



Principal's Perspective

Kia ora,

As the term draws to a close, I want to thank you all for your support and understanding in what has been somewhat challenging term with the return to Alert Level 2 in February and March which necessitated in the school actioning its Emergency Response Plan, and the postponement or cancellation of a number of events.

Moving into Term 2, the school will look forward to hosting such things as:

- Senior Parent/Teacher Evening - Tuesday 11th May, 6.00pm - 9.00pm
- PPTA Accord Day - Thursday 13th May (school closed for instruction)
- Open Evening on Tuesday 25th May from 6.30pm, which provides an opportunity to showcase the school to potential student enrolments with guided tours and displays.
- Senior Formal - Friday 18th June
- School Production 28th June - 3rd July

I would like to acknowledge and thank our wider community for your support during the term. Whether this is in relation to student classroom learning, attending student performances, coaching or managing teams or groups, being part of the PTA etc, your help is greatly appreciated. It has been a very busy term, and there have been successes and much to celebrate.

END OF TERM FAREWELLS

Sadly we will be saying farewell to a number of long serving staff members:

Ms Sue Brydges-Jones, Mathematics
John Hill, Assistant HOD Technology
Mrs Robyn Haseman, Library Assistant
Mrs Alex Bryant, PE, (maternity leave)

As a school and a community we would like thank them for their dedication, valued service, and contribution to our school and education in general. Their contribution has been immense and we wish you all the best.

The whole staff is committed to doing their best to help and support our students to achieve. The holiday period is an opportunity for both groups (staff and students) to balance out some school work with a bit of a rest and relaxation. We look forward to seeing everyone back for Term 2.

Ngā mihi nui
Jeff Smith
Principal

An Invitation from the PTA

The Papanui PTA invites you all to:

NCEA: an explanation, your questions answered
Speaker: Ian Reeves (Assistant Principal)

Monday 17 May, 7:30pm - (approx) 8.00pm

Question and answer session following Ian's presentation.

Staff room (upstairs above school office, signage will guide you)
All parents, caregivers, and students from all year levels warmly invited.

The PTA monthly meeting will follow; you are most welcome to attend or leave after Ian's talk.

School Photos

Class and individual photo order forms have been distributed to form teachers and will be given to students over the next few form times.

Each student will have a unique Access KeyCode that will allow you to view, and order photos online.

The order form will look like this →→→

Please note that the school's free delivery period expires at midnight on Sunday the 25th of April. Photos ordered within that time frame will be delivered to school and distributed. Photos ordered outside of that time frame will have an additional postage cost and will be posted home by PhotoLife.



Papanui High School

2021 School Photos ONLINE NOW for rest of this year

Student Name



SAMPLE PHOTO ONLY

To see all of Petram's photos online:

www.photolife.co.nz

Access KeyCode: **JRFPGP**

IMPORTANT

FREE DELIVERY FOR A LIMITED TIME

Go Online to check the Free Delivery Expiry Date for your School
(This delivery means your photo order will be sent to the school for you to bring home after expiry date)

ONCE FREE DELIVERY HAS ENDED ALL ORDERS
WILL BE CHARGED FOR POSTAGE & PACKING
(Postage charges will be sent to your home)

PhotoLife

Relay For Life

Last weekend a group of students and staff participated in the Cancer Society Relay For Life. The team spent the day walking and running the track at Dudley Park alongside other schools and groups from across Canterbury. Thanks to the generosity of family and friends our school team has raised a current total of \$9220 to go towards the Cancer Society, with two of our students also being recognised in the top few for individual fundraising with over \$1000 each. Our team did a total of 1190.1 km combined (28 marathons all together) and 8 students individually completed the equivalent of over a marathon! We are very proud of these students and we can't wait to see what they will bring to the track next year! Thanks to all the staff and students who came and supported, it was such an enjoyable day.



School Travel Survey

The Baldasso Cortese Noordanus architect design team, contracted by the Ministry of Education, wish to understand how students travel to school as part of the future planning of our school site.

All students will participate in a short survey in Week 1, Term 2. If you have any further questions please contact Mr Tim Kirby, Deputy Principal email: krt@papanui.school.nz

Art Design Trip

The Year 12 and 13 Art Design students visited Strategy Design, and the ARA Visual Communications campus recently. The aim of the trip was to immerse students in the reality of design by looking at its application, training opportunities, and the potential career paths available to designers.

The team at Strategy introduced the students to their work environment, and gave an informative talk simulating the process used to pitch ideas to potential clients. This was an opportunity to meet with practitioners working in the design world, and the scope of work they do was well explained. We then toured the ARA Visual Communications campus, our students were able to view the facilities, and meet both tutors and students. This enabled them to get a really good sense of how the programme operates, what options are available, and what the pathways to employment are. Several former Papanui High School students are currently studying at ARA and/or have interned with Strategy Design, it was an added bonus to meet up with a number of them while on the tour.



Mr. Soltero also actively encouraged students to observe 'design in action' as we made our way to town. We all travelled by public transport and walked from the bus exchange to Strategy and ARA, observing signage and urban design from High Street through to the Box Quarter en-route. This was an inspiring afternoon, and a great chance for students to view the future application of their current studies.

Photo; Creative and Design Directors at Strategy show students their ideation process

Sport

Term 1 Sport Summer Sport Results

Korfball

Seniors: won 8-7 against Hillmorton High School 2
Year 10: won 15-1 against Burnside High School 2
Year 9: defeated by Riccarton High School

Term 2 and 3 Winter Sport

Term 2 and 3 winter sport registrations have closed. Students are to keep an eye out on the student notices and sports notice-board early next term for confirmed team lists. Permission forms will be available start of Term 2.

Student Achievements

Canterbury Secondary Schools' Swimming Championships

As well as our 4 non-para athletes (results in last week's Community Newsletter), we also had 5 para-athletes from Papanui High School compete in the Canterbury Secondary Schools' Championships on the 31st of March. Please see below the fantastic results and records broken from our para-athletes:

25m freestyle

1st Luka Willems (18.04 which broke the 2014 record which was held by Joshua Christie also from Papanui)
2nd Joshua Jones
3rd Sammy Lu

25m Backstroke

1st Joshua Jones

50m freestyle

1st Lee West
2nd Luka Willems
3rd Matthew Kofoed

50m Backstroke
1st Lee West
2nd Matthew Kofoed

Relay 4x25m freestyle

1st Matthew Kofoed, Lee West, Sammy Lu, Luka Willems - broke the record with a great time of 1:25.32 (the previous record was 2:18.78)

South Island Secondary Schools' Athletics Championships

Papanui High School had 22 athletes compete in the SISS Athletics championships at Ngā Puna Wai last weekend. Some fantastic results were recorded by our athletes with the following athletes getting top 5 in their chosen event/s.

Sam Churchill - 1st 100m Para Junior Boys F/T20, 2nd 200m Para Junior Boys F/T20, 2nd 400m Para Junior Boys F/T20

Lachlan Oakes - 2nd 100m Para Junior Boys F/T20, 3rd 200m Para Junior Boys F/T20, 3rd 400m Para Junior Boys F/T20

Lee West - 1st 200m Para Junior Boys F/T20, 1st 400m Para Junior Boys F/T20, 1st Long Jump Para Junior Boys F/T20

Kalani Alexander - 1st Shot Put Junior Boys F/T20, 1st Discus Junior Boys F/T20

Jacob Lawson - 1st 100m Para Senior Boys F/T20, 1st 200m Para Senior Boys F/T20, 1st 400m Para Senior Boys F/T20

Reuben Anguisaca-Bland - 2nd 100m Para Senior Boys F/T20, 3rd 200m Para Senior Boys F/T20, 2nd 400m Para Senior Boys F/T20, 1st Long Jump Para Senior Boys F/T20

Sean Geoghegan - 4th 100m Para Senior Boys F/T20, 4th 200m Para Senior Boys F/T20, 3rd 400m Para Senior Boys F/T20, 2nd Shot Put Para Senior Boys F/T20

Samuel Pethig - 3rd Shot Put Para Senior Boys F/T20, 2nd Discus Para Senior Boys F/T20

Matthew Kofoed - 4th Shot Put Para Senior Boys F/T20, 3rd Discus Para Senior Boys F/T20

Anton Hall - 1st 100m Para Senior Boys, 1st 200m Para Senior Boys

Josh Rae - 2nd 400m Para Junior Boys, 4th Discus Para Junior Boys, 1st 100m Para Junior Boys

Lily Reardon - 1st 100m Para Junior Girls F/T20, 1st Shot Put Junior Girls F/T20, 1st Discus Junior Girls F/T20

Isabella Gardyne - 2nd 100m Para Junior, 2nd Shot put Para Junior, 1st Discus Para Junior

Zion Devon - 4th U15 boys 100m

Hamish Gillett - 4th U16 boys 300m Hurdles

Gabriel Holland - 4th U15 Boys Discus

Laura Townshend - 3rd U14 girls High Jump

Gabriel Holland, Zion Devon, Tyrone Rawiri, Jayden Blackwell - 4th U15 boys 4x100m Relay

Kirsty and Daniel Watts

Good luck to both Kirsty Watts and Daniel Watts who are competing in the Age Group Road Cycling Nationals in Rotorua this week. We look forward to hearing how they get on.

The CRFU alongside the local Pasifika Rugby Community & NZRU Pasifika staff are holding a Pasifika day at Linwood Rugby club on Wednesday April the 28th 9am – 3pm.

“Connecting to your roots” is a day where we are inviting high school aged students to spend a day connecting with like minded people through the vehicle of Rugby. There will be opportunities to express rugby skillsets as well voice as we all gain valuable insights into what our Pasifika community are enjoying with their rugby experiences in Canterbury.

Snacks and lunch provided, Whānau are welcome to attend.



 *O le Va'a e Alo Fa'atasi - Paddle Together*
Unity is Strength 

Unity & collectivity bring forth prosperity and happiness to families & community

PASIFIKA DAY - *Connecting to your roots*

For all male and female Pasifika High School aged rugby players

Linwood Rugby Football Club, Kearneys Road
April 28th Wednesday 9am until 3pm.
Enquiries: Robbie Timo; 0274441756
Kahu Carey; kahu.carey@crfu.co.nz

Have you competed in a Sports Competition lately? Send your story and results (with pictures if possible) to 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.

Important Information

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 allowed to wear sports gear instead of school uniform.

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



Paige Hubber
Sports Co-ordinator

Photography Night Classes - Term 2

Do you have a Digital SLR Camera and would like to gain more insight into how the camera works? Come along to Papanui High School and join our popular Beginners Photography class on a Monday nights starting 10 May.

We also offer a Beyond the Basics Photography class for students who already have a basic knowledge of camera craft, and want to know how to apply this knowledge to portraits, landscapes, action shots, etc. This class will be held on Tuesday nights 7.00pm - 9.00pm starting on 11 May. For further information and enrolment please visit our website <https://www.papanui.school.nz/com-edu/category/photography> or email Barbara Roper rpb@papanui.school.nz or telephone our office on 03 352 0701



School Policies

Our school policies can be found at <https://papanui.schooldocs.co.nz>

Username: papanui **password:** pride



*My School, My Success, My Responsibility
Tōku Kura, Tōku Tiketike, Tōku Haepapa*