

## 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.

## DAFFODIL PLANTING

As I am sure you are aware, in late 2005 a mini cyclone cut a path through Pt Chevalier, Newton and Mt Albert – it demolished most of our swimming pool fence, did considerable damage to our pool changing rooms' roofs and wrecked the plantings around the enclosure.

We have become increasingly aware of the large numbers of our families who have been affected by cancer.

In 2006 we decided to bring these 2 tragedies together with a positive outcome.

Insurance repaired the changing rooms and replaced most of the fence – the Board successfully applied to the Ministry of Education to have the replacement of the remainder of the fence included in our Property Plan and we now have a new 'Alcatraz' like fence' protecting our pool.

This Friday, with the assistance of Simon Stiles (Tippett Nurseries), we will have our second school beautification/Cancer Society Fundraising Project, when the students will continue the planting of daffodil bulbs along the north, north west boundaries of swimming pool enclosure and school.

The school will purchase the daffodils at cost and we will ask the students to make a gold coin donation to the Cancer Society at the time of planting.

We will present the money to representatives of the Cancer Society at a special Assembly at 10.30am and planting will commence after that.

**PARENTS AND FAMILY MEMBERS ARE INVITED TO JOIN US AND TO PARTICIPATE IN THE PLANTING IF THEY WISH.**

## PHOTOGRAPHS 2007

Individual and family portraits were taken in Term I, Class Photographs will be taken on Friday 4 May, and team photographs will be taken on Friday 23 November. These photographs are taken on a 'no obligation to buy basis.



## ILLNESS – ACCIDENT – INJURY

The following is our ILLNESS, ACCIDENT & INJURY PROCEDURE as detailed in the Prospectus.

Parents/caregivers are asked to note major health problems, allergies, medication and physical difficulties on the Enrolment Form.

A list of students with special needs, their condition and necessary medication is held in the Office and this is circulated to Staff at the beginning of each term.

Contact, emergency contact and doctor telephone numbers are also noted on the Enrolment Form. Should any of the above details change, we ask that you inform the school immediately.

In the event of illness, accident or injury, the following procedures will be followed:

- Students unwell or injured are taken to a sick bay
- Minor injuries or conditions are treated by the teacher/Office Staff
- If necessary students rest/recuperate in a sick bay
- Parents/caregivers are contacted and arrangements are made for their child to be collected from school. If the parent/caregiver cannot be contacted, the student will remain in the sick bay
- In the case of serious accident or injury, the student will be taken to Ponsonby A & E Clinic, St Lukes A & E Clinic or an ambulance will be requested. Parents/caregivers will be contacted at the earliest opportunity
- Sick students will not be sent home without parent/caregiver permission
- If the student is in a very distressed condition and parents/caregivers cannot be contacted, the family doctor will be consulted

Students will not be permitted to give themselves first aid treatment or medications unless specific written permission has been received from parents/caregivers.

Parents/caregivers are asked not to send children who are unwell to school.



## HIROSHIMA EXCHANGE

In two weeks we will farewell the lucky students who will participate in the 2007 Hiroshima High School Junior High School Exchange - **Kira Balmforth, Hunter Boyu, Luke Butters, Faith Cleverley, Mitchell Cosgrave, Michael Denby, Lucelia Everett-Brown, Josie Fitzpatrick, Kitty Godbolt, Jarrod Gribble, Rosa Newell, Erin O'Flaherty, Eleanor Oxley, Averil Peace, Georgina Rudd, Jessica Munro**

The students will be accompanied by **Mr Hendrik Den Hartog** (Deputy Principal) and **Mrs Susan Elliott** (Teacher).

## THANK YOU

A big vote of thanks must go to our Maintenance Team, Mr Tom Elliott, Mrs Leonie Tawhiti and AAA Cleaners Ltd, for the magnificent job they are doing keeping the playground and classrooms clean and helping to improve our total school environment.

## OUR CONTACT DETAILS

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## SMOKE FREE ENVIRONMENT



In accordance with current legislation and the Pasadena Intermediate School Smoke Free Environment Policy, I remind parents/caregivers, Pasadena Intermediate School is a Smoke Free School.

Smoking is not permitted anywhere in the school, and personnel involved in any school activities will not interact with a student while smoking.

## NEWSLETTERS

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

In addition to this Newsletter you can expect to receive others on 16 May, 6 June and Thursday 27 June.

Newsletters for the preceding twelve months are available on our website -

<http://www.pasadena.school.nz>

## LEWIS EADY MUSIC SCHOOL

Next week, Lewis Eady Music School will commence instrumental lessons at Pasadena. Twenty four students have enrolled already.

We still have spaces available in -

**KIDS ON KEYS  
DRUMS  
VIOLIN  
SAX**



Call Ms Donnelly, our Music Specialist, for further information.

## 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 2007 Prospectus and Calendar and page 23 of the 2007 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.

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

### PHYSICAL EDUCATION/SPORT/FITNESS

Children must get changed into their Physical Education uniform for all sporting activities - fitness, physical education lessons, syndicate sports, team practices and matches. Sports shoes are recommended for these activities.

During Terms II and III, students may wear plain red, white or blue sweat shirts and/or track pants prior to and during the pre-activity warm up and stretching.

### SCHOOL TEAMS AND GROUPS

Pasadena Intermediate School owns sets of team uniforms for various sports and activities that students selected to represent the school are able to borrow for the day. These uniforms are laundered at school and are not to be taken home. Parents/Caregivers will be asked to pay for items not returned.

### PARENT/CAREGIVER SUPPORT

We expect students to wear full and correct school uniform everyday and ask that parents/caregivers give us their full support.

Parents/Caregivers of students who do not wear full and correct school uniform will be contacted.

We accept there may be an occasion when a complete and correct uniform cannot be worn. On these occasions, parents/caregivers are asked to write and forward a note to the class teacher for each day an incomplete or incorrect uniform is being worn. Under no circumstances should your child not attend school because of an incomplete uniform.

Correct and complete school uniform is one of the categories that contributes to the inter class competition.

## STAFF AND CLASSES, TERM II 2007

### MANAGEMENT

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

### DIGNAN SYNDICATE

Ms Sarah Percy	Room 3
Miss Sue Paraha	Room 4
Ms Priscilla Godinet	Room 5 Manager

### TE TOKAROA SYNDICATE

Miss Lisa White	Room 8 Manager
Miss Julia Wackrow	Room 9
Mr Chris Gore	Room 10
Miss Anna King-Ansell	Room 11

### SPECIALIST SYNDICATE

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

### LEARNING SUPPORT/EXTENSION

Mrs Wendy Allan	Room 1
Ms Sarah Coughlan	Room 2
Mrs Joy Blake	
Ms Natalie Henry	
Mrs Barbara Innes	
Mrs Junetta Irving	
Ms Phillipa Oates	
Miss Margaret Pringle	RTL B / 8A (Pasadena / Western Springs)

### SUPPORT STAFF

Mrs Thelma Teesdale	Administration Officer Resource Manager
Mrs Louise Holmes	Secretary/Receptionist Hall Hire Manager
Mr Tom Elliott	Maintenance Officer
Mrs Leonie Tawhiti	Cleaner
Mrs Carole Williams	Dental Nurse
Ms Ann Hays	Health Nurse (Auckland Health)
Mr Brian Ngamata/ Janice Houltham	Attendance Officer (Auckland City Cluster)

### CONTRACTED STAFF

Ms Maggie McKenzie	Canteen
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## UNIVERSITY OF NSW INTERNATIONAL COMPETITIONS & ASSESSMENTS FOR SCHOOLS

Each year Pasadena Intermediate School Students have been participating in the University of NSW International Competitions & Assessments for Schools. In addition to the personal challenge, competitions allow students to pit themselves against thousands of other students of the same age in NZ and Australia.

The tests also provide the school with valuable comparative information about our students' achievement and skill level.

This year, all students will again sit English, Mathematics and Science.

## INTER CLASS SPORTS COMPETITION

Our Inter Class Sports Competitions are held each week at Recreation.

In Term I, the games were Aqua Ball and Kilikiti. Rooms 4, 9, 10 and 11 contested the Semi finals, with Room 10 defeating Room 11 in an exciting final.

In Term II, the games will be Continuous Cricket and Handball.

Thank you **Mr Gore** for your excellent organization and thank you, the **Student Council**, for your huge contribution in umpiring and scoring.

## SCHOOL MOTTO

*"To The Diligent, Nothing Is Difficult."*



## CALENDAR TERM II

Some of these dates differ from those published in the Prospectus. Other additions or alterations will be advised in Newsletters

### APRIL

- 23 School opens for Term II
- 24 Table Tennis Demonstration
- 26 Year 7 Immunization and Vaccinations Introductory Talks - Health Nurse
- 25 Anzac Day
- 27 Daffodil Planting

### MAY

- 1 Zone Orienteering
- 2 Zone Girls' Soccer Tournament
- 4 Class Photographs
- 8 Zone Boys' Soccer Tournament
- 10 University of NSW International Competitions & Assessments for Schools - Science
- 10-26 2007 Hiroshima High School, Junior High School, Exchange - Japan
- 11 Zone Table Tennis Tournament
- 12 Saturday Netball Begins
- 15 Champion of Champions Orienteering
- 16 Western Springs College Year 8 Activity Morning
- 17 Champion of Champions Girls' Soccer Tournament
- 17 BoT Meeting
- 22 Year 7 Immunizations & Vaccinations
- 22 Auckland Literature Quiz
- 23 University of NSW International Competitions & Assessments for Schools - Mathematics
- 24 Champion of Champions Boys' Soccer Tournament
- 25 Zone Squash Tournament
- 28 Performers In Schools
- 29 Zone Boys' Rugby Tournament
- 29-1 Local Schools' Art Festival at Pasadena Intermediate

### JUNE

- 1 Champion of Champions Table Tennis Tournament
- 4 Queen's Birthday
- 5 University of NSW International Competitions & Assessments for Schools - Spelling and Writing
- 6 Zone Boys' Hockey Tournament
- 7 Zone Girls' Hockey Tournament
- 11-12 Hearing and Vision Testing
- 11-15 Primary School Visits
- 14 Champion of Champions Boys' Rugby Tournament
- 14 Term II Open Day
- 15 Term II Social
- 18 Edendale Rugby Tournament (TBC)
- 19 University of NSW International Competitions & Assessments for Schools - English
- 21 BoT Meeting
- 22 Pasadena Intermediate School Performing Arts Festival, Dress Rehearsal
- 22 Technology Challenge
- 26 Zone Girls' Netball Tournament
- 27 Term II Task Presentation: School Performing Arts Festival
- 28 Student Council Mufti Day
- 28 World Vision Concert
- 29 School Closes for Term II

## BOARD OF TRUSTEES

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 Thursday 17 May at 7.00pm in the Principal's Office.

## ABSENCES/LATENESS


We ask that parents/caregivers advise the school of their child's absence or lateness by 8.30a.m. This enables classroom teachers to be advised before school commences.

## THANK YOU - THANK YOU -

THANK YOU for the excellent support of our TELECOM CALL CONNECTION APPEAL - during the holidays we sent off to TELECOM the completed Sponsors forms.



Once TELECOM have checked and verified the details (unsigned forms, disconnected numbers, business numbers and the numbers of Telecom employees are not allowed) we will start reaping the financial benefits of the support and be able to award the prizes to the top classes and successful students.



**THE PASADENA CENTRE**

PASADENA INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL, MORAY PLACE, PT CHEVALIER

WEDNESDAY 30 MAY 9.00 a.m.- 4.30 p.m.

THURSDAY 31 MAY 9.00 a.m. - 4.30 p.m.

FRIDAY 1 JUNE 9.00 a.m. - 12.30 p.m.

LOCAL PRE, PRIMARY, INTERMEDIATE AND SECONDARY SCHOOLS

**GENEROUSLY SPONSORED BY THE POINT CHEVALIER RSA - 'HELPING IN OUR COMMUNITY'**

**YOU ARE INVITED TO VIEW THE OUTSTANDING ART WORK OF THE STUDENTS OF OUR COMMUNITY.**

## TERMS & HOLIDAYS 2007

For your information the Ministry of Education has set the Term dates for 2007 as follows -

### TERMS

- One:** Wed 7 February - Thursday 5 April
- Two:** Monday 23 April - Friday 29 June
- Three:** Mon 16 July - Friday 21 September
- Four:** Mon 8 October - Thurs 20 December

### ADDITIONAL HOLIDAYS

- Auckland Anniversary - Monday 29 January (In Holidays)
- Waitangi Day - Tuesday 6 February (In Holidays)
- Easter - Friday 6 - Tuesday 10 April (In Holidays)
- ANZAC - Wednesday 25 April
- Queens Birthday - Monday 4 June
- Labour Day - Monday 22 October

## STUDENT HEALTH

We have noted on a number of student enrolment records there are students with allergies and conditions which require special medication and treatment. If your child is one of these children, we would be grateful if you would contact Mrs Holmes, School Receptionist, to outline to her, treatment procedures.

## WESTERN SPRINGS COLLEGE - YR 8 EXPERIENCE

All Year 8 students have been invited to participate in a 'Western Springs College Experience' on the morning of Wednesday 16 May.

The College will provide further written information for parents and a consent form, next week.

# TALENT QUEST

Thank you to those parents/caregivers and family members who supported our Talent Quest Final at the end of Term 1.

It was an outstanding success - I am constantly delighted by the courage and talent our students display when it comes to performing on stage.

All the performers are to be congratulated for their on stage performance, their originality and their effort in preparing the items. It was the most varied Talent Quest that I can recall us staging. Extremely well done.

## FINALISTS

Jazz Dance - **Emily Gore** and **Michela Belesaurus**

Contemporary Dance - **Deanna Lauchlan**, **Lisa Serbeh** and **Amy Edwards**

Violin - **Jesse Loveridge**

Tap and Jazz Dancing - **Brosnan Ackerman**  
The Band - **Luke Butters**, **Jesse Loveridge** and **Ramone Cole-Delu**

Drumming - **Sione Nau**, **Jarrold Gribble**, **Jerome Lilatoni**, **Vaimoli Faiilalo** and **Michael Tohi**

Modern Dance - **Raveena Nand** and **Imasha Kumarawansa**

Violin: **Jesse Loveridge**

Magic Show: **Madeleine Trusewich** and **Henri Kirkham**

Michael Jackson Dance: **Samuel Kake**

## RESULTS

1st - Drumming: **Sione Nau**, **Jarrold Gribble**, **Jerome Lilatoni**, **Vaimoli Faiilalo** and **Michael Tohi**

2nd - Dance: **Emily Gore**

3rd - Magic Show: **Madeleine Trusewich** and **Henri Kirkham**

Highly Commended -Violin: **Jesse Loveridge**

Well done MCs, **Mitchell Cosgrave** and **Rima Williams** and Sound Technicians **Adele Fruean**, **Samantha Casey**, **Maria Harrison**, **Taumafoe Meni** and **Nastassja Nai-Mata'afa**.

Thank you to our Talent Quest Committee for organizing this event, **Mitchell Cosgrave**, **Rima Williams**, **Hannah Jackson**, **Rosie Luke**, **Georgia Rudd** and **Maxton Scott Coulson**.

And also, a **BIG** thank you to the judges, **Michelle Heyder**, **Peter Elliott**, **Michael Goldwater** and **Kelly Rodgers**, and students **Ben van Dam** and **Rosa Newell**.

Many thanks to the staff for supporting and assisting the students, particularly **Mr den Hartog** for co-ordinating the event.

## TABLE TENNIS DEMONSTRATION

On Tuesday at Recreation, members of the Auckland Table Tennis Association, put on a highly skilled and highly entertaining demonstration during Recreation, for all students.

## HEARING & VISION TESTING

Staff from Auckland Healthcare Services National Audiology Centre will be at Pasadena on Monday 11 and Tuesday 12 June to conduct Hearing and Vision Testing.

This testing is part of an established screening programme. Healthcare Services will contact parents/caregivers if they have any concerns following the testing. If parents/caregivers have any questions please contact Mrs Louise Holmes, our Receptionist.

This is Learning for the 21st century

## COMMUNITY NOTICES

When space permits, we are happy to include Community Notices, particularly those pertaining to activities that involve our students and their families, in our Newsletters. Forward copy to, or enquire at the office.

### DIOCESAN SCHOOL FOR GIRLS: SCHOLARSHIPS 2008

We welcome applications for 2008 Scholarships. Diocesan is an independent Anglican school that has a reputation for academic achievement. Each year a variety of scholarships are awarded by the school. Driven by the School's philosophy 'follow your star', Diocesan fosters a unique where girls can achieve their personal best.

Academic Scholarship: Entry at Years 9-13

Chapel Scholarship: Entry at Years 9-13.

Active involvement in the Anglican Church is a prerequisite. Applications close Friday 25th May 2007.

For further information, or to request a Prospectus or Scholarship Application Form, please contact Mrs Raewyn MacCormick, Admissions Director on 520 0221 ext 7832.

Phone 09 520 0221, Fax 09 520 9376

Clyde Street, Epsom, Auckland 1051, New Zealand

www.diocesan.school.nz

### HOST FAMILIES NEEDED FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS BY WESTERN SPRINGS COLLEGE

Western Springs College is looking for families living in our community to host international students from Japan, Korea, China, Germany, Italy, Belgium and Sweden starting in July 07. Can you help?

If you would like to host a student or if you know a family interested in hosting an international student, please contact Dean of International Students at Western Springs College Dal McGuirk 815-6743 (DDI, office hours) (home, evenings & weekends) for more information

