
















# IMPORTANT INFORMATION FROM THE PERFORMING ARTS FACULTY

Below is information about the various opportunities available to SGHS students throughout 2025.

Please note that any information regarding auditions, rehearsals, etc. will come out to students in the daily notices, on the school website as well as the school Facebook and Instagram page.

	<p>SGHS's Year 9 – 13 audition entry choir. This is a full year commitment. The choir rehearses on a Thursday from 3.15pm until 5pm with an addition rehearsal added in March of the choirs choosing.</p> <p>AUDITIONS for 2025 are nearly completed with the choir being announced week 2.</p>
	<p>SGHS Year 9 – 13 come one, come all choir. This is a full year commitment.</p> <p>Sanguine competes in the NZCF Big Sing as well as performs at Open Night and Prizegiving.</p> <p>The first rehearsal will be Week Three on Wednesday from 3.20pm–4.20pm. Just come along.</p>
	<p>SGHS Year 7 and 8 Choir. Audition entry.</p> <p>ROSSO will be involved in Sing Out as well as some other exciting events for 2025. AUDITIONS will begin 10n March. Students will audition in pairs.</p>
<p>ITINERANT MUSIC</p> 	<p>Registrations are available during the first two weeks of Term One. The registration form can be found online. Lessons are available in Strings, Woodwind, Brass, Piano, Vocal, Guitar and Drums / Percussion.</p> <p>Meetings with Itinerant teachers will take place in Week Three with lessons starting in Week Four.</p>
<p>SENIOR PRODUCTION</p> 	<p>Information regarding the Senior Production for Year 11-13 students can be accessed from the production website. <a href="https://sbhssghsproduction.weebly.com">https://sbhssghsproduction.weebly.com</a></p> <p>Audition information will be available Monday, 13 February</p> <p>Show week is 26 May – 29 May.</p>
<p>SHOWQUEST</p> 	<p>Auditions of Year 7-13 students will take place in term one for this Performing Arts Competition run by the Captains of Dance, Music, and Drama.</p> <p>There will be a participation cost.</p> <p>The event is on 9 June.</p>
<p>SHEILAH WINN</p> 	<p>Available to Year 9-13 students enthusiastic about performing Shakespeare with a modernised twist. SGHS enters a 5-minute student directed piece in the competition each year. This event takes place in late March, early April. Rehearsals are in students' own time.</p>

<p>OLI ULA</p> 	<p>Oli Ula is a showcase performance group for students wanting to express their Pasifika culture. The group performs at school events, assemblies, in the community and at Polyfest. To be part of this group you must commit to regular practices and be available for performances. Practices are held on Tuesday lunchtimes but extend to afterschool as Polyfest approaches.</p>
<p>KAPA HAKA</p> 	<p>There are two Kapahaka groups at SGHS.</p> <p>Junior Kapahaka for Years 7-8 and Senior Kapahaka for Years 9-13 practise weekly in preparation for school and regional events. All of our girls are very passionate about kapahaka as it gives them a sense of belonging and identity.</p> <p>Events locally and regionally include:</p> <p>Te Pūtangitangi - Junior Kapahaka annual competition</p> <p>Hautoka - Senior Kapahaka competition biannual - alternates, between Murihiku then Otākou.</p>
<p>DANCE NZ MADE</p> 	<p>Year 7-13 dancers have the opportunity to take part in this annual event.</p> <p>Rehearsals will be at lunchtime and be organised and run by our school Dance Captain.</p> <p>The event is on 22 August.</p>
<p>UKELELE GROUP</p> 	<p>Do you play the ukulele and want to join this fun group? This is open to all students and will begin in Term One.</p> <p>More information will come, so keep an eye on the notices and social media.</p>
<p>SMOKEFREE ROCKQUEST</p> 	<p>Smokefree Rockquest is an annual music competition for intermediate and high school bands throughout New Zealand, held on 13 June. If you have always wanted to be in a band, now is your chance. Get those drumsticks or guitar out or blow the dust off those vocal chords!</p> <p>More info will be in notices and on social media. If interested, see Mr de Blois.</p>
<p>BANDS</p> 	<p>If you would like to be in a school band rehearsals will be at lunchtimes. We will work towards taking part in Smokefree Rockquest. Watch the notices for information.</p>
<p>CHAMBER MUSIC CONTEST</p> 	<p>Advanced musicians who are keen to be part of an ensemble should look at this opportunity. NCEA students can use this as part of their group performance work. Support to assist in selecting music and preparation will be given by the Itinerant teachers.</p> <p>The contest takes place on 5 June.</p>
<p>JUNIOR PRODUCTION</p> 	<p>Junior Production for Year 7 to 10 students is in Term Four. Name of show will be announced soon.</p> <p>Information about the show will be available mid-way through Term Three. Show week is 24–27 November.</p>