



10 May 2023

St Pius X College
Under 15 and 16 Rugby Tour 2024 - Fiji

Dear Year 8 and 9 Students and Parents

St Pius X College is planning a trip to Fiji in the April holidays 2024 to improve our skills of Rugby and support to the Fijian community. We would like to invite interested Year 8 and 9 students 2023 to be part of this sport tour and volunteer project.

During the trip, we will play Rugby against various schools, visit villages and assist where needed.

Apart from the obvious help and care we will be giving to our brothers and sisters in Fiji, it gives our St Pius X College students the opportunity to be a person for others as well as playing Rugby on an international level.

Trip Details:

- Leave Monday 15 April 2024
- Sydney to Nadi stay at Naviti Resort TBC
- Tuesday 16 April – Monday 22 April play various schools in Rugby, visit various villages, sightseeing in Sigatoka
- Arrive back to Sydney Monday 22 April
- Approximate cost \$3,250 all inclusive- subject to change depending on numbers.

We will need a **commitment from interested students by the 8 June** to confirm your inclusion on the trip. Deposit details and payment schedules will be provided at the **information evening on Thursday 1st June at 6pm in the school GYM at Chatswood campus**. Please complete the form to express interest in the trip and to attend the information night.

<https://forms.office.com/r/mXmCk7QQ4D>

This excursion is available to students whose parents or caregivers are in good financial standing with the College, meaning that the payment of school fees and related levies is up to date, or that a mutually agreeable arrangement has been made between the College and the parents/caregivers.

Students will be interviewed and briefed by College staff prior to the trip to ensure they are able to travel and to minimise risk. Students will attend with the understanding that the College's Student Code of Conduct apply. Parents in agreeing to their son's attendance, do this with the understanding of their availability to respond in case of major illness or severe breach of College rules.

Thank you in advance for your commitment to this venture and showing your support of St Pius X College Rugby.

Yours sincerely

Martin Gillogly
Rugby Convenor