**St Peter’s College Tennis – Term 4 2022**

Dear Parents

St Peter’s is ready and looking forward to the upcoming Term 4 Tennis season. Below is further information, to help get organized for the term.

**Games**

Teams play 4-6 rounds of matches each Saturday morning between the 29th of October and the 26th of November. Fixtures start at either 8.15am or 10.30am. Matches are played at schools around Auckland.

Ngatira Tennis Club will also be our home venue for training. Ngatira is located at 24 Clive Road, Mount Eden (just around the corner from SPC).

**Uniform**

The PE uniform shirt is to be worn for games. All players must purchase and wear the SPC tennis shorts available from the Edmund Shop.

**Age Group**

For the Term 4 competition, all students must be in Year 7-10.

**Trial Date (at Ngatira):** Thursday 22nd September @ 3.30pm

If your son played in a weekend team in Term 1, he does not need to trial. For all other students, a trial will be used to assign students to a team appropriate for their playing level. ALL STUDENTS WILL BE PLACED IN A TEAM UNLESS THEY CHOOSE TO TRAIN ONLY.

Team lists will be posted outside Mr Gayfer’s classroom by Monday the 26th of September.

**Coaching Dates:**

Tuesday and Thursday afternoons @ 3.30pm at Ngatira Tennis Club. Teams will be assigned one afternoon a week for their training. Allocations will be based on team/grade distributions. If a student is unable to make practice on their assigned day, please contact Mr Gayfer to see if an alternative practice may be attended.

**Fees**

The fees are: $50.00 (covers court hire and competition fees – there is no charge for the school coaching) This is to be paid by the 29th of October. DO NOT PAY UNTIL YOUR SON IS CONFIRMED IN A TEAM.

**Registration**

It is requested that all registrations are completed via the online form. Closing Friday 23rd September.

On-line registration - Please go to the SPC website, Sport/Tennis and click on the on-line registration icon. If you are unable to register through the online form, please email Mr Gayfer (jgayfer@st-peters.school.nz) with your son’s name.

**Parental assistance**

Please indicate on the registration form if you are able to assist in managing a team on a Saturday. Managing teams is a very straightforward job, and we always value your help in allowing our young men to enjoy their tennis!

Mr John Gayfer

Teacher in Charge of Tennis