



Principal's Perspective

Kia ora,

This week has been very much a 'business as usual', in class learning, without too many disruptions.

Next week is Senior Assessment Week. This forms part of their preparation for senior students' external exams next term, and contributes to any derived grade evidence that may be required, and I wish the students well.

Many senior students will still have internal assessment requirements to be met by the end of term, and/or early next term. At this time of the year 'time' becomes a precious commodity. It is important that students maximize the opportunity that internal assessments provide by ensuring they are clear about completion dates and actively engage with their teachers for help and support as required.

It is with great pleasure to inform you that we have appointed an HOD Māori, Te Haere Stirling, who will be joining us at the start of Term 4. Having previously worked at Papanui High School, Te Haere has been working for the last two years at Te Pā o Rākaihautū, and we look forward to his return, and for him to bring his knowledge and experience back to our co-educational setting.

As we progress through the year we celebrate our cultural diversity, which is often acknowledging a language of another country, and this week we have celebrated Uike Kātoanga'i 'o e Lea Faka-Tonga (Tonga Language Week).

Last Friday's announcement from the Prime Minister advised that we would be at Alert Level 2 through to at least September 14, we are hopeful that there is a move to Level 1 next week.

Thank you for your continued ongoing understanding and support.

Ngā mihi nui

Jeff Smith
Principal

Year 11 - 13 Formative Assessment Week

Senior examinations are taking place over the week of Monday 14 September to Friday 18 September 2020.

Exams, tutorials and other assessment opportunities are timetabled for Year 11, 12 and 13 courses during that week. Unless involved in an exam or tutorial, all Year 11, 12 and 13 students will be on study leave for the duration of this week; there are no normal timetabled classes.

The students are expected to use their study leave to prepare for their exams and assessments that week or continue with set class work at home. Additionally, the Careers room, A12 is available during this time as a quiet study place.

A letter for parents and caregivers explaining the exam expectations and an exam timetable will be sent out early next week. Please check when students are expected at school and encourage them to prepare well and perform to the best of their ability. These practice exams are important! The results from these practice exams may be used as evidence in the 'unexpected event' grades process for NZQA.

Jo Hunnikin
Associate Principal

Year 13

It's now the business end of the year for Year 13 students, and the realisation that it's all coming to a halt is starting to hit. This term saw the really successful Year 12 and 13 Formal, and I'd like to thank Brydie Crates and her committee for working through the complications of this year. Leavers gear has been ordered, and entries for the Leavers journal are closing very soon, so they are already having to reflect on their journey through high school.

As well as with finishing up their schooling, Year 13's are all looking at their plans for next year, with a large number moving off to tertiary education. It was satisfying to complete some references and have lots of positive things to write about their time here. Hopefully for those moving on to employment there will be opportunities arising and they can still make their intentions happen.

Next term will bring the celebration season, and it will be nice for the students to celebrate their success in and out of the classroom one last time. I hope their peers and parents will be able to attend as many as possible as well, to join in acknowledging their efforts over the last year or more.

Paul Anderson
Year 13 Dean

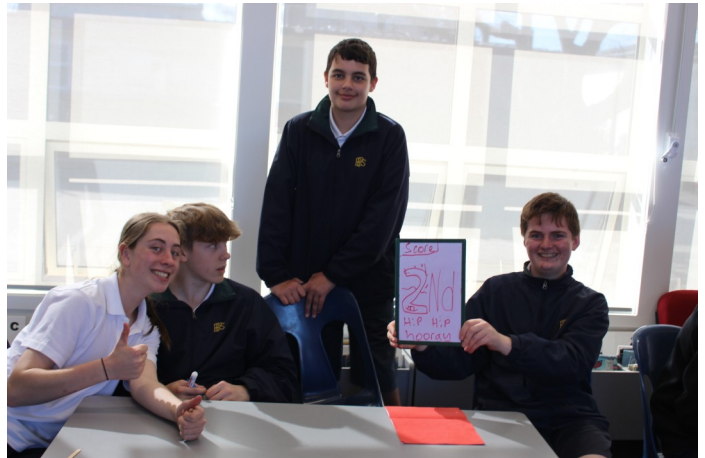
Year 10 Leadership

Year 10 Leadership - Tōtoranui Cluster Cantamath Competition

On Monday Mr Anderson's Year 10 Leadership class ran the second Tōtoranui Cluster Cantamath competition for Year 5/6 students. The Year 10's were lead by Sophie Stewart, Jessica Cade, Malachai Arnold, Ryan Maule, and Maia Gaitt. They wrote the questions, made certificates, organised prizes, and ran the event on the day along with help from the rest of the class.

Cotswold Primary, Papanui Primary and Northcote School entered teams, with Cotswold taking out the main Cantamath event, and Northcote taking out the practical activity.

This is becoming an annual event for the Leadership class and the students did extremely well pulling it all together.



School Policy Review

Every term we review one or more of our school policies. This term we are reviewing the **Learning Support Policy**. Please follow the instructions below to read and comment on the policy. If you have any questions please contact Louisa Clissold cll@papanui.school.nz or 3526119 ext 536

1. Visit the website <https://papanui.schooldocs.co.nz/1893.htm>
2. Enter the username (papanui) and password (pride).
3. Follow the link to the relevant policy as listed. Learning Support
4. Read the policy.
5. Click the Policy Review button at the top right-hand corner of the page.
6. Select the reviewer type "Parent".
7. Enter your name (optional).
8. Submit your ratings and comments.
9. If you don't have internet access, school office staff can provide you with printed copies of the policy and a review form.



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PTA - Treasurer Wanted

The Papanui High School PTA urgently needs a Treasurer. The next meeting will be held on Monday 21st September in the Papanui High School staffroom. For more information please contact the PTA President, Carolynne Som: email: candwsom@xtra.co.nz or phone: (03) 3521217 / (027) 5237901

Sport

Winter Sport Results

Basketball

Junior Girls - defeated by St Margaret's
U15A (Saturday) - won 82-59 against Pioneer Yellow
U15B (Saturday) - defeated by CBHS B
Senior Boys (Saturday)- won 102-80 against North Canterbury Black
Senior Boys (Tuesday) - Won 104-69 against Hillmorton
Senior Girls (Tuesday) - defeated by Avonside Girls'

Football

Boys' 1st XI - No game
Girls' 1st XI - won 4-2 against Rangiora High School
Junior Boys - defeated by Cashmere

Netball

Senior A Saturday - drew with Otautahi 27-27
Senior B Saturday - defeated by Middleton Grange
Senior Wednesday - won 33-20 against St Margarets F
Year 9/10 - defeated by Ellesmere
Year 9 - won 40-6 against Avonside Girls' in the FINAL! Congratulations!!!

Hockey

Girls - defeated by Kaiapoi
Boys - defeated by Riccarton 1st XI

Squash

Mixed - defeated by Christ's College B

Rugby (Forward Foundation)

Girls - won 65-29 against Rangiora High School

Student Achievements

Have you competed in a Sports Competition lately? Send your story and results (with pictures if possible) to Kirsten hk@papanui.school.nz or Paige hrp@papanui.school.nz in the Sports Office.
This is a great way to showcase what our students are doing outside of school in sport with our community.

Football – Caleb Cottom (Year 13)

Congratulations to Caleb Cottom on his selection into the Canterbury Dragons Senior training squad for 2020/2021. The final men's squad will be selected in October.

Community News

TRY SOMETHING NEW
GATEBALL
FAST FUN STRATEGIC EXCITING
Come and play alongside
NZ Croquet Youth Squad Members

When: Mon 5th – Thurs 8th October
10am – 12.30pm

Where: Barrington Croquet Club
Garnett Ave (off Coronation Street)

Who: 11-16 year olds

Cost: \$10 per person

BOOKINGS REQUIRED


Contact: ccagateball@gmail.com
Claire: 0277 104 804
Gay: 021 977 714

ROCKCLIMBING

Rockclimbing is available on a Monday from 3-4pm at the Papanui Youth Centre for any students who are interested. For more information, please either come to the Sports Office or see Andrew Guy.

Important News

- Sports trophies given out end of last year need to be handed back to the school library ASAP if you haven't yet handed yours back in.
- The link for registrations for Term 4 summer sport can be accessed through the school notices and our school sport facebook page. We ask students to only register for a sport/s if they are 100% committed to playing it in Term 4.
- Registrations close on the 18th October 2020 (Friday of Week 9).



climb

Mondays 3 - 4pm

Papanui Youth Centre

\$9.50 per week
First week free!

Talk to Andrew Guy
for more details



Any students who are keen on purchasing Papanui High School sports gear can be done via the link below. Payments are done through the website and then are sent directly to you.

Please Note: students are not permitted to wear sports gear instead of school uniform.

<https://withers-merch-shop.myshopify.com/.../papanui-high-sch...>

Sport Socks

In addition to the sport uniform, players can purchase some PHS sport socks. Payments are to be made to the Student Office (\$13) and then the receipt is to be handed into the Sports Office where players can also collect their socks.

Note: These are not permitted to be worn as part of the school uniform



Download the School Sport Canterbury app to stay up to date with weekly team draws, results and sporting events around Canterbury.

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The Week Ahead - Week 9

Te Wiki o te Reo Māori Snr Assessment Week

Monday 14	Y11 Music assessment 10Ldh - CCC visit
Tuesday 15	Y12 and 13 Music assessment MCAT 1
Wednesday 16	Snr – 2 weekly engagement reports Cantamath 2020
Thursday 17	MCAT 2
Friday 18	

School Policies

Our school policies can be found at

[https://papanui.schooldocs.co.nz](https://papanui schooldocs.co.nz)

Username: papanui password: pride



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