Piopio College

Te Kura Tuarua o Piopio

Panui 26 — 16 August 2018

COMING EVENTS

18 August (Sat)

- School Ball

23 August (Thur)

- Year 7-10 Anti-Bullying Awareness
- Piopio Primary Dance Evening

24 August (Fri)

- Year 7-10 Anti-Bullying Awareness
- Mufti Day Daffodil Day

27 - 31 August (Week 6)

- Senior Practice Exams Year 7 & 8 Speech Finals
- 3 7 September (Week 7) UNISS College A Netball

10-14 September (Week 8) AIMS Games Y7&8 Hockey

FINANCE OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday 10.25am to 10.40am

Monday and Friday 12.50pm to 1.05pm

Tuesday to Thursday 12.25pm to 12.40pm

LIBRARY HOURS

Monday—Thursday 10am to 2.30pm— Term time only library@piopio.school.nz

PIOPIO COLLEGE

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Newsletter

Kia ora whanau,

I want to dedicate this space to honour all the loved ones whom we have lost over recent weeks and send a message of aroha and manaaki to all those who have suffered loss and are coming to terms with their grief.

Our hope and prayers are that you may find peace and comfort in your family and friends who surround you and support you in these difficult times.

Our community has lost the following loved ones in the past month, and many of our students and staff have connections with those we honour-

Jeff Coffin- Aria Mike O`Connell- Te Kuiti Herbie Ratima- Aria Rose Young – Mahoenui Michael Stinson- Mokauiti

These people will live on in our hearts and memories! Kia kaha to all!

Johan van Deventer and the staff of Piopio College



PIOPIO COLLEGE BALL

- On Saturday we are holding our annual School Ball for Years 11-13.
- It will be held at The Night Owl and the theme is 'Arabian Nights'.
- Doors open at 7:00pm and close at 8:00pm. The Ball will conclude at 11.00pm at which time students will again become the responsibility of Parents/Caregivers.
- Police will be present at different times throughout the night to support us in our requirement of no drugs or alcohol
- Anyone under the influence of Drugs or Alcohol will be denied admission
- Piopio College does NOT have an After Ball function and is no way associated with any other events.

We are sure all will look great and have a fantastic time, making this one of the best balls ever!

TIMETABLE Week 5 Term 3.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	Day 6	Day 1

SPORTS DRAWS AND RESULTS

DRAWS

Thursday, 16 August Netball:

Court 4 **PPCA** vs TKHS A at

6:30pm

Court 4 - Y7/8 **PPCA**

VS

Oto South School: at 5:30pm

PPC Development no game as Flames has defaulted



Saturday, 18 August

Closing tournament day games start at 9:00am

Netball:

(Games are 10 minute halves,1 minute half time and 4 minutes between games)

PPCA vs Pukenui Silver Ferns

11:05am on Court 4

PPCA vs St Jo A at PPCA vs Pukenui Gold at PPCA vs TKP A at

12:45pm on Court 4

at 10:15am on Court 4

11:55am on Court 5

PPC Development vs Benneydale Redat : PPC Development vs PVH Social :

9:05am on Court 5

at 11:30am on Court 5

PPC Development vs Waitete Social at 1:10pm on Court 5

Rugby:

Piopio 1st XV has no game as Ngaruawahia High School has defaulted Finals: Under 14s TKHS /Piopio vs HBHS Blues at Te Kuiti HS at 10:00am

RESULTS

Netball:

PPCA won vs TKP A

PPC Development WBD vs Benneydale Red

PPC A lost by 28 vs Royaland's Red

Rugby:

Piopio 1st XV WBD vs Rototuna Junior High School

Semi Finals:

Under 14s TKHS/ Piopio - 57

Rototuna Junior HS - 14

Pictured— Kickoff TKHS/Piopio under 14 semi final



PARENTING FOR ACHIEVEMENT TERM 1, 2019

We are looking at holding a 'Parenting for Achievement' workshop which is presented by Darren Gammie from Journal Surf. It is focused on supporting parents to help their children develop a mindset that fosters learning and achievement. This 2 hour workshop is designed to:

- help parents identify and strengthen parenting practices that support their children in their learning
- give parents practical tips, strategies and insights that help their children achieve their potential or get 'unstuck' and back on the path to learning
- be tailored to cover particular topics parents want covered (if questions sent prior to workshop)

The cost (which includes a free copy of Releasing the Genie Within) is \$20 for an individual, or \$30 for a couple

A minimum of 30 parents are required for the workshop to go ahead.

Releasing the Genie Within - parents have said...

"Delightful story and easy to relate to - highlighting key parenting principles and presented in a very non-challenging way. Powerful!"

"Heart-warming story which shows ways for parents to overcome some of the difficulties in raising children."



SENIOR PRACTICE EXAMS REMINDER — WEEK 6

Practice exams will be happening Week 6 for all senior students doing externals. All seniors should be well into their revision.

Mrs Louise Sheeran - Deputy Principal

Hands-On at Otago 13 – 18 January 2019



Poutama Scholarships



The University of Otago's Schools' Liaison, in conjunction with the University of Otago Divisions, offers the Poutama scholarships. These are fully funded scholarships that provide a wonderful opportunity for students of Māori descent (entering year 12 or 13 in 2019) to participate in the week-long 'Hands-On at Otago' programme in Dunedin. The scholarship will cover costs for successful applicants to travel to Dunedin, in mid-January 2019, to experience a week of serious fun! The aim of the scholarship is to inspire and motivate young Māori students to develop their knowledge, skills, and passion for tertiary studies. All applications are welcome.

Applications for the scholarship must be received by 5pm Friday 28 September 2018 at Hands-On at Otago University of Otago PO Box 56

Dunedin 9054

Or email: hands-on@otago.ac.nz

All Māori students must complete both a Poutama scholarship application, and a 'Hands-On at Otago' registration form. They can be found at:

https://www.otago.ac.nz/hands-on-at-otago/application/index.html

PRIZE GIVING TROPHIES

It's that time of year where we recall all cups and trophies handed out in 2017. If you received a trophy

last year, can you please return it (cleaned) to the College office as soon as possible. Phone calls home will start soon as a reminder. If you know of someone who is no longer at the College, but received a trophy, please let them know that we require trophies to be returned. Thank you.





<u>2017 SPORTS PHOTOS AVAILABLE</u>

Last years sports photos are available for parents to purchase at \$5 per photo.

These are in colour and laminated. If you would like to grab one of these, please order through the office, or call 07 877 8173.

ATTENDANCE

At Piopio College we value attendance. By law you are required to let your school know if your child is absent or late. Please remind your children to sign in at the office before they go to class if they are arriving late. We have a number of ways you can notify us of absences. You can phone the school on 07 877 8173, email

eharris@piopio.school.nz, or log your absences via the Skool Loop app.

MINIBALL COACHES NEEDED!!

We are requiring two Miniball coaches for the Year 7/8 teams. If you are interested please contact Gina Draper on 022 191 5567.



4 hour intense basketball skills and drills workshop with Maurice and his Team

\$30.00 each

To make starting 5? To win the miniball champs?

Come and learn the foundations with game time to follow.

19th August 2018, 12:00 - 4pm, first 30 to register Yr 6, 7 & 8 FB msg to Clowdy or Maurice Ngatai



Saturday 8 September

As in previous years this event has been organised by the Police Bluelight Branch at Otara. The trip is open to Year 6, 7 & 8 students from all local schools.

A bus will be leaving the Piopio Police Station at 7.15am and will return at about 6.30pm. The second bus will leave the Te Kuiti Police Station at 7.30am and will return at about 6.00pm. The third bus will leave the Otorohanga Police Station at 7.45am, returning about 6.00pm.

The total cost to the children is \$60.00 and this includes the bus and entry fee to Rainbows End.

Permission slips and information available from the College Office.

MUSIC PERFORMANCE DAY

Piopio College will be holding a music performance day on the last Monday of Term 3 (24 September 2018).



students learning with our ITM teachers, as well as piano, bagpipes, harmonica, drums etc. Start talking to your teachers and prepare a little piece to perform in front of two friendly

judicators in a relaxed environment.

If you know how to play any instrument (and do not take lessons) please don't be shy and hide your talent away, come forward and play a piece for us!

For more info contact Noelle Turner on 07 877 8173 or email nturner@piopio.school.nz

NEWSLETTER AVAILABLE ONLINE

The Piopio College newsletter is published each Thursday. It is available on our Website <u>www.piopio.school.nz</u>, you can choose to receive it via email, copies are available at the main office, Piopio Superette and The Cloverleaf Café. If you are not currently receiving the newsletter and would like to be added to the email list please email library@piopio.school.nz

UNIFORM ITEMS FOR SALE

1 x size 12 pants, 1 x size 14 pants, 1 x size 12 shorts, 2 x size 12 T Shirts, 2 pairs socks all in good order. For further inquiries phone the College office.

Enclosed with your students report was a questionnaire on ways to improve our Reporting methods. many of these have been returned to the College. Please send these back to the office as soon as possible. More

questionnaires are available from Mrs Baker. We value your input and are always looking for ways to improve.



