

NEWSLETTER

Porirua College

TERM 2 WEEK 2, 13th May 2022

Principal's Message

Kia ora koutou



Welcome back to Term 2! It's been lovely to see all our students and reconnect with many families over the last week. School is fully open and we expect to remain so, although we know some students and staff will continue to get unwell and need to isolate for seven days. We recommend continued mask wearing at school and staying home if unwell.

We did some work last week as a whole school on how we want to reset and re engage to make the rest of this year a really positive one. We particularly want to support Year 11,12 and 13 students to reach their NCEA goals, after a hard first term. Learning Coaches will be having learning conferences with them individually to make plans.

Colours Day is booked in for the last day of this term and Polyfest for early next term. We are hosting Polyfest this year and groups should be starting up shortly. Winter Sports have also started and we look forward to a great season with spectators there to cheer the students on.

As I write this, the winter rains are starting to set in after the beautiful autumn we have enjoyed. It has been a hard few years for families. If you have any problems getting full winter uniform, please let us know and we can support students with this. We also have loaner uniform at the office for anyone with a temporary problem. We appreciate your support in getting all our students showing PC pride.

ON-SITE PHYSIO

Kia ora koutou,

Just a fyi- we have an on-site physiotherapist who will be working in the nurse's bay each Wednesday from 9-11:30am.

All staff are welcome, however, students will have first priority. Please encourage students to sign up with Api or Bailey.

A printed schedule will be available at reception with Dawngi, to sign up. First consultations take 30 minutes, follow ups are 15 mins.

Ngā mihi PC Sport Faculty



Some dates to be aware of:

Friday 20 May - school closed for an NCEA Teacher Day Monday 6 June - school closed for Queen's Birthday Thursday 9 June - school finishes at 1.50pm for Year 8 Open Afternoon

Friday 24 June - school closed for Matariki Friday 8 July - Colours Day and end of term

Noho ora mai.

Ragne Maxwell Principal/Tumuaki



SPORTS NOTICES



Head of Sport - Bailey Perez



We are happy to announce that Bailey Perez has been appointed as our new Head of Sport at Porirua College. She brings a lot of experience, passion and enthusiasm for sports and we look forward to having her in our PC Sports Faculty! Congratulations Bailey!

Porirua College Sports Representatives

Congratulations to the following students who have made the following Representative teams:

Rose Time-Taotua - Kapi Mana Netball U16 Representative, Wellington Volleyball Regional IPC U17 Squad

Jeuaina Vaea - Wellington Volleyball Regional U19 Squad Totogata Vaea - Wellington Volleyball Regional U17 Squad

Porirua College Sport Social Media

If your child is involved in Sports at PC or wishes to please request to join our 'Porirua College Sport' Facebook Group and follow @poriruacollegesport on Instagram. We post regular updates on Sports at PC.

College Sport Senior Volleyball Regionals

Congratulations to both our Senior Boys Volleyball Team and Senior Girls Volleyball Team who competed in the College Sport Volleyball Regionals on 30th March-1st April. Our Senior Boys Volleyball team placed 8th out of 16 teams and our Senior Girls Volleyball team placed 5th out of 16 teams. A special congratulations to our Senior Girls Captain Jeuaina Vaea who also was named in the Tournament team. Thank you to all our Coaches, Management and staff who helped out at the tournament!



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