



Ss Peter & Paul School *Welcome back*

from the Principal

It was lovely to see so many smiling faces yesterday morning. Many thanks for your support with helping your children settle into their new classrooms so comfortably. Teachers report an excellent start all round.

Summer holidays are great fun; an opportunity to rest and relax but now our attention is fully focussed on providing our students with learning opportunities that will aim to challenge, engage, stretch and empower them to become creative and critical thinkers who can work both collaboratively and independently.

Area newsletters will be sent home shortly advising what is happening in the areas and information about upcoming events e.g. swimming programme. We will again be asking for parent help for school activities and sports and thank you in anticipation of your help, we really appreciate it.

Thursday 1st February 2018



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9.15am BEGINNING MASS Friday 2nd February

Friday we celebrate our first school Mass for the year. We are thankful for the safe return of students and staff.

We welcome new staff and students. We pray for each other, and for the whole school.

We'll be asking God's help with our study, our friendships, our sports, our hobbies, and with everything that is part of our school life.

Parents, grandparents and friends please join us for this celebration.



Sacramental Programme

Preparations for First Reconciliation will begin with a parent meeting on **Tuesday 13 Feb 7.30pm.**

First Reconciliation
- Sun 18 March - 3pm

First Eucharist
- Sun 3 June - 9am & 5:30pm

FOR MORE INFORMATION
Check out the school calendar

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Sports NEWS

Touch Rugby Students for all year levels are welcome to register for Touch Rugby. Registrations forms, with payment, must be received by the school office no later than 3pm this Friday, 2 February. The Touch season starts on Friday 16 February and runs for six weeks through to 23 March. Games are held at Hutt Park.

Future Ferns Netball (Years 1&2)

Registration for Year 1 & 2 Future Ferns netball in Term 1 closes at 3pm on Monday 5 February. Please have forms, with payment, to the office by then.

SCHOLASTIC

A Scholastic Book Club Brochure is coming home today. A brochure will come home once a term. Orders are to be placed online at mybookclub.scholastic.co.nz using LOOP (Linked Online Ordering and Payment for Parents). Orders cannot be made at school. When ordering, to find our school you will need to enter the school's postcode '5010' and/or our school's name 'St Peter and Paul School'. All online orders will be sent directly to the school and given to your child.



Tues 6th February is a Public Holiday

But...school is open on Monday 5th Feb and again on Wednesday

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Emergency Contact Form

Today the oldest child from each family will bring home an Emergency Contact Form. This is separate from the details we keep on the Student Management System, and require these details at the start of every year. The contacts need to be people who you are happy to pick up your child if the school had to close or a civil emergency. Normally this would be because of adverse weather conditions or an earthquake so please consider who would be able to easily reach the school when completing this form. Please can you fill in and return to the school office by the end of this week.



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