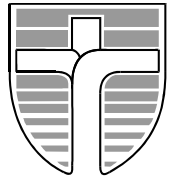




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A WEEKLY NEWSLETTER FOR THE JOHN PAUL COLLEGE COMMUNITY
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Ma te pono Me te aroha – Through Faith and Love
2015 School Theme : 'Per Ardua Ad Astra – Through Adversity To The Stars'

Dear Parents/ Caregivers

Kia Ora, Malo e Lelei, Talofa, Greetings

WELCOME BACK TO TERM 4 I trust you have had an opportunity to enjoy your children's company.

2015 SENIOR STUDENT LEADERS

I am pleased to advise that after a vigorous selection process the following students have been chosen as Senior Leaders for 2016.

I have every confidence they will do an excellent job:

Head Boy **Robbie Wong-Toi** Deputy Head Boy **Keegan Pepper**
Head Girl **Jessica MacDonald** Deputy Head Girl **Te Mahara Swanson-Hall**

NCEA EXTERNAL EXAMS ONLY 4 WEEKS AWAY

If your child is in Years 11-13, they have only four weeks to prepare for their external exams. **NCEA exams commence November 6th**. I hope by now your children have established a study timetable which you are monitoring at home. It is essential they do the following:

- Complete all outstanding work, including assignments
- Create a study timetable and stick to it
- Cut back on part-time work and their social life
- Attend extra tutorials when offered by staff

It is also important that you know when their exams are on. Please give them as much encouragement and support as you can. Once the exams are over, then they can relax!!

STUDENTS AT RISK

The Deans are monitoring students at risk of failure. We will be bringing students back after senior prize giving to complete credits if at risk of not achieving NCEA.

SCHOOL LEAVERS

If your son or daughter intends to leave JPC at the end of the year, the school needs to know as soon as possible, as we have a waiting list.

WORK CHOICE DAY: Friday 13th November

Please note Work Choice Day will take place on Friday 13th November for students in Years 7-10. This is to support our hardworking PTA. It is also a Teacher Only Day. If you have a job available for a student, please contact the School Office. Information will be distributed this week.

God bless

Patrick Walsh - Principal



**PPTA PAID UNION MEETING
THURSDAY 22nd OCTOBER @ 1pm**

JPC will be closed from 12.20pm

Rotorua bus students will be supervised until the end of the school day as required. Putaruru bus students will depart at 12.20pm.

JOHN PAUL COLLEGE

Board of Trustees Election 2015 Declaration of Student Election Results

Votes:

Anna Piebenga	184
Loren Skudder-Hill	183
Theresa McLean	103
Danielle Cooper	50
Bethany Cheesman	45
Sarah Kolver	21
Rowan Simmons	12
Invalid	39

I hereby declare Anna Piebenga duly elected:

Elizabeth Lock
Returning Officer

September

25th Senior Reports Issued
End of Term 3

October

12th Start of Term 4
19th RE Assessment
23rd Year 9 Market Day
23rd CBOP Tennis Champs Yrs 7 & 8
29-30th Speech Exams
28th Year 11 Cambridge Exams
Year 10 Market Day
29th/30th Year 8 Aquatics Day
30th-31st BoP Rugby Sevens – Juniors

November

3rd Snr Co-curricular Prizegiving
5th Snr Prizegiving
6th Jnr BoP Tennis Champs
NCEA Scholarship Exams commence
9th NCEA Exams commence
Junior Exams commence
12th Year 10 Youth Summit
16th-30th Life Ed
16th Year 8 Camp Week
Orientation Week 2016 Year 7s
23rd-1st Dec Year 10 Activity Week
26-29th NISS Water Polo Juniors

December

1st Years 7 & 8 CoCurricular Prizegiving
3rd Years 9 & 10 CoCurricular Prizegiving
4th NCEA/Scholarship Exams finish
4th Junior Prizegiving
Junior Reports Issued
School closes for 2015 at 12.05pm



THE UNIFORM SHOP IS OPEN

MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY
8.00a.m to 4.00p.m Term time only
CLOSED 11.30-12.30

Please note that Postie Plus stock no JPC uniforms

PTA 2nd HAND UNIFORMS

We gratefully accept any second hand uniforms for resale. Please bring any unwanted, 'grown-out-of' uniforms to the main reception. *Thank you in anticipation.*

CHANGEOVER TO SUMMER UNIFORM

MUST BE COMPLETED BY FRIDAY 16th OCTOBER

PTA 2nd HAND UNIFORM SALE



Thursday 15th October
3.30 til 4.30pm
At Mackillop

All summer uniform donations are gratefully accepted.
Please deliver donations to the school office.



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Please return all winter code sports uniforms (laundered), first aid kits, game bags and balls as soon as possible for stocktaking.

Replacement invoices will be issued.



Year 8 Beach Camp Meeting for parents on Wed 14th October in the Library at 5.45pm.

JPC WINS THE CONSERVATION CUP

John Paul College Enviro-team competed for the Conservation Cup against thirty other schools across New Zealand. We are the proud winners of the Cup. This comes with a scholarship prize of \$3000.

JPC reduced our power by the most, per student, over the month of September.

Congratulations also to Sequoia Dobson, Year 7, who has won the Intermediate section of the best "Switch off" Poster.

Matt Satherley, Veronica Aislabie and the JPC Enviro-team

Turning off
the lights makes
Sense!



WANTED

Old cotton tee shirts for
rags for the Technology
Department

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Sanitarium is excited to bring the Weet-Bix Kids TRYathlon to Rotorua for the third time! The event is located at Kuirau Park. The event starts with a short swim at the Rotorua Aquatic Centre; a 50m heated outdoor pool. The Transition area is located on Kuirau Park field beside the pool complex and the bike and run legs are around the field and surrounding streets.



This is a huge event and very important to Swim Rotorua as it is one of our main fundraisers as we supply 100 marshalls. We need everyone over 16 to help to get these numbers.

WHEN: Sunday 13th December 2015

WHERE: Kuirau Park, Rotorua

WHAT DO YOU GET OUT OF IT:

- Chance to be part of a fun event helping kids achieve their goals
- A chance to give back to our community (The club can provide a letter thanking you for your time and generosity. This will show your commitment to the community and others)
- Tee shirt
- Lunch

If you can supply me with names and contact details for over 10 people **over 16** years old we will provide you with either a \$30 itune card or a \$30 voucher for Pig and Whistle.

Please contact Monica Quirke if you wish to volunteer thanking you.

Monica Quirke 345 3418 0272 966 805 monica.quirke@rotorualc.nz

Kia ora tātou from the Counsellors

Welcome back to term 4 – we hope you enjoyed the spring break with your young people.

Last week was Mental Health Awareness Week (MHAW) and as you may be aware, senior students at JPC ran a writing competition last term to tie in with this nationwide campaign.

I am pleased to announce the results of this competition are as follows:

Junior 1st Maia Berryman-Kamp (9BC)

2nd Orla Walsh (8MB)

Senior 1st Sarah Kolver (12BM)

2nd Michelle Linusa (11BT)

The judge for the competition, Mr Stephen Bloomfield, was very impressed with the standard of entries. Congratulations to all our budding writers for your good quality writing. Prizes will be awarded at assembly this Wednesday. Many thanks to McLeods Bookstore for their generous support in supplying prizes for this competition. Thanks also to Peri Marks (Three Angels Café) for also providing prizes.

While Mental Health Awareness Week fell during the school holiday break, this year's theme, **GIVE**, is timely throughout the year. The MHAW website www.mhaw.nz explains how giving benefits us all – givers and receivers.

GIVE, TukuaUKUA

Your time – te wā ki a koe, your words – ō kupu, your presence – ko koe tonu.

Do something nice for a friend, or a stranger. Thank someone, smile, or volunteer your time by joining a community group. Seeing yourself, and your happiness, linked to the wider community can be incredibly rewarding and creates connection with the people around you.

It feels good to give and everybody has something to offer. How will you play your part?

Na mihi nui kia koe,

Nancy Macmillan Extn 8854 nancy.macmillan@jpc.school.nz

Neil Carter Extn 8808 neil.carter@jpc.school.nz

NZ NATIONAL GYMSPORTS CHAMPIONSHIPS

This competition was held in Auckland during the holidays.

Congratulations to three of our students who earned National titles.

Rebecca Lindsay was 1st in the 15-16 Girls Double Mini Tramp

Brianna Cross 1st in the 15-16 Girls Trampoline, 1st in the 15-16 girls Synchro and 3rd in the 15-16 girls Double Mini Tramp

Tyson Rimmer 1st 15-16 Boys Trampoline, 2nd in 15-16 boys Synchro and 1st in the Junior International Double Mini Tramp.

Special congratulations go to Tyson who has been selected into an International Squad for Double Mini Tramp. The athletes in this squad will be working towards competing at the World Championships in 2017.

We wish Tyson every success and will watch his progress with interest.

Mrs V Cooney – Teacher in Charge

UNIVERSITY OF CANTERBURY

Key Dates

15th November	Fine Arts Applications Due
14th December	Application to Enrol for 2016 due
19th February 2016	UC Orientation (TBC)
22nd February 2016	Lectures start for Semester 1 2016

**College of Education start dates may differ*

UNIVERSITY COURSE PLANNING DATES

Thursday 22nd October: Lincoln University 11.15am

The Course Planning will be held in the Front Meeting Room next to the Main Reception.

Appointment Schedules are now available in the Careers Office.

Please ensure make an appointment time.

Please note Mrs Hewitson will be overseas until October the 21st, therefore please see Mrs Thompson.



Josephine Ward-Johnson and Milan Hildreth (inset) decided as part of their Lasallian Mission they would like to collect stationery for a School with a greater need than their own John Paul College, Rotorua NZ. Two Year 8 Form classes 8DL and 8JR supported by staff, over six weeks gathered 20 kilogram of new and pre-loved stationery to take to Saint Joseph's Catholic Primary School in Avarua Rarotonga. Air New Zealand very kindly allowed their teacher Mrs Dobson a 23kg extra bag and she delivered the stationery during the September Holidays. Josephine and Milan were ably assisted by Lilia Tyrer-Brown, Sophie Gallon, Halle Yerek, Brittany Pettit, Lucia Watt, Sarah Radley and Myah Kay. Students collected, sorted, sharpened hundreds of pencils and had lots of laughter and fun.

JPC RUGBY 2016

Thanks to all of those interested persons that attended the meeting held at the CT Club before the holidays. We are certainly looking forward to the new season ahead.

As discussed we will be building towards 2016 with a summer training program which all players that are interested in rugby can attend. Details will follow.

We still require coaches/managers for the U14, Coaches for U15 and coaches/managers for 2nd XV. If you are interested or require any information please contact Tim Hounsell at JPC. E: tim.hounsell@jpc.school.nz



John Paul College had three athletes competing at the **New Zealand National Secondary Schools Swimming Championships** held in Hamilton from the 11th to the 13th of September.

David Boles won a bronze medal in the 15-Yr 200m Backstroke as well as finishing 4th in the 200 Individual Medley and 5th in the 400 Freestyle.

Samantha Irving (13 Yrs) finished 7th in her 50 Backstroke and raced in 7 other events.

Michaela Pocock raced in the 3 Backstroke events posting a 15 second personal best time in her 200m race.

2015 SENIOR DILIGENCE AWARDS

Congratulations to the following students who have been awarded Diligent Awards:

Surname	First Name	Form	Subject 1	Subject 2	Subject 3	Subject 4
Quinlan	Jason	11AV	Economics	Religious Studies	Mathematics	
Atkinson	Ben	11AV	English			
Ishijima	Aya	11AV	ESOL			
Sherman	Daniel	11AV	Mathematics			
Horne	Mac	11AV	Science			
Lougher	Cameron	11BT	Action PE			
Ko	Katie	11BT	English			
Urquhart	Maddison	11BT	Fabric Technology			
Richardson	Brianna	11BT	French			
Leishman	Jessica	11BT	Geography			
Huang	Wendy	11BT	Mathematics			
Simmons	Gwen	11BT	Religious Studies			
Lee	Elena	11CA	Art			
Dela Cerna	Tiffany	11CA	Mathematics	Religious Studies	History	
Austin	Bayley	11CA	Religious Studies			
Hughes	Hannah	11CA	Religious Studies			
Bergs	Brendon	11CA	Wood Technology	Design and Visual Communication		
Donlon	Brianna	11CH	Business Studies			
Chandler	Cameron	11CH	Digital Technology			
Boyle	Issie	11CH	English			
Foster	Simon	11CH	Mathematics	Physical Education		
Phelan	Quinn	11CH	Mathematics	English		
Firth	Thomas	11CH	Physical Education			
Gracie	Anna	11CH	Physical Education			
Horne	Fraser	11CH	Science			
Oliver	Sarah	11CH	Science			
Huxford	Kate	11CH	Sport Science			
Chartprom	Tham	11PN	Careers			
Nieuwoudt	Juan	11PN	Computer Science			
Walsh	Eamon	11PN	English			
Williams	Georgia	11PN	English			
Mitchell-Witehira	Ariana	11PN	Mathematics	Chemistry		
Casey	Eilis	11PN	Music			
Gapes	Joshua	11PN	Physical Education			
Shasha	Rita	11PN	Religious Studies			
Harrison	David	11PN	Science			
Marino	Shani	11PN	Science			
Nanayakkara	Dilan	11PN	Sport Science			
Blatchford	Sophia	11SR	Drama			
Opalalic	Noel	11SR	English	Food and Nutrition	LIN	
Amil	Adrian	11SR	English			
Riley	Steffano	11SR	Physical Education			
Allen	Briar	11SR	Science	Physical Education		

Surname	First Name	Form	Subject 1	Subject 2	Subject 3	Subject 4
Swindlehurst	Emily	12BM	Activity Based Learning			
Hager	Shelby-Samantha	12BM	Biology			
Wong-Toi	Robbie	12BM	Biology			
Jensen	Amelia	12BM	English			
Kolver	Sarah	12BM	English			
Hartley	Cherish	12BM	Food and Nutrition	Faith in Action		
Cheesman	Bethany	12BM	French			
Mokomoko	Anaru	12BM	Mathematics	Physical Education	Faith in Action	English
Sacramento	Meldrick	12BM	Mathematics	Religious Studies		
Rolston	Samantha	12BM	Religious Studies	Chemistry		
Gimblett	Katie	12BM	Sport Science			
Philip	Olivia	12DB	Classical Studies	Drama		
Lopez	Hoze	12DB	Design and Visual Communication			
Dahya	Aneesha	12DB	English	History		
Dahya	Kyle	12DB	English			
Patel	Priya	12DB	English			
Ha	Erica	12DB	ESOL			
O'Connor	Kelsey	12DB	Photography			
Padayhag	Phil Allen	12DB	Science			
Ito	Daichi	12MS	Action PE	YES		
Swann	Kieren	12MS	Biology	Physical Education		
Thompson	Tayla	12MS	Chemistry			
Carter	Jordan	12MS	Digital Technology			
Macdonald	Jessica	12MS	English	Religious Studies	Biology	
Dhanjee	Bhaveena	12MS	English			
Phipps	Melanie	12MS	Mathematics	Chemistry		
Leggett-Hilmarsdottir	Melkorka	12MS	Mathematics			
James	Christian	12MS	Physical Education			
Aitchison	Tacy	12MS	Wood Technology			
Veltman	Melissa	12TH	English	Physics		
Dannenbring	Ariel	12TH	Painting			
Skudder-Hill	Loren	12TH	Physics			
Liu	James	12TH	Religious Studies			
George	Sofia	12WD	Classical Studies			
Allen-Knight	Jaden	12WD	Food and Nutrition			
Leung	Eric	12WD	Mathematics			
Solon	Tamara	12WD	Mathematics			
Ashworth	Jim	12WD	Mechanical Technology			
Nakajima	Maiki	12WD	Music			
Earney	Daniel	12WD	Physical Education			
Low	Tiana	12WD	Religious Studies			

Surname	First Name	Form	Subject 1	Subject 2	Subject 3	Subject 4
Van Harselaar	Madeline	13GC	Design and Visual Communication			
Spence	Zoe	13GC	Drama			
Macken	Gillian	13GC	English			
Austria	Regina	13GC	Legal Studies			
Patel	Shivani	13GC	Mathematics			
Ersando	Pius	13GC	Music			
Huang	Cindy	13GC	Painting			
Black	Brianna	13GC	Religious Studies			
Christensen	Hannah	13HR	Mathematics			
Marks	Danielle	13HR	Mathematics			
MacKinnon	Maria	13HR	Physics			
Alarcon	Connie	13HR	Religious Studies			
Taliauli	Pearlina	13HR	Religious Studies			
Jensen	Keegan	13HR	Wood Technology			
Aitchison	Meg	13MR	Activity Based Learning			
Goodall	Matthew	13MR	Biology			
Colbert	Jessie	13MR	Calculus			
Arnott	Adriana	13MR	Careers			
Rufer	Ben	13MR	Digital Technology	Religious Studies		
Pepping	Jodie	13MR	Mathematics			
Thomson-Dick	Harrison	13MR	Mechanical Engineering			
Le Lièvre	Andr�	13MR	Physics			
Cicolini	Kate	13MR	Social Studies			
Holt	Emilie	13MR	Social Studies			
Stevenson	Tegan	13RL	Business Studies			
Keightley-Phillipps	Madison	13RL	Classical Studies	English		
Cheesman	Hannah	13RL	Early Childhood	Faith in Action	Tourism	
Kelly	Liam	13RL	English			
Patel	Saloni	13RL	Mathematics			
Steiner	Imogen	13RL	Photography			
Nanayakkara	Daham	13RL	Religious Studies			
Veitch	Rebecca	13RL	Religious Studies			
Harris	Darcy	13RL	Tourism			
Fairweather	Andrew	13WL	Chemistry			
Bain	Sarah	13WL	English			
Banks	Breanna	13WL	Photography			
Downie	Chelsea	13WL	Science			
Leggett-Hilmarsdottir	Tanja	13WL	Vocational Studies			

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