

Badminton – Year 4-6 Lunchtime Programme Term 3, 2025

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

The **2025 Pinehurst Badminton Programme** has been designed for students who wish to try Badminton for the first time, and to support those who want to improve their skills.

The lunchtime sessions will be *coached by our senior students* who are either North Harbour, Regional, or National Representative players, and/or represent Pinehurst in the North Harbour, Auckland and New Zealand Secondary School Championships. They have also completed the online **BWF Shuttle Time Coaching programme** to train as Youth Leaders.

Our senior badminton players will deliver lessons that are designed to provide your child with a positive image of badminton through many opportunities to have fun, engage with others and experience success in learning the skills required to become confident badminton players – racquet and footwork skills, serve and rally techniques, court position and tactics learned, and knowledge of the rules. It is anticipated that over the years many of the younger students learning the skills now, will become *Shuttle Time Youth Leaders* in the future as senior students and leaders at Pinehurst.

Location: Pinehurst School Gymnasium

Day: <u>Year 4-5 – Monday</u> Sessions

Monday 28th July

Monday 4th August

Monday 11th August

Monday 18th August

Monday 25th August

Monday 1st September

Year 5-6 - Tuesday Sessions

Tuesday 29th July

Tuesday 5th August

Tuesday 12th August

Tuesday 19th August

Tuesday 26th August

Tuesday 2nd September

Time 12:50pm – 1:25pm

Required: Pinehurst PE Uniform & suitable sports shoes

All other equipment is provided (students may bring their own racquets). NB – students will be unable to participate in a session without PE uniform

and/or suitable sports shoes.

Fees: \$30.00 per student.

Registration: Please register online through the Pinehurst School website -

Click here to register

Open – from 6pm, Monday 16th June 2025. Limited spaces are available. Registrations will close when the programme reaches capacity, or no later

than 9am Thursday 26th June

It is important to note when registrations close, Pinehurst School then commits the players to the event/sport and therefore has to honour these fees. If you were to withdraw your child after the registration closing date and ask for a refund, this would mean other parents are effectively paying for this fee. To be fair on other parents, students and their families, Pinehurst School will under no circumstances refund after the registration closing date.

Kind Regards,

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