Papanews Community Edition

Friday 10th May 2019

Principal's Perspective

Last Saturday our students participated in the Pasifika Polyfest Celebration, and what an outstanding performance they produced, this was a rescheduled event following its postponement from March in Term 1. It was fantastic to see so many schools still being able to participate in this, particularly as it clashed with a large number of Saturday winter sports. It was great to see all schools having pride in their performances showcasing joy, happiness, and Pasifika flair.

I would like to sincerely thank our parents, whānau, and caregivers for supporting the Academic Conference Day held last Thursday. As a school we are hugely appreciative of your commitment to the shared responsibility of supporting our students to achieve to the best of their ability. I would also like to acknowledge the students and staff for the parts they play in this conferencing process. With upwards of approximately 90% attendance the day was an outstanding success. Having an opportunity to discuss students' academic progress, and identifying the steps that can be taken to support and improve their achievement is critical to their ongoing success.

The Music Department's annual tour of Intermediate schools was held on Wednesday. The Jazz Band, Flute Ensemble, and the Concert Band performed at three local schools. These visits provide an opportunity to showcase both the talented music students, and promote the school to our community.



On Friday our Year 12 students attended the Careers Expo at Horncastle Arena. This is part of broadening our students' understanding of life beyond school. The day provided a wonderful opportunity to support students' thinking and planning in relation to their future, complementing the timing of the Academic Conference day.

I have started the process of visiting our contributing schools this past week by going to see the Year 8 students at Breens Intermediate. Accompanying me are student leader representatives from both Year 9 and Year 13, who have been past students of the school. Next week we will visit Casebrook, Belfast, and Heaton as part of our preparation for our Open Night on Tuesday 21st May. The feedback is extremely positive, and the students are wonderful ambassadors for our school.

In finishing, I would like to acknowledge the senior students who have contributed through the Senior Work Day, as the first step of our fundraising this year, for Ronald McDonald House.

Jeff Smith Principal

Senior Workday: Thursday 9th May

Thank you so much to all Year 11-13 students who have participated in the Senior Workday. Ronald McDonald House will be incredibly grateful for your contribution.

A reminder that monies can be deposited through the School bank account with a reference "(Students Name), Workday" 123147 0225793 00. Or, the money can be paid through the school office. The closing day for payment is Thursday, 23 May 2019.

It is a donation. While there is no compulsion for each student to have raised a minimum of \$10, the school feels this amount is appropriate and supportive.

Well done! Mr Kirby, Deputy Principal

2019 Board of Trustee Elections

School 2019 Board of Trustee Elections

Canterbury Education Services (CES) are providing BOT election services for our School in the forthcoming BOT elections.

In May nominations will be called to become members of the Board of Trustees. Key dates are as follows:

| By Friday 10th May | Nomination forms will be posted to all persons on the school's caregiver roll. |
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| Friday 24th May | NOMINATIONS CLOSE – 24 th May at noon. An election will then be held if the number of nominations exceed vacancies. For our school the number of parent vacancies is 3. |
| Wednesday 29 th May | Voting papers will be sent by post to all on the school caregiver roll. |
| Friday 7th June | Voting closes at 12 noon. |
| Thursday 13th June | Votes are counted, and the school is advised of the results. |
| Friday 14th June | New Board takes office |

Congratulations

During the April school holidays Boston Beanland (Year 12) attended the St John Youth National Festival 2019 in Auckland where he was part of a squad of four Cadets representing the South Island Region in the National Competitions for St John. His results were extremely impressive indeed, and among other awards, he was part of the overall Champion Team for New Zealand, together with being a part of the Overall Champion Winning Region. The South Island Region has now won this prestigious title seven times in a row.



Photos ordered online by the school delivery deadline have been received and will be distributed to students via their form teacher over the next week.

Photos ordered via the school student office will be available shortly.

All photos are still available for purchase using the students' initial individual order code. Photo orders will now have an extra delivery fee added and will be posted home instead of to school.

If you have any queries regarding the photos or you would like to be reminded of your students individual order code please contact Miss Rachel McConnel via email mcr@papanui.school.nz

The order form will look like this.



SAMPLE PHOTO ONLY Build your child's

Sorry! Portrait Photo Pack No Portrait Photo has been taken of this student Hen Go Too YOUR CART Hen Go Too YOUR CART

NOW YOU CAN ADD any of the additional <u>Portrait</u> photo sheets for one \$5.00 each

IMPORTANT ree Delivery Expiry Date

Free Delivery Expiry Date The Free Delivery Expiry Date for your school is clearly shown on the website (free delivery means your photo order will be sent to the school for your child to bring home after expiry date)

0800 501040 PhotoLife 09 262 1040

Year 11

Kia ora from Year 11 and to this second term. We have dived straight back into school work and yes, a big part of this term is our continued journey together toward NCEA Level 1. Assessments for most students are well underway, and I will again ask that you engage with your child to help them understand requirements of assessments, and for any questions they have, to please approach their class teacher.

We have just had Academic Conference day, personally this was a very rewarding time as I have a group of students I manage. The interactions with students and parents are invaluable as the discussions look to plan future pathways, or the immediate further conversations that need to be put in place for support. This term in assemblies I will be reinforcing the need to stay on top of assessments and learning. Additionally I will be explaining to students not to compare themselves against each other, because all students have a unique timetable, and therefore a unique set of assessments that are specific to them only.

This term has already seen Year 11 students involved in Polyfest, winter sport is about to begin, and a range of students continue to excel in differing pursuits from Rhythmic gymnastics, table tennis to the Rally of New Zealand. Some of these opportunities lie out of Papanui High School, but many opportunities lie within the school community, I frequently remind students of these. Lastly I will again call on all students to support and help each other with assessments as it comes with a greater level of work required and stress that needs to be managed.

That is all from me this time, take care and I look forward to updating you all again soon.

Nga mihi nui,

Mr. Joe Holland Year 11 Dean Kaitiaki Tau 11

School Photos

(HR) Papanui High School Student Name

To see all of Student's photos online! Enter your Online Photo Keycode:

The Week Ahead

Monday 13

| Tuesday 14 | Y12 1 st Aid Gallery visit Backstage tour: pm Homestay meeting: 7.00pm – 9.00pm |
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| Wednesday 15 | Snr - 2 weekly engagement reports Winter sport starts Y12 1 st Aid |
| Thursday 16 | Combined assembly: P2 Jnr, P3 Snr Board of Trustees meeting |
| Friday 17 | Pink shirt day – mufti Jazz school visit Senior Art trip to Wellington |
| Saturday 18 | Rockquest |

Art Exhibition

INAUGURAL EXHIBITION SHOWCASING UP & COMING ARTISTS

The Creators' Room are holding their inaugural art exhibition from 23-26 May 2019 in the Deloitte Building (Level 1, 151 Cambridge Terrace).

The Creators' Room is a new organisation which launched in Christchurch in July 2018. The initiative aims to provide Christchurch Secondary Schools' Senior Visual Artist students (Year 11-13) with a platform to sell their works and be recognised for their talents. A total of 1,282 artworks across 16 Christchurch secondary schools were submitted to The Creators' Room selection panel in September 2018. Last year's winner was the recipient of a \$3,000 scholarship for further education in Visual Arts. The other 50 finalists have also been selected to become a part of The Creators' Room - 2019 Collection. The online gallery (<u>www.thecreatorsroom.co.nz</u>) will be selling limited edition prints of the students work. Original work will be up for sale during the 4-day exhibition with prices ranging from \$200 - \$800.

Twenty guest artists from around Canterbury will also be exhibiting at the May exhibition.

During the selection process, the Creators' Room judging panel identified 15 Top artists from the 51 finalists – these works will be setup as a blind auction running over the 4 days of the exhibition.

Papanui High School has three students in the top 15 pick, and had more students selected as finalists than any other school.

Current and past students that will be exhibiting:

Sarah Bunton India Walton Emma Kim Abby Baillie Liam Miles Aimee Sullivan Geoffrey Symes



Deloitte Building, Level 1, 151 Cambridge Terrace



Artwork Name: Speak for me – Muted Clown Boy Medium: Oil paint Dimensions: 150mm x 150mm

Artist: Emma Kim School: Papanui High School Year: 11



Artist: Geoffrey Symes School: Papanui High School Year: 13 Artist: Abby Baillie School: Papanui High School Year: 12

Artwork Name: Burnt Medium: Watercolour Dimensions: 210mm x 240mm



Artwork Name: Formation Flying Medium: Photography Dimensions: N/A

Sport News

Student Achievements

Asia Pacific Canoe Racing

Congratulations to Claudia Rogers who has been selected to represent New Zealand at the Asia Pacific Canoe Racing competition at Lake Karapiro.

South Island Taekwondo Tournament

Karl Woodin (Yr 10) recently competed at the South Island Taekwondo Tournament in Nelson – coming away with a Silver Medal – Congratulations on this achievement Karl.

Have you competed in a Sports Competition lately? Send your story and results (with pictures if possible) to Kirsten in the Sports Office – *hlk@papanui.school.nz*

This is a great way to showcase what our students are doing outside of school in sport with our community.



School sports news

Sport Results:

Football Boys 1st XI – beat Shirley Boys' 2- 0 (2 x Goals Sam Richards)

Basketball

Thomson Trophy Boys – beat Kaiapoi 95-87 Whelan Trophy Girls – beat Ellesmere 77-58 U17 Boys – beat Burnside 95- 37 U15 Boys – beat Selwyn 49 – 46

Netball

Senior Saturday Team - beat St Andrew's College 30-9

South Island Secondary Schools' Junior Netball Tournament Trials

An open trial will be held to select the team to attend the South Island Secondary Schools' Junior Netball Tournament. Monday 8th - Wednesday 10th July (school holidays) - Christchurch Netball Centre. Trials will be held as follows:

Monday 27th May - School Courts (outdoor) - 2:45 - 3:45pm And if needed:

Thursday 30th May - School Courts (outdoor) - 2:45 - 3:45pm

Final team selected will be posted on the Sport Noticeboard by Tuesday 4th June.

Please fill out the following to register your interest to attend the trials:

https://www.sporty.co.nz/viewform/96892

Registrations close Tuesday 21st May.

Important Dates/ Notices

• All winter sport will kick off next week. – please keep an eye out on the draw that will be posted on the Sports Noticeboard, student notices, school App via the links page and Sport Facebook page. Some sports will only be listed on the draw, where others will be notified via the staff in charge of the team/ activity, or listed on the initial information sheet taken home with the permission slip. *Please remember it is the responsibility of the student to know what team/ activity they are involved in/when and where they are playing and to bring the gear they are required to have each week.*



Kirsten Hill Sports Coordinator hlk@papanui.school.nz

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