

# NEW PLYMOUTH BOYS' HIGH SCHOOL

## TE KURA TAMATĀNE O NGĀMOTU

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## **RATIONALE:**

NPBHS undertakes to consult regularly so that the School, in its delivery of educational outcomes for students, reflects the desires and aspirations of parents, caregivers and the wider-community.

### **PURPOSE:**

- 1. To inform the school's community of proposed developments in curriculum and qualifications.
- 2. To gain feedback on the level of satisfaction felt by the community about school attainment of its goals and objectives.
- 3. To gain feedback on the strategic direction of the school.
- 4. To establish the demographic profile of the school's community.
- 5. To gain feedback on proposed development of the school's physical environment and facilities.
- 6. To maintain contact with business, sporting, cultural and service groups in the community.
- 7. To maintain links with Old Boys' throughout New Zealand and overseas, valuing their perspective on school developments.

### **GUIDELINES:**

1. Maintain a file at the school office and on the website of the current charter and policies so the community has access to them.

- 2. Conduct surveys of the school community every 3-4 years with regards to school performance and to inform the strategic planning cycle.
- 3. Call special meetings for the school community, or special groups, from time to time as developments requiring consultation and feedback arise.
- 4. Ensure that consultation occurs with hostel parents, both at school and in their local areas, to get their views on current policies and practice.
- 5. The Board of Trustees and staff are available for formal and informal consultation both within the working day, and at sporting, cultural, or social occasions.