

General	
Attention year 7-10. 5 a-side Netball.	<p><b>5 A-Side Netball at Lunchtimes on the turf. Starting tomorrow.</b> Rounds on Tuesday and Wednesday. Two grades: Year 7&amp;8 grade and Year 9&amp;10 grade. Get your teams together. Even gender distribution on each team (e.g. 2 boys, 3 girls OR 3 boys, 2 girls).</p> <p>See Mrs Pascoe with team names by <u>TODAY</u> so I can do the draw and post in notices for Tuesday's games. Mixed waka groups is OK.</p>
Year 7/8 Touch Rugby Practice	<p>The Year 7/8 Touch Rugby Team will be training every Monday and Thursday at lunchtime on the rugby field leading up to our tournament day on the 23rd November. Please ensure you bring a drink bottle and a change of clothes, as we will be ramping up the fitness and structural aspect of our training sessions.</p> <p>See you all there.</p> <p>Mr McDonald</p>

Important	
5 a-side Netball	<p>You have to get organised TODAY. Get your team names and players in to me today! So far there are two year 8 teams entered. Year 9/10 players, suss your teams and let me know. Year 7's, we'd love some of you to challenge our year 8's!</p> <p><b>STAFF, who's keen to join me for a game against some of our elite middle school netballers? I'm thinking next week? Lots of fun, fast paced, good exercise! Get that summer bod sizzling! - - Mrs Pascoe</b></p>
NCEA Exams On Today	<p>Hi all, today's exam is Level 1 English this morning, starting at 9:30. It will finish at 12:30.</p> <p>There are no exams for our students this afternoon.</p> <p>Please keep well clear of the barrier fences and very quiet around the exam venues (Hall, Room 8, meeting rooms etc.)</p> <p>Thanks!</p>
Rm8 Closed for NCEA Exams Today (am)	<p>Y10 DigiTech and Y7KS DigiTech go to Rm 21. 7JC per5 in Rm8 as usual.</p>
Word of the Week	<p>ballyhoo INFORMAL <i>noun</i> 1. 1. extravagant publicity or fuss. "after all the ballyhoo, the film was a flop" <i>verb</i> NORTH AMERICAN 1. 1. praise or publicize extravagantly. "each company ballyhoos its product as though it were the most outstanding in all creation"</p>

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Competition 9 and 10	<p>A quick reminder that 10<sup>th</sup> December is the closing date for entries for the JustTalk NZ-wide <b>justice speech competition</b> for <b>Year 9 &amp;10</b> students.</p> <p>So now is a good time to encourage your students to submit their speeches online at <a href="http://justtalk.org.nz/students/">http://justtalk.org.nz/students/</a></p> <p>Details -</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Free entry</li> <li>- open to any Year 9 &amp;10 students</li> <li>- speech can be on any social justice topic (3-7 minutes long)</li> <li>- filmed by phone or any other easy method - submitted via our website <a href="http://justtalk.org.nz/students/">http://justtalk.org.nz/students/</a></li> <li>- judged by independent judges</li> <li>- first prize of \$1000 for student + \$1000 for charity of their choice + \$1000 for their school</li> <li>- 5 spot prizes of \$100 each (to encourage participation)</li> </ul> <p>The purpose of the competition is to <b>encourage students to make a speech on any social justice topic</b>, with the hope of increasing the understanding of social justice issues amongst NZ students.</p>
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<b>Intermediate</b>	
Year 7/8 Touch Rugby Practice	<p>Today's touch rugby training is cancelled due to the Year 0-6 athletics.</p> <p>See you all again on Thursday lunchtime.</p> <p>Please also remember to bring me your permission slips.</p> <p>Mr McDonald</p>

<b>Cultural</b>	
Jazz Band Lunchtime today	