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Dear Parents, Caregivers and Guardians

**Waihi College School Ball: 17th May 2025, 7.00pm-10.30pm Waihi Beach Surf Club:
Year 11 Application**

All Year 11 Waihi College students who would like to attend the Ball must complete this application form and return it to the office by Friday 2nd May. As with previous years, Year 11's may not invite a guest from outside Waihi College to attend the ball with them.

The form is designed to ensure our younger students understand the behavior expected of them while they attend a formal event and being that this is a formal school event, all attendants are expected to have a high standard of behavior. All guests will also be expected to adhere to the rules of the Waihi Beach Surf Club and it is a school event, it will of course be drug, smoke, vape and alcohol free. The rules of a public venue such as the Surf Club are standard and are as follows:

1. You cannot turn up intoxicated or under the influence of drugs.
2. You cannot bring in drugs or alcohol to the venue – not on your person or in your bag. As this is a school event, you can also not bring in smokes or vapes.
3. Violence, damage to property, intoxication and drug use will not be tolerated and any guests displaying these behaviours will be asked to leave. As this is a school event, their caregiver will be called to pick them up and their ball ticket cost will not be refunded.
5. A **minimum** \$200 clean up fee will be charged to any guest that may urinate, vomit or defecate in or around the venue.

This is one of our most exciting, formal nights of the year and we want everybody to be safe and have a wonderful time. **Please ensure your student is picked up by yourself or someone you trust at the end of the Ball.** This year, the Ball finishes at 10.30pm. Students will not be allowed to leave the Ball prior to 10pm without permission.

In order for your son/daughter to be granted permission to attend our School Ball, we require two things. Firstly, please complete the form below and return it to the front office before 2nd May to confirm you give permission for your son/daughter to attend. Secondly, students require attendance of 85% or higher (disregarding COVID/medical) and have a good behavioral record to attend. Anyone under 85%, or who we feel has behavioral concerns, will have an interview with one of our Deputy Principals to ensure they understand their responsibilities. If we are not happy with the interview, they will not be able to attend.

If you have any questions regarding the Waihi College School Ball, or your child's ability to attend, please feel free to contact me.

Briar Carden-Scott
PRINCIPAL



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Name of Student:	
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I can be contacted during the Waihi College School Ball on these numbers:
Mb:

Any medical conditions or allergies we should be aware of:

Parent/Guardian signature

I understand that I will be contacted if there are any problems during the Waihi College School Ball and that I will need to collect my son/daughter should they not adhere to the rules as listed on Page 1. I also understand that there will be no ticket refunds if my son/daughter is asked to leave.

We will contact you should we feel your student is not granted permission to attend.

THIS FORM NEEDS TO BE RETURNED TO THE OFFICE BY FRIDAY 2nd May 2025