

Dear Parents and Caregivers

**Waiheke Bus Service Improvement**

I am pleased to inform you that the College is now in a position to improve the bus service for our Waiheke students. Instead of having to wait 20-30 minutes for Bus 20 to pick them up from the Half Moon Bay ferry terminal in the morning, we will be introducing a new Bus 26 to pick them up at 8:00am. This service will operate every school morning, during Terms 1, 2 and 3. To save costs we will go back to using Bus 20 in Term 4 once the seniors have left.

In the afternoons, Bus 26 will operate during Term 1 and the students will share the bus with our yachting team that travel to Half Moon Bay. Bus 20 won't be going down to the ferry, so it is important they get on Bus 26. Term 2 onwards, they will be back on Bus 20, which is already a good service, to catch the 4:00pm connecting ferry.

This improved service starts NEXT Monday (22 February). There is no extra cost involved.

Kind regards

Kevin Taylor  
**College Bus Coordinator**