

AFS North Shore Newsletter

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Ngā Herenga Tātai o AFS

NEXT MEETING –

Sunday 17 October 2010 7.00 pm

SUNNYNOOK COMMUNITY CENTRE

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QUIZ NIGHT!

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Put your thinking caps on, join with friends and family to make a team, and take part in our fun quiz. You may be surprised at what you know!

And you may just find you know enough to win a prize!



Remember – all families of hosted and selected students are warmly invited to join us at our meetings. As well as an update on our programme, it is a great opportunity to get in touch with other AFS families, share experiences, and ask our committee members any questions you may have.

Join us for supper to finish off the evening.

HOSTED STUDENTS

All hosted students please bring your "Record of Community Involvement" booklet with you to the next chapter meeting to show your Support Coordinator, or Pamela if your Coordinator is not at the meeting. If you are having difficulty fulfilling your requirements for this community work, please talk to your host parents or Coordinator for ideas and guidance.

For those who haven't paid for Tiritiri Matangi yet, please bring your \$62 to this meeting.

If possible, please try to arrive at the minute 10 minutes earlier so we can talk briefly to you before the main meeting commences.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Well summer is in the air, the rain has gone away, and we are all now looking towards our Christmas plans!!!!

Next year will be a big change for AFS New Zealand, in that we will no longer be accepting Year and Semester students in the middle of the year. (This allows for a full year of schooling.) So for 2011, our hosting intake will occur at the start of February only.

As at time of writing we already have 5 students coming to the North Shore Chapter at the start of the 2011 school year. This is what AFS is all about, providing the opportunity for another group of neat teenagers to enjoy your family and our country!!!

So give me a call if you are interested in hosting, this can be from as little as 3 months as a welcome family, or up to a year long. Talk to your friends and neighbours to let them know about the possibilities open to their families through hosting.

A special invitation to all parents, come and connect with us at our next meeting and join a short and light hearted quiz.

Cheers

Winston

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GENERAL NOTICES

CALENDAR DATES

Oct 11 Back to school!
Oct 17 AFS meeting
Nov 14 AFS meeting
Nov 28 Santa Parade
Dec 12 AFS meeting – **BOAT TRIP**
11 am – 3 pm **KEEP THIS DAY FREE!**
Yes, this is our meeting, so we'll see you all there.

WHAT'S ON

10 Oct North Harbour v Wellington, North Harbour Stadium, 2.35 pm (rugby)
16 Oct Breakers v Kings, North Shore Events Centre, 8.00 pm (basketball)
17 Oct Mairangi Bay Fun Run – 3 km or 5 km
30-31 Oct Diwali Festival of Lights
31 Oct Auckland Marathon

HOSTING

Our North Shore chapter has been asked to place 11 students who are due to arrive at the end of January. We have placed five to date so are off to a good start, but things have gone a little quiet and we need more homes. We would love to hear from some of our returnees who haven't yet hosted - now is your chance to repay the favour. Or for newly selected students, hosting offers you great preparation for your trip. Or for those families who haven't hosted for a while and are keen to do it again, or whose children have left home and it's a little quiet, fill the void with one of our lovely AFS students or take two so that they entertain each other!!

For any queries, please contact Heather or Su at hosting@afsns.org.nz
or **Heather 09426 8128** or **Su 09426 5030**

REMEMBER – STUDENTS!

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Your chance to make some serious money.....

Any **student** (selected, hosted or returnee) who introduces a new family who hosts an AFS student for a semester or year programme will be rewarded with **\$200**. A great chance to make yourself some extra spending money.

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And a letter from an Orewa family recalling their very positive experience hosting students:

I have read in the Rodney Times about the AFS students. I thought you might like to know that in 1971 we had an AFS student from Pennsylvania come and live with us. We actually had two over the years and it was a great experience for our family growing up. Beth (from Pennsylvania) was a great person to have live with us. She was 17 at the time and is now in her fifties. She is still our American daughter and we e.mail each other very regularly. We have been to stay with her and husband Dave quite a few times and they have been out to New Zealand to be with us. We have also been to both their daughters' weddings and were involved in the actual wedding proceedings. The eldest daughter (Jennifer and Blake) have a little boy named Kaleb and he is our adopted great-grandson.

This has been a wonderful experience and I think anyone who hosts an AFS student is in for a marvellous time.

Regards
Elaine Dennis

URGENT New family needed for

Davide from Italy (Alessandria), 17 years old



Davide is an extroverted and confident person who likes sports, music and movies. At school, Davide most enjoys studying math and philosophy and having fun with his friends. Davide has been playing rugby since was nine years old and practices four times a week. He also likes the fact that his younger brother is in the same rugby team as they are very close. Davide lives in a busy household and the whole family (parents and 2 younger siblings) always work together to do the chores. (1 year, July 2010-2011)

Davide arrived in NZ in August and unfortunately needs a new family. He was hosted in the Central North Island and presently on holiday with a family here on the North Shore; this family would love to keep Davide but are already hosting 3 AFS students and have run out of spare seats in their car! As Davide has now made some friends on the North Shore it would be fantastic to find a North Shore family and give him some real stability to his AFS exchange.

The Forlongs' report that David has a lovely nature, happy to fit in and mixes well; he has a real interest in others. He is motivated and gets involved in whatever is happening.

From the Forlongs;

"To the next 'potential' host family, David arrived Friday evening and was happy to be woken at 8am Saturday with all our other kids to join in our annual spring clean day. He spent 4 hours in the morning and 2 hours in the afternoon with the other boys and 'dad' digging out weeds in the sheep paddock. He has been polite and has a positive approach to attempting all things (even the tree top adventure they all did on Sunday).

He will be welcome to join our kids in other activities if he is positioned within bus route to us. Unfortunately we do not have an extra car seat for him over the long term as our other 2 sons periodically come home.....

If you think you could host Davide, or would like to talk more about him, please give either myself, Pamela Cullen, or our hosting team a call:-

Su Vincent – 09 426 5030
Heather Harris – 09 426 8128
Pamela Cullen – 488 0509

RETURNEES' NEWS

Ray Hu (*France*) 29 September 2010

Returning from an exchange, as I found out, is a challenge in itself (almost as difficult as leaving!). The flight home was a time of great excitement, and was also an opportunity for some introspection for all nine of us NZers on the plane. We knew that our stay in France was over, but in only an abstract sense, and only when we landed at Auckland airport did it really sink in. It was sad to say goodbye to everyone, as this experience had really brought us together. However, we were all very keen to see our family again, and were quick to go our own ways. Let me tell you one thing: Don't try to bring French dried sausage through customs... I had to wait for nearly an hour at bio-security and in the end I still had to throw it away! Then when I finally exited customs, my mum failed to recognise me at the arrival lounge! As a mum, this is one thing I'll never let her live down!

I slowly got used to things again. Throughout the course of the first month back it was a succession of "I remember this place" and "Oh yea, you're..." It was very much like finding the jigsaw pieces that join together to rebuild a picture of my life. I suppose going back to school was the biggest sign that I'm no longer in France. It is interesting how you still know some people so well and yet you have barely thought about them all the while you were away. At the same time it is somewhat disappointing. These 10 months have changed me so much but everything here is still so *ordinary*. I find that I am no longer interested in what my old friends are interested in, but I already knew that might happen, and I'm not too concerned about it.

I must say that the exchange does not end once we get back to NZ. France is still very much a part of my life (in a detached but intimate way). My host family have become very important to me, although I never got around to calling my host parents mum and dad because I thought that would just have made things awkward. The way that they ceased to be part of my everyday life was very abrupt, and needless to say, I initially missed them very much. I still smile to myself when I hear something that reminds me of a family joke or expression that I had become so accustomed to in France. I have been trying to make the most of this year in France, including giving a speech to my school and taking extra French classes to keep the language going. I have also been going to a French morning tea on Saturday mornings at Alliance Francaise where I have met some very interesting people.

I still see often my host family on Skype as well as send emails, but I look forward to when I can go back to visit them in France! I now feel so much richer with a mum, dad and two brothers on the other side of the world!

Amitiés

Ray

RETURNEES' NEWS

Sylvie Ardmore (Switzerland) 29 September 2010

I arrived back in New Zealand looking much the same as I ever did. I was no taller, additions to my wardrobe had been few and far between and my full acceptance of the Swiss diet did not appear to have taken its toll. However, as any returnee will tell you, it is impossible to do an AFS exchange and not change and develop in a whole host of ways.

Some things I have really noticed are an improved ability to view things from a broader or global perspective, a better understanding of people's core values and beliefs and how they differ and also an increase in self confidence. All these things have helped me achieve what I have in these last eight months.

I was selected to be John Key's representative at the 2010 NZ Youth Parliament. On the 6th and 7th of July one hundred and twenty-two youth representatives converged on the Beehive. The event was a full two days where we participated in a range of parliamentary procedures including select committee meetings, party caucus, question time, and legislative and general debates. Overall the experience was amazing! There are certain seats where you never expect to sit, certain microphones you never expect to speak into, certain people you never expect to meet; especially when you're 18 and still trying to work out what direction you want to take in life. Being selected to represent the Prime Minister of New Zealand at an event like Youth Parliament is one of the most incredible things I have had the opportunity to do.

As well as this I have also been lucky enough to be chosen as a member of the New Zealand delegation to The Hague International Model United Nations (THIMUN) in Holland 2011. This is an event which attracts young people from around the globe and is, like AFS, a real movement toward getting youth involved in the international community.

AFS has given me the confidence to step up my involvement in activities outside of school. While study is still a priority, it is the people who are involved in events like NZ Youth Parliament and THIMUN who are particularly inspirational. If there is one thing I have learnt over the past few months it is that the end of your exchange is not the end of your adventure, coming home can be equally challenging and equally rewarding.

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Olivia Rapata (Portugal) 3 October 2010

Hello fellow Kiwis!!

Life in Portugal is good, I've only been here a couple of weeks but it's such a lovely country and super different from New Zealand, I feel like an explorer on some alien world. The weather here's been really warm which is nice after just coming out of a New Zealand winter.

It's been really exciting as Mafra the town where I live just recently had a festival of honour for "Nossa Senhora Da Nazare" (Our Lady of Nazareth), the festival is to celebrate the arrival of this statue of a catholic saint. It only happens to Mafra every 17 years so I was really lucky to see it. The festival was really amazing the entire city was lit up with lights and speakers played music up and down the streets. There were concerts, bumper cars and Churros (YUM). At the concerts all

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there were all these Portuguese performers which I had never heard of but they were pretty good. It was so much fun and it lasted all week.

The town I'm staying in is very pretty and quaint. There is a national palace which is huge and beautiful, the architecture and art is amazing. I had seen pictures of it before but they are nothing like seeing it up close and personal. Also my town has its own special types of cakes you can only get in Mafra, that are called "Fradinhos" and to put it simply they are happiness in cake form. Also something else I found here was a bucket of donut holes! FTW!

School here is fun but super strange, I'm getting to sleep in a lot as half the week I start school at 1:40pm. All my classes are in Portuguese so it's easy to say my best subject in school is English. The other week my family took me for a little tour around Lisbon which is an awesome city. They have these massive statues on each roundabout and cafes on every corner. Though I have to say my favourite part of Portugal is the street art. It's so bright and vibrant; my favourite is this massive green octopus on the side of the motorway. I'm going back to Lisboa this Terça with some classmates because it's a national holiday, so we get the day off school!

And now to all future exchange students these are my final words of wisdom: don't be like me, learn the language BEFORE you head over to some strange and foreign country...

Olivia

Elena Sutcliffe (Germany) 4 October 2010

Hello ☺

Ok here is my email with a summary of all that's been happening to me this year.

I am in Dortmund, Germany for my year exchange. I go to Max-Plank-Gymnasium and in the first 6 months I was in the 10th class, as the class stays together to go to classes. It was the smallest class in the year (only 3 classes in the year) and happened to be the French class. So I was basically having over 6 hours of French during the week. I can not speak French. I have never learnt French in my life. I was struggling with German, and my form teacher (who was the French teacher) knew all of this but anyway, wanted to me partake in the class and do the homework and exercises. It was stupid and I got bored very quickly. However, after a while I talked with some of my friends from the other classes and they said I could come with them, and I ended up changing all my French classes in to other classes. People at school all have their groups. Me, being the new curiosity didn't actually work in my advantage, to my surprise. No one talked to me. They kinda like, check your appearance, if you look like one of them, then they start talking to you. But they are very conservative compared to NZ. It was also very hard to keep a conversation going because I didn't know that much German, they all spoke so fast and didn't speak to me in English. My best guy friend was the only one from my class who made an effort to talk to me, who didn't care how I looked. He couldn't speak any English but still tried so that I had someone to talk to. Now we are very close and he is unbelievably happy that we now can talk in German to each other. But now everything is all good, and I can basically understand everything in the lesson. I am also now in the 11th, meaning that I could choose my subjects.

After 3 and a bit months into my exchange, things weren't working out for me and my host

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family, so I changed. On my birthday. Now I am soooo happy with my new family, I love them all to bits! They weren't with AFS, but joined so that they could have me. My host family is, big, to put it lightly.

Host dad: Rudolf, owns a jeweler shop in the city centre.

Host mum: Doro, realshüler teacher for Chemie and Mathe.

Host sister #1: Caro, 22 and studies in Düsseldorf but comes home every weekend. Did a year exchange in NZ.

Host sister #2: Isi, 19, just finished school and now studies in Mannheim; we meet through our tennis club.

Host sister #3: Vici, 5 and is getting prepared to start school.

Host brother: Justus, 4 and is still in kindergarten.

I love my family so much, we live really close to the city centre; have our own house (its normal to own an apartment here). We have a multi-purpose woman at home and we get along with each other. She does the whole family's washing, cooking and cleans the whole house as well. She's amazing.

That's a brief summary of where I am at the moment ☺

Liebe Grüße, Elena

Bryan Wong (Denmark) 4 October 2010

Hej alle sammen :D

Creeping ever so closer is the date I come back to New Zealand. It scares me when I think about leaving Denmark in 2 months after it has greeted me with open arms. These past ten months have undoubtedly be some of the best in my entire life. I have met so many great people that I'm sure I will never forget and learned so much about the world's many cultures. So this is my second time writing a letter back, so I'll continue from where I left off.

Roughly 3 months ago, I started summer vacation. So many amazing, life-changing things happened during the summer. In early June, I toured around Jutland and Fyn with AFS and countless other exchange students for four days. It was so amazing to travel around a country with your peers who are just as curious about new things as you are. We visited many well known places in Denmark, such as Skagen Grenen which is the very northernmost part of Denmark where the Baltic Sea and the Atlantic Sea meet, and Legoland, a theme park based around Lego. It was great meeting many of the other exchange students who had arrived half a year before me.

On top of the Jutland trip during the summer, I got to travel to Italy and Belgium in July. I spent a week at the amazing beaches of Sardinia, a week of calm sightseeing and socializing in the Belgian city Namur, and one breathtaking week in the Italian cities Venice and Treviso. I got to meet some exchange student friends I had met the year before. It was nice to meet them again and experience life in the two very different countries but I also began to miss Denmark.

Having gotten back to Denmark, it was the start of August. It was time for the welcome camp for the exchange students who were arriving now and the mid-year camp for those of us who came in

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January. It was an awesome experience to meet the 160 or so new exchange students from everywhere in the world. It was amusing to see the new exchangees' reactions to the Danish food, the Danish culture and the language.

Not only did I meet a bunch of new exchange students, but I also to meet my host sister, Maria who had just gotten back from her one year exchange in Argentina. She's a really interesting and outgoing person. Since the start of the year she has given me advice on how to learn Danish quickly.

Shortly after the camp, school resumed; a fresh new year. I was now in the third and the last year of the Danish high school. I got to see all my classmates again which was really great.

In early September, I went on a school trip with the rest of my year to Berlin for four days. I got experience how Danish teenagers act on a school trip first hand. The teachers are very relaxed and trusting of their students. We students are allowed to wander off into the city ourselves during the evenings. Being in the presence of their teachers didn't obstruct the Danish drinking culture at all. Speaking Danish is a lot easier now. Being exposed to the language 24/7 really helps. I can't even remember why I had thought Danish was so difficult during the start of the year.

Surely enough, the different culture has gotten to me in the least surprising ways. Before I came to Denmark, I would have skipped any techno or electronic music on my iPod playlists, but now I can't help but have them all on repeat.

After these 10 months, I have not only learnt to appreciate Denmark and its unique culture, but I have also learnt to appreciate the world's many cultures. I have many new friends all around the world now, from Japan to Latvia, from the Czech Republic to Thailand.

Denmark is a beautiful country. I'm sad to have to say good bye to it soon. I will never forget everything I have learnt this year and everyone I have come to know. For all future exchanges, jump head-first into your exchange year with an open mind and make the most of it.

Vi ses snart

Bryan Wong (Denmark)

John Allis (*Bolivia*) 5 October 2010

Last week, I was given the opportunity of a lifetime to travel, way outside of the city, to the most remote village imaginable, Yapiroa, a Guaraní speaking village, which made it hard for me to communicate (with the younger children especially) in Spanish.

I went to this village, of 700 inhabitants (300 of them between the ages of 5 and 12), with a team of Americans and Brazilians in order to dig water wells, as they have little access to clean water.

My role, as well as the manual labour, was largely translating between the Brazilians and Americans, telling them what had to be done to get the wells built, and also between the Americans and the children (often from English to Spanish to Guaraní), as they wanted to hear about the children's way of life, and tell about how life is over there in the States. This was really good for me, because as I was spending a lot of time with the children I got to relate to them a lot, and get to know a bunch of them individually. I even tried one night to get them to teach me Guaraní, which failed miserably...

Working from 7.30 in the morning until 6.00 at night was hard work, even if we were one of the lucky teams to have the machine helping us out... but luckily we always had our team of about 20 kids watching us, for support, and to see how it was done, always hoping someone might bring out their camera, video camera, or Iphone, in which they could see the wonder of themselves dancing and singing. Furthermore the day was always finished off with a fun, if

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exhausting, game of football (where these 12 yr old kids would show me exactly how the game should be played), or baseball, as some of the Americans had thought to bring a baseball and mitts, which they then taught the kids, and possibly created a new Bolivian obsession.

After 5 days of hard work (without showers or bathrooms) and hard play, we managed to complete 2 20 meter wells, which both gave good clean water for their community.

This was definitely the most culturally different experience I have had in my life; it was amazing for me to see how differently people live in other parts of the world.

John

Gabriela Visini (*Italy*) 6 October 2010

Ciao all!

It's only been what, three weeks since I departed from NZ, but I have experienced so much already, it feels like years for me at this point.

Our flights to Italy were funny considering we made a mistake and missed our flight in Frankfurt, and had to run around trying desperately to find someone who both spoke English *and* could rebook our flights to Rome. In the end we got there though, however more from luck than anything! In hindsight, it gave us some nice relaxing time in Frankfurt between flights. During our waiting time we ran into the gigantic group from Germany going to Italy, who we tagged along with because they were able to call AFS Roma and tell them where we were. I tell you, always carry a bunch of coins on you in airports because you never know who you might need to call on a public phone!

The camp in Roma was great too, we had a lot of spare time the first night to calm down and sleep after collecting our fair share of jetlag along the way. After Roma on the third day of camp we were all split up and shipped off to our hosting regions. Only then did we truly realize how big Italy is I think. I flew with about ten other students to Cagliari in Sardegna, where we met our host parents for the first time. It was an amazing moment, walking out the automatic doors and seeing all these eager faces, mirroring our excitement. We were all so nervous at that point too!

Since then my small group of AFS students have settled down really well. I attend a Linguistic school in a small city called Villacidro, along with two other students, Alyona from Russia, on an intensive programme, and Alejandrina from Mexico, here for a year like me. Also living in my town is an American girl named Marina, who Alejandrina and I hang out with after school. Alyona, another Mexican girl called Gabriela as well, and a Chinese girl named Canny live nearby small villages and we see them every second day for lessons. We have all become such great friends, it's great to be so close to people when you are all on the same level of learning. My host family are so wonderful too, my host father is Carabinieri, a step up from the police, and my host mother works in a shop less than two minutes walk from my school. I am enjoying my stay with them so much, it's great to see how people will open up their home to you when you have almost nothing to give to them in return.

At school we take so many subjects. Filosofia (philosophy), storia dell'arte (art history), Storia (history), chimica (chemistry), Latino (latin), Francese (French), Inglese (English, my favourite subject), Spagnolo (Spanish), Italiano (Italian), Tedesco (German), Gym, and matematica (math). In school Alejandrina and I almost always talk in Italian now, every day I speak English less and less, mostly with the American girl and occasionally with my host father when my Italian fails me. I even get to walk to school every morning (not so fun when it rains sometimes...) which is cool, and I found someone to walk with from my school so I am no longer alone.

choose not to embellish that statement, you guys will figure it out for yourselves! Classes are funny, every day for weeks me and the other two AFS students had to introduce ourselves because of all the different teachers. At first we laughed so hard because we didn't fully understand some of the questions that they asked us. Oh, and when people told me there are few blondes in Sardegna, they weren't kidding. I'm literally one out of two or three in my town. As I walk to school every day School starts at 8:30am, and

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ends at 1:50pm most days except for on Saturday when it ends at 1:20pm. Unlike tidy NZ there are often organized student strikes here, and we are told a week in advance that we shouldn't go to school on a certain day because no one feels like it on that day. It's awesome! And if a teacher doesn't come in, they bump the classes up so that their class is last, and everyone just goes home an hour or two early. No relievers here! My school looks like a prison, complete with decorative bars on the windows and a fresh coat of pretty graffiti. The class is very relaxed, everyone eats when they want (which is all the time here) and I don't think I've been through a class yet where people have actually put away their cell phones. I got told on my first day that cell phones were strictly banned, but I quickly figured out people were joking, NOTHING is strictly banned in my school; I there will be someone who calls out "bionde" which means blonde in Italian.

I love the challenge my life here brings me, however typical the things we do are; such as going to get gelato after school or a beer at night, or cheering loudly during a soccer match. The Italian life is so much more than I ever expected, I only hope that every other exchange student here feels the same about their life and family.

Life is very different, I think we are all surprised how easily we have slotted into everything here. The thought of going home at the end of the year makes me sad, and I've been here only three weeks now! Anyone to have such an experience is a lucky person!

Anyways, you will hear more from me throughout my year I am sure,

Ciao ciao all and I hope that stories like this inspire more of you to experience these brilliant cultures that lie in wait all over the world. —Gabriela

An idea for those of you who have still to fulfil your requirements for your Community Involvement work.....

Royal New Zealand Foundation of the Blind – Blind Week 2010: 26 October - 1 November

We need more Volunteers urgently!

We are less than 1 month away from Blind Week and currently have 3,350 volunteers. It is fantastic that there are so many generous people and we are incredibly grateful for their support. We know this Blind Week is going to be a wonderful celebration of 120 years of the Royal New Zealand Foundation of the Blind, but to reach our target of \$1million we still have a shortage of 2,750 volunteers. We need to ask you and your friends and/or family if you could possibly give just 2 hours of your time to help us.

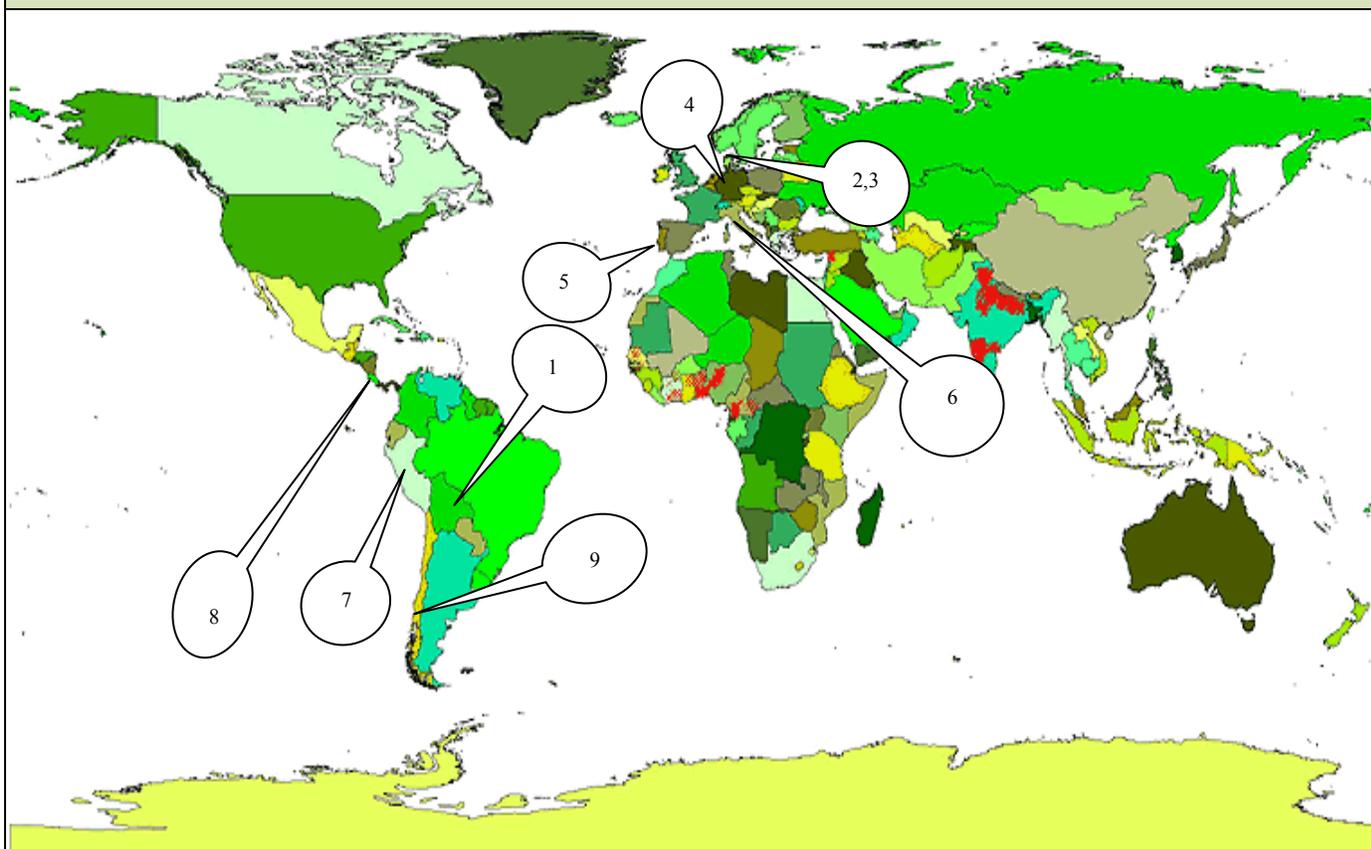
To register as a volunteer for just two hours during Blind Week:

- 1) Phone 0800 120 BLIND (0800 120 BLIND)
- 2) Email blindweek@rnzfb.org.nz. or
- 3) Register online now at www.blindweek.org.nz

Thank you so much for your support. We simply couldn't do it without your help.

The Blind Week Team

WHERE OUR SELECTED STUDENTS ARE ABROAD



North Shore students currently overseas:

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| 1 John Allis, Bolivia | 4 Elena Sutcliffe, Germany | 7 Kieran Simmons, Peru |
| 2 Samantha Te Au, Denmark | 5 Olivia Rapata, Portugal | 8 Phoebe Farrimond-Kelly, Costa Rica |
| 3 Bryan Wong, Denmark | 6 Gabriela Visini, Italy | 9 Katrina Rothwell, Chile |



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