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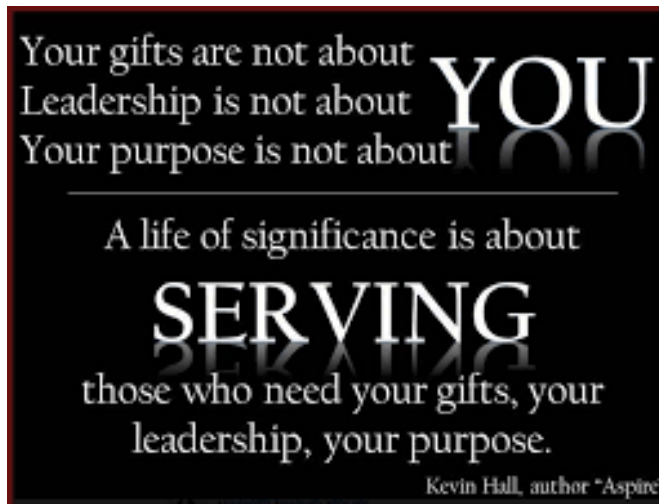


NEWSLETTER 3/2018

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12 March 2018



Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Gala day is Saturday! If you have not already signed up, **please do so as soon as possible**. The link is <http://bit.ly/2sOyb5l> Many hands make light work. I would like to thank Meagan Vorster and her very able and enthusiastic Gala team for all of their hard work leading up to this exciting fundraising event. We are all looking forward to a wonderful day.

A large number of Yr 5-10 students are representing PCS on Wednesday at the Auckland Christian Schools Touch Rugby Tournament. Thank you to all of the parents who are helping out and making this day possible.

See you at the Gala!

Yours in Christ

Clare Humber, Principal

Term Dates 2018

Term 1: 23 Jan to 13 April
Term 2: 30 April to 29 Jun
Term 3: 23 July to 28 Sept
Term 4: 15 Oct to 07 Dec

1. IMPORTANT DATES FOR TERM 1, 2018

12	13 Years 1-6 Jellybeans Music Years 7 & 8 Kiwisport Football Year 7 & 8 Franklin Swimming	14 ACS Touch Rugby	15	16 Year 1-6 Kiwisport Football – during PE lessons School closes @ 1:40pm for Gala set-up
19	20 Years 1-6 Jellybeans Music Years 7 & 8 Kiwisport Football	21	22 Newsletter 4/2018 Years 1-6 Jellybeans Music	23 Year 1-6 Kiwisport Football – during PE lessons
26	27 Years 1-6 Jellybeans Music Years 7 & 8 Kiwisport Football	28	29 Photolife Photos	30 Good Friday
2 April Easter Monday	3 Easter Tuesday	4	5 Newsletter 5/2018 Interzone Swimming	6 Year 1-6 Kiwisport Football – during PE lessons Year 10-13 Internal Exams
9 Year 9-13 Internal Exams	10 Year 7-13 Internal Exams Years 1-6 Jellybeans Music	11 Year 7-13 Internal Exams	12 Year 7-13 Internal Exams	13 Lego Mufti LAST DAY School closes @ 1:10pm

2. SICK CHILDREN

Just a reminder to parents that if your child is not well, **please keep them home from school**. Please note that it is school policy that children need to be kept at home for at least **48** hours after they have last vomited. We do realise that this can be problematic for working parents but it does help limit the spread of germs.

3. TRANSPORT NEEDED

We have a family that needs help with getting their son (Year 11) to school in the mornings from Pokeno area. They are happy to contribute to petrol costs. If you are able to help, please contact Lara Ward directly on 027 451 5964.

4. SCHOOL-GEN'S ENERGISING YOUNG MINDS COMPETITION

Just a reminder to you to continue to vote for the School-gen's Energising Young Minds' competition. The competition gives our school the chance to win a share of \$25k, \$15k or \$10k to spend on science or tech equipment.

Everyone can vote for our school by going to the School-gen voting page

<http://www.schoolgen.co.nz/voteforyourschool/> People can vote once a day up until voting ends on 2 April.

Get voting everyone!

5. ADS & NOTICES

- **Yakety Yak – Rhythm in the Square**

10th, 17th, 24th and 31st March – Pukekohe Town Square 11am – 1pm

Bring the family! Support local musicians and entertainers at this fun, free and family friendly event in the square.



DISCIPLINE WITHOUT SHOUTING, FORCE OR FLUSTER

WITH JENNY HALE

Learn to get cooperation from your kids – even the tricky, strong-willed ones! Alternative strategies for firm but fair discipline using effective, peaceful and relationship-enhancing techniques with less noise, anger and resentment that will help kids think, solve problems and make better decisions.

- 📅 Tuesday, 20 March 2018
- 📍 Pukekohe Hill School Hall
12 Green Lane, Pukekohe
- 🕒 6.30pm - Doors open
7-8.30pm - Jenny's presentation
- 💰 \$10 per person

Tickets are available through <https://shop.tgcl.co.nz> or the school office (cash only), KAS Hill School (cash only) or through theparentingplace.com

For further information please contact Roselle on 021 735 318 or pukehillpta@gmail.com

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6. ANZ OLYMPIC SCHOOLS

The Olympic Schools programme was developed in partnership with the New Zealand Olympic Committee and is designed to inspire, motivate and reward our youth and schools and is a way for the ANZ to support Pukekohe Christian School through a points system. How it works is anyone who does a home loan (\$50K +) through ANZ can allocate points to our school. Every home loan that qualifies will give the school 800 points which is the equivalent of \$400 buying power. It also gives PCS the chance to secure a visit from an Olympic Ambassador. ANZ will have a stall at our Gala, where they will be more than happy to answer any questions you might have relating to the Olympic Schools Programme. Please see the attached flyer.

A flyer for ANZ Olympic Schools. The background is dark with a close-up of hands being washed in white foam. The text is white and blue. At the top, it says 'WE'RE AN ANZ OLYMPIC SCHOOL'. Below that, it explains the program: 'We have registered as an ANZ Olympic School which provides us with resources and rewards to inspire our school community. If you're looking to take out a home or business loan, simply provide the name of our school when speaking with an ANZ representative. When your loan is drawn down, we will receive credits to spend at the ANZ Awards Centre on items like sporting equipment and computers. To discuss an ANZ home or business loan, visit your local ANZ branch, or call a Home Loan Specialist on 0800 269 4663 or a Business Specialist on 0800 269 249.' In the bottom right corner, there are the ANZ logo and the Olympic Schools logo with the Olympic rings.

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7. VERSE FOR THE WEEK: Acts 20:35

In all things I have shown you that by working hard in this way we must help the weak and remember the words of the Lord Jesus, how he himself said, 'It is more blessed to give than to receive.'

Yours in Christ

Clare Humber, Principal

