



**ŌTŪMOETAI
COLLEGE**

Kia māramahia te ora e te akoranga

**LET LEARNING ENLIGHTEN LIFE
HE AKONGA TE ORANGA**

YEAR 13

SENIOR AWARDS

WEDNESDAY, 1 NOVEMBER at 6.30pm

2023



2023 Student Leaders:

Left to right: Charo Heijnen, Arwin Viduya, Peter Colonna, Karlia Taylor



Tena Koutou Katoa

Our Senior Awards Evening is the formal ceremony which marks our Year 13 students' transition from Secondary to Tertiary Education, or to the world of work. It is also the occasion at which we recognise and celebrate our students' achievements from throughout the year.

We hope this booklet will serve as a reminder of this important function. The booklet contains both the programme for the 2023 Senior Awards and the names of senior students who have gained honours this year for excellence in achievement, diligence and service in the academic, sporting and cultural fields at Ōtūmoetai College.

Our congratulations to you all.

We trust that every student has gained something worthwhile from his or her time at our school. We hope they leave with a sense of confidence, a belief in themselves and the desire to further enhance our motto "Let Learning Enlighten Life" / "He akonga te oranga".

Our current Year 13 students have been very special to us; we hope they also have fond memories of the school year.

We wish them all the very best for their future.

**Russell Gordon
Principal**



YEAR 13 AWARDS

Wednesday, 1 November 2023 at 6.30pm

PROGRAMME

Mihimihi Mr B Ketu

Ōtūmoetai College Waiata

Welcome Mr R Gordon

Special Cups & Awards *Presented by Mr R Gordon and Mr S Uffindell*
..... *Read by Mrs J Brown*

Student Leaders' Address Charo Heijnen and Karlia Taylor

2023 Academic Awards..... *Presented by Mrs J Brown*
..... *Read by the Year 13 Deans, Mrs M Nicholson and Mr L Wilson*

Performance by Lucy Dibble
(She Used to be Mine)

Scholarships *Presented by Mr R Gordon and Guests*
..... *Read by Mr D Cleland*

Dux 2023..... *Presented by Mr R Gordon*
..... *Read by Mr D Cleland*

Concluding Remarks Mrs J Brown

Closing Karakia Mr B Ketu

New Zealand National Anthem

Flowers kindly sponsored by Bella Rosa Designer Florist

Plants provided by Earthforce Wholesale Nursery Ltd, Katikati

Ōtūmoetai College

Waiata

Tāne chant:
Mauao
Kōpurererua
Takitimu
Huria
Ngāti Ranginui e

All sing:
Ōtūmoetai e
Korowaitanga
Akoranga e
Matauranga
Ōtūmoetai e

Tāne chant: *E kore rawa...*

Everyone chant:
*...te tangata e pakari i te wai
mārino*
*E kore rawa te tangata e pakari
i te wai mārino*

*As the tide takes you further
Far away from home
'Let learning enlighten life'
Growing on your own*

Tāne chant:	Wāhine sing:
<i>Mauao</i>	<i>Korowaitanga</i>
<i>Kōpurererua</i>	<i>Akoranga e</i>
<i>Takitimu</i>	<i>Matauranga</i>
<i>Huria</i>	
<i>Ngāti Ranginui e</i>	

All sing:
Ōtūmoetai e
.....
All sing:
TUMOETAI E

National Anthem

AOTEAROA

E Ihoa Atua,
O nga Iwi! Matou ra,
Ata whakarongo na;
Me aroha noa.
Kia hua ko te pai;
Kia tau to atawhai;
Manaakitia mai
Aotearoa.

GOD DEFEND NEW ZEALAND

God of nations at thy feet
In the bonds of love we meet.
Hear our voices, we entreat,
God defend our free land.
Guard Pacific's triple star
From the shafts of strife and war,
Make her praises heard afar,
God defend New Zealand.

WHAKAARIA MAI

How Great Thou Art

Whakaaria mai
Tōu rīpeka ki au
Tiaho mai
Rā roto i te pō
Hei konā au
Titiro atu ai
Ora, mate,
Hei au koe noho a
Whakaaria mai



SPECIAL CUPS & AWARDS

WHARE CHALLENGE TAONGA

The winning Whare for 2023 is Ōtanewainuku

Accepting the Taonga on behalf of Ōtanewainuku is

..... George Farrar and Zachaia Tarawa

TOP STUDENT VOLUNTEER AWARD

..... Sofia Arias

SENIOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENT OF THE YEAR

..... Chiara Lammennett

THE PRIME MINISTER'S VOCATIONAL EXCELLENCE AWARD

This prestigious award this year goes to a student who has had a clear vocational career pathway and completed all the necessary requirements to be accepted into their tertiary course of choice for 2024. Tristan Cochrane

EXCELSO COFFEE BARISTA SKILLS AWARD

Awarded to the most promising barista in Hospitality Antonia Lehnicke

BROOKFIELD NEW WORLD ENTREPRENEUR OF THE YEAR

For Tertiary Study Chloe Davison

TAURANGA POLICE CUP Kayla Adlington

For Service to the School Community

JOHN MARK CUP Joshua Knill

For Unselfish Service



SPECIAL CUPS & AWARDS (continued)

SUE POTTER CUP Samantha Bainbridge
For Service to the School

ELDER SALVER AWARD Sapphire Redwood
For Outstanding Diligence & Achievement

O'BRIEN CUP Vikas Mall
For Outstanding Diligence & Achievement

PRINCIPAL'S CUP
For Contribution to School Life Mia Mackenzie

PRINCIPAL'S AWARDS
For Contribution to School Life Theo McKay
..... Olivia Chappell
..... Mason Kritz
..... Ella Douglas
..... Arwin Viduya
..... Chloe Davison

PANARETOS CUP Chiara Giacon
*For all-round Academic Excellence and
excellence in Sport, Music and Art or Drama*
Donated by the Harray Family

HAROLD WEBBER CUP Karlia Taylor
*Effective Leadership & Contribution
to the wider aspects of school life*

STUDENT LEADER AWARD Peter Colonna
..... Charo Heijnen
..... Karlia Taylor
..... Arwin Viduya



ACADEMIC AWARDS

CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT FOR

3 rd in Level 3 Design & Printmaking.....	Rilee Barnes
3 rd in Level 3 Tourism.....	Emily Bateman
3 rd in Level 3 Music Studies	Keira Brenchley
3 rd in Level 3 Mathematics and Statistics	Leo Buzowsky
3 rd in Level 3 Calculus.....	Ethan Cairns
3 rd = in Level 3 Geography	Sophie Edser
3 rd in Level 3 Te Reo Māori	Javahn-Lee Falwasser-Kipa
3 rd = in Level 3 Financial Capabilities	Abby Finlayson
3 rd in Level 3 Child Development and Nutrition	Sania Harmine
3 rd = in Level 3 Early Childhood	Joshua Harper
3 rd in Level 3 Health Studies	Immi Hill
3 rd in Level 3 Design & Visual Communication	Mystique Nathan
3 rd in Level 3 Te Ao Māori	Raedan Ngawharau
3 rd in Level 3 Product Development Design – Wood.....	Marika Porteners
3 rd in Level 3 Earth & Space Science	Ella Sadler
3 rd in Level 3 Technology: Food	Marc Spanswick
3 rd in Level 3 Dance.....	Ashleigh Strawn
3 rd in Level 3 Economics.....	Rachel Wahab



ACADEMIC AWARDS *(Continued)*

CERTIFICATE OF MERIT FOR

- 2nd in Level 3 Entertainment and Event Technology Natalie Ashton
- 2nd= in Level 3 Drama Sam Bainbridge
- 2nd in Level 3 Earth & Space Science Jessica Battersby
- 2nd in Level 3 Digital Science Evi Cabemaiwai
- 2nd in Level 3 Technical Skills Tristan Cochrane
- 2nd in Level 3 Business Management Peter Colonna
- 2nd= in Level 3 Drama Fletcher Currin
- 2nd in Level 3 Product Development Design – Wood Seton Davis
- 2nd in Level 3 Art Painting Dakota Filer
- 2nd in Level 3 Mathematics and Statistics Andrew Gabolinsky
- 2nd in Level 3 Te Ao Māori Aria Goldsmith
- 2nd in Level 3 Hospitality Stevie Green
- 2nd in Level 3 Gateway Charlotte Grey
- 2nd in Level 3 Financial Capabilities Bella Harris
- 2nd= in Level 3 Statistics and Probability Joshua Knill
- 2nd in Level 3 Design & Visual Communication Haru Nakai
- 2nd= in Level 3 Electronics Shane Purser
- 2nd= in Level 3 Electronics Julian Usseglio
- 2nd= in Level 3 Classical Studies Anne Van de Pol



ACADEMIC AWARDS *(Continued)*

CERTIFICATE OF EXCELLENCE FOR

- 1st in Level 2 Statistics Neva Carnachan
- 1st in Level 3 Product Development Design – Wood Jett Beaton
Prize donated by Katikati Building Supplies
- 1st in Level 3 Financial Capabilities Lily Bills
Prize donated by Chartered Accountants in Public Practice (Western Bay of Plenty)
- 1st in Level 3 Art Photography Kelsey Brosnan
Prize donated by Photolife Ltd
- 1st= in Level 3 Early Childhood Ale Calderon Valdazo
Early Childhood Cup
- 1st= in Level 3 Technology: Food Lydia Forsman
Prize donated by Southern Hospitality Ltd
- 1st in Level 3 Design & Visual Communication Ava Gledhill
Prize donated by Gordon Harris Ltd
- 1st= in Level 3 Hospitality Antonia Lehnicke
Helen Thomas Salver
- 1st in Level 3 English Mia Mackenzie
Altrusa International Trophy & Award
Prize donated by Holland Becket Law
- 1st in Level 3 Electronics Oliver Parker
Prize donated by Katikati Building Supplies
- 1st in Level 3 Earth & Space Science Ieuan Pope
- 1st in Level 3 Design & Printmaking Annabelle Rice
Prize donated by Gordon Harris Ltd
- 1st= in Level 3 Dance Caitlin Spalding
- 1st in Level 3 Entertainment and Event Technology Charlotte Spearman
- 1st= in Level 3 Outdoor Education Reuben Timms
Prize donated by Minuteman Ltd
- 1st in Level 3 Music Studies Joshua Torrey
Eagar Trophy
- 1st in Level 3 Te Reo Māori Nina Turner
- 1st in Level 3 Gateway Joshua Wheatley
Gateway Cup



ACADEMIC AWARDS *(Continued)*

CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT, MERIT OR EXCELLENCE FOR

3rd in Level 3 Accounting for Management

3rd= in Level 3 Financial Capabilities Logan Purser

3rd in Level 3 English

2nd= In Level 3 Statistics and Probability Katie Chua

3rd in Level 3 Art Photography

2nd in Level 3 Music Studies Cole Jackson

3rd in Level 3 Technical Skills

2nd in Level 3 Product Development Design – Metal..... Joseph Jobe

3rd in Level 3 Fashion and Design

2nd in Level 3 Design & Printmaking Aimee O'Dea

3rd in Level 3 Hospitality

2nd in Level 3 Tourism Zane Styles-Archer

3rd in Level 3 Product Development Design – Metal

1st in Level 3 Technical Skills Marcus Adams

Prize donated by Katikati Building Supplies

3rd in Level 3 Business Management

1st in Level 3 Accounting for Management..... Olivia Cleaver

Prize donated by Chartered Accountants in Public Practice (Western Bay of Plenty)

3rd in Level 3 Sport Science

1st= in Level 3 Health Studies..... Ella Douglas

3rd in Level 3 Entertainment and Event Technology

1st in Level 3 Drama Patrick Farrell

McGregor Trophy

3rd in Level 3 Digital Science

1st= in Level 3 Child Development and Nutrition..... Jackie Heaton

2nd in Level 3 Sport Science

1st= in Level 3 Outdoor Education William Brown

Prize donated by Minuteman Ltd



ACADEMIC AWARDS *(Continued)*

CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT, MERIT OR EXCELLENCE FOR

2nd in Level 3 Art Design & Illustration

1st in Level 3 Art Painting Hyerin Cho

2nd in Level 3 Geography

1st in Level 3 Sport Science

Prize donated by Rocktopia

Keam Standen Award

For Expertise and Enthusiasm in Geography Mae Grinlinton

2nd in Level 3 Te Reo Māori

1st in Level 3 Te Ao Māori Eli Kapi

2nd in Level 3 Fashion and Design

1st in Level 3 Technology: Soft Materials Stevi Sykes

Helen Thomas Cup

1st in Level 3 Business Management

Prize donated by Programmed Property Services

1st in Level 3 Media Studies Chloe Davison

1st= in Level 3 Health Studies

1st= in Level 3 Technology: Food Zalia Dykes

Prize donated by Southern Hospitality Ltd

1st in Level 3 Digital Media

Adam Clarke Trophy

1st in Level 3 Mathematics and Statistics Laura Faleiro

1st in Level 3 Sociology

Prize donated by Tauranga RSA

1st in Level 3 Spanish Cherry Sharma

Mark Williams Senior Linquist Cup



ACADEMIC AWARDS *(Continued)*

CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT, MERIT OR EXCELLENCE FOR

- 3rd in Level 3 Media Studies
3rd= in Level 3 Early Childhood
1st= in Level 3 Dance Chiara Giacon
- 3rd in Level 3 Art Design & Illustration
3rd in Level 3 Digital Media
1st in Level 3 Fashion and Design Gloria Kim
- 2nd in Level 3 Accounting for Management
2nd in Level 3 Calculus
2nd in Level 3 Economics Tommy Zhang
- 3rd in Level 3 Gateway
2nd in Level 3 Art Photography
1st in Level 3 Product Development Design – Metal Nicole Becker
Kevin Anderson Cup
Prize donated by Trade Tools
- 3rd in Level 3 Biology
2nd= in Level 3 Sociology
1st in Level 3 Statistics and Probability Ashlyn Judkins
- 2nd in Level 3 Art History
2nd in Level 3 Media Studies
1st in Level 3 Classical Studies Sapphire Redwood
Prize donated by Waikato Graduate Women Educational Trust
- 2nd in Level 3 Spanish
2nd= in Level 3 Sociology
1st in Level 3 Art History Mikyla Rowe
Tonkin-Covell Trophy
- 2nd in Level 3 Early Childhood
1st in Level 3 Tourism
1st= in Level 3 Child Development and Nutrition Erin Cooper



ACADEMIC AWARDS *(Continued)*

CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT, MERIT OR EXCELLENCE FOR

- 3rd in Level 3 Art Painting
3rd= in Level 3 Geography
3rd in Level 3 Spanish
2nd in Level 3 Physics.....Chiara Lammenett
- 3rd in Level 3 Physics
2nd in Level 3 Chemistry
2nd in Level 3 English
1st in Level 3 Calculus.....Sarah Carter
Prize donated by DLA Architects
- 3rd in Level 3 Art History
2nd in Level 3 Digital Media
1st in Level 3 Art Design & Illustration
Prize donated by Gordon Harris Ltd
1st in Level 3 Digital ScienceHailey Reece
- 2nd in Level 3 Biology
2nd= in Level 3 Classical Studies
1st in Level 3 Chemistry
Prize donated by Programmed Property Services
1st in Level 3 Physics
Glenn Carter Trophy for achievement in all Sciences.....Megan Sushames
- 3rd in Level 3 Chemistry
1st in Level 3 Biology
1st in Level 3 Economics
Collett Cup
1st in Level 3 GeographyKarlia Taylor



SCHOLARSHIPS

IAN BURTENSHAW MEMORIAL TROPHY & AWARD

Donated by the Burtenshaw Family Karlia Taylor

MARY ROBERTS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

For Tertiary Study of Music Joshua Torrey

RALPH FAMILY AWARD

For Tertiary Study in the Performing Arts Ashleigh Strawn

KANE SEDCOLE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS

For all-round academic achievement Olivia Chappell

Donated by the Sedcole Family Ella Douglas

..... Chloe Davison

..... Elske Van Wyk

..... Samantha Bainbridge

DONALD & MINOLA GRANT SCHOLARSHIPS

For all-round academic performance & contribution to College life Megan Sushames

..... Karlia Taylor

..... Ashlyn Judkins

HOLLAND BECKETT LAW SCHOLARSHIP

For Tertiary Study in Law Mia Mackenzie



SCHOLARSHIPS *(continued)*

JUNIPER AWARD FOR VISUAL ARTS Gloria Kim

BAY OF PLENTY TRUST EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIPS

For Tertiary Education in the fields of Science and Technology..... Katie Chua
..... Rachel Wahab

Awards presented by Mr Roger Loveridge, Bay of Plenty Education Trust

THE BOB AND JOY OWENS SCHOLARSHIP

For all-round achievement Sofia Arias
Donated by the Owens Family

THE JOHN AND RENIE DENNIS SCHOLARSHIP

For all-round achievement Ameerah Wilson
Donated by the Dennis Family



3RD AGGREGATE IN YEAR 13 - 2023

ARTS / HUMANITIES

3rd Aggregate in Year 13 2023

Arts / Humanities Chloe Davison

SCIENCE / TECHNOLOGY

3rd Aggregate in Year 13 2023

Science / Technology Ashlyn Judkins



PROXIME ACCESSIT TO DUX – 2023

ARTS / HUMANITIES

**Rosemary Anne Scouler Memorial Award for
2nd Aggregate in Year 13 2023**

Arts / Humanities Hyerin Cho

SCIENCE / TECHNOLOGY

**Rosemary Anne Scouler Memorial Award for
2nd Aggregate in Year 13 2023**

Science / Technology Karlia Taylor



DUX - 2023

ARTS / HUMANITIES

For 1st Aggregate in Year 13 2023

The Farthing Cup for Arts / Humanities DUX

DUX 2023

Arts / Humanities Chiara Lammenett

SCIENCE / TECHNOLOGY

For 1st Aggregate in Year 13 2023

The Randell Cup for Science / Technology DUX

DUX 2023

Science / Technology Megan Sushames



STUDENT LEADERS – 2023

Head Students 2023

Peter Colonna
Charo Heijnen
Karlia Taylor
Arwin Viduya

Board of Trustees Student Representative 2023

Joshua Knill

Student Committees

Creative Arts

Emma Cade
Caitlin Spalding

Environment

Sofia Arias
Sam Barinbridge

Hauora

Marika Porteners
Ameerah Wilson

Mentoring

Eva Cabemaiwai,
Sania Harmine,
Chaelim Kim

Publicity

Theo McKay
Chloe Davison

Ruamano (Cultural)

Nina Turner

Special Events

Olivia Chappell
Bella Ritai

Sports

Mason Kritz
Ella Douglas

Whare Leaders

Pūwhenua

Sam Bainbridge
Danielle Fowler

Maunganui

Mia Mackenzie
Sofia Arias

Karewa

Rachel Wahab
Abby Finlayson

Manunui

Liana Needham
Olivia Chappell

Ōtanewainuku

George Farrar
Zachaia Tarawa



Recognition of UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIPS (Already Granted for 2024)

Auckland University

Faculty of Science High Achiever Undergraduate Entry Scholarship Karlia Taylor
Top Achievers Scholarship Charo Heijnen

Auckland University of Technology

Welcome to Auckland Scholarship Peter Colonna

Canterbury University

Hiranga Scholarship Sarah Carter
..... Rachel Wahab

Otago University

Leaders of Tomorrow Entrance Scholarship George Farrar
150th Scholarship Ameerah Wilson
Māori Entrance Scholarship Nina Turner
New Frontiers Excellence Entrance Scholarship Cherry Sharma
..... Hannah Stevens

Victoria University

Tangiwai Scholarship Chloe Davison
..... Ashlyn Judkins
..... Cherry Sharma
..... Karlia Taylor
Totoweka Scholarship Olivia Chappell
..... Mystique Nathan

Waikato University

Sir Edmund Hillary Scholarship Chiara Giacon
Te Paewai o te Rangi Scholarship Charo Heijnen
..... Hailey Reece
..... Mikyla Rowe
Ko Te Tangata School Leavers Scholarship Evi Cabemaiwai
..... Hannah Stevens



Recognition of CREATIVE ARTS AWARDS

NEW WORLD BROOKFIELD CULINARY ARTS CUP

Outstanding Excellence in the Culinary Arts Lydia Forsman

BERNINA AWARD

Outstanding Technical Skills in Soft Materials Stevi Sykes

BIDFOOD HOSPITALITY AWARD – JOINT AWARD Andrew Gabolinsky

Outstanding Commitment and Dedication in Hospitality Alex Williamson

DMS PROGROWERS AWARD Lucy Stephens

Extra Curricular Commitment to the Visual Arts

HERRING TROPHY FOR PERFORMING ARTS Chiara Giacon

Outstanding Commitment in Performing Arts

LEE FAMILY TROPHY Patrick Farrell

Contribution to extra-curricular Drama throughout College life

GASKELL TROPHY Chiara Giacon

Outstanding Contribution to Dance during College life

HELEN GREG MEMORIAL TROPHY Sofia Arias

Excellence in Creative Writing

MEDIA STUDIES TROPHY Chloe Davison

Commitment to producing quality media during their senior years

NONA COOK TROPHY Oliver Parker

Outstanding Excellence in Creative Arts

ROBOTICS TROPHY

Design, Build, Amaze Award

Outstanding Commitment and Contribution to Robotics Chaelim Kim

BUSINESS AWARD FOR YOUNG ENTERPRISE

Most Innovative Student Zykyia Peka

BUSINESS AWARD FOR YOUNG ENTERPRISE

Most Outstanding Student Chloe Davison



Recognition of SPORTS AWARDS

GLEN JACKSON SUPREME SERVICE TO SPORT AWARD Charlie Minshall

PRINCIPAL'S AWARD - 2023 New Zealand Representation in Year 13

NZ Artistic Swimming Chloe Boyt
NZ WSrestling Team – Oceania Champs Isaac Dobbs
NZ Artistic Roller Skating Sophie Hock
NZ Underwater Hockey and Surf Lifesaving Edie Jackson
BMX World Championships Hannah Mason
NZ Squash Team Grace Spencer
Youth Commonwealth Games – NZ Beach Volleyball Calum Stewart
NZ Squash Team Erin Wyllie

BOB ADDISON CUP

For Individual Sporting Achievement – Female Alex Rawlinson

CROWTHER CUP

For Individual Sporting Achievement – Male Calum Stewart

2023 SPORTS GIRL OF THE YEAR Grace Duncan

For All-round Ability

2023 SPORTS BOY OF THE YEAR Devlin Langton

For All-round Ability



Recognition of SUPREME MĀORI AWARDS

FIRST IN TE REO MĀORI YEAR 13Nina Turner

TOP FEMALE ALL ROUND STUDENTEvi Cabemaiwai

Awarded for all-round academic, sporting and cultural achievement and contribution to the school community

TOP MALE ALL ROUND STUDENT Eli Kapi

Awarded for all-round academic, sporting and cultural achievement and contribution to the school community

TANE-NUI-A-RANGI Grace O'Sullivan

Awarded for consistent and exceptional contribution school-wide and commitment in their chosen craft of the Arts.

This student is a tohunga in the making.

TE KAHA O MURIWAI Eli Kapi

Awarded for overarching leadership, vision, action and kaitiakitanga for the benefit of others.

TIKANGA MĀORI TAONGA - TŪTARA WĀNANGANina Turner

Awarded for outstanding contribution, leadership, high achievement and commitment to Tikanga Māori and Te Reo Māori.

TE TAONGA MAUMAHARA A KAY GATFIELD Bella Ritai

Awarded to a student who has overcome many obstacles to reach his or her success thus far, emanates resilience and perseverance, and is enrolled in tertiary study from next year.

MATAHUAUARIKI TAONGAMystique Nathan

Awarded for full involvement and contribution to school life, outstanding academic record, leadership qualities and excellent role model.

TE MOANANUI-A-KIWA Melanie Prakash

Awarded for all rounded mana culturally, through sport, academically, as well as strong representation of their own heritage from within the Pacific ocean.

NGĀI TAMARĀWAHO TAONGAZachaia Tarawa

Awarded for all round excellence and leadership and contribution to school, the wider community & local iwi.

