

newsletter



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NEWSLETTERS

Four newsletters will be forwarded home usually on Wednesdays at approximately three week intervals.

In addition to this Newsletter you can expect to receive others on 3 November, 24 November and 13 December. All newsletters are also available on our website <http://www.pasadena.school.nz>

INTERMEDIATE ART

INTERMEDIATE SCHOOLS' ART EXHIBITION AOTEA CENTRE

Daily 2nd —11 November

The Auckland Intermediate School's Visual Art Exhibition will open Tuesday 2nd November, 5th Floor, Aotea Centre.

On display are a selection of the very best pieces of art from the greater Auckland Intermediate Schools.

Congratulations to students who had art work selected for the Exhibition this year — **Sophie Blazey, Jessica MacGregor, Andrew Peagram, Avea Tafeamalii, Jane Weatherspoon, Ariella Balmforth, Grace Elliott, Rose Philpott, Helen McLean, Tetoki Tepaki, Brett Birkedah-Henriksen**

— this is art work at the very highest level.

Thank you Mrs Elliott for your considerable efforts in preparing and presenting our students' work.

UNIFORM

Pasadena Intermediate School colours are Navy Blue and Red.

Pasadena Intermediate School does not have separate boy's and girl's uniforms or separate summer and winter uniforms.

Page 18 of the 2004 Prospectus and Calendar and page 23 of the 2004 Student Information Book clearly detail the correct school uniform. Students select from these items according to the weather and their needs.

Jewellery is limited to watches and single studs for pierced ears. Other items, such as money belts and badges are not to be worn.

For safety reasons, students must wear shoes when participating in lessons in the Technology Studios.

All items of clothing and footwear must be named.

We accept there will be some occasions when a complete and correct uniform cannot be worn. On these occasions please forward a note to the class teacher or telephone the school office. Under no circumstances should your child not attend school because of an incomplete uniform.

Uniforms are available from Pasadena Intermediate School Uniform Shop Hours: School Days 8:30am - 3:00pm.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

The Board meets formally on at least 10 occasions during the year (see Calendar) and within the bounds of the Education Act (1989) and subsequent amendments and the Pasadena Intermediate School Charter, is responsible for school governance.

All Board Meetings are open to the public and copies of agendas, reports and minutes are available in the School Office for public inspection. Agendas for Meetings will be forwarded to requesting families on receipt of a stamped self addressed envelope.

The next meeting of the Pasadena Intermediate School Board of Trustees will be on Monday 18 October at 7.00pm in the Principal's Office.

LABOUR WEEKEND

School will close at the normal time of 3.00p.m. on Friday 22 October, and will reopen at 8.45am on Tuesday 26 October.

SUN SMART PASADENA

For obvious health reasons, students involved in outdoor activities during Terms I and IV are required to wear a Pasadena School Cap or Hat.

This week we will again issue each class with a large pump bottle of Cancer Society approved, 30 Sun Block for student use.

If there are parents who don't wish their child to use the Sun Block, I would ask they advise their child's class teacher in writing.

School Caps and Hats are on sale at the school office - \$15.00.

WELCOME

**Greetings Tenaa Koutou
Katoa Talofa Lava Kia
Orana Malo e Lelei
Fakaalofa Lahi Atu
Kamshor Namaste Bula
Vinaka Ni Hao Taloha NI
Konichi Wa**

We welcome new students who have enrolled recently. We trust your time at Pasadena will be enjoyable and profitable.

SCHOOL MOTTO

'To The Diligent, Nothing Is Difficult.'

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2005 YEAR 7 ENROLMENT

Although we have completed our main Introduction and Enrolment Activities for 2005 Year 7 students, we are still accepting Enrolments.

If you haven't, or know of another parent who has yet to complete and forward an Enrolment Form, we would ask that you do so as soon as possible.

Additional Forms are available from our School Office.



STAFF & CLASSES TERM IV

MANAGEMENT

Mr Tony Walsh	Principal
Ms Priscilla Godinet	Deputy Principal
Mr Hendrik den Hartog	Assistant Principal
Ms Sarah Coughlan	Syndicate Manager
Miss Lisa White	Syndicate Manager
Ms Belinda Cook	Syndicate Manager

DIGNAN SYNDICATE

Ms Sarah Coughlan	Room 2 Manager
Ms Priscilla Godinet	Room 3
Miss Judy Chao	Room 4
Mr Tony Belich	.2

NOBLE SYNDICATE

Miss Lorna Manu	Room 5
Miss Lisa White	Room 8 Manager
Mrs Natalie Williamson	Room 11

TE TOKAROA SYNDICATE

Ms Belinda Cook	Room 9 Manager
Ms Yana Dennett	Room 10
Miss Sue Paraha	Room 12

SPECIALIST SYNDICATE

Mr Hendrik den Hartog	Information & Communications Technologies Manager
Mrs Sue Elliott	The Arts: Visual
Ms Maureen Donnelly	The Arts: Performing
Mr Martin Ball	Technology

LEARNING SUPPORT/EXTENSION

Mrs Joy Blake	Room 2
Mrs Gloria Ziegler	Room 11
Mrs Michelle Simpson-Green	Room 5
Mrs Raewyn Reade	Room 10
Ms Natalie Henry	Room 8
Miss Susitina Misa	Room 9 and 12
Miss Margaret Pringle	RTL B / 8A (Pasadena / Western Springs)

SUPPORT STAFF

Mrs Linda Bowden	Administration Officer Assembly Hall Manager
Mrs Louise Holmes	Secretary/ Receptionist
Mr Tom Elliott	Maintenance Officer
Mrs Thelma Teesdale	Resource Manager
Mr Barry Noyer	Waterwise
Mrs Leonie Tawhiti	Cleaner
Mrs Fanolua Samu	Cleaner
Mrs Carole Williams	Dental Nurse
Ms Ann Hays	Health Nurse (Auckland Health)
Miss Margie Dobbie	Attendance Officer (Auckland City Cluster)

CONTRACTED STAFF

Mrs Vicky King	Canteen
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CALENDAR TERM IV

Waterwise

OCTOBER

4	School opens for Term IV
7	Zone Badminton Tournament
7	Report 3 Issued
13	Kings School Visit
13	Parent/Teacher Conferences
14	Champion of Champions Volleyball Tournament
15	Bandanna Day
18	BoT Meeting
21	Champion of Champions Badminton Tournament
25	Labour Day
26	Zone Touch Tournament
26-12	APPA Festival of Music
28	Performers in Schools/Concert/ Theatre Visit

NOVEMBER

1	Zone Golf Tournament
1-5	Life Education Trust Van Health Programme
2-11	Auckland Intermediate Schools' Art Exhibition
6	National Robotics Competition - MOTAT
8	Auckland Intermediate Schools' Band Festival
9	Pasadena Intermediate School Athletic Sports
10	Champion of Champions Touch Tournament
11	Term IV Open Day
11	Remembrance Day
12	Champion of Champions Golf Tournament
15	BoT Meeting
18	Champion of Champions Yachting Regatta
19	Team and Activities Photographs
23	Zone Athletics Meet
24	Champion of Champions Equestrian
26	ACA Cricket Skills Day
26	End of Year Graduation Social
30	Grafton United CC Intermediate Tournament

DECEMBER

1	Champion of Champions Athletics Meet
2	2005 Year 7 Orientation Day
3	School Student Council and Monitors Trip
4	Pt Chevalier Lions Senior Citizens Xmas function at Pasadena
6	Helpers' Thank You Morning Tea
8	Prize Giving
13	Class End of Year Trips
14	Report Three Issued
14	School Closes for 2004

*Only selected students/teams will go on to
compete in Auckland Champion of Champions
Tournaments.*

**PASADENA INTERMEDIATE
SCHOOL**

**2004 ATHLETIC
SPORTS**

**ERICSSON ATHLETICS
STADIUM**

**TUESDAY 9
NOVEMBER**

**Come and Support
Your Children**

ALL WELCOME

Play it Again Sam

The Annual Production at the end of Term III was a tremendous success. Two wonderful performances, full of colour, comedy, action and talent.

Congratulations to all those who performed on stage and congratulations to all those who worked behind the scenes in the preparation before the performances and as crew during the shows.

A successful production is about team work, everybody accepting responsibilities for their role and set tasks and all the students involved this year were a credit to themselves, their families and the school and they can feel very proud of their achievements - it was a huge undertaking!

A huge thank you and congratulations to the Staff for their enthusiasm and support of the students.

Thank you parents also for your support.

COMPERE: Hannah Winter
THE SAMs: Sam Loveridge, Sam Willis, Sam Jones

STAGE HAND: Zachary Southworth
ASSISTANT: Brooke Evaga
PUFF: Grace Nesbitt
INTERLUDES: Emmett Watch, Helen McLean

VERSION 1: ORIGINAL

WRITERS/DIRECTORS: Dinushi Kumarawansa, Ruth Ziegler
CAST: Vicky O'Connor, Emmett Watch, Ruth Ziegler, Jason Kau, Neerali Parbhu, Dinushi Kumarawansa, Shanti Morgan, Grace Nesbitt

VERSION 2: MODERN

WRITERS/DIRECTORS: Miranda Webster, Clare Hannam
CAST: Cheng Liu, Eddie Stiles, Finn Godbolt, Kate Baldock, Elleni Takele, Kenah Trusewich, Shanti Morgan, Clare Hannam

VERSION 3: PASSERBY

WRITERS/DIRECTORS: Georgia Kirkham, Allannah Colley
CAST: Rose Philpott, Priya Mistry, Curtis Hanlon, Allannah Colley, Brenna Magee-Watling, Shanti Morgan

VERSION 4: POLITICIANS

WRITERS/DIRECTORS: Billy Strachan, Andrew Peagram
CAST: Vincent Watson, Katie Curd, Linga Nadarajah, Adam Tapsell, Clem Wilson

VERSION 5: SHAKESPEARE

WRITERS/DIRECTORS: Rebecca Van Dam, Hannah Cleverley
CAST: Ariella Balmforth, Lucy Leslie, Emmett Watch, Chrystal Kolo, Georgia Kirkham, Rose Philpott, Milly Sanders, Neerali Parbhu, Hannah Cleverley

VERSION 6: WOLF'S POINT OF VIEW

WRITERS/DIRECTORS: Greer Rasmussen, Dinesha Kumarawansa
CAST: Lily Taurau, Clare Corbett, Greer Rasmussen, Bryony Key, Elleni Takele, Jayran Mansouri



VERSION 7: RAMBO

WRITERS/DIRECTORS: Shawnee Young, Amelia Brown
CAST: Shanti Morgan, Brenna Magee-Watling, Sophie Blazey, Sam Willis, Jane Weatherspoon, Shawnee Young, Amelia Brown, Mischa Cole-Delu

VERSION 8: CINDERELLA

WRITERS/DIRECTORS: Jewell Phillips, Mary Tiumalu
CAST: Keahi Frances, Mary Apolosi, Aleks Gabric, Emily Mathews, Narelle Lockley, Zachary Southworth, Emily Sedon, Monique Glassie, Josephine Wallis, Georgia Kirkham, Menen Dyer, Greer Rasmussen, Allannah Colley, Nina Girsberger, Jessica MacGregor

VERSION 10 REALITY TV

WRITER/DIRECTOR: Kenah Trusewich
CAST: Rebecca Summerhayes, Kenah Trusewich, Grace Elliott, Sam Jones, Jessica



PRODUCTION

MUSIC DIRECTOR: Ms Maureen Donnelly
MUSIC: Vincent Carter, Chanel Amosa, Betty Zhang
COORDINATOR: Mr Tony Walsh
COSTUMES: Mrs Thelma Teesdale, Mrs Sue Elliott
LIGHTING: Vincent Watson, Jackson Barron, Helen McLean, Wyatt Bell, Cam Hardy Reid
AV & SOUND: Mark Hawkins, Jitendra Patel, Tumanako Wikotu, Billy Strachan, Vincent Watson
STAGE MANAGERS: Katie Curd, Sam Willis
FRONT OF HOUSE: Mrs Louise Holmes

SIX THINKING HATS AT A GLANCE

Red Hat: *Feelings* What do I feel about this?

Yellow Hat: *Benefits* What are the good points?

Black Hat: *Judgement* What is wrong with this?

Blue Hat: *Thinking* What thinking is needed?

White Hat: *Information* What are the facts?

Green Hat: *Creativity* What new ideas are possible?

Remember:

There are six different coloured hats.

Each hat stands for one kind of thinking.

You can put on or take off one off the hats. When you put on a hat, you play the role attached to that hat.

You can ask someone else to put on a hat, take off a hat or switch hats.

When you are wearing a hat, you must use only the type of thinking indicated by that hat colour.

COMMUNITY NOTICE

THE AUCKLAND BOYS' CHOIR

has vacancies for boys aged 9 to 12+ years. The choir meets on Mondays 4.45p.m.—6.15p.m. in Epsom.

Acceptance as a probationary member of the choir is by audition which can be arranged by phoning 522 4227.

KIWI TAG

Come along and join the excitement of 'Kiwi Tag' - a non contact, 8 per side, tag competition.

Where: Walker Park, Pt Chevalier

Registration: 4.30p.m. Friday 15 October

Cost: \$10 per player (includes registration)

Age Groups: Under 9's—Under 16's

For more information or to register, contact: Zeta or Bruce Harold on 627 5305.

CENTRAL ZONE VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENTS

Two teams participated in the Central Zone Volleyball tournament held at the end of last Term.

GIRLS' TEAM: **Sisilia Koloamatangi, Mary Tiumalu, Jewell Phillips, Reynieze Peterson, Rose Philpott, Rebecca Summerhayes, Monique Glassie, Siouzy Livingstone, Mary Apolosi**

BOYS' TEAM: **Tumanako Wikotu, Jitendra Patel, Wyatt Bell, Jo Kwon, Jonas Enehaug, Sohail Mohammed, Nick Tausi, Zachary Southworth, Linga Nadarajah**

All players represented their school with pride and skill in what was a very competitive tournament.

On behalf of the school and students involved, I would like to thank Ms Godinet and Miss Cook for their efforts in coaching and supporting the Volleyball Teams.

BANDANNA DAY - MUFTI

To support the NZ Teenager Cancer Patients' Society Appeal, the Student Council will be running a mufti day in association with the Society's BANDANNA DAY APPEAL as follows -

Pasadena Intermediate Student Council / NZ Teenager Cancer Patients' Society MUFTI DAY / BANDANNA DAY
Friday 15 October
Mufti Only: \$3.00
Mufti and Own Bandanna: \$4.00
Cancer Patients' Society Bandanna and Mufti: \$4.00
(Cancer Patients' Society Bandannas will be on sale at school from Monday 11 October)

All Proceeds to NZ Teenager Cancer Patients' Society Appeal.



WE NEED PARENTS TO HELP WITH OUR WATERWISE PROGRAMME!!!!

WATERWISE is a water skills and water safety programme run by parents for their children, teaching them how to be safe around Auckland's coastal area.

Our programme follows on from those provided by Pt Chevalier and Gladstone Schools - the other members of the Western Bays Waterwise Society.

All Year 7 and 8 students will be participating in the programme.



YOU DO NOT HAVE TO BE AN INSTRUCTOR OR A SAILOR TO PROVIDE IMPORTANT HELP!

For more information PLEASE contact **BARRY NOYER** - 0274 821859 or at Pasadena - 846-2169.

AUSTRALASIAN SCHOOLS' COMPETITIONS: MATHS

Pasadena Intermediate students again showed that they could achieve on the academic playing fields when they competed in the Australasian Schools' Competition, University of NSW Testing Centre: English, earlier in the year.

Hector McKay received a **High Distinction Award**, putting him in the top1% of entrants of his year level in New Zealand - outstanding!

Vincent Watson, Rachel Zussman, Paia Pardoe, Liam O'Dwyer, Grace Nesbitt, Jayran Mansouri, Cheng Liu, Grace Kennedy, Adam Holden, Eddie Crawshaw, Qianting Luo received **Distinction Awards**, putting them in the top 10% of entrants of their year level in New Zealand.

Hudson Prestidge, Helen McLean, Ruth Ziegler, Jane Weatherspoon, Rebecca Van Dam, Billy Strachan, Molly Hyland, Kavindi Gunarathna, Alexander Craig received **Credit Awards** for being in the next 20% of entrants of their year level in New Zealand.

19 other students received an Achievement Award for being placed in the top 20% of our School.

SECONDARY SCHOOL 2005

All Year 8 students should now have completed an enrolment for secondary school for 2005.

I would encourage parents/caregivers to attend to this **URGENTLY**.

With this Newsletter you will receive a flyer detailing the **FREE** computer courses available during Term IV via our venture with **WINTEC ACTIVE** **bringing Computer Courses to Our Community**. These Courses are now government funded and are **ABSOLUTELY FREE!!!**

FREE!

COMPUTER COURSES FOR OUR COMMUNITY

..... quality courses about the Internet, computing and popular software