



# Paeroa College Comment

4 July 2019

Our Year 10 Camp is underway at Waharau Regional Park with Students taking part in a number of activities over the coming days.



## Coming Events

4 July  
Thames Valley Badminton

5 July  
Last day of Term 2

22 July  
First day of Term 3

23 July  
Board of Trustees Meeting

1 August  
Australian Maths Competition

6 August  
Careers Expo

12 August  
Science Roadshow

13-15 August  
Year 12 Fitness Camp

20 August  
Board of Trustees Meeting

20-22 August  
Year 13 Fitness Camp

28 August  
Daffodil Day

29 August  
Sports Photos

24-26 September  
Year 12 Camp

# Principal's Comment

Tēnā koutou katoa,

I am having trouble believing that this school year is nearly half-way over. With this week marking the end of Term 2, I am very aware of how important it is to ensure we make the most of the time we are given. In assembly this week, I encouraged all of our students to do a mid-year stock-take and asked them to reflect on the extent to which they have met the goals they set for themselves at the start of the year. The midpoint of the school year is a time to re-commit to doing our very best and for all students to ensure learning is the priority. Our tamariki need to dig deep and to become increasingly resilient so that they can rise above the inevitable setbacks that life brings. School reports have been sent home this week. Many students have done extremely well in the first half of the year and have produced work of which they can be proud. For others, the mid-year report may be a bit of a wake-up call, a call to action. Please know we are 100% committed to each and every student achieving their very best.

Last week was a fabulous flurry of whole school Matariki celebrations. It was wonderful to experience the high levels of involvement of our students in activities ranging from tree planting to ki o rahi to a whole-school harvest feast. It was a real pleasure to be able to use the fruits from our school gardens to feed our people. Our enviroschools ethos shone forth and we very much thank our partners in this endeavour. This week saw the year 10 students off to camp at Waharau Regional Park. They took part in a variety of adventures ranging from high ropes to mountain biking. We thank the Perry Outdoor Education Trust for their support.

I would like to take this opportunity to clarify a couple of school behavioural expectations. Please ensure your children arrive at school on time, in the correct uniform and prepared to work. Respectful relationships are at the heart of robust and transformative education; therefore, we believe in creating a relational and restorative climate in which students and staff can thrive. Our commitment to fostering an emotionally and physically safe environment means behaviour that interferes with the rights of other members of the school community will not be tolerated. There are non-negotiables. Please be reminded that the use or possession of drugs, alcohol, cigarettes or e-cigarettes is not permitted on school grounds. This includes the use of these substances by supporters of school sport and cultural activities.

Finally, we are delighted to announce the makeup of the new Board of Trustees for the next three years. The Board usually meets on the third Tuesday of each month and if there are any issues that you would like us to consider please contact me at school and I am happy to add your thoughts to the agenda for discussion. As always, our hearts, minds and doors are open. Have a fabulous happy and healthy term break. I look forward to seeing you in Term 3.

Kia pārekareka, kia kaha, kia maia!

Nga mihi nui

Amy Hacker

Principal/Tumuaki

# Student / Parent / Caregiver Information

## Student Services

Parents / Caregivers please note the number to text to advise the school your child is absent is 021 157 4615 - This is for TEXT only

## To All Parents and Students

Please be reminded, only Year 13 students have the privilege of leaving the school grounds at lunch time.

Year 13 students MUST still sign out if leaving the school grounds.

Year 13 students are only allowed to leave the school grounds if their parents have signed the consent form and this has been returned to Mrs Berry in the student centre.

### Medical Information



The Doctor will be here on Wednesdays from 9.00am – 11.00am. If you require an appointment, please see Ms Berry at Student Services

We have a new school nurse. Margie Goldsworthy will be here Monday – Thursday 9.00am -3.15pm.

## School Fees

To keep on top of your school account, the school has an AP system where you can set up an automatic payment into your child's account. This can be as much or as little as you would like.

Please note: Some of these fees are payable within certain time frames.

The account number is: Payable to Paeroa College BOT

Account 03 1572 0004693 00

Particular – please make sure you have the student's name in this part.

Code – the student's school number – this can be given to you by contacting the school.

# Sports

Basketball this Friday Paeroa College is at home against Whangamata

Rugby this weekend:

Under XV – have a BYE

Open Grade v HPC in Ngatea at 11.30am

School Holiday Games:

There is no Netball

There is no Basketball

There is no Rugby for Under XV

There is an Open Grade Rugby game on Saturday 20 July at home against Mercury Bay - kick off 11.30am.



No Smoking School



Paeroa College is a no smoking school. This not just for our staff and students but also for anyone who is on Paeroa College grounds including Saturday morning rugby and any other sporting and non-sporting events that take place within the College.

This prohibition also includes vaping and e-cigarettes.

# Academy Classes

A couple of photos below of our Horticulture Academy students hard at work.



## Uniform

Paeroa College has a simple rule around socks as part of the uniform. The expectation is plain black socks with no markings or labels e.g. white Nike ticks. Some students are still choosing to wear non-uniform socks.

If a student attends school with non-uniform socks they will be sent to the Student Centre and provided with a pair of plain black socks. The cost of these socks is \$3 per pair and will be added to the student's account. Please take the time to get your student's socks sorted so that you will not incur this cost.

We appreciate your support in keeping our young people looking the best they can and representing Paeroa College with pride.

## Board of Trustees

Our new Board of Trustees is as follows:

Conall Buchanan

Amy Hacker

Steven Hill

Jo Tilsley

Bill Tissingh

Staff Representative – Letitia Voss

Student Representative – Skye Budge

# Community Notices

## Kindling

Bags of kindling available \$10.00 per bag please text Missy on 027 863 5678

## Paeroa Carehouse OSCAR July Holiday Programme

### Te Whakanui I a Matariki - Celebrating Matariki the Maori New Year

<p><b>MONDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> JULY</b>                  CAREHOUSE ACTIVITIES                  COOKING, ART, SPORT,                  COMPUTERS  <b>INTRODUCTION TO TE WHANAU MARAMA</b></p>	<p><b>TUESDAY 9<sup>TH</sup> JULY</b>                    Tāwhirimātea – Wind</p>	<p><b>WEDNESDAY 10<sup>TH</sup> JULY</b>  <b>MARAMATAKA</b>  <b>MAKING CALENDAR</b>  <b>ARTHOUSE – LANTERNS</b>  <b>STARS</b></p>	<p><b>THURSDAY 11<sup>TH</sup> JULY</b>                  WHANAUNGATANGA  <b>KARAOKE</b>  <b>MAORI GAMES</b>  <b>BAKING</b>  <b>POI MAKING</b></p>	<p><b>FRIDAY 12<sup>TH</sup> JULY</b>  <b>FABULOUS FRIDAY</b>  <b>CELEBRATIONS</b>    <small>Atahua he hāhi he pōwhiri,                  he aha he hāhi he pōwhiri,                  he aha he hāhi he pōwhiri.</small></p>
<p><b>MONDAY 15<sup>TH</sup> JULY</b>                  CAREHOUSE ACTIVITIES                  COOKING, ART, SPORT,                  COMPUTERS  <b>INTRODUCTION TO MATARIKI</b></p>	<p><b>TUESDAY 16<sup>TH</sup> JULY</b>                  HOW TO STAR GAZE                    MĀTAI WHETU</p>	<p><b>WEDNESDAY 17<sup>TH</sup> JULY</b>  <b>ACTIVITIES</b>  <b>ALL DAY TRIP</b></p>	<p><b>THURSDAY 18<sup>TH</sup> JULY</b>  <b>Matariki Stars – WEAVING</b>  </p>	<p><b>FRIDAY 19<sup>TH</sup> JULY</b>                  MATARIKI FEAST                  KAI HAKARI  </p>
<p><b>What to bring, cut lunch, good ATTITUDE and appropriate clothing. <u>Weather may determine whether or not activities will go ahead.</u> CAREHOUSE WILLOUGHBY STREET, PAEROA. (07) 862 9129. Extra hours are available please speak to staff. FREE BREAKAWAY PROGRAM 11 years to 17 years. <i>Our programmes are full of FUN indoor and outdoor. Learn new skills, make new friends and have lots of FUN. AGES 5 years to 11 years daily 9am – 3pm.</i></b></p>			<p><b>PROGRAM DETAILS FOR 8<sup>TH</sup> JULY TO 19<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2019</b>                  Subsidies available for Working for families, parents in study and children with Special need.                  This is a MSD approved program contact Paeroa Carehouse.</p>	

# Important Contact Details

## Senior Leadership Team

Principal – Amy Hacker	<a href="mailto:amyh@paeroacollege.school.nz">amyh@paeroacollege.school.nz</a>
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Absences – extn 201 or dial 1 at the prompt or TEXT 021 157 4615

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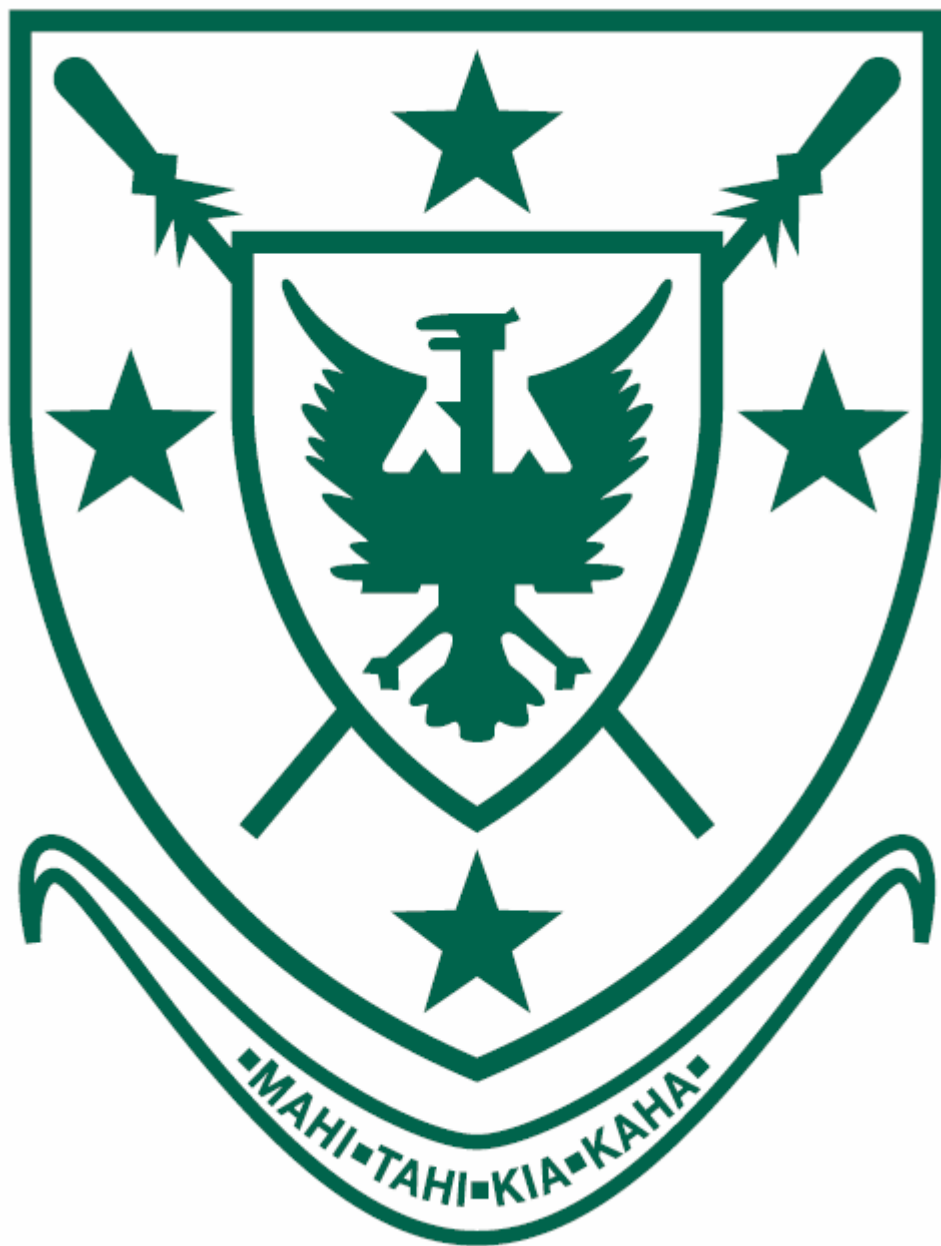
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