

# St Peter's College

## Grafton, Auckland, New Zealand



Catholic School for Boys in the Edmund Rice Tradition

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### 'Sorry for Being a Man'

One of the skills of any modern leadership position is to develop a camera contrite posture and know how to apologise to a mass audience.

These skills are needed because with everyone striving for perfection in everything – imperfection surprisingly still occurs! As Leonard Cohen's refrain goes: **"There is a crack in everything. It lets the light in."**

But the recent political apology for 'being a man' - takes 'sorry' to a new level.

Apologies used to be about the individual, delivered from the heart and a genuine attempt to heal a wrong. It was always about the other. This mass produced apology has all the hallmarks of a political statement for a mass audience in an election year.

My thoughts when I heard those political words – how would parents of boys explain that statement to their sons? "I am sorry that you came into the world - a boy!" Really!

Apology for being a man is more than a silly statement. It demeans the nature of an apology and demeans the nature of being a man.

Instead of scapegoating all men, the real issue is how we educate young men to be confident, secure, respectful individuals who know how the team works, know how the world works and how we all make life better. **A.M.D.G. Ad Majorem Dei Gloriam - All for the Glory of God.**

Far from apologising for the maleness of St Peter's College and its 1200 students, we should rejoice at the privilege of being able to work with outstanding men. We are in the business of boys – through their good times and not so good times – and have done this for 75 years!

The phrase from scripture often sticks in my mind: **"Which of you would give your son a**

**stone, when he asks for bread?"**

Even despite the context of the political audience – the apology for being a man was simply "a stone"!

Looking forward to another excellent term.

#### **Congratulations:**

- To our cyclists at the North Island Secondary Schools' Road and Track Cycling Championships over the holidays. Some excellent results.
- To the four rugby teams who went down to Gisborne – winning 3 out of 4.
- To the Kairos retreatants for an excellent retreat at end of term 2.

#### **75th Jubilee Celebration:**

**Friday 8 August 5.00 pm**

Drinks in the gymnasium.

**Saturday 9 August**

- 1st XI play Rangitoto at 12.00 noon in Cage
- 1st XV play Sacred Heart at 2.30 pm Cage
- Dinner/Ball at Ellerslie Convention Centre from 6.30 pm

**Sunday 10 August**

Mass at 11.00 am in College Hall

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In His Peace

**K F Fouhy**  
Headmaster

# Upcoming Events

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesd	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
28 Jul	29 Jul	30 Jul	31 Jul	1 Aug	2 Aug	3 Aug
Science Fair @ Hall M/S CZ Hockey @Nth Harbour Hockey	BOT Meeting @ Library 7.30pm Science Fair @ Hall	Assembly (Junior) Y9 Parents Evening @Hall Old Boys Meeting @Library 7pm	Senior Music Night @Hall 7pm	Band Camp @ Motu Moana	1stXV v Kelston Boys' @Cage 2.30pm 1stXI Football v Kings @Kings 12pm Band Camp @ Motu Moana	
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
4 Aug	5 Aug	6 Aug	7 Aug	8 Aug	9 Aug	10 Aug
Chamber Orchestra@ KBB Westlake Girls' 8.00pm PTFA Meeting @ Staffroom 7.30pm	Kids Sing @Town Hall 1st XI Football v Sacred Heart @ Cage 3pm Cycling Committee Meeting @7.30pm Staffroom	Assembly (Senior) Kids Sing @Town Hall M/S Exchange v SHC	Concert Band @ KBB Westlake Boys' 6.00pm & 7.30pm M/S CZ Basketball @TBC	Jazz Band @ KBB Westlake Girls' 12.00pm M/S Waterpolo @ EGGS International Student Event @ Newmarket 75th Jubilee Opening @Gym 5.30pm	1stXV v SHC @ Cage 2.30pm 1stXI Football v Rangitoto @Cage 12pm M/S Waterpolo @ EGGS KBB Music Festival @ Westlake Boys' 75th Jubilee Ball @Ellerslie Convention Centre 6.30pm	75th Jubilee Mass @Hall 11am AKSS Cycling @ Airport M/S Waterpolo @ EGGS

## Important Upcoming Dates for the Term

**30 July: Y9 Parents Evening @Hall**

**31 July: Senior Music Night @Hall 7pm**

**8 Aug: 75th Jubilee Opening @Gym 5:30pm**

**9 Aug: 75th Jubilee Ball @ Ellerslie 6:30pm**

**10 Aug: 75th Jubilee Mass @ Hall 11am**

### ABSENCE FROM SCHOOL

Please ensure you phone the school by 9am if your son is going to be away or out of school for any appointments. We also ask that you send a letter with your son on return. Phone Mrs Alison Strong (Attendance Officer) on 524 8108 ext 7341

## Bereavements

**Nathan Pereria (9BOD)** - Grandfather died

**Jacob Gordan (10NOL)** - Grandmother died

**Matthew Casy (10TRE) and Liam Casey (12 TRE)**  
Grandfather passed away

**Jack Breen (10 NOL)** - Grandfather died

**James Dolan (7LYN)** - Grandfather passed away

**KC McMahon (12TRE)** - Grandfather died

**Kobe McLean (8RIC)** - Aunt passed away

**Tanginoa Halaifonua (12BOD)** - Grandmother died

**James Lynch (12BOD)** - Great Uncle passed away

**Robbie Taylor (11BOD)** - Grandmother died

Please be advised that due to safety concerns the front gate will be locked from 3.00 - 3.30pm Mon - Fri.

# Special Character News

## *The St Peter's Man is a Man of Faith*

### Service Programmes 2014

Congratulations to Year 9 for 100% Service Hours completion rates for 2014. Every Year 9 student also presented a reflection on his service work during House Time last time. Mr Kingdon, Mr Fricker, Mr Neville, and Mr Bridges attended the reflections and were impressed by both the many and varied ways that the Year 9s fulfilled their hours, as well as the quality of the learning and reflection displayed by students. Good work Year 9!

Below: Year 10 students, whose Service Journals are due next week, are thanked by De Paul House for their help moving furniture last term. We continue to take Missions collections on a daily basis for De Paul House. De Paul House is the dedicated SPC Missions organisation for 2014. See the College Newsletter from June 27 for more information about De Paul House, or go to <http://www.depaulhouse.org.nz/>



### EDMUND'S SHOP SHOP OPEN HOURS

**Monday-Thursday**  
(during school Terms)

**For Parents: 9:30am-2:00pm**

**For Students: Interval & Lunch time only**

**Friday (during school Terms)**

**For Parents: 8:00am-12:30pm**

**For Students: Before school 8:00am-8:30am &  
Interval only**

### 2014 Service Due Dates and Required Hours:

**Y7:** 12 hours – Service Journal and essay due Friday August 15th.

**Y8:** 12 hours – Service Journal and essay due Friday August 15th.

**Y9:** 15 hours – Service Journals complete, with all having been handed in.

**Y10:** 15 hours, at least 2 of which must be specific service for SPC. Service Journal due to Mr Fricker by Thursday July 31st.

**Y11:** 15 hours – Service Journal/Essay due to Mr Fricker by August 15th.

**Y12:** 20 hours – Service Journal/Essay due to Mr Fricker by August 15th.

## IMPORTANT SPC NET NEW LOOK AND LAYOUT

SPC Net is about to be upgraded with a brand new look and layout.

Please take the time to view this short 2 minute video to familiarise yourselves with the new layouts.

Click link below to see short video presentation:

[WATCH THE 2 MIN VIDEO](#)

This change will take place early week beginning 28th July.

## CONTACT DETAILS

Please log on to the SPC Portal:  
<http://www.st-peters.school.nz/SPC-Service-Links.aspx> to request a change of details.

# From Deputy Headmaster (Pastoral Care) Stephen Dooley

## New Prefects

Congratulations to the additional four prefects named at the St Peter's Day Mass last term. These new leaders will join a strong Prefect team for the remainder of the year.

Head Boy:	<b>Felix Commarieu</b>	
Deputies:	<b>Daive D'Souza</b>	Special Character
	<b>Rohan D'Souza</b>	Academics
	<b>Josh Plummer</b>	O'Driscoll
Prefects:	<b>Jack Adams</b>	Transport
	<b>Luke Brown</b>	Treacy
	<b>Jakob McCaffrey</b>	International
	<b>Michael Nihotte</b>	Music
	<b>Liam Shanker</b>	Lynch
	<b>Jacob Suvalko</b>	Rice
	<b>Romero Tagi</b>	Nolan
	<b>Isaac Tamapeau</b>	Sport
	<b>Rowan Thompson</b>	Community
	<b>Bruno Tourelle</b>	Middle Sch
	<b>Luke van der Sande</b>	Bodkin
	<b>Sam Williams-Dufty</b>	Cultural
	<b>Nathan Wood</b>	Environment
	<b>Sam Bailey</b>	General
	<b>Gerard-Luke Malgas</b>	General
	<b>Euan Morris</b>	General
	<b>Vincent Sacay-Wu</b>	General
Announced on St Peter's Day:	<b>Mark Carroll</b>	General
	<b>Denver D'Souza</b>	General
	<b>Calvin Fernandes</b>	General
	<b>Richard Senele</b>	General

## Reminders

- Boys are not permitted to be inside the Newmarket Square or 277 Countdown. Head of Years will be monitoring these areas closely.
- The expected standard of train and bus behaviour from our students is very high. Boys are required to offer their seat to any adult passengers that may be standing.
- Please remind your son about the importance of staying committed to his winter sports team. Attendance at every training session and all games are mandatory and an integral part of the St Peter's College values of Presence, Service, Respect and Excellence.

## Music

### Combined Orchestra

The Combined Orchestra had a successful camp Peter Snell Village, Whangaparoa, and has performed at St Mary's Proms this week. All groups will be performing at Music Night next Thursday, 31 July, 7pm (Musicians to be at here at 6pm). All welcome to this event.

### KBB

All groups are preparing to compete in the KBB Festival 4th – 10th August: The Chamber Orchestra has a workshop Sunday 27th, also the Jazz Band 10 – 4 same day. The Senior Concert Band has a weekend workshop and camp 1-3rd August, and the Combined Orchestra from 4-6 on Sunday 3rd.

## GUIDANCE COUNSELLING

Guidance Counselling is available during school hours. Any students requiring confidential appointments or a parent wanting to refer their Son, can reach Mrs Kersten in the Careers Department. Contact details are:

dkersten@st-peters.school.nz

524 8108 ext 7344

# From the Assistant Headmaster (Middle School) Michael Mullin

## Middle School Report

As Term Three starts, it is a great time to ensure that parents are aware of all the different aspects of college life that is going for the next ten weeks in the Middle School. This week started with parent teacher interviews where parents, teachers and students had the chance to sit down and discuss how the year has been going so far. It is a chance to celebrate success and to realign goals to look for improvement where needed as term three and four continue.

During the term the following activities are on:

Science Fair

Sports exchanges with Dilworth and Sacred Heart College

Year 8 Retreat

Mass of Acceptance for sacramental group

Social

Speech Finals

Dare Program

Life Education Bus

AIMS Tournament in Tauranga

Eisteddfod

With all this on there is always the focus on quality teaching and learning taking place in the classroom. We never underestimate good routines and boundaries in the classroom so that students have the best opportunity to succeed in their academic goals at Saint Peter's College.

## Cultural



***Ko taku reo taku ohooho, ko taku reo taku mapihi mauria***

*My language is my awakening, my language is the window to my soul*

The St Peters Whanau Committee are very proud of the ways in which St Peters celebrate our Maori culture – from mandatory Te Reo Māori (Māori language) for Years 7 to 9 to the performing of haka by our entire School. This week is Māori Language Week – a great opportunity to celebrate not only Māori language but also Māori culture, and a good reminder for us all at St Peters that we have two official spoken languages in New Zealand.

This is the perfect time to have a go at incorporating Te Reo into your conversations. Start with greeting people with “kia ora” or find out what your name means in Maori and adopt your newfound Maori name for a few weeks (you might find you like it and decide to keep it!). Don't be concerned if you pronounce things a little incorrectly. We have a beautiful language which “sings” when it is used correctly so if you are not sure, ask a Maori brother or sister to help.

There is a raft of free resources to help you in your Te Reo journey – <http://www.korero.maori.nz/news/mlw> being a great starting point. If you want to further embrace our beautiful language, have a look at one of the many free Te Reo courses available (Unitec and AUT to name just two).

**Below are a few phrases to get you started:**

Kia kaha!	Be strong (try hard)
Tau kē!	Awesome!
Awhi mai	Give me a hug
Ka rawe	Excellent
Te ātaahua hoki!	Beautiful
Ka pai	Well done/that's good
Ka pai tō mahi	You are doing well
Aroha mai	I am sorry/excuse me
I pēhea tō rā?	How was your day
Pai mārika taku rā	I had a great day
Kua kai koe?	Have you had something to eat?
E matekai ana koe?	Are you hungry?
Ka kite anō āpōpō	See you tomorrow
Kia pai tō rā	Have a great day
Nga mihi	Thanks a lot



# Careers

## Maori & Pasifika Careers Expo

Kia Ora & Warm Pasifika Greetings

St Peter's College will be hosting its first Maori and Pasifika Careers Expo on Wednesday 13th August, 6.00pm to 8.00pm and we would like to personally invite you and your family to attend. Please refer to the attached poster (see page 7) for more information on this special event.

We look forward to seeing you on the day.

**Heather Trought**

**Head of Careers**

### St Peter's College welcomes you to the 1<sup>st</sup> Maori & Pasifika Careers Evening

*Thinking about your son's  
future? What will be his  
next steps after college?*



**A SPECIAL INVITATION to all our Maori & Pasifika  
Y7-Y13 SPC boys, parents and families ...**

An opportunity to discover, to ask questions, to get information about future education and career options, find out how to apply for scholarships, listen to presentations, enjoy a cup of tea, to be inspired, excited and interested in the career choices that are available for your son to build his own successful future.  
Join us for a great, informative and fun evening  
**We look forward to seeing you there!**

**WEDNESDAY 13 AUGUST 2014**

**~ 6.00 PM TO 8.00 PM ~**

**ST PETER'S COLLEGE SCHOOL HALL**

***This Inaugural Event is for YOU and your son ... join us to make it a success!***

*Universities, Technical Institutes, Employers that will be attending to **meet and talk to you with your son:***

- ⊙ AirNZ Aviation Institute
- ⊙ Auckland University of Technology (AUT)
- ⊙ BEST Pacific Institute
- ⊙ BCITO—Building Apprenticeships
- ⊙ Canterbury University
- ⊙ CareersNZ
- ⊙ Massey University
- ⊙ High-Tech Youth
- ⊙ Manukau Institute of Technology (MIT)
- ⊙ NZ Defence (Airforce, Army, Navy)

- ⊙ NZMA
- ⊙ NZ Police
- ⊙ Te Wananga O Aotearoa
- ⊙ The Skills Org (Apprenticeships)
- ⊙ Unitec
- ⊙ University of Auckland
- ⊙ University of Otago
- ⊙ Victoria University
- ⊙ Waikato University



For further info contact: **Heather Trought** (Head of Careers): Tel: **524 8108 extn 7606** Email: [htrought@st-peters.school.nz](mailto:htrought@st-peters.school.nz)  
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# Year 7 Fitness

## Year 7 Fitness Test Results

1	Johnston	Sammy	12.5
2	Best	Vincent	12.4
3	Freeman	Harrison	12.3
4	Halliday	Rowan	12.1
5	Vaz	Aidan	11.1
6	Brennan	Rory	11.9
7	Bainbridge	Freddie	11.5
8	Ikiua	Arama	11.5
9	Mcallister-Sim	Kian	11.5
10	Szeto	Cameron	11.5
11	Erceg	Jacob	11.4
12	Maitland	Tyler	11.4
13	Mccullough	Sam	11.3
14	Thompson	Joshua	10.1
15	Kirkpatrick	Raphael	10.1
16	Macfarlane	Oliver	10.9
17	Hogan	William	10.8
18	Fernandes	Chris	10.8
19	Cheng	Max	10.8
20	Seal	Jacob	10.7
21	Sampson	Maxten	10.5
22	Reid	Isaac	10.4
23	Turkson	Deysharn	10.4
24	Erceg	Ethan	10.4
25	Fairfield	Noah	10.4
26	Mullin	Corneilios	10.3
27	Dolan	James	10.3
28	Green	Darcy	10.3
29	Sloan	Jack	10.3
30	Parsons	Connor	10.1
31	Firmin	Tom	10.1
32	Gogarty-Watson	Kieran	10.1
33	Thompson	Matthew	10.1
34	Fitzpatrick	Harry	10.1
35	Irawan	Marudin	10.1
36	Houston	Mathieu	10.1
37	Mullins	Thomas	10.1
38	Wood	Alex	9.10
39	Ravelich	Joshua	9.8
40	Mcconnell	Benjamin	9.8
41	Bonisch	Jack	9.7
42	Hamilton	Isaac	9.7
43	Thompson	Jasper	9.6
44	Swarbrick	Ben	9.6
45	Wulf	Francis	9.6
46	Wilkinson	Conrad	9.5
47	Dickey	Bruno	9.5
48	Luetich	Antonio	9.5
49	Mcardle	Callum	9.5
50	Olney	Lucas	9.5

51	Russell	Benjamin	9.5
52	Milicich	Nicholas	9.4
53	Mountfount	Nicholas	9.4
54	Ngo	Jovi	9.4
55	Da Costa	Aaron	9.2
56	Matafi	Tom	9.2
57	Chirackal	Nevin	9.2
58	Brown	Lauchlan	9.2
59	Franklyn	Harrison	9.2
60	Pickett	Elijah	9.1
61	Tevaga	Kaloka	9.1
62	Butterworth-Snell	Angus	8.10
63	Peck	Brandon	8.10
64	Jerkovic	Luke	8.9
65	Batten	Thomas	8.9
66	Loveday	Drew	8.9
67	Steinmetz	Ali	8.9
68	Naku	Paul	8.7
69	Thwaites	Tom	8.7
70	Yugovich	Mario	8.7
71	Barrack	Jerome	8.5
72	Telequido	Evan	8.5
73	Kahukiwa	Satriani	8.5
74	Tauata	Lawrence	8.5
75	Tolich	Nicholas	8.4
76	Asnake	Beniam	8.4
77	Dorreen	Matthew	8.4
78	Koh	Andrew	8.3
79	Prohuber	Max	8.3
80	Washer	Anthony	8.2
81	Auva'a-O'Brien	Caleb	8.2
82	Boyle	Rory	8.2
83	Millar	Stefan	8.2
84	Cooke	Jordan	8.1
85	Zivkovich-Gilmour	Aidan	8.1
86	Ogotau	Joel	8.1
87	Wang	Eric	8.1
88	D'souza	Leander	7.10
89	Macarthur	Kyle	7.9
90	Yeatman-Biggs	Flynn	7.9
91	Gillespie	Ruaridh	7.8
92	Hunniford	Adam	7.8
93	Cook	Benjamin	7.6
94	Salazar	Kurt	7.6
95	Birch	James	7.6
96	Carvalho	Andre	7.6
97	Bareham	Monte	7.5
98	Quin	Charlie	7.5
99	Wong	Jacob	7.5
100	Bareham	Billy	7.5

# Year 8 Fitness

## Year 8 Fitness Test Results

1	Gray	Ethan	12.9
2	McConnell	Jack	12.5
3	Jacobs	Riaihe	12.4
4	Stevens	Jonathan	12.4
5	Neville	Daniel	12.3
6	Gallagher	Benjamin	11.11
7	Petersen	Trentham	11.11
8	Wilson	Bradley	11.11
9	Back	Liam	11.8
10	Williams	Harry	11.8
11	Paterson	Taylen	11.7
12	Pinder	Nathan	11.6
13	Simpkins	Sean	11.6
14	Olsen-Hennessy	Finn	11.4
15	Vesper	Max	11.2
16	Manukia	Malipolo	11.2
17	Clancy	Grant	11.2
18	Turner	Samuel	11.2
19	Southern	Chasdm	11.2
20	Ogle	Harry	11.1
21	Webster	Reuben	11.1
22	Sanders	Oliver	10.11
23	Asi	Nathan	10.9
24	Toohey	Gene	10.9
25	Haydock	Joseph	10.9
26	Buckingham	Luke	10.9
27	Kingdon	Paris	10.9
28	Drury	Dominic	10.8
29	Hunt	Hugo	10.6
30	Anderson	Benjamin	10.5
31	Mitchell	Trent	10.4
32	Borich	Reon	10.3
33	Sterne	Kyle	10.2
34	Fox	Anthony	10.2
35	Hafoka	Connor	10.2
36	Day	Toby	10.1
37	Pritchard	Dhynzel	10.1
38	Santos	Carl	10.1
39	Aldous	Maximilian	10.1
40	Leota	Benjamin	10.1
41	Butterworth-Snell	Hamish	10.1
42	Reinsfield	Charles	9.10
43	Dallow	Max	9.10
44	Pepper	Thomas	9.10
45	Kroonenberg	Benjamin	9.9
46	Tuburan	Jared	9.8
47	Clark	Sebastian	9.7
48	Walter	Caleb	9.7
49	McHugh	Sean	9.7

50	Pitts	Harry	9.7
51	Gallagher	Connor	9.6
52	Magness	Stephen	9.6
53	Grant	Anton	9.5
54	Fuhiniu	Benjamin	9.4
55	Devoy	Samuel	9.4
56	Grayson	Tom	9.4
57	Meyer	Luca	9.4
58	Thorpe	Stephen	9.4
59	Philp	Jordan	9.3
60	Verschuur	Daniel	9.2
61	Flocchini	Luca	9.2
62	Hayes	James	9.2
63	Tanuvasa	Kyrn	9.1
64	Wheeler	Liam	9.1
65	Miller	Reuben	8.11
66	Davis	Aswin	8.9
67	Fairfield	Elijah	8.9
68	Dallow	Joel	8.9
69	Muir	George	8.8
70	McHugh	William	8.5
71	Phibbs	Hugo	8.5
72	Tringham	Max	8.4
73	Walsh	Jack	8.4
74	Wong	Trent	8.4
75	Strickland	Naryan	8.3
76	Sheehan	Connor	8.3
77	Armstrong	Jamie	8.3
78	Simons	Oscar	8.3
79	Ah Young	Ioane	8.2
80	Meyers	Mark	8.2
81	Ivanov-Fesien	Liam	8.2
82	Shearer	Inigo	8.1
83	Whitehead	Jarrood	8.1
84	Limbo	Juan	7.9
85	Mulvey	Darren	7.9
86	Zapatero Zea	D'Angelo	7.9
87	Bojan	Timothy	7.9
88	Asi	Jericho	7.8
89	Fangupo	Bruno	7.8
90	McIver	Max	7.8
91	Hines	Nicholas	7.7
92	Hackshaw	Max	7.5
93	Lobo	Joshua	7.5
94	Botica	James	7.4
95	Dowd	Carl	7.4
96	Bhatt	Rohan	7.4
97	Dever	Callum	7.4
98	Jeffery	Joshua	7.4
99	Fuimaono-Rodokal	Kieran	7.3
100	Baker	Josh	7.2



## North Island Schools Road Cycling Championships

On 5th & 6th of July, the North Island Schools Road Cycling Championships were held in Cambridge. Day 1 racing consisted of two races, a team time trial followed by an individual road race. On Day 2 the cyclists raced a criterium.

In two days, three races were contested in cold windy conditions with all the dramas that belong with a race meet this size - accidents, gear failures, timing issues, challenging weather conditions, the mud and a criterium course filled with alarming hazards.

On the first morning the St Peters boys went out to compete in the Team Time Trials. The year 7/8 A team were the closest SPC team to medalling, being only 2 seconds away from a bronze medal.

In the road race, the U13 boys led the way for St Peters with **Aidan Merrick** winning gold and Luke Ransley winning bronze.

The criterium was raced in the grounds of St Peters School, Cambridge. Bollards, tight corners, pot holes, traffic & people were hazards that faced the cyclists along with pressure on the officials to finish the racing on time. Again, the U13 boys led the way for St Peters with **Aidan Merrick** winning gold and **Luke Ransley** winning bronze.

In the Intermediate Schools category, St Peters College finished a close second, being only 4 points behind the top school.



Above: Intermediate School Team Trial Team - Aidan Merrick, Reuben Webster, Thomas Mackenzie-Bowie

Top 20 Team & Individual Results were:

### Team Time Trials

#### Year 7/8

SPC A 4th

SPC C 17th

#### Under 16

SPC A 16th

#### Under 20

SPC A 12th

### Individual Road Race & Criterium

	Road Race	Criterium
<b>Under 13</b>		
<b>Aidan Merrick</b>	1st	1st
<b>Luke Ransley</b>	3rd	3rd
<b>Reuben Webster</b>	12th	15th
<b>Lauchlan Brown</b>		16th
<b>Under 15</b>		
<b>Jayden Kuijpers</b>	20th	
<b>Under 16</b>		
<b>Liam Powell</b>	20th	

## Swimming

The following boys recently competed in the AKSS Individual Championships gaining excellent results;

**Sebastien Priscott** - 1st U13 400m Free; 1st U13 100m Free; 2nd U13 100m Backstroke; 3rd U13 100m Medley

**Daniel Cameron** - 1st U13 50m Fly; 1st U13 50m Free; 2nd U13 100m Free; 3rd U13 100m Fly

**Harry Williams** - 2nd U12 800m Free, 4th U13 50m Fly



### Successful Gisborne Exchange

Last weekend the 1st XV, 2nd XV, U15's and U14's travelled to play Gisborne in a traditional exchange. The day started well for St Peter's with the U14's playing impressively to score a well-deserved 15 – 5 win. Stand out performers for the U14's included **Michael Farac, Wiremu Amai and Josh Loveday**. The U15's were left rueing missed opportunities with a narrow 17 – 20 loss in a highly entertaining encounter. Notable performances came from **Josh Wheeler, Brandon O'Connell and Mcarthy Filikitonga**. The 2nd XV found themselves 19 – 0 down at half time. In the second half they showed excellent spirit to comeback and claim a 25 – 19 win.

The 1st XV dominated the early exchanges. However, a combination of stout defence from Gisborne and poor finishing meant the firsts held a slender 11 – 7 lead at half time. The momentum of the game swung in Gisborne's favour following half time and at 18 – 11 to the home team midway through the second half the 1st XV were on the back foot. As they have done previously this year the Firsts came back to score 20 unanswered points to win 31 – 18. It is the first time St Peter's have won in Gisborne since 2006. **Darren Kellet** was awarded man of the match. Openside **Flanker, Aleks Dabek**, had an excellent game. **Dion Fraser** had a welcome return to form.

The 1st XV are playing at the cage on Saturday against Onehunga. Get along and support the team as they strive to secure a place in the semi-finals. 2.30pm kick off.

### U15A Rugby Christchurch Tour

At the start of the Term 2 holidays the U15A rugby team travelled to Christchurch for three games. Upon arriving in Christchurch we were greeted with freezing conditions which would linger for the duration of our 5 day stay.

Following a day of sightseeing we had a confident St Bedes side first up. The St Bedes side took us on a physically and played a controlled kicking game. It was a tough match, and whilst we had our chances we were unable to come out on top going down 19-21. Player of the day was **Tom Drumm** (10TRE). That night we travelled across the city to meet our hosts for the next two nights St Thomas of Canterbury. STC were wonderful hosts and our schools have developed a strong rugby relationship over the past few years.

The next day we played STC in front of their whole school who welcomed us onto the field with a rousing haka. If the SPC boys were feeling intimidated they

didn't show it with a well taken try from the kick off. After a slow first half we raised the pace of the game and ran out comfortable winners 39-5. Player of the day was **Mcarthy Filikitonga** 11NOL.

After attending the STC Day mass we got into our vans and travelled to Hanmer Springs for a couple of days of rest. The team enjoyed the Hot Springs and the alpine surroundings, many of whom had never been to the South Island before. We were a hit with the locals who enjoyed the boys singing after we quadrupled attendance at Saturday night mass.

Our last day began with us travelling back to Christchurch to take on South Island champions Christchurch Boys'. A dreadful first half saw us sleep walk to the break down 0-15. After a strong half time talk the boys came out firing and proceeded to run down the Christchurch lead. Well taken tries to **Josh Shields** 10RIC and **Josh Wheeler** 10BOD and the accurate kicking of **Noah West** 10BOD got us close trailing 14-15. SPC then starved CBHS of the ball and we knew if we could keep possession close to the posts CBHS would inevitably infringe. With the clock counting down sure enough the penalty came. **Noah West**, who had hardly missed a kick all week, calmly slotted the goal. **Noah West and Josh Wheeler** were jointly awarded player of the day.

The victory over CBHS capped off a great week and the boys were a credit to their school and families on their impeccable manners and conduct. The SPC U15A's are grateful to manager **Mr Al McNab** for his organisation and fundraising efforts in making this trip a reality.



## Sport (continued)

### Softball - Australian International Friendship Series

**Kalin Felise and Joseph Kohlhase** recently travelled to Sydney with the NZ Softball Under 17 Boys Team to compete at the Australian Softball International Friendship Series.

After losing their opening game, the team bounced back to win their remaining 7 games of round robin play and advance directly to the final against Australia. Both boys were selected to play the final, with Joseph at second base & Kalin pitching. After a tight start to the game, NZ pulled ahead and went on to win 12-2, claiming the Series title. Kalin was named MVP of the final.



### Congratulations

Eden Walter Dickson Representatives: **Waiora Morris, Connor Hafoka, Ieuan Leigh, Angelo Start, Trentham Peterson, Riaihe Jacobs.** Placed third at the Tournament.

Central Bill McLaren: **Malipolo Manukia, Vincent Po'uhila, Kobe McLean, Naryan Strickland, Dhynzel Pritchard, Chasdm Southern, Theo Tamapeau.** Placed second at the Tournament.



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#### ***GIVING HOPE IN A STORM - supporting grieving children and teens through a difficult loss***

Organiser name: The Parenting Place

Date: Wednesday 30 July 2014

Start time: 7:30 PM End time: 9:00 PM

Address: The Parenting Place, 300 Great South Road, Greenlane, Auckland

Contact info: The Parenting Place ph 09 524 0025

Email: [info@theparentingplace.com](mailto:info@theparentingplace.com)

Single Ticket: \$15.00 (Admits one person)

A very practical, evidence-based workshop for those working with children and young people, including guidance counsellors, school chaplains, child or youth workers, teachers and social workers.

What does current grief research tell us? What effective support strategies can be put in place? Get a range of ideas, tools and resources to help 5-18 year olds 'get through the storm'.

The workshop is presented by Tricia Hendry who is the Deputy CEO of Skylight and a well known author of a wide range of publications supporting children, teens and adults through difficult life issues. With a background in teaching and youth work, and having faced tragedy in her own life, Tricia regularly presents practical workshops and contributes to media on the nature and impact of trauma and grief, and on effective ways to support people of all ages.

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