

WELCOME

Greetings, Tena Koutou
 Katoa, Talofa Lava, Kia
 Orana, Malo e Lelei,
 Fakaalofa Lahi Atua,
 Kamshor, Namaste, Bula
 Vinaka, Ni Hao, Taloha Ni,
 Konichi Wa

We welcome new students
 who have enrolled recently.
 We trust your time at
 Pasadena will be enjoyable
 and profitable.

END OF TERM II

School will close for the end of Term II at 2.00pm on Friday 3 July and re-open for Term III at 8.45am on Monday 20 July.

Friday will bring to a close a most rewarding and productive term. It has been an extremely busy Term with Zone Sports Competitions, Local Schools' Art Festival, visitors and performers, rescheduling of the Hiroshima Exchange, as well as all important classwork.

Most students have grasped the variety of learning experiences offered them in the class and in the school wide programmes and have been rewarded for their efforts and initiatives.

I would like to thank parents/caregivers for the support and encouragement they have given us during the course of the last 10 weeks, in terms of encouraging their children to participate and supporting homework and class programmes.

Also a special thank you to the many parents/caregivers previously mentioned in Newsletters who have assisted with specific activities.

On behalf of parents/caregivers, I would like to both thank and compliment the teaching and support staff for their efforts during the course of the term. Their commitment and professionalism in the classroom and in the activities in the wider corporate life of Pasadena Intermediate are key reasons for the success of this school.

Thank you also to the members of the Board of Trustees for their support, guidance and efforts during the term and the members of C@P for their contributions to school activities.

REPORTING SCHEDULE

The Reporting to Parents Schedule for 2009 -

TERM I

Week 2 Informal School and Families Picnic/ Meeting

Week 10 Student, Parent/Caregiver, Teacher Conference Evenings

TERM II

All Term Student Reflective Journals online to be shared with parents/caregivers

Week 4 Student, Parent/Caregiver, Teacher Conference Summary forwarded to parents/caregivers

Week 10 Term II Task Presentations to parents/ caregivers

TERM III

All Term Student Reflective Journals online to be shared with parents/caregivers

Week 1 Report I (Terms I and II) forwarded to parents/caregivers

Week 10 Term III Task Presentations to parents/ caregivers

TERM IV

All Term Student Reflective Journals online to be shared with parents/caregivers

Week 1 Student, Parent/Caregiver, Teacher Conference Evenings

Week 3 Student, Parent/Caregiver, Teacher Conference Summary forwarded to parents/caregivers

Week 8 Term IV Task Presentations to parents/ caregivers

Week 10 Report II (Terms III and IV) forwarded to parents/caregivers

Student Self Evaluations completed and shared with parents/caregivers

BOT MEETING

The next meeting of the Pasadena Intermediate School Board of Trustees will be Tuesday 11 August 2009 at 7.00pm in TE TARI WHAAINGA MAATAURANGA, our Library/Information Centre.

All Board Meetings are open to the public and copies of agendas, reports and minutes are available in the School Office for public inspection. Agendas for monthly meetings will be forwarded to requesting families on receipt of a stamped self addressed envelope.

JULY

- 1 Newsletter 5
- 2 Student Council Mufti Day
- 2 Performers In Schools: Ugly Shakespeare Company - Othello
- 3 School Closes for Term II

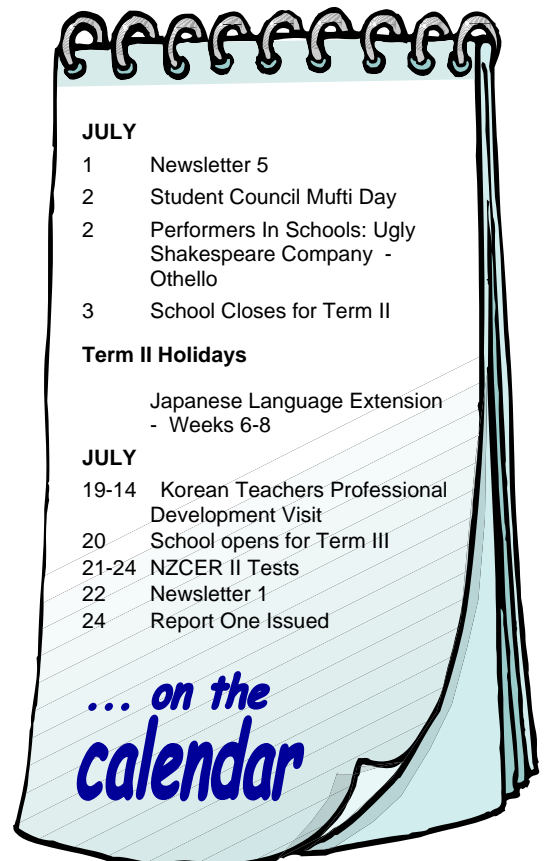
Term II Holidays

Japanese Language Extension
 - Weeks 6-8

JULY

- 19-14 Korean Teachers Professional Development Visit
- 20 School opens for Term III
- 21-24 NZCER II Tests
- 22 Newsletter 1
- 24 Report One Issued

... on the
calendar



2010 ENROLMENT

Pasadena Intermediate School serves the Grey Lynn, Herne Bay, Mt Albert, Point Chevalier, Waterview, Western Springs, Westmere and to a lesser extent Edendale, Ponsonby, Newton, Owairaka and Freemans Bay districts. We also welcome enquiries regarding our programmes and courses and enrolments from other areas. Application for enrolment from full fee paying students are accepted.

I know secondary schools are already busy with 2010 enrolments and I know this flurry of activity often alerts parents to start considering intermediate enrolment.

The school is always open for visits. Pasadena staff and students will be available to meet with prospective enrolments and their parents wishing to inspect the campus, view the facilities and discuss programmes and student's individual educational needs.

Our 2010 Enrolment and Orientation activities are conducted in Terms II, III and IV.

We will accept enrolments for 2010 at any time.

Enrolment Week: 17 - 21 August 2009 and Open Days, Wednesday 19 and Thursday 20 August have been set aside for parents/caregivers to complete enrolments.

Our 2010 Prospectus and Enrolment Information and Form will be forwarded home with Year 6 students from Pt Chevalier, Waterview, Gladstone, Grey Lynn, Westmere, Bayfield, and Mt Albert schools and will be available from the offices of other primary schools.

Parents wishing to have Enrolment Information and Forms mailed direct, need only telephone the school, 846-2169 and ask Thelma or Louise, the School Administration Staff.

Enrolments may be completed in person at the Pasadena Intermediate School Office, or may be posted to the school. Payment of costs and contributions is not a prerequisite for NZ resident's enrolment.

'Welcome To Pasadena Intermediate School', PowerPoint presentations detailing programmes and activities for 2009, are available on our Website, or on CD from our office.

A '21st Century Curriculum' Information Evening, (*Answering the questions 'Task, the why? and the How?'*) for new, and prospective parents, will be held in the Pasadena Centre, 7.30 - 9.00pm Wednesday 19 August 2009, please encourage your primary school parent friends to attend.

CENTRAL ZONE BOYS' HOCKEY TOURNAMENT

Following trials and preparation, including working with Auckland Hockey Association coaches, both here at school and on the hockey turf at Western Springs College, our Boys' Hockey Team was entered in the Central Zone Hockey Tournament held at Balsam Hockey, Lloyd Elsmore Park, Pakuranga

Eric Munro, Caleb Chambers, Jake Munford, Charles Jackson, Louis Sundars, Joseph Monk, Malrick Lavea, Farley Schaefer, Geoff Viligia, A J. Cox, Tyrone Reulu-Blowers, Jack Sedon, Simon Mead, Nick Denby

Despite their lack of Hockey experience, the team played with determination and spirit, defended as if their lives depended on it, never gave up and acquitted themselves extremely well. Played 8 games, Won 1, Drew 4, lost 3 and conceded only 8 goals.

Thank you to parents for your support on the day particularly **Janette McLeod, Debra and John Mead, Neville and Sue Blowers.**

A big thank you to **Mrs Allan and Mrs Liesch** for coaching, preparing and encouraging the teams.



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MUFTI DAY

To raise funds for their activities and approved charities, the Student Council is holding a Mufti Day tomorrow. Mufti is not compulsory, but students wearing mufti were asked to contribute \$3.00 to School Council funds.

CONSENT FORMS

As noted in the Prospectus, the school requires written consent from parents/caregivers for students to participate in selected out-of-school activities. This procedure is designed to keep parents/caregivers informed of school activities and to protect both the school and the students.

There are occasions when students have not been able to go on organised activities because they were unable to produce a signed consent form. Although it can be very disappointing for the students involved, we are unable to allow students to participate in activities outside the school without written consent from parents/caregivers.

student SOCIAL

The School Social, organised and run by the School Council in the Pasadena Centre last week, was an outstanding success.

The students' dress and behaviour during the two hours supported the view of many - that the students at Pasadena Intermediate School have very well developed social skills.

Thank you to parents for your co-operation in providing transport to and from the social venue.

The School Council are to be congratulated for their efforts in organising the Social and the arrangements they made for music, refreshments and ticket sales. Well done School Council and thank you **Mr den Hartog**. Thank you also **Mr Gore, Mr Ball, Ms Donnelly, Ms Godinet, Mrs Liesch, Mr Peters, Mrs Moore, Miss White, Miss Percy, Mrs Teesdale, Mrs Holmes, Ms Coughlan, Miss Tawhiti and Mr Elliott** for your support on the night.



OPEN DAYS

Our school is always open and parents/caregivers are most welcome, in fact encouraged, to visit at any time.

Thank you those parents/caregivers who took the opportunity to make a visit earlier in the month, your favourable comments were appreciated.

SAFE CYCLING TIPS

Some timely tips from the Road Safety Coordinator, Auckland City Council

Remember to:

Stand out, Be Seen

Always wear your helmet.

Keep Watch, Be Alert.

Ensure your helmet fits flat and firmly on your head.

Look after your bike. Check pedals, brakes, wheels, frame and helmet.

Learn the Road Rules.

REPORT ONE

In Week 1 of Term III, students will be issued with Report One.

Reports reflect our emphasis in identifying what the student can do.

Report One covers Curriculum for the first half of the year, Term 2 Authentic Task, and also includes information from skills and standardized tests, the student has completed so far this year.

Please take the time to discuss the Self Evaluation Report and the assessments and comments your child has made about him/herself.

Please also take time to view their Term I Task 'Learning Logs' and 'Reflective Journals'.

We all know that when we have tried hard we like to have our efforts acknowledged. This acknowledgement generally encourages us to strive towards even greater efforts in the future.

LOST PROPERTY

By this time every year, the school has accumulated a variety of items of clothing, shoes etc which has never been claimed.

If your child has lost an item of clothing at school, please ensure they check the lost property. Parents/caregivers are welcome to look through this themselves, if they feel their child is reluctant to do so.

HOMESTAY OPPORTUNITIES

We still require **HOMESTAYS** for our visiting Korean Teachers - **19 July to 15 August 2009**. Please See Separate Letter Attached

TELEVISION FILMING

Recently the Assembly Hall and Pasadena Centre car park were rented to Flying Fish NZ Ltd for a day, for the purpose of filming scenes for new Lotto TV advertisements.



WEDNESDAY AFTER SCHOOL BASKETBALL

Pasadena Intermediate has made its presence felt at the Auckland Basketball 'Wednesday' competitions at Unitec

Pasadena 1: Coach: John Tuki

Bailey Hetaraka, Samuel Slade, Ben Davis-Wihongi, Farley Schaefer, Reid Burrows, Nick Tapsell, Peter Pola

Pasadena 2: Coach: Menelik Dyer

Isaiah Nua, Cullen Skinner, Jack Adam, Nathan Harvey, Nathan Cairns, Larry Wong

Thank you to the parents who give their valuable time and effort outside school hours to coach and to manage these teams.

HIROSHIMA EXCHANGE

The 2009 Exchange to Nagisa, Hiroshima, Senior and Junior High School, Japan, has been rescheduled to October.

Because of Exams, the end of Term and the Autumn Holidays field trips, Nagisa can only host us for a shorter time. We propose the Group, plus an extra Pasadena staff member, spend the remaining 4 days in Japan independently – rural, cultural and historic experiences. We are in contact with Nagisa and the Tierra Company of Kobe, Nagisa's representative, our original contact with Nagisa and owners and operators of the Junior Summit Camp, they are helping with research on venues, transport and accommodation options and costs.



Community at Pasadena (C@P) is a group that brings together people with a shared vision for and a commitment to supporting Pasadena Intermediate School. Members of the group consist of parents/caregivers, staff, representatives from the Board of Trustees and others from the wider community who have an interest in the wellbeing of the school.

If you would like more information about what's happening at school through C@P or you would like to be included on our mailing list then contact Lizzie Baker 845 4704 or lizzie@wanderwomen.co.nz or Nic Smith 820 2256 or nicsmith@extra.co.nz

Being part of C@P is also a great way of meeting other parents and being more involved with your child's school. We do hold regular monthly meetings which you are welcome to attend.

Next Meeting: 7.30pm, Tuesday 28 July 2009, in Te Tari Whaingā Maatauranga - Library Information Centre.

SALSA NIGHT

WOW what a night. A fantastic turnout of around 120 people! Everyone participated very enthusiastically. Great prizes were given away and everyone seemed to be doing a lot of laughing! We actually had to throw people out at mid-night, now that's a good sign!

Community at Pasadena made just under \$3000 for the school, to be spent on the computer system for the Library and other projects which we will keep you posted on.

There are so many people who contributed to the night and need to be thanked:

Antonio and Adrianna at Latin Rhythm dance school, Saione Greer at Viva Latino, Scott Taylor at Licensing Solutions, Permission NZ Ltd, Wanderwomen Adventures, Point Chevalier Bowling Club, Meola Kitchen, Harvest Wholefoods, The Bridgeway Cinema, Pasadena Bakery, Video Ezy Point Chevalier, The Crown Hotel, Super Liquor Point Chevalier, Green Bay Fruit and Vege, Organix World, Westmere Butchers, Art of Kneading, Soccer Scene, Stanley Palmer, MOTAT, Dear Reader, Central Car Repairs, 140z Jeans Outlet Store Point Chevalier, Mark Ferguson, Stephen Canning, Sue Elliot, Mark Blazey, Martin Ball, Priscilla Godinet, Thelma Teesdale, Louise Holmes, Tom Elliot, Winnie Lenihan, Gordon Ikin, Robyn Gray, Jessica Chapple, Janette McLeod, Sally-Ann Sutcliffe, Sally Geary, Sally Barclay, Paul Grondin, Henry Chellew, Ross Brader, Michelle Coneybeer, Jo Torlesse, Sarah Coughlan, Nicky Ford, Mary Ann Wilson, Diana Rands, Jodie Bell, Anna Birkenhead, Gail and Mark Sayegh, Rees Tapsell, Judy Darragh and Sandra Palmer, Kathy Lissienko

Thanks so much to the wonderful people who brought food, it was fabulous!

Lastly the Salsa sub committee who have worked tirelessly on this for the last month or so: **Leanne Pooley, Lizzie Baker, Nic Smith and Mandy Bunce**

DENTAL TREATMENT

Over recent days, The School Dental Technicians have been at Pasadena conducting free Dental Screening of all of our students.

All students requiring treatment have been given an appointment letter to take home to their parents/caregivers.

The Gladstone School Dental Clinic, 8 Seaview Tce, Mt Albert, will be open in the July holidays to treat our students who have been given an appointment.

IT IS VITAL STUDENTS ATTEND THESE APPOINTMENTS.

Should parents/caregivers wish to reschedule their appointment, please contact the Dental Clinic on 846 7812. There is a 24/7 answer phone. It is very helpful, when you leave a message, you advise the time and day that would suit as an alternative.

SCHOOL PROPERTY

A Reminder From the Pasadena Intermediate School Code -

All students are expected to contribute to keeping the school clean, safe and an attractive environment and to treat school property with care and respect.

Vandalism and graffiti are considered anti-social and unacceptable forms of behaviour, and for negligent or deliberately damaged school property, students/parents/caregivers can expect to be asked to make an appropriate reimbursement.



SECONDARY SCHOOL ENROLMENTS

WESTERN SPRINGS COLLEGE

Motions Rd, Western Springs, Auckland

Western Springs College is a co-educational secondary school with a proud record of academic, sporting and cultural achievements.

We are dedicated to offering excellence in secondary education to families in our community by providing: Skilled and effective teaching delivering high academic standards

A safe, disciplined and supportive learning environment

Access to a rich range of extra-curricula opportunities

OPEN WEEK 2009 27 - 31 JULY

INFORMATION EVENING

Monday 27 July 7.00 pm - 8.30pm in the college hall

SCHOOL TOURS

Tours for students and parents will be held on Tuesday 28, Wednesday 29, Thursday 30 and Friday 31 July, leaving the hall foyer at 9.10am each day and finishing around 11am

YEAR 9 ENROLMENTS FOR 2010

In-zone applications accepted from Monday 27 July 2009 with interviews scheduled from Monday 3 August 2009

Note: The WSC Board of Trustees has decided that there will be no out-of-zone places available in 2010, except for the Te Reo Maori Immersion special programme.

Further Information, or any General Enquiries

Telephone: (09) 815 6730

Email: admin@westernsprings.school.nz

Website: www.westernsprings.school.nz

AVONDALE COLLEGE

OPEN EVENING: 4pm to 7pm Wednesday 29 July 2009

You are cordially invited to attend our Open Evening when staff and students will be pleased to talk to you and answer any questions you may have.

ENROLMENT DAYS

Please note that the Enrolment Days run from 9.30am to 4pm on the following dates: (No appointments necessary).

In Zone: Avondale Intermediate—Mon 3 & Tues 4 August

Other Intermediates: Wed 5 August

Out of Zone, who are in Priorities 1-4: ie Special Programmes, present siblings, past siblings and children of Board of Trustees' employees—Thurs 6 August & Friday 7 August

Out of Zone, who are NOT Priorities 1-4: Please post in your applications. Closing date: Friday 4 September. Ballot date: Tuesday 14 September.

We look forward to welcoming you all on Wed 29 July

AUCKLAND GIRLS' GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Auckland Girls' Grammar School welcomes enrolments from students throughout Auckland.

Closing dates for enrolments for 2010

Tuesday 4 August, 2009 - Enrolment applications for Kahurangi close. All applications for Kahurangi, both In Zone and Out of Zone must be received by 4 August. All applicants will be required to attend an interview.

Friday 4 September, 2009 - Year 9 Out of Zone applications close.

Phone 307-4180

or email enrol@aggs.school.nz

www.aggs.school.nz