

# John Paul College, Rotorua

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A WEEKLY NEWSLETTER FOR THE JOHN PAUL COLLEGE COMMUNITY
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Ma te pono Me te aroha – Through Faith and Love 2013 School Theme Constantia Vincit' - 'Constant Effort Ensures Success'

Dear Parents/ Caregivers Kia Ora, Malo e Lelei, Talofa, Greetings

JPC STAGE CHALLENGE FUNDRAISER: 2013

I cordially invite you to join us for dinner at Abracadabra Café & Bar this Sunday evening at 5.30pm. Tickets are available at the Accounts Office. For catering purposes, please purchase your tickets before Friday lunchtime. Our successful Stage Challenge troupe are fundraising for their costumes and need your support.

#### PARENT - TEACHER INTERVIEWS: 9th and 11th APRIL

<u>Please note</u> that school will be finishing at 2.50pm on these days. Do not hesitate to contact the school if you are not happy with your child's progress. Email is probably the best way of contacting staff. On-line booking of interviews will be available this Friday.

**Patrick Walsh** 

Principal



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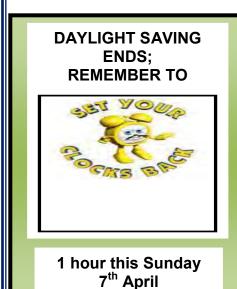
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Watch out for more information in the newsletters



3.20pm to 5.00pm
Mondays (Literacy Focus) and
Wednesdays (Numeracy Focus)

All students are welcome to attend

#### **CANCER SOCIETY'S LIONS LODGE**

#### FUNDRAISER

# Discover Tauranga Walkways Sunday May 19<sup>th</sup>

Please refer to the attached document for information

#### **Bus notice**

### Atiamuri (Route 2142) and Nicholson Rd (Route 2536)

During February 2013 Multiserve reviewed bus routes 2142 (Atiamuri) and 2536 (Nicholson Rd Ngakuru).

This resulted in a termination and extension which was to take effect from Term 2, 2013.

This decision has been put on hold until further notice

Bus routes 2142 and 2536 will continue to run as they currently do.

# Parent – Teacher Interviews Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> April and Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> April 2013

Parents are advised that Parent Teacher Interviews will be held in the Edmund Rice Centre starting at 3.30 going through to 6.00pm on Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> April. Most teachers will be available for interviews on both nights. Interviews are restricted to 5 minute slots. Students are welcome to accompany their parents to the interview.

Parents are asked to use the internet to book interviews using the following procedure:

Access Internet Explorer

Type in <a href="www.schoolinterviews.co.nz">www.schoolinterviews.co.nz</a> Type in school event code: L6FJX Follow steps 1, 2 3 to make a booking

Bookings can be made as from 5pm Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March.

#### FROM THE SICKBAY

A reminder to all families with asthmatic or respiratory-problem students; with winter soon arriving, you could be eligible for a FREE Flu Vaccine to give protection against some flu strains. Contact your GP or GP's nurse to discuss your eligibility.

Buccaline Burna, available from the chemist, is also a good generic preparation to support students' immune systems against winter colds.

Please consider the options and encourage a healthy dietary intake of fresh fruit and vegetables and water intake, particularly at school, to help offset the winter woes.

Mrs C Flavell - School Nurse

#### EVENTS THIS TERM additions/amendments highlighted

#### **April**

4-7<sup>th</sup> Year 13 P.E Trip – NB 8<sup>th</sup> Year 7 Immunisation

9<sup>th</sup> Junior Parent / Teacher Interviews

3.30 – 6.00pm 11<sup>th</sup> Year 12 Mass

Senior Parent/ Teacher Interviews

3.30-6.00pm

12-14<sup>th</sup> WHHS Tournament

19<sup>th</sup> Teacher Only Day

19th April – 6th May – School Holidays

May

8<sup>th</sup> JPC Day

# PTA 2<sup>nd</sup> hand uniform sale

# Parent /teacher nights Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> & Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> 3.30-5.30p.m

We will gratefully accept all outgrown 2<sup>nd</sup> hand uniforms for resale; please bring to the reception.

#### **Year 12 Camp Fees Due**

Reminder camp fees are to be in to the accounts office by

#### Friday 12<sup>th</sup> April

Year 12 students who travel to school from Putararu will be picked up by the school bus at the Intercity



bus area in Tirau on the way through to camp to save them travelling to school with their luggage on Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> Mav.

Mrs Brewer - Year 12 Dean

#### MARIST JAB –JUNIOR RUGBY REGISTRATION WEDNESDAY 3<sup>RD</sup> OF APRIL BETWEEN - 5.30PM- 7.30PM

Parents bring your young rugby players to our Player Registration at the Marist Club, Te Ngae Rd opposite Countdown supermarket. You can also **register your interest online** via our website on <a href="https://www.stmikesjab.co.nz">www.stmikesjab.co.nz</a>. 2013 registration fees are \$40 for one player, \$30 each for two players from one family and \$25 each for three players and Under 6's can join for \$10. Fees payable by <a href="https://www.geens.com/chapter/chapte

#### **WANTED TO BUY**

JPC Hockey skirt to buy 2nd hand Ex/Good condition please Ph/text Sue 3489016 / 0272750517

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**CONGRATULATIONS TO** Michael Fleet in Year 12 who won the Rotorua Club Champs for Mini Stocks at the Rotorua Speedway over Easter. Well done Michael.





#### ROTORUA ROWING CLUB

### "Try Rowing" Program

The Rotorua Rowing Club runs a Saturday morning program in April for year 8 students onwards who would like to try rowing or being a coxswain.

Just turn up at 9:00am on the dates listed below and you will get the chance to learn to row. If you are at school and think you would like to join the club then bring some others along and use these days to get a crew together.

This program ends in April, at which time novice rowers can join the club and start the winter training program in preparation for the following summer's club racing and leading into school racing in Feb/March 2014.

#### 2013 AUSTRALIA MATHEMATICS COMPETITION

The 2013 Australia Mathematics Competition will be held on Thursday the 1st of August. This competition is open to all students from year 7 to 13. The cost is \$6.50.

A registration form is attached below. Alternatively students can pick up a form from the student counter. Payment for the competition must be made to Mrs Boyce in the accounts office by Thursday the 18th of April. Late entries will not be accepted. Please enclose registration with payment and give to the accounts office.

Thank you for your support

Lara Cordonni - Mathematics Faculty

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Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> of April 2013
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Thank you for your support
Lara Cordonni Mathematics Faculty
Registration Australia Mathematics Competition
Name
Form Class

#### **NEWS FROM THE CAREERS DEPARTMENT**

The **AIR NEW ZEALAND AVIATION INSTITUTE** is holding an Open Evening with our Flight Training Organisation Partners on Wednesday 15 May from 4-9pm.

We would love to have you and any of your students who are interested in a career as a pilot attend.

Talk to real pilots and instructors and have a chance to win a ride on a Boeing 737 simulator!

The event will be split into two sessions--from 4 pm to 6 pm for careers advisers, and from 6 pm to 9 pm for students and their families.

A formal presentation will be delivered by Air New Zealand pilots, and then you will be free to mix and mingle with these pilots and instructors from the Aviation Institute's five Flight Training Organisation Partners. This is your opportunity to get first-hand information about how to become a pilot.

The event will be held at the Air New Zealand Aviation Institute's headquarters:

7 Rennie Drive, Mangere, Auckland - Free off-street parking is available.

Please find attached a Flyer with details of the evening including registration. Please print (A3 preferable) and distribute around your School to promote the event to students.

When students enrol with one of these 5 Partners, they start their journey to becoming an Air New Zealand Preferred Pilot.

**LIFEWAY COLLEGE (3D) ANIMATION CAMP** An amazing 5 days to get hands on in the world of animation and experience life on campus at Snells Beach. All accommodation and food included for \$249. *If you can imagine it, you can create it!* Intake dates: 29<sup>th</sup> April, 22<sup>nd</sup> July, 7<sup>th</sup> October. Applicants must be at least 16 years old. These courses are perfect for those exploring career and fulltime study options or wishing to develop digital media skills. For more information contact info@lifeway.ac.nz or 0800Lifeway

**MEDIA ARTS** Take your next step: Media Arts Information Evening, Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> April, 4.30pm – 6.00pm at Wintec. Contact Dawn Tuffery, dawn.tuffery@wintec.ac.nz, for further information



#### **Mentoring for Technology Excellence**

Ambassadors from industry can support your teaching and help your students achieve Excellence in NCEA and Scholarship in Technology subjects.

#### Got a question? Ask an Ambassador!

A new interactive feature on the Futureintech website provides careers-related information directly from people working in technology, engineering and science-based industries.

Further information from enquiries@futureintech.org.nz

## www.futureintech.org.nz



#### **FUTUREINTECH IS AN INITIATIVE OF**

#### IPC'S TASTER WEEKEND Go and find out about the Bachelor of International Studies

Where: IPC Campus, Aokautere Drive, Palmerston North

When: Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> and Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> May 2013

Commencing at 10a.m on Saturday; concluding 3.30p.m Sunday

Cost: \$75.00 – includes meals, accommodation for one night and all activities
Who: year 12 and 13 students interested in IPC's Bachelor of International Studies

Contact: Nao Reeves nreeves@ipc.ac.nz or Karyn Dunn karyndunn@ipc.ac.nz Phone 0800 FOR IPC



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