

St Peter's College

Grafton, Auckland, New Zealand



Catholic School for Boys in the Edmund Rice Tradition

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The Sound of Music

The Music programme at St Peter's continues to thrive. Several years ago the Board of Trustees had the foresight to implement the compulsory learning of an instrument into Years 7 and 8. The reasoning for this significant financial commitment was to promote the learning of music to all new boys entering St Peter's.

For many boys, music was not their thing and their interests took them in other directions, but for some it grabbed hold of them and ignited a passion. The capturing and encouragement of these new found talents has flowed through to the senior school, with the numbers of boys continuing on with music growing each year. It has also emanated through to our music groups who have had exceptional success in 2016. At the recent KBB Music Festival – the Auckland Schools Music competition – our Senior Concert Band, Jazz Band and Combined Orchestra (with St Mary's) captured Gold, and our Chamber Orchestra gained Bronze. Additionally our Senior Concert Band triumphed with Gold at the National Band Competition held in Gisborne in July.

Ultimately we hope that all our musicians will continue to have a lifelong love of music.

Thank you to Mr Poljanich and his team of teachers for their dedication and expertise to our musicians.

I have just returned from a visit to the AIMS Tournament in Tauranga. What a wonderful event it is for our 51 Year 7 and Year 8 sportsmen participating in Basketball, Golf, Tennis, Football, Rugby and Waterpolo. Thank you to all staff and parents for the week you spent with our boys.

Our College Ball is to be held on Saturday night. This is one of the highlights of the year for our senior students and sure to be a wonderful night. Just a reminder that our expectation is that any pre or post Ball gathering is alcohol free.

Ma te Atua tātou e manaaki God's blessings

James Bentley
Headmaster



Upcoming Events

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
12 Sep	13 Sep	14 Sep	15 Sep	16 Sep	17 Sep	18 Sep
CIE Preliminary Exams Lumino Dentists Skiing Champs – Seniors @ Whakapapa	Y10 MidYIS Testing @ Hall Skiing Champs – Seniors @ Whakapapa Lumino Dentists	Old Boys Meeting @ Library 7pm Skiing Champs – Seniors @ Whakapapa Lumino Dentists	Senior Sports Awards Dinner @ Hall Lumino Dentists	Mufti Day for St Vincent De Paul Middle School Social @ Hall 7pm Student Trustee Election Day @ 8.30am House Time Y7-8 Water polo Tournament Lumino Dentists	Y7-8 Water polo Tournament	Y7-8 Water polo Tournament
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
19 Sep	20 Sep	21 Sep	22 Sep	23 Sep	24 Sep	25 Sep
Lumino Dentists BOT Finance Meeting @ 5.30pm SPC Fair Committee Meeting 6pm @ Library Hockey Dinner @ Hall	Lumino Dentists Kairos Retreat @ Friary (begins after school) Auckland Road Race @ Papakura Cycling Committee Meeting @ Staffroom 7.30pm	Father + Son Breakfast @ Hall 7am Senior SPORTS Assembly 11.35AM-1PM Lumino Dentists Sam Hunt competition presentation @ 6.30pm Library Samoan Koniti meeting 6pm @ Staffroom Kairos Retreat @ Friary	Kairos Retreat @ Friary Lumino Dentists	Teacher Only Day Kairos Retreat @ Friary End Term 3		

Important Dates for the Coming Term

23 Sep	Teacher Only Day
11 Oct	BOT Meeting @ Library 6.30pm
12 Oct	New Parents Information Evening @ Hall 7pm
13 Oct	New Entrants Day
17-21 Oct	NCEA Preliminary Exams

Bereavements

Joshua Hafoka (12BOD) Grandmother died.

Phoenix Sefo (8ODR) Great Nana died.

Sam Carter (7LYN) and **George Carter** (9LYN) Great Uncle died.

.....Rest in Peace

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

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.

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 Sacramental Programme 2016

Monsignor Paul Farmer celebrated the St. Peter's College baptisms for 2016 on Wednesday, August 10th at St. Benedict's Church. Eight students from the College and one teacher from the Middle School were baptised. This was celebrated by all of the Middle School staff and students, parents and godparents. It was a wonderful occasion and included a performance from the Junior Choir also. Those who were baptised were; **Kasidi Kerrigan** (13BOD), **Blake Wong** (13LYN), **Benjamin McConnell** (9RIC), **Mr. Luke Williams**, **Josh Hastings** (8ODR), **Sam Burr** (8RIC), **Matthew Greenough** (7NOL), **Liam O'Malley** (7RIC) and **James Campbell** (8NOL).



The nine candidates baptised along with sixteen others were then fully welcomed into the Catholic Church on August 26th at St. Benedict's Church at 5.30pm at the Mass of Initiation by the St. Peter's College community.



The other St. Peter's students who were confirmed and received their First Eucharist were **Paul Pa'u** (8LYN), **James Maitland** (8TRE), **Quin Downie** (7NOL), **Stantyn Ah-Yek** (7NOL), **Rico Saunders** (7NOL), **Quincy Penisio** (7NOL), **Matthew Mason** (7BOD), **Nicholas Farac** (7BOD), **Matthew Thomson** (8TRE), **Finn Dockerty** (8LYN), **Charlie Russell** (8RIC), **Oliver Hansen** (8NOL), **McTavish Simpson** (7ODR), **Elliot Mataafa** (7ODR), **Ivica Sokolich** (7LYN) and **Kalin Felise** (12NOL).



As a school community, we warmly congratulate these boys and their families.

Brenda Neville

Middle School DRS

Kapa Haka

Anyone interested in joining Kapa Haka or being part of the Whanau group please contact Viv Howard: email vhoward@st-peters.school.nz

This is open to all St Peter's students and their Whanau.

Middle School News

“Its how you finish the race”

As the end of the term is quickly approaching it is essential that routines and expectations are clear and followed. With winter sport coming to an end and the weather being a bit unpredictable our young men who are tiring need extra support to ensure they finish the term strongly.

It is important that students meet the expectations below:

Presence: Students are at school, on time, meeting deadlines.

Prepared: Students have the correct equipment each and every day.

Polite: Students think carefully before they speak and act.

Productive: Students work hard, displaying the appropriate attitude and effort in class.

If students can meet these expectations then the end to the term will be a very successful one. At this point on behalf of all Middle School students can I please take the opportunity to thank all parents who have helped the various sports teams through the winter months. Your time, energy and willingness to coach, manage, bus drive and cheer lead on the side line is much appreciated and enjoyed.

Matt Skeen

Assistant Headmaster Middle School

St Peter's College would like to inform the Attendees and our Community that

‘Our Annual Celebration Dinner for Mothers’
will now be held on

THURSDAY 13TH OCTOBER 2016.

***** All other details remain the same *****

We would like to take this time to thank you all for your understanding and support in regard to the date change.

Kind Regards

St Peter's College and the ‘Dinner for Mothers’ Committee.

General

SPC SUCCESS IN THE INTERNATIONAL HISTORY BEE AND BOWL COMPETITION

During the last weekend, a team of senior historians represented St Peter's at the annually held International History Bee and Bowl quiz. Our senior history students were given a chance to exhibit and test their general knowledge skills against other keen historians from around Auckland and Hamilton. St Peter's entered with high hopes following our success in the Year 11 and 12 History quiz from a fortnight ago. A team of 5 students – **Liam Powell** (13TRE), **Alec van Helsdingen** (12BOD) and the year 11 trio of **Joseph Sothcott** (11RIC) **Luka Hayward** (11RIC) and **Rory Keating** (11RIC) entered as a team up against the likes of Auckland Grammar, Auckland International College and Hillcrest College from Hamilton.



All our students also entered in the 'Bee' competition which allowed for individual competition. Following a gruelling few preliminary rounds, the top 5 students were announced out of pool of over 30 competitors in both the junior (Year 11) and senior (Years 12 and 13) grades. **Luka** won a nail biting final round with 2 questions remaining, claiming the gold medal. **Joseph** won bronze on the final question. In the senior final, Liam and Alec battled extremely well against their 3 Auckland Grammar finalists. **Liam** was pipped at the post and gained a silver medal. **Alec** came within a whisker of bronze, narrowly missing out on a tie-breaker question. The team (Bowl) competition and saw our team contest against other schools in a series of 'matches'. Following 2 losses in the first 3 head-to-head rounds, our chances looked slim of making the final four play-offs. The boys rallied and won their final two round robin match ups.

A semi-final against last year's winners (Auckland Grammar B) saw our team win convincingly. A pulsating final against Auckland Grammar A was quiz competition at its finest. No inch was given by either team across four close rounds. We came

away with victory in the final three questions, which ended with a rapturous celebration. This was our first team victory ever in the team competition.



Overall, a well-deserved and very hard fought victory after 8+ hours of competition on a Saturday. Many thanks to **Ms Begovic** and the Parents who came out to help and cheer the boys on.

Jakub Kalinowski
Head of Humanities

Edmund Rice Library

Exams! Exams! Exams!

Our library is web-based and able to be accessed ANYWHERE in the WORLD! Anyone going onto the SPC website can search our library for over 11,000 books we presently have!

Staff and students, using their SPC logins can also renew their books and reserve or request books.



Studying for EXAMS!!!!

Please check out the new books in the library!!

General (continued)

Music

The year of music was capped off two weeks ago at the Auckland KBB Music Festival, an annual week of music, showcased by secondary school musical ensembles.

This year our Jazz Band and Concert Band both performed outstandingly, each receiving a Gold Award at the Gala Prize-giving. Our chamber orchestra, combined with St Mary's College, also received this award, as well as a Chairperson's Command Award for their performance of "The Prayer" (with soloists Maiya Christini and Amy Arnesen), a sign of the strong and positive relationship that our two schools have with one another. The St Peter's Chamber Orchestra also played an inspiring performance of a diverse range of pieces, from Bartok to Leroy Anderson, which earned them a Bronze Award at the event. The St Peter's String Orchestra also performed at the competition at the "Fringe Festival" for a mentor, who provided expert advice on how to best perform their pieces at future competitions.



Along with all of this, senior musicians **Patrick Hayes** (13NOL), **Jeffrey Wang** (13ODR), **Robin Chen** (12NOL), and **Matthew Donnelly** (9NOL) all were given the opportunity to perform with the KBB Honours Concert Band and Chamber Orchestra, alongside over 100 other secondary school musicians from the wider Auckland region, to prepare in one afternoon a collection of challenging repertoire and to perform them to the public that evening, once again, a highly successful event for the region and indeed our college.

To celebrate all this outstanding achievement, the Music Department hosted a music dinner on Thursday 1st September which rewarded all our students for their hard work, and awarded prizes to our most outstanding music students. Thank you very much to all the students who participated this year in Music Department activities and we look forward to future years even more successful than this years!

Patrick Hayes
Music Prefect

Young Vinnies Foster kids party

MEMORIES ARE MADE OF THESE MOMENTS

-Funday for Children in Care

Out in Mt Albert today a sense of excitement permeated the air as Vinnies from Marist College and St Peter's College came together to host a Children's Funday. What began as shy greetings soon evolved into laughter, smiles, dancing and song. Fostercare Caregivers from around Auckland brought their children over for a day of activities including arts & crafts, sports and a classic round of jump jam.

Many of the caregivers who attended with the children were grateful to the hosts as they took the children off their hands for a couple of hours. It was a fulfilling day for both the hosts and those who came along.

The students concluded the day with a short reflection, feeling at peace knowing that each in their own way were able to give both children and caregivers alike a sense of hope and happiness.



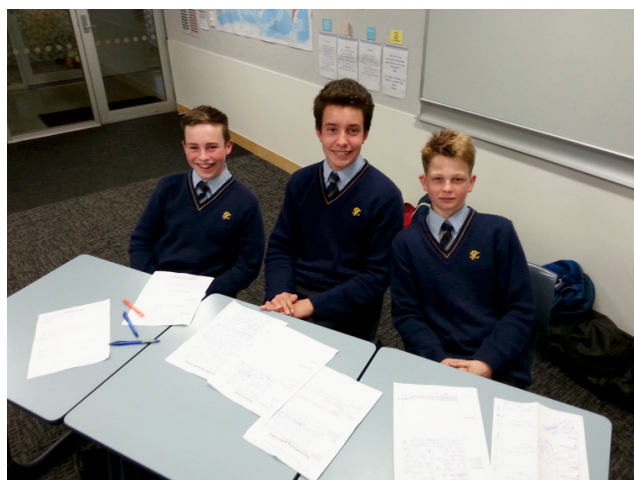
General (continued)

Year 10 Debaters into the Grand Final

Three outstanding Year 10 debaters have progressed unbeaten through the group and knockout phases of the Auckland Schools' Debating Junior Open competition. With their quarter-final win over Dio and semi-final win over Baradene on Monday, they have progressed to the Grand Final.

Jack McConnell (10TRE), **Stephen Magness** (10) and **Max McIver** (10LYN) will compete against Kristin School next Monday evening at SPC. All school debaters and their families are encouraged to come along to support this team.

We wish them clear lines of reasoning and strong rebuttals for their big match!



From left: **Max McIver**, **Stephen Magness** and **Jack McConnell** at the semi-final round at SPC

St. Peter's vs St. Mary's Debating Challenge

Last Thursday after school we took 14 debaters to St. Mary's College to compete in a debating fiesta. The format was modelled on the Auckland Impromptu Cup where teams of two debate against each other, having had only 5 minutes to prepare their arguments. Juniors had to speak for 4 minutes and seniors for 5 minutes. This was a daunting challenge, especially for our youngest debaters, but a challenge all the boys tackled with great enthusiasm and ultimately succeeded in winning five of the eight debates.

Judging from the applause and laughter emanating from the senior debating room, it appears the most entertaining debate of the night involved **Fulton**

Ryan and **William Pitts** affirming the moot that: Donald Trump would make a better president than Hillary Clinton.

At the dinner (pizza) break, the match was evenly poised at three wins each, but **Mohammed Bohra** and **Joseph Sothcott** won the final senior debate and **Max McIver** and **Jack McConnell** won the final junior debate.

The rematch will be held at St. Peter's next year.

Thanks to these boys who competed: **Matthew Donnelly** (9NOL) **Reid Lenihan** (9NOL) **Hamish McKenzie** (9LYN) **Jacob Wong** (9LYN) **Stephen Magness** (10BOD) **Max McIver** (10LYN) **Jack McConnell** (10TRE) **Yazdy Mistry** (11ODR) **Joseph Sothcott** (11RIC) **Dominic English** (11RIC) **Maxi Yeatman-Biggs** (11RIC) **Fulton Ryan** (12BOD) **William Pitts** (13BOD) **Mohammed Bohra** (13ODR).



Above: **Matthew Donnelly** (left) and **Reid Lenihan** preparing their arguments.

"Edmund's Shop"

Uniform & Stationery Opening Hours:

Monday to Thursday: (during school Terms)

For Parents: 9:30am – 2:00pm

For Students: Interval & Lunch time.

Friday: (During School Terms)

For Parents: 8:00am – 12:30pm

For Students: 8:00am – 8:30am & Interval time

Please notice that the shop is NOT open at Lunch time on Friday.

Cycling

It's been a busy few weeks for the cycling squad starting with the North Island Middle School Championships, held at the Bruce McLaren Motorsport Park, Taupo on Friday 26th August. With eight boys representing St Peter's College.

The team time trials were held in the morning followed by the individual road races in the afternoon.

Results as follows:

Team Time Trial

Year 7 - 10th

Year 8 - 12th

Year 7 Individual Race

4th **Max Preece** (7LYN)

22nd **Alexander Keenan** (7LYN)

33rd **Jack Rose** (7LYN)

34th **Michael Magness** (7BOD)

35th **Max Harries** (7BOD)

36th **Frank Paton** (7RIC)

Year 8 Individual Race

25th **Josh De Frere** (8TRE)

38th **Karlos Nickel** (8LYN)

along Dunkirk & Riverside Roads, Pt England, an individual time trial up Mt Wellington and a criterium.

Congratulations to **Jayden Kuijpers** (11ODR, U17) who gained a Gold medal in General Classification (Overall), Silver ITT, Silver hill climb and Bronze in the criterium.

Aidan Merrick (9ODR, U15) who won Silver medal in the hill climb, **Luke Ransley** (10LYN, U15) who won bronze medals in the ITT and the hill climb and **Jack Sloan** (9NOL, U14) who won a silver medal in the hill climb.



Above: Left to Right - **Luke Ransley**, **Aidan Merrick**, **Caelan Boyd**, **Jett Gannaway**, **Max Preece**, **Josh De Frere**, **Karlos Nickel**, **Jack Sloan**

Below: **Max Preece** competing in the individual road race, NI Middle School Championships



AKSS Team Time Trial Series

Race 6 of the AK TTT series was raced on 28th August in near perfect race conditions resulting in some very fast times being raced.

The NZSS Individual Championships were held in Auckland on September 3 & 4th of September. The championships consist of an Individual time trial

		Race 6		Race 5		Race 4		Race 3		Race 2		Race 1
SPC Senior A (U20)	9th	23:36.30	8th	24:06.18	10th	26:26.45	10th	25:48	12th	24:04	-	(No time 3 riders)
SPC Junior A (U16)	7th	24:09.78	12th	25:39.13	8th	27:14.04	8th	24:07.8	10th	25:15	13th	26:01
SPC Junior B	18th	26:41.73	22nd	27:52.19	19th	30:43.98	19th	29:36	24th	29:19	26th	30:10
SPC Junior C	28th	30:03.34	36th	29:31.68	29th	34:03.20	24th	31:00	26th	30:11	28th	30:39
SPC Junior D	34th	34:31.39	33rd	33:53.38	32nd	36:10.94	33rd	37:48	36th	38:09	40th	42:33 (rode extra lap)
SPC Junior E	33rd	32:59.50	32nd	33:29.19	34th	39:13.78	35th	39:45	38th	35:24	39th	39:26

Sport (continued)

Squad Results from the Championships -

	Individual Time Trial	Hill Climb	Criterium	GC (Overall)
U14 Boys				
Jack Sloan	15th	2nd	6th	6th
Max Preece	17th	13th	15th	14th
Josh De Frere	23rd	19th	DNS	-
Karlos Nickel	27th	29th	DNS	-
U15 Boys				
Aidan Merrick	5th	2nd	4th	4th
Luke Ransley	3rd	3rd	14th	5th
Jett Gannaway	33rd	42nd	39th	41st
Caelan Boyd	54th	53rd	46th	50th
U16 Boys				
Thomas MacKenzie-Bowie	51st	32nd	9th	31st
Alex Arnold	42nd	42nd	24th	39th
Maxi Yeatman-Biggs	56th	30th	20th (B Grade)	50th
U17 Boys				
Jayden Kuijpers	2nd	2nd	3rd	1st
U20 Boys				
Tim Magness	31st	22nd	23rd	24th
Josh Hipkins	42nd	43rd	DNF	-
Liam Powell	39th	DNS	DNS	-



Above: **Jayden Kuijpers** racing the criterium and cementing his 1st placing overall, NZSS Individual Championships

Basketball

It's been a busy couple of weeks for the Basketball Programme at St Peters and by far we have had the best ever year in St Peters Basketball history! For the first time we had the U15, U17 and 1st V (open grade) teams qualify for their respective Auckland Greater Wider Tournaments. For the U15 and U17 this was the first time that the school had teams qualify. Further to this, to add some perspective we were the only school across Auckland to qualify across all divisions in 2016. The 1st V, Junior Prems and Middle School Gold teams also have

either competed or are competing at the Regional tournaments.

Central Zone results:

U15 Gold - For the first time in the schools' history, won the U15A division, beating Sacred Heart in the Final. The boys then advanced through pool play at the Greater Wider Tournament unbeaten and in a great game Vs Westlake Boys in the final lost by 3 to finish 2nd. Best ever result for this age group from St Peters.

U17 Gold - A great year had by this team too finishing 2nd to a strong MAGS side in the Central Zone U17A grade. Unfortunately, at the Greater Wider Tournament a few injuries played a big part in not advancing to the playoff stages.

1st V - After a trying year last year, placing 4th, the 1st V won the Central Zone Open Grade competition beating Selwyn College in a grade game at the Garden. At the Greater Wider Tournament pool play we placed 2nd but still advanced to the playoff stages. From there the boys beat Selwyn and Manurewa to win the Greater Wider Tournament Open Grade. A fantastic result!

Regional Tournaments:

Junior Prems (Year 9 & 10) - This was the first year that SPC had a Junior Prems team put together to compete at the Zone 1/2 tournament in Rotorua. As such we had a low seeding for our pool in what was termed the pool of death. The boys played some great basketball and narrowly lost a couple of games but ultimately placed 5th in pool. From there the boys cleaned up the lower division to place 17th. As a side note, the other 4 teams placed in the top 10 of the tournament, one of which came 2nd.

1st V - the boys had a tough task ahead of them if they were to qualify for the National Tournament (top 7 qualify) as they needed to beat either Rosmini (Premiere grade winners) or MAGS (Placed 5th in the premiere league) to make the top 8. Unfortunately, it wasn't to be as both sides were too strong for us. The boys then went on to clean up their remaining games to finish 9th.

AIMS - currently our Middle School AIMS team is in Mt Maunganui competing at the AIMS games tournament. There are 54 teams in the Basketball tournament from all over the country. Last year the boys placed 26th from 44 teams, the goal is to finish in the top 20.

Sport (continued)

Sports Coaches and Managers

A big thank you to all the coaches and managers who gave up their precious time and provided an opportunity for our SPC students to play sport. Our participation numbers in sport are huge and it wouldn't be possible without the support of our parents/teachers/old boys and senior students.

New Director of Football



St Peter's College will have **Stuart Hogg** joining us in Term 1 next year as Director of Football. Stuart will assist Academy Manager **Chris Milicich** with the SPC Football Academy and assist **Chris** with the 1stXI.

Stuart brings with him a wealth of football experience. He has represented New Zealand A and

New Zealand Under 20 and has played for a number of teams including Waitakere United and Central United. Stuart holds a B International coaching license and as is the current Director of Football and 1stXI coach at Macleans College.

We look forward to welcoming Stuart to SPC.

Football Coaches and Managers

Football are holding "thank-you drinks and nibbles" for all coaches and managers on Tuesday 13th September at 5pm in the School Library.

Please RSVP to adrumm@st-peters.school.nz

New 1st XV Coach



With **Mark Wilson** retiring, the SPC Rugby Board has appointed **Mr Walter Alvarez** as the new Head Coach of the 1stXV. **Mr Alvarez** has coached rugby at SPC for many years and was Head Coach of the Auckland U19's and U18s. Originally from Argentina, **Mr Alvarez** is well respected in rugby circles for his technical and tactical skills. The coaching setup for 2017 will have some familiar faces on board with **Mr Brett Kingstone** and **Mr Matt Skeen** as assistants.

Team of the Week

22nd – 28th August - 1st V Basketball

Player of the Week

22nd – 28th August - **Owain Leigh** (7RIC)

29th Aug – 4th Sept – **Jayden Kuijpers** (11ODR)

Congratulations to:

Myer Bevan (SPC old boy) who is currently representing the NZ U20 Football Team at the OFC U20 Championships where he scored a hat trick of goals vs Cook Island.

Our Year 7 and 8 Water polo teams:

SPC Gold: 2nd place in division 1

SPC White: 1st place in division 3

SPC Blue: 3rd place in division 3

Harry Plummer and **Cameron Suafoa** who made the NZ Secondary Schools Rugby squad.

Student Absences

If your son is absent from school, late due to an appointment or leaving school early for an appointment please contact the Attendance Office using one of the following methods.

St Peters App available from the App Store for your smartphone
Email Attendance Manager directly
astrong@st-peters.school.nz
Phone. (09) 524 8108. Ext 7341

Please contact the attendance office as your first contact.

For absences other than sickness, a letter or email must be sent to the Headmaster for approval in advance - please include dates and reason for absence and what benefit your son will have by missing school for a day or more.

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2017

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school uniforms need
to be placed by
11 Nov 2016

Special Fittings for St Peters College Uniforms

Elizabeth Michael Uniforms offers a Made-to-Measure service at no extra cost to those students who fall outside our school uniform size range (please see side panel).

In order to be able to offer this service we need all students to visit us at our Elizabeth Michael Uniforms shop in Kingsland.

If you do not place a uniform order by this date we are unable to guarantee you will have a uniform for the start of 2017.

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Friday 11th November 2016

- Are you exceptionally tall or have very long arms for your age?
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- GIRLS are you smaller than a size 4 or larger than a size 22?
- BOYS are you smaller than a 60cm waist or a 3XS shirt?
- BOYS are you larger than a 116cm waist or a 4XL shirt?
- Please note all Elizabeth Michael garments are 'adult' sizes.

All uniforms are to be paid in full at the St Peters College Uniform Shop before you come to Elizabeth Michael Uniforms to be measured. A docket or invoice will need to be presented at the time of the fitting.

- This service is offered to those who require a "Made-to-Measure" service, we do not make special garments for minor differences.
- Hem and sleeve shortening is the responsibility of the individual. Elizabeth Michael Uniforms do not offer an alteration service for standard size garments.

TOUCH TYPING LESSONS

In line with the extension of BYOD we are again offering all students, their parents, siblings the opportunity to learn to touch type with Jan Morris of Computer Success. Jan is a very experienced practitioner and a qualified secondary school teacher who now has her own business. She runs similar courses at numerous schools in central Auckland.

This Term 4 typing course will run for six Thursday afternoons starting on Thursday 13 October (Week 1 of the term), 3.30-5 pm, at SPC. The dates are 13, 20, 27 October, 3, 10, 17 November.

The cost is \$125 and enrolments are on a first-pay basis. To enrol and get payment details please email Jan Morris on jan@computersuccess.co.nz.

KOTAHITANGA HOODIES AND T SHIRTS

\$50.00 (Hoodie); \$25 (Tshirt)

Due to huge demand, we are going to run another order for our Kotahitanga Hoodies and t-shirts. This run will not have the year on it, so you are able to use them next year. They are made from excellent quality AS Colour Hoodies and Tshirts.

If you would like to order a hoodie or t-shirt, please contact Shelley Kopu on shelley.kopu@gmail.com or 0211804758 with your size and name. Shelley will then send details for payment. Orders must be received by Wednesday, 14 September 2016.

Note, we still have limited numbers of 2016 larger t-shirts for sale.



School Bus Information now available to view in AT's Public Information Systems

On August 14, 2016 the tracking of School Buses was switched on in Auckland Transports real time systems. This change means that students will now be able to view School Bus Information in the same way as other Public Transport services.

The following table indicates School Bus information available on Passenger Information Displays (PIDs) at bus stops, on the Real-time Board, Journey Planner on the AT website, and on the Track My Bus App.

NEW SCHOOL BUS INFORMATION	PASSENGER INFORMATION DISPLAYS (PIDS)	AT WEBSITE REAL-TIME BOARD AT.GOV.T.NZ	JOURNEY PLANNER AT.GOV.T.NZ	TRACK MY BUS APP
Shows the School Bus route number e.g. 012	YES	YES	YES, select the stop - will show 012 with other bus departures at same stop	YES
Shows predicted School Bus scheduled departure time	YES	YES	YES	YES
Shows 'Schools' for bus destination	YES	YES	YES	No, shows Takapuna Normal Intermediate to Beach Haven
Included in Track My Bus App info. for a selected stop	N/A	N/A	N/A	YES
On street PIDs audio will play word 'schools' for all school trips going past a stop	YES	N/A	N/A	N/A
School Bus routes in Journey Planner	N/A	N/A	YES, listed as SCHOOL with route no. e.g. 012	N/A

See over for more info...

Below are examples of School Bus information shown:

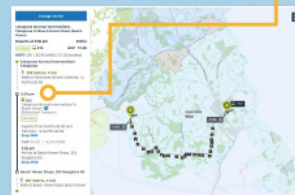
A. REAL-TIME BOARD

Route '012' and Destination 'Schools'



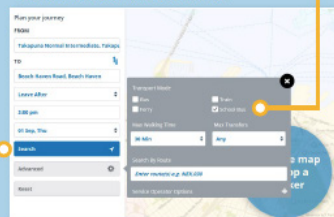
B. JOURNEY PLANNER

Bus Route 012 is Takapuna Normal Intermediate to Beach Haven scheduled to depart 3.10pm



How to use Journey Planner to find School Buses

- Go to **Advanced** Tab and click on **School Buses**
- Use Journey Planner search window to enter school bus route number and times



C. TRACK MY BUS

- Select Stop 3937
- Opp 158 Lake Road
- Track Bus Route 012

- Route 012 is Takapuna Normal Intermediate to Beach Haven
- Scheduled Departure is 03:13pm



For more information on school bus timetables visit AT.govt.nz/bus-train-ferry/timetables/school-timetables/



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