

# Te Moana-nui-a-Kiwa Awards

**Wednesday**

**22 October 2025**

**6.30pm**

**Performing Arts Centre**

*Ko te nanua pounamu,  
ko te mimiha*



Artwork by Caoimhe Conner

# ORDER OF PROCEEDINGS

**Whakatau, Opening Karakia**

**Kalani Tarawa  
Kaumātua Ngāti Ranginui**

**Pepeha o te Kura  
Housekeeping**

**Student MC's: Evelyn Bennett,  
Delamare Langton, Lucia Poff,  
Mikaere Wilson**

**Principal's Address**

**Russell Gordon**

*Entertainment by Vintage  
Edyn Tukaki, Devlin Langton, Delamare Langton, Charlee Walsh-Homes*

**Junior Yr 9 and 10 Tū Kaha, Tū Maia, Tū Rangatira Awards**

**Announced by Mary-Ann Braddock  
Presented by Arden Carter**

**Te Reo Māori Awards and Junior Teina Special Awards  
Ballantyne**

**Announced by Maramena  
Presented by Stevie-Jane Mutu**

**Special Award - Kua Nanaiora - The Endeavour Trophy**

**Announced by Matua Komene  
Presented by Caly Pillay**

**Highest Achiever in Senior Te Ao Haka  
Best Kapahaka Performer**

**Announced by Matua Komene  
Presented by Stevie-Jane Mutu**

*Entertainment by Ngā Piki Kōtuku a Ngāti Ranginui*

**Senior Yr 11 and 12 – Tū Kaha, Tū Maia, Tū Rangatira Awards**

**Announced and Presented by  
Jessie Fauntleroy and Vanessa Hays**

**Year 11 and 12 Te Reo Māori Awards  
Highest Achiever in Senior Te Ao Māori**

**Announced Maramena Ballantyne  
Presented by Matua Komene**

*Entertainment by Hang Time  
Jackson Jane, Iro Angell, Summer Taruia, Zen Miyunami, Osman Keenan, Chris John*

**Year 13 – Waka Presentations and  
Tū Kaha Awards**

**Announced by Mark Williams  
Presented by Caroline Reynolds**

**Year 13's - Tū Maia, Tū Rangatira  
Awards**

**Announced by Caroline Reynolds  
Presented by Mark Williams**

**Year 13 Te Reo Māori Award**

**Announced by Maramena Ballantyne  
Presented by Matua Komene**

**Supreme Awards**

**Announced by Matua Komene  
Presented by Kalani Tarawa and  
Principal Russell Gordon**

**Closing Karakia**

**Kalani Tarawa**

**Closing Waiata**

**Ōtūmoetai E**

# **Tū Rangatira**

## **LEADERSHIP**

- *Demonstrates self-determination and initiative*
- *Achieves notable success in their subject, completing all assessments on time*
- *Leads with compassion, respect, and humility*

# **Tū Māia**

## **SERVICE**

- *Contributes time and effort for the benefit of others*
- *Shows commitment to the school and wider community*
- *Supports and uplifts others through respect and compassion*

# **Tū Kaha**

## **DILIGENCE**

- *Displays resilience and perseverance in learning*
- *Strengthens knowledge, skills, and capability in their subject*
- *Approaches all tasks with compassion, respect, and high expectations*

# ***Junior Presentations – Year 9***

## ***Tū Kaha – Diligence Awards***

*Tū kaha pēnei i te toka tū moana*

*Standing strongly like a rock stands firm in the sea*

Conrad Armstrong

Taranaki

Eliana Giacon

Ngāti Tūwharetoa, Raukawa (Waikato), Ngāti Apa

Fox Sattler

Ngāi Tahu / Kāi Tahu

Ella Wade

Ngāti Maniapoto

## ***Tū Māia – Service Awards***

*Tū māia i roto i te ao hurihuri*

*Standing confidently as a warrior in this turbulent spinning world*

Karter Brown

Ngāti Kuia

Mila Edwards

Raukawa (Waikato)

Georgia Limmer

## ***Tū Rangatira – Leadership Awards***

*Tū rangatira hei raukura mō tōu iwi*

*Standing in a chiefly way as a feather plume for your people*

Julz Beauchamp

Tūhoe, Ngāti Kahungunu

Jorja Donaldson

Ngāti Hako

Olivia Finau

Tongan

Jaxon Ratana

Te Ati Haunui-a-Pāpārangi

Ngakumama Te Mete

Ngāti Ranginui, Ngāi Te Rangi, Cook Islands Māori

# ***Junior Presentations – Year 10***

## ***Tū Kaha – Diligence Awards***

*Tū kaha pēnei i te toka tū moana*

*Standing strongly like a rock stands firm in the sea*

|                        |                                       |
|------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Te Atarangi Amoroa     | Tūhoe                                 |
| Brodie Calton-Harrison | Ngāi Tahu / Kāi Tahu                  |
| Blake Johnson          | Ngāti Maru (Hauraki)                  |
| Awhi Keelan-Lawson     | Ngāti Porou, Ngāti Awa, Ngāi Te Rangi |
| Evie Mildon-Wright     | Ngāti Kahungunu ki Te Wairoa          |
| Cole Peters            | Ngāi Te Rangi, Ngāti Pūkenga          |
| Nathaniel Saotui       | Ngāpuhi, Samoan                       |
| Layla Swanson          | Ngāti Whakaue (Te Arawa)              |

## ***Tū Māia – Service Awards***

*Tū māia i roto i te ao hurihuri*

*Standing confidently as a warrior in this turbulent spinning world*

|                    |                                       |
|--------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Isaac Heke-kaiawha | Ngāi Te Rangi, Ngāti Awa              |
| Ruby Hodge         | New Zealand Māori                     |
| Emma Hunt          | New Zealand Māori                     |
| Riwhi Kenney       | Ngāti Ruanui, Ngāti Kahu ki Whangaroa |
| Lewis Park         | Ngāti Awa                             |
| Kiziah Ramsden     | Tainui Awhiro                         |
| Jaime Rivers       | Ngāti Kahungunu ki Te Wairoa          |
| Ruby Young         | Whakatōhea                            |

## ***Tū Rangatira – Leadership Awards***

*Tū rangatira hei raukura mō tōu iwi*

*Standing in a chiefly way as a feather plume for your people*

|                         |                                           |
|-------------------------|-------------------------------------------|
| Niki-Marie Andrews      | New Zealand Māori, Tokelauan              |
| Esther Cabemaiwai       | Fijian                                    |
| Harry Delamere          | Te Whānau-ā-Apanui, Whakatōhea, Tokelauan |
| Dellas Mareroa          | Waikato, Te Whānau-ā-Apanui               |
| Francella Nafoi-Seumalo | Samoa                                     |
| Takara Smith            |                                           |
| Lauren Temara           | Tūhoe                                     |

## ***First in Te Reo Māori Year 9***

|              |                           |
|--------------|---------------------------|
| Jaxon Ratana | Te Ati Haunui-a-Pāpārangi |
|--------------|---------------------------|

## ***First in Te Reo Māori Year 10***

|            |                                                     |
|------------|-----------------------------------------------------|
| Suzie Heke | Ngāti Ranginui, Ngāti Maniapoto, Waitaha (Te Arawa) |
|------------|-----------------------------------------------------|

# ***Leadership Taonga - Juniors***

*These two awards, Teina Wahine and Teina Tane are our supreme awards acknowledging leadership, commitment and outstanding endeavour in the Junior school. These emerging leaders exemplify Māori experiencing success as Māori.*

## ***Teina Wahine***

### ***Teina Wahine Award Recipient:***

Suzie Heke

Ngāti Ranginui, Ngāti Maniapoto, Waitaha (Te Arawa)

## ***Teina Tane***

### ***Teina Tane Award Recipient:***

Harry Delamere

Te Whānau-ā-Apanui, Whakatōhea, Tokelauan

# ***Senior Presentations – Year 11***

## ***Tū Kaha – Diligence Awards***

*Tū kaha pēnei i te toka tū moana*

*Standing strongly like a rock stands firm in the sea*

|                     |                                                               |
|---------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|
| Cynthia Forsman     | Ngāti Wai, Ngāpuhi, Ngāti Porou                               |
| Indy Kapi           | Ngāti Tamaterā, Waikato, Samoan, Cook Islands Māori           |
| Rainen King-Mosen   | Uenuku-Kōpako (Te Arawa),<br>Ngāti Whakaue (Te Arawa), Samoan |
| Anaya Lawrence      | Ngāti Ranginui, Niuean                                        |
| Sahara Mackay       | Ngāi Te Rangi, Ngāti Ranginui, Ngāti Porou                    |
| Toa Ronaki-Kissling | Tapuika (Te Arawa)                                            |
| Yukat Singh         | Aotea, Fijian                                                 |
| Aaliyah Tana        | Ngāpuhi                                                       |

## ***Tū Māia – Service Awards***

*Tū māia i roto i te ao hurihuri*

*Standing confidently as a warrior in this turbulent spinning world*

|                         |                                   |
|-------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Ella-May Chapman        | Tongan                            |
| Keyahn Cottam-Moore     |                                   |
| Brie Ferguson           |                                   |
| Shane Marjoribanks      | Ngāi Tahu / Kāi Tahu              |
| Beau Marsters           | Cook Islands Māori                |
| Larissa Nafoi-Seumalo   | Samoan                            |
| Heaven-Lee Palmer-Smith | Te Whānau-ā-Apanui, Ngāi Te Rangi |

|                 |                                                |
|-----------------|------------------------------------------------|
| Karah Pikimaui  | Ngāti Ranginui                                 |
| Kallagher Puke  | Ngāti Ranginui, Ngāi Te Rangi, Tainui          |
| Jacob Ruka      | Ngāti Ranginui, Ngāi Te Rangi, Ngāti Maniapoto |
| Ella Smith      | Ngāi Tahu / Kāi Tahu                           |
| Summer Stowe    | Tainui                                         |
| Sovann Thompson | Ngāti Kahungunu ki Wairarapa, Ngāpuhi          |
| Jazmine Tipene  | Māmari, Ngāpuhi, Ngāti Kahu                    |

## ***Tū Rangatira – Leadership Awards***

*Tū rangatira hei raukura mō tōu iwi*

*Standing in a chiefly way as a feather plume for your people*

|                 |                              |
|-----------------|------------------------------|
| Kaia Burney     | Ngāti Awa                    |
| Oliver Catt     | New Zealand Māori            |
| Maonga Harrison | Ngāti Ranginui, Ngāpuhi      |
| Stella Harvey   | Ngāi Tahu / Kāi Tahu         |
| Milan Low       | Tūhoe, Cook Islands Māori    |
| Katy McLeod     | Ngāti Kahungunu              |
| Olivia Pelham   | Ngāi Tahu / Kāi Tahu         |
| Hannah Richards | Ngāti Kahungunu ki Wairarapa |
| Shania Rolls    | Ngāti Kauwhata               |
| Bailee Sweetman | Ngāti Kahungunu, Ngāti Porou |
| Ava Wright      | Samoa                        |

# ***Senior Presentations – Year 12***

## ***Tū Kaha – Diligence Awards***

*Tū kaha pēnei i te toka tū moana*

*Standing strongly like a rock stands firm in the sea*

Kauri Bowman

Te Whānau-ā-Apanui

Chris John

Cook Islands Māori

## ***Tū Māia – Service Awards***

*Tū māia i roto i te ao hurihuri*

*Standing confidently as a warrior in this turbulent spinning world*

Danica Feek

Ngāi Tahu / Kāi Tahu

Caleb Friar

Ngāti Mutunga (Taranaki)

Shadow Jack-Kino

Ngāti Ranginui

## ***Tū Rangatira – Leadership Awards***

*Tū rangatira hei raukura mō tōu iwi*

*Standing in a chiefly way as a feather plume for your people*

Ryan Adams

Ngāti Ranginui

Evelyn Bennett

Ngāti Maniapoto

Matt Smith

Ngāi Tahu / Kāi Tahu

## ***First in Te Reo Māori - Year 11***

Bronté Edwards

## ***First in Te Reo Māori - Year 12***

Evelyn Bennett

Ngāti Maniapoto

# ***Senior Presentations – Year 13***

## ***Waka Recipients***

*The Waka represents the student's journey from the safe harbour of College into the oceans of the world.*

*(Thank you to Kevin Meyer of the Technology Department for his work in conceiving these taonga.)*

|                      |                                     |
|----------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Lyric Angell         | Ngāpuhi, Te Aupōuri, Ngāti Ranginui |
| Hinetuahiahi Attwood | Ngāti Ranginui, Te Whānau-ā-Apanui  |
| Pania Attwood        | Ngāti Ranginui, Te Whānau-ā-Apanui  |
| Tara Barnes          | Te Arawa                            |
| Molly Boyd           | Te Whānau-ā-Apanui                  |
| Isabella Chaney      | Ngāi Tahu / Kāi Tahu                |
| Piper Emery          | Ngāpuhi                             |
| Nadia Gates          | Ngāti Ranginui, Tapuika (Te Arawa)  |
| Phillipa Hurt        | Ngāti Porou                         |
| Clara Kiikoro Haurua | Te Rarawa, Ngāpuhi                  |
| Tasmin Jacka         | Fijian                              |
| Makenzie Kamo        | Ngāti Maru                          |
| Rihanna Lewis        | Tongan                              |
| Adam McKay           | Ngāi Tahu / Kāi Tahu                |
| Joseph Marjoribanks  | Ngāi Tahu / Kāi Tahu                |
| John Marwick         | Ngāti Ranginui                      |
| Finnlay Reed         | Ngāti Mutunga (Taranaki)            |
| Levi Retimana        | Ngāpuhi, Ngāti Whātua               |
| Desire Te Huia       | Ngāti Maniapoto                     |
| Ava Wills            | Tūhoe, Te Arawa                     |
| Mikaere Wilson       | Tainui, Ngāti Haua                  |

# ***Senior Presentations – Year 13***

## ***Tū Kaha – Diligence Awards***

*Tū kaha pēnei i te toka tū moana*

*Standing strongly like a rock stands firm in the sea*

|                     |                                                |
|---------------------|------------------------------------------------|
| Alena Cabemaiwai    | Fijian                                         |
| Isabella Chaney     | Ngāi Tahu / Kāi Tahu                           |
| Ella Griffin        | Te Ati Haunui-a-Pāpārangi                      |
| Joseph Marjoribanks | Ngāi Tahu / Kāi Tahu                           |
| Hannah Mason        | Te Arawa, Ngāi Tahu / Kāi Tahu                 |
| Mya McKerrow        | Te Whānau-ā-Apanui, Te Rarawa                  |
| Desire Te Huia      | Ngāti Maniapoto                                |
| Sami Wiles          | Ngāti Rangiwewehi (Te Arawa)                   |
| Neeve Wilson        | Ngāpuhi ki Whaingaroa-Ngāti Kahu ki Whaingaroa |

## ***Tū Māia – Service Awards***

*Tū māia i roto i te ao hurihuri*

*Standing confidently as a warrior in this turbulent spinning world*

|                      |                                                                                      |
|----------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Hayley Adams         | Ngāti Ranginui                                                                       |
| Hinetuahiahi Attwood | Ngāti Ranginui, Te Whānau-ā-Apanui                                                   |
| Pania Attwood        | Ngāti Ranginui, Te Whānau-ā-Apanui                                                   |
| Nadia Gates          | Ngāti Ranginui, Tapuika (Te Arawa)                                                   |
| Clara Kiikoro Haurua | Te Rarawa, Ngāpuhi, Cook Islands Māori                                               |
| Maia Solomona        | Whakatōhea, Tūhourangi (Te Arawa),<br>Ngāti Rangitahi (Te Arawa), Cook Islands Māori |

## ***Tū Rangatira – Leadership Awards***

*Tū rangatira hei raukura mō tōu iwi*

*Standing in a chiefly way as a feather plume for your people*

Tiana Guy

Ngāti Ranginui, Ngāti Maru (Hauraki)

Kaena John

Cook Islands Māori

Stevee Knox

Ngāpuhi, Uenuku-Kōpako (Te Arawa)

Rhea Lal

Fijian

Devlin Langton

Ngāti Kahungunu, Te Arawa

Aja Samuela

Cook Islands Māori

Sequoia Trass

Ngāti Maniapoto

## ***First in Te Reo Māori - Year 13***

Nadia Gates

Ngāti Ranginui, Tapuika (Te Arawa)

# ***Supreme Awards***

## ***Kua Nanaiora – The Endeavour Trophy***

*Awarded for endeavours in school.*

### ***Kua Nanaiora – The Endeavour Trophy Recipient:***

**Clara-Ann Hapuku-Te Nahu**      New Zealand Māori

## ***Highest Achiever in Senior Te Ao Haka Award***

**Karah Pikimaui**      Ngāti Ranginui

## ***Highest Achiever in Senior Te Ao Māori Award***

**Manaia Saunders**      Ngāti Ranginui, Samoan

## ***Best Kapahaka Performer Award***

**Mikaere Wilson**      Tainui, Ngāti Haua

## ***Top Female All-round Student***

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

### ***Top Female All-round Student Taonga Recipient:***

**Alena Cabemaiwai**      Fijian

## ***Top Male All-round Student***

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

### ***Top Male All-round Student Taonga Recipient:***

**Devlin Langton**      Ngāti Kahungunu, Te Arawa

## ***Hine-te-iwaiwa***

*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.*

### ***Tane-nui-a-rangi Recipient:***

**Maia Solomona**      Whakatōhea, Tūhourangi (Te Arawa),  
Ngāti Rangitihi (Te Arawa),  
Cook Islands Māori

# ***Supreme Awards***

## ***Te Kaha o Muriwai***

*For overarching leadership, vision, action and kaitiakitanga for the benefit of others. This student's mana emulates a leader who lives, speaks, and walks for the whole iwi as much as the individual; is able to steer the waka in the right direction while weathering storms, braving seas, and harnessing the elements of our atua and our people to reach our destination with mana.*

### ***Te Kaha o Muriwai Recipient:***

**Stevee Knox**

Ngāpuhi, Uenuku-Kōpako (Te Arawa)

## ***Tikanga Māori Taonga – Tūtara Wānanga***

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

### ***Tikanga Māori Taonga – Tūtara Wānanga Award Recipient:***

**Stevee Knox**

Ngāpuhi, Uenuku-Kōpako (Te Arawa)

## ***Te Taonga Maumahara a Kay Gatfield***

*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.*

### ***Te Taonga – Maumahara a Kay Gatfield Award Recipient:***

**Ava Wills**

Tūhoe, Te Arawa

# ***Supreme Awards***

## ***Matahauariki Taonga***

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

### ***Matahauariki Taonga Recipient:***

**Kaena John**

Cook Islands Māori

## ***Te Moananui-a-Kiwa***

*For all rounded mana culturally, through sport, academically, as well as strong representation of his or her own heritage from within the Pacific ocean. This taonga is significant as it encompasses all peoples within Te Moananui-a-Kiwa as represented by each of the pou surrounding the bowl, and the bowl itself representing our vast ocean and all that lives both upon, and beneath, similarly to the vast qualities of it's recipient.*

### ***Te Moananui-a-Kiwa Taonga Award Recipient:***

**Marcus Harman**

Fijian

## ***Ngāi Tamarāwaho Taonga***

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

### ***Ngāi Tamarāwaho Taonga Joint Recipients:***

**Hinetuahiahi Attwood**

Ngāti Ranginui, Te Whānau-ā-Apanui

**Pania Attwood**

Ngāti Ranginui, Te Whānau-ā-Apanui



*Back row from left to right: Ava Wills, Marcus Harman, Pania Attwood, Hinetuahiahi Attwood, Clara-Ann Hapuku-Te Nahu*

*Front row: Devlin Langton, Alena Cabemaiwai , Nadia Gates, Maia Solomona, Kaena John, Stevee Knox (absent)*

