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International Newsletter –Term 2 2011

STUDENT FAREWELLS AND WELCOMES

At the end of term 2 we said good bye to Tom Coneely who was an AFS student from the USA and also to Yumin Lee who returned home to Korea. Both students were a pleasure to have and will be missed by their teachers and friends.



Goodbye party for Yumin Lee

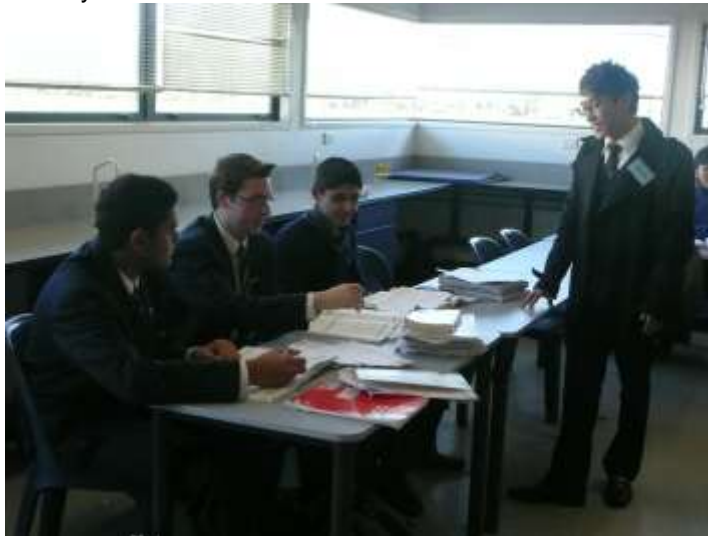
WELCOME TO JULIEN WATRELOT from France who came to Waitakere College at the end of term 2 for 2 months.



CONGRATULATIONS TO DR JEREMY SEO who was an International Student at Waitakere College from 2003-2005. Jeremy has recently graduated from NZ Chiropractic School and came to speak to the International Students and a Year 13 Physics class. Jeremy was able to give excellent advice to our students about what to expect in a tertiary setting. Jeremy also told the students that joining a sports team had been a great way for him to meet new friends and practice his English.



Jeremy Seo with the International Students



Jeremy visiting members of a Year 13 Physics class taught by his past teacher Mrs Holloway.

OUT AND ABOUT WITH OUR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

On July 5 the International Students and several of their teachers went on a trip to Orewa Beach and Waiwera. It was a beautiful day and we enjoyed ice-creams at the beach in Orewa and fun and games at Waiwera Hot Pools.



Orewa Beach Ms Park, Vicky, Mrs Thyberg and Vincent



David and Christian at Orewa Beach



Ready for fun at Waiwera Hot Pools

NEW ARRIVALS IN TERM 3

In term 3 we are looking forward to welcoming Tina Verweyen from Germany who is coming through the exchange programme STS and Shirleen Bredee and Theresia Bichler also from Germany who will be with us from week 7 in Term 3 until the end of term 4.

YEAR 10 CAMP

Year 10 Camp will be happening from November 28-December 2. All year 10 students are encouraged to participate in this camp held in beautiful Tawharanui which is an hour North of Auckland. This is a great opportunity to see a bit more of beautiful New Zealand and enjoy a wide variety of water sports and other adventures.



Tawharanui

HOMEWORK HELP

Students are encouraged to attend 3.05 Hive on Tuesdays after school if they need help with any area of their school work. There are also senior students available on Thursday lunchtimes to tutor those who need extra help.

ENROLMENT INFORMATION

If you wish to inquire about enrolling a student please email: frances@waitakere-college.school.nz Information is also available on our website www.waitakere-college.school.nz

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