



# ST PIUS X COLLEGE

## CHATSWOOD

27 August 2019

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Your son is invited to the Under 15s Rugby Tour of New Zealand during the April school holidays of 2020. At this stage, we estimate that the trip will cost just under \$3000 per student for a 7 night/8day tour, which will cover all student expenses. The tour will be booked through Estilo Sports Travel who were the tour provider in for the past 3 years.

This is not a compulsory tour, however, in order for the trip to go ahead, there is a minimum of 20 students required to attend. The touring side will play 3 matches during the week and will participate in training sessions as well as cultural activities that will benefit both the squad for the 2020 season and also the individual tourist.

The group will be under the supervision of St Pius X College teachers and travel insurance will be included in the cost. The tour will also be accompanied by the rugby physiotherapist.

At this stage, we are inviting expressions of interest from parents/guardians of the students from the Under 14s of 2019 and also those who have been considering joining the rugby program.

For interested parents and students, we will be holding a Parent Information Evening on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> September at 6pm in the Sarto Centre. The information night will be an opportunity for Estilo, the travel agency organising the trip, to present itinerary options to parents and students. We will also distribute a payment plan to outline the scheduled payment instalments that will occur and also discuss fundraising opportunities should we get the required 20 students.

Please use the coming weeks to consider the tour and complete the 'Expression of interest' form attached to student office by Friday 6<sup>th</sup> September.

Yours sincerely

Mr Joe Lynch

Rugby Convenor

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**SPX COLLEGE NEW ZEALAND RUGBY TOUR 2020**

**EXPRESSION OF INTEREST**



Please return to Mr Lynch via the student office or direct email to [JLynch@stpiusx.nsw.edu.au](mailto:JLynch@stpiusx.nsw.edu.au) by Friday 6<sup>th</sup> September.

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*Please circle:*

**INTEREST**

**YES**, we are interested and can commit now to the trip to New Zealand.

OR

**YES**, we are interested but would like to know more information.

OR

**NO**, we are unable to consider this trip.

**INFORMATION EVENING**

**YES**, we will attend the Parent Information Evening on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> September.

**NO**, we will not attend the Parent Information Evening.

Student's name: \_\_\_\_\_

2020 Year Group: \_\_\_\_\_

2019 Playing Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian's signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact No: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact email: \_\_\_\_\_