRATEGIC GOAL 1**

I will have learning opportunities that are connected, authentic and relevant to improve my engagement and achievement.

#### STRATEGIC ACTION

Through the AC Way, I will regularly use our tools and evidence to reflect, review and act on how I learn and design learning to ensure I belong, learn and succeed

#### **EOTC & LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES:**

- Reading in the Community continues on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays
- L3 Bio Trip to Zoo 26 August
- L2OED Rocket Ropes Ak Airport 26 August
- 11 and 12 TOH Massey University 29 August
- L2/L3 OED and International Students Whakapapa Trip 2-4 September
- 11/12 Te Poutama Zoo trip 4 September
- L2OED Wero White Water Park 5 September
- L2OED Woodhill Tree Adventure 6 September
- L3OED Extreme Edge Panmure 6 September
- 11GTQ3 Auckland City 10 September
- L2OED Rocket Ropes Lake Pupuke 10 September
- Te Wiki o te reo Maori Kapahaka group Papakura Normal School 10 September
- L30ED Wero White Water Park 12 September
- 12GGP Amazing Race in Auckland City, 13 September
- 11TRM, L2/3 TRM Hikoi Teko ere 13 September
- Bridge Group to Rocket Ropes 13 September
- Stand Up Stand Out, 7 Learners 14 September
- Ball Committee site visit 16 September
- Hip Hop Dance Crew National Competition Queenstown 19 to 21
  September
- L3OED Wero White Water Park 19 September
- Te Parawhakawai to Kia Aroha College 21 September
- Majesty band, Smoke Free Tangata Beats Comp 21 September
- 45 Learners to Ak Philharmonic Orchestra 25 September

#### **STP: Trade Academy**

- 1 Learner, No 1 Shoes –26 Aug, 2 Sept, 9 Sept, 16 Sept, 23 Sept
- 1 Learner, Techtorium 26 Aug, 2 Sept, 9 Sept, 16 Sept, 23 Sept
- 13 Learners, Techtorium 28 Aug, 4 Sept, 11 Sept, 18 Sept, 25
  Sept
- 57 Learners, MIT 28 Aug, 4 Sept, 11 Sept, 18 Sept, 25 Sept
- 7 Learners, MIT 30 Aug, 6 Sept, 13 Sept, 20 Sept, 27 Sept
- 4 Learners, ETCO 26 Aug, 2 Sept, 9 Sept, 16 Sept, 23 Sept
- 40 Learners, MIT –26 Aug, 2 Sept, 9 Sept, 16 Sept, 23 Sept
- 2 Learners, The Gardens ECE 29 Aug, 5 Sept, 12 Sept, 19 Sept, 26
  Sept
- 10 Learners, NZMA 26 Aug, 2 Sept, 9 Sept, 16 Sept, 23 Sept
- 2 Learners, NZMA 29 Aug, 5 Sept, 12 Sept, 19 Sept, 26 Sept
- 9 Learners, NZMA 26 Aug, 2 Sept, 9 Sept, 16 Sept, 23 Sept
- 8 Learners NZMA 5 Sept, 12 Sept, 19 Sept, 26 Sept

#### **ENGAGEMENT AND ACHIEVEMENT:**

- Consilius Hip Hop Dance Crew compete in National Competition in Queenstown
- 56 learners gained their learner licences and 2 progressed to full licences
- AC's Visual Artists (Yr 11-13) have an exhibition on at Nathan Homestead until 12 October
- Caleb Cribb, Adam Nathan and Baljinder Singh have already achieved NCEA Level 3 in August

#### **STAFF PLD:**

- Ethel Colohan, Janelle Johnson Library Module 28 August
- Caroline Taylor Immunization Course 29 30 August
- Louise Hemmingson Transition Expo St Johns 3 September
- Ananda Anandabaskaran Xero Training
- Ethel Colohan, Janelle Johnson Library Module 4 September
- Caroline Taylor Middlemore Hosp 6 September
- Ethel Colohan, Janelle Johnson National Library Meeting 9
  September
- Ethel Colohan, Janelle Johnson Library Module 11 September
- Caroline Taylor Immunizations Practical 13 September
- Christine Ronberg East Health Trust Symposium 14 September
- Elinor Davie Transition to Employment, UK, 16 September to 25
  October
- Caroline Taylor and Christine Ronberg Eastern Group Supervision
  18 September
- Marianne Wullings, Alastair Caine MoE Integrated Learning Project, Wellington, 19-20 September
- Robin Van Nierkerk, Faye Walker, Duane Mackwood, Meleua Ikiua,
  Delina Tahitahi Mentoring for Wellbeing Conference, Wellington,
  20 September
- Louise Hemmingson, Sandy Greer Working with Challenging Behaviors 20 September
- Marianne Wullings, Roxathina Falepeau, Trisha Munthree, Rimlesh Kumar, Fahmi Ebrahim, Rebecca Jefferies, Sarah Loomb - Kahui Ako in-school teachers, 26 September

# Meet National guidelines and standards for Property, Finance and Human Resources

#### Welcome to AC whanau:

- Astryle Posimani started on 9 September in Inclusive Ed
- Shannon Deadman started on 16 September in Inclusive Ed
- Keyana Fuiava starts on 14 October, Dance LL

#### Farewell from AC whanau:

- Moath Owaidah finished on 6 September
- Toa'Kasi Amoamo finished on 6 September
- Jessie Nansen Finishes on 27 September

#### Welcome Visitors:

Sio Andrews University of Auckland Practicum placement to 13 September

- Alida Turnbull Massey University Practicum placement to 27 September
- Daniel Kumar University of Auckland Practicum placement to 13 September
- Laurent Dunningham Action Education 30 August
- Fukushima Toryo visiting from Japan 9-13 September
- Karly Smith, Matt Cowie, Jan Louis and Danelle Powell AUT Practicum 16 September to 25 October

#### **Events & Community:**

- Amokura Day Monday 23 September
- Buchanan Mentoring Launch 25 September
- Te Pō Tuku Tāonga Māori Awards Evening to be held Thursday
  26 September
- School Ball Monday 30 September
- Pasifika Success Awards Thursday 17 October

# Risks & Strategies [Variance report]

• Finance

Draft 2020 Budget tabled

Curriculum

No variances to report

• Staff Management

2020 Provisional staffing entitlement released; still in surplus staffing but linked to STP COL Across-school teachers advertised

Learning Support Delivery Model confirmed and Tranche 1 LSCs allocated; 2 LSCs allocated to AC

• Asset Protection

CCTV project contractor appointed; acceptance to be confirmed

Health & Safety

Seismic compliance work through MOE Capital Works underway, to be completed by January 2020

• Legal Compliance

No variances to report

# Significant Governance Information

- Release of Statement of National Education and Learning Priorities (NELP) and the Tertiary Education Strategy (TES) Discussion Document
- Measles

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