# Elim Christian College NEWSLETTER

## **From the Principal**

Kia Ora everyone – Haere mai and welcome to what is another exciting year at Elim Christian College. This is a year of firsts and it is simply amazing.

Welcome Mt Albert Campus. We are now one school on three sites and the geographical area for our students stretches from Franklin to Kohimarama across to West Auckland. Some staff travel from beyond those areas! Praise God for what He is doing and what a honour and privilege that we all get to do life together at Elim Christian College.

Last Friday we had another first – a full school assembly with all three campuses. This proved to be an inspired decision but also a logistical challenge! It was simply superb to have 4 buses

from our Mt Albert Campus (MAC) bring our students looking great in their new Elim uniforms. So, a very special welcome to the community of MAC, you are fabulous bunch – parents, staff and students. May you know the unparalleled provision of God's love and grace daily as you begin the Elim journey.

I would urge all parents to canvas our website very regularly for all the notices, coming events, announcements and so on. This is our primary tool for communicating. Following consultation with the experts, we are aiming to further improve the effectiveness of the website this year, with the aim being to also reduce newsletters to once a fortnight.

It was so good to see many parents at our MAC community evening last Thursday. Our Botany and Golfland Campus Community / Whanau Evenings are as follows:

- Y7-10 Whanau evening takes place at Botany Campus this Thursday, 15th February
- Golflands Campus community evening on Tuesday, 20th February.

### **Elim Netball Club**

#### 2018 Registrations

Netball players from last year should have received an email to re - register. If you did not receive this, please click on the appropriate link below. Students who are wanting to register as first time players for the club this season can also click on the link below. Details of costs, uniforms and dates are on the registration form.

Registration forms need to be completed online as soon as possible. Registrations close Friday 16<sup>th</sup> February.

Registration link for junior players (Years 5 – 8)	Enquiries:
https://www.sporty.co.nz/viewform/70488	Holly Higson (Club Manager) <u>hollyhigson10@gmail.com</u> Ph: 021 0404334
Registration link for college players (Years 9 – 13) https://www.sporty.co.nz/viewform/70462	Bronwyn Neumann (Registrations) <u>bdneums@gmail.com</u> Ph: 021 484002
<u>https://www.sporty.co.nz/wewform//0402</u>	Club website: www.sporty.co.nz/elimnetball

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