



Coming Events

- Fri 4 August
Te Ara Tapu a Tane Trip
- Mon 7 August
Chess Tournament
- Tues 8 August
Coromandel Road Show
Careers Expo
- Fri 18 August
Golf Tournament
- Sat 19 August
Jiading Delegation arrive
- Mon 21 August
The Science Roadshow
- Tues 22 August
Primary Technology
Showcase
- Thur 24 August
Senior HSP
(Home School Partnership)
Primary Technology
Showcase
- Fri 25 August
Jiading Delegation
depart
- Thurs 31 August
Social (Yr 13)
- Fri 1 - Mon 5 September
Jnr Basketball
Tournament
- Mon 4 - Fri 8 September
Tournament Week
- Tues 5 - Fri 8 September
Snr Boys Basketball
Tournament
- Mon 11 - Thurs 14 September
Practice Exam Week
- Fri 15 September
Golf Tournament

Principal's Comment

4 August 2017

Kia ora koutou,

Welcome back to Term 3 at Paeroa College.

As ever, its an exciting time for us as Winter sports begin to draw to a close. Whilst I am excited about all of our sports I am choosing this week to highlight our rugby teams at fourth grade and 1st XV level.

Our younger boys had two great wins in the last week over Hauraki Plains College and finished top of the table prior to the semi-finals this weekend. The boys played fantastically well on Saturday following a tough win the previous Wednesday and should be proud of their efforts. Most importantly, in my view, they played with pride, courtesy and humility.

Our senior team did even better, completing an unbeaten second round by beating HPC and heading into the semi-finals at the top of the table with great confidence. Once again, our boys played with pride, strength of purpose, humility and a great sense of team. I love winning, but more important than winning is the manner in which you win - and our boys across the code of rugby union are representing the values

that Paeroa College holds important. We welcomed back at the start of the term our Australian visit students. They had an amazing time and I've been enjoying listening to the stories and the memories of this trip will live with the students for the rest of their lives. I'd like to once again thank everyone for their involvement in supporting this trip to happen.

In terms of academic focus, this is the term that we start to see the benefits of hard work with results rolling in. Whilst we continue to be on course for some very good success I would like to remind everyone to keep pushing hard. For families and whanau be aware that our senior school HSP is coming up in week 5 to allow for everyone to ensure that we get the right success for our kids.

Kia kaha Paeroa!!

Nga mihi

Doug Black

Celebrations

The following certificates have been given out recently to the following Junior School students.
(Senior School certificates will be in the next College Comment)

Year 9

General

Jeremiah Coffey Willingness to step out and be a leader at WYLD

Hard Materials

Tybias Bird Worked with consistent focus and displayed critical thinking throughout the flight assignment. And a very capable member working in a team.

Case Baxter Worked as an integral team member displaying good problem solving skills and trialing different solutions to the problems.

Luisa Takai A valued member of class taking on extra responsibilities of photo evidence for the class. Worked well in her team to complete her Flight Unit.

Suzie Roskam A very focused student who contributed a lot to her team and completed all the requirements of the flight unit to an excellent standard.

Rimu Alexander Displayed excellent critical thinking

Eraea Tai Displayed excellent critical thinking

Coding

Luisa Takai Excellence in coding

Tybias Bird Excellence in problem solving in Coding

Case Baxter Excellence in problem solving in Coding

Food Technology

Ryu Watene Johnson Excellent food handling skills and cleanliness in Food Tech

Core - Fantastic Asttle result, up 4 sub levels

Ryu Watene Johnson, Tybias Bird, Timoti Wiperi, Core

Sarah Watson Dedication to learning and constantly giving everything 100%

Connor Fowell Enthusiasm and attitude towards learning and being a great role model for others

Sam Begbie Dedication to science fair and work ethic displayed throughout this.

At least 99% Attendance

Duncan Buchanan, Jeremiah Coffey, Jessie Cole Murray, Nelson Thorne, Sarah Watson

Year 10

Hard Materials

Chase Hunter Completed 6 projects in a semester. Came and just worked hard.

Madison Tarver Completed 4 projects in a semester. Focused and a good problem solver.

Food Technology

Mahalia Mott Excellence in Masterchef

Halie Bell Excellence in Masterchef

Kasey Bennett Excellence in Masterchef

Marcus Williams-Oka Excellence in food handling skills

At least 99% Attendance

Kasey Bennett, Montelle Herekiuha, Sarah Lee McKain, Shante Wickliffe

General

Montelle Herekiuha Continued commitment and diligence to all things learning in CORE

Matthew Charlton Consistently making responsible choices in learning last term

Breanna Doran All around excellence in CORE AMPS term 2

Semi Finals

Rugby - Saturday 5th August
4th grade at 10am at home
1st 15 11.30am at home

Netball - Friday 4th August
Senior A 6:30pm in Waihi against
West B

Sports Results

Rugby
1st XV played Hauraki plains College 1st XV and won 37-5
4th grade played Hauraki east and won 32-12

Soccer
Girls 1st XI played Sacred heart and won 2-0
Girls 2nd XI played Sacred heart and won 3-2
Boys soccer played Hamilton boys B team and lost 4-5

Netball
Senior A netball team played Waihi College development and won 54-28

Hockey
Girls Hockey played Collier High School and lost 2-1

New Teacher for the Junior School

This term we have welcomed a new teacher to Paeroa College. His name is Kirtis McNaughton. Mr McNaughton is from Te Awamutu and he is teaching in the junior school, mainly core curriculum. Mr McNaughton is covering for Mrs Anderson who is on maternity leave for the next 2 terms. We wish the best of luck to both Mr McNaughton and Mrs Anderson.



Purchasing of School Uniforms

For the remainder of the year, if anyone is needing to purchase new uniform items, please see Mrs Berry in the student centre.

Thank you

WaiKids Free Ear Clinic Service

Plunket rooms, Cnr Wharf & Marshall Street
9:30 am - 2:30 pm
Friday 4 August, Tuesday 22 August &
Thursday 21 September (closes 12:30pm)

Rainbows End's Big Celebration

Rainbows End is celebrating their 35 year in business. Starting from Thursday 27th July, till 11 August they have a very good deal on for just \$39 for a Superpass. Buy online today before the deal ends!

NZQA Fees Due

Any senior student sitting NCEA Level 1, 2 or 3 needs to pay an NZQA fee to the school, which we then forward to NZQA on your behalf. The due date for this fee is Friday 8th September. Any unpaid fees after this date can still be paid, but will have to be paid directly to NZQA, not to us at the school. These need to be paid in full - part payments are not able to be forwarded. If you are unsure whether you have paid these fees please contact the Student Center.

Corrugated Iron Needed

We are in need of corrugated iron for the primary tech classes. If you know where we can find some can you please get in contact with Garry Smith - at garrys@paeroacollege.school.nz

Bus Driver Wanted

Murphy Busses need bus drivers, to be eligible to do this you need: the right to live and work in New Zealand, good interpersonal and communication skills, a clean drivers record, a valid Full Class 1 Drivers Licence for at least 2 years.

If you are ready, willing and able don't hesitate – call today on 868 6265 or email employment@murphybuses.co.nz to register your interest or call in to 7 Kopu Road, Kopu and pick up an application.



Students from Taiwan

On the 24th July we had 20 exchange students from Taiwan arrive to experience the cultures of New Zealand and what we have to offer. During their time here they have been on heaps of adventures like a scavenger hunt around Paeroa, a trip to Waihi beach, and a look at all the animals at Bullswool farm. Everything has been a new challenge for them, but it has also been a good experience for them.

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Student Exchange programme

Ever wanted to visit another country? Thinking of learning another language to decrease your risk of Alzheimer's? Want to embrace a new culture? Now that's all possible thanks to the Student Travel Schools Foundation; just call 0800 991 991 (or email sts@stsnz.co.nz if you're shy) and choose from 16 different countries with departures ranging from the months January, August and December of 2018.

