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Paeroa College



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COLLEGE COMMENT

15 September 2017

Coming Events

Principal's Comment

Kia ora koutou,

Last week was an absolute pleasure for me personally as I was able to visit the various sports teams that we had on tour during tournament week. We had our Junior Boys and Junior Girls basketball early in the week in Auckland and our UNISS Netball team (Panmure) and Senior basketball (Tauranga) Boys enjoying a tour. It once again struck me how significant these types of opportunities are for students. As well as the games themselves, the experience of coming away from school and doing something as a team with all of the positive experiences and challenges that this provides are often all too rare and it was great to see the students having the chance. In addition, once again I was reminded of the amazing efforts that volunteers put into the sport so thanks once again to everyone involved.

In terms of academic performance the students are continuing to perform to an excellent standard. We have already seen a significant proportion of students achieve their NCEA level 2 and keeping the focus going is important. In addition to this success we tried a new exam venue this week with practice exams – these were held in B1. Everything went smoothly and we now await the results with anticipation.

Last week I visited Courtney Collier. For those of you who are unaware, Courtney has recently diagnosed with Non Hodgkinson's Lymphoma, a type of cancer. Courtney is our head girl and an inspiration to the school community. Courtney is in the early stages of treatment and when I visited was positive and happy to chat. We are organising a number of fund raisers to support the Collier whanau including this week a coin trail - anyone who has some coins they would like to get rid of are more than welcome to drop them off at our student services and we will add them onto the trail. In addition, this week Paora Raharaha is running an amazing 100km on behalf of Courtney. If you would like to support his run you can do so in two ways: financially through https://givealittle.co.nz/ cause/runforcourtz or in terms of spirit by walking or running with him when he comes into Paeroa during the middle of the day on Sunday. In adversity we truly test our characters and I have no doubt that Courtney will beat this – Kia kaha Courtney!

Nga mihi nui,

Doug Black

Fri 15 September TV Golf Motocross - Gisborne Mon 18 September 2018 Head Student **Applications Open** Tues 19-20 September Otago Uni Trip Market Day 1-4pm MCAT External Maths Exam Wed 20 September Sports/Team Photos Thurs 21 september Yr 11 Sustainability Trip Tues 26 September Yr 13 Bio Trip - Kelly Tarltons **Enviroschools Celeration** Wed 27 Sept - 8 Oct Jiading Exchange - Trip to China Fri 29 September 2018 Head Student **Applications Close** Mon 2 - Fri 13 Oct



Holidays

Run for Courtz

When: Sunday 17 September

Around 12 noon

Where: 38 Taylor Ave, Paeroa is the meeting

point where everyone can join in on

the run for Courtney

Facebook: Run for Courtz

Give a Little: For people to donate

- Run for Courtz

Ending: There will be a feed with Courtney

and her whanau - bring a plate.

There will be people on phones in contact with everyone and we will be live on "Run for Courtz" Facebook Page. Run a little or a lot!

Senior Boys Basketball Tournament Week

During tournament week the Senior Boys Basketball team travelled to Tauranga and played in the BBNZ Senior Premiership, which they had not played in before. They had only Jesse-Roy and Huntar who were use to playing in Competitive Tournaments.

The week before the older players Keanu, Coel and Hendrix had to withdraw due to TV U18 Rugby commitments, Mason had pulled out due to an injury and Boston ended up in hospital the night before they left. So that was the end of their big boys. They were down to 8 and so recruited Michael.

First day they had two games and were beaten by high scores but the size of the players were just amazing, they were a very small team in comparison.

Throughout the tournament the team played their best and they managed to win a game and came 16th overall which was a great achievement for the team.

A lot of the teams they played were Y12 and Y13's, so good development for the young and upcoming team. They look forward to 2018.

They wish to give a big thank you to their Coaches Steve, Miah and manager Josie. A well drilled combination of youth and wisdom.......

Senior A Netball Tournament Week

A team of talented young girls took part in a tournament held at Auckland Netball Centre for 1 whole week playing teams from all over the North Island. They played a total of 10 games spread throughout the week and came back with 1 win and 1 draw, it wasn't the outcome the girls were hoping for but they came back with their heads held high and attitudes still amazing. Their captain of the team (Carlee Wilkinson) said "it was great to bond with the girls, we didn't have the outcome we wanted but we definitely bonded as a team". A huge thank you to Bronwyn, Pauline, & Annette for their guidance and mothering.



Sports Photos

All sport photos are to be taken in the HALL on Wednesday 20th September. Could everyone involved in team sports please remember to bring your playing kit and Number ones for this day. Uniforms will then be handed in for the season so please make sure they are clean! A list of times will be at the student centre. If you know of team members who do not attend school on Wednesday please let them know this date. Trade students your photos will be first.

Friday Night Friend-zy

A friendly reminder that Friday Night Friend-zy is held fortnightly.

When: Friday 15th September 2017.

Time: 6pm-8pm

Venue: Paeroa Carehouse **Activity:** KARAOKE DISCO NIGHT

Cost: \$2

Thank you for your support.

Fundraising

We held a mufti day recently and raised \$191.00 for the Cancer Daffodil Day AND the \$2 Pop Up Shop, run by the Food Academy raised \$233.00 of which half, \$116.50 was donated to the Waihi SPCA and the other half \$116.50, was donated to the Cancer Daffodil Day.

Paeroa Patches

Paeroa Patches, a group of women who make quilts and give back to the community, have decided they would donate 2 quilts they have made to raffle off, the money raised from this will be given to Courtney and her family as they could use the help. The raffle will be held at the Junior school Market Day on Tuesday September 19th from 1pm - 4pm. There will be stalls selling tickets and the winners will be drawn by the end of the week. Come along and buy some tickets to support Courtney and her family.



The P3 Annual Speaker Series "Designed to make you think"







In conjunction with ANZ, please come along to hear from our key speakers:

- Kevin (Smilie) Barrett & Andy Slater.
 "Successful Taranaki dairy farmers. Successful Taranaki rugby players of local legend status."
 On "Organic vs Higher Input farming, and what it takes to be successful"
- · ANZ, Economic outlook, Election fallout.

DATE: 27th September 2017

TIME: 7.00pm Tea & Coffee, Seminar 7.30 - 9.30 pm VENUE: Hauraki Golf Club, SH27 and SH2 Intersection (10 minutes north of Ngatea)

DRESS: Smart Casual

We look forward to your attendance

Please RSVP by 22nd September 2017 by email to Maria Baigent longride@farmside.co.nz or text message 021 281 2552



Paeroa College Market Day

Tuesday 19th September 1 - 4pm

Paeroa College Hall

Come along and bag yourself a bargain! Junior students and some yr 11 students have been working in small groups to research, plan, make and create an end product to promote and sell at Market Day.

The most successful product in the Junior School, being the one that raises the most money. Year 9 and 10 students have decided to donate half of their profits to support our Head Girl Courtney Collier. Other prizes and awards will be awarded to recognise the most deserving products. Thank you for your

support and we hope to see as many people from our awesome community there as possible



PIZZA HEAV

\$1 a slice (BIG)

\$1 fizzy drink



\$4 for 3 slices and drink



GAMES AND FC



Winning Prizes Come along and support our team and participate in our activity

CHEEZY WEEZYS

Cost: \$2.50 Toppings: bacon, cheese, mayo Jeremiah, Jayden and Timoti



Carols Ltd Potato Tornado

\$2.50

Slushy Paradise



\$1.50 Raspberry, Orange, Lime



SPRITE

Ice Cream Soda \$2.50



Ice Cream Soda \$2.50



Shake It Off

Chocolate OverLoad & Cookies N Cream Dream

Price: \$3.50



Throw slime at the teacher for \$6 OR just buy it and take it home for \$4







Bunting

Make any room look bright and colourful. Bunting in a range of colours and lengths.





Firewood, Pine Cones, Wood for your Brazier

Get your summer supplies of wood ready to go for the summer nights!





Tested and loved by Mrs Meek's Bindi!!

Personalised T-Shirts

Come in and choose your design for your t-shirt. These look great and you will love them!

Metal Sculptures and Sandblasted Glasses



Some to buy and some to order.





Wooden Signs





Pop Up Cafe



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