

Tena Koutou Katoa
Greetings everyone

We warmly welcome Ashley Narayan (Room 1) and her family to Reignier.

Happy Mother's Day to all the mothers in the school community. We hope you had a lovely day yesterday with your families and thank you for the wonderful job you do to support and nurture your children.

A big congratulations to St John's College and Sacred Heart College for their 1st equal placing in the O'Shea Shield. The O'Shea Shield is a fiercely contested oral communication competition for all Catholic secondary schools in the Wellington and Palmerston North dioceses. It is fantastic to see our Hawke's Bay colleges coming out on top!

THE WEEK AHEAD

Thursday 17th – Whole School Mass 9.15am

WHOLE SCHOOL MASS

We are celebrating Mass together at St Mary's on Thursday morning at 9.15 am. We would love for any Mums, Dads, Grandparents, relations and friends to come and join us.

PTA WORKING BEE

We still need your expertise! Please don't forget if you can help with the working bee **this Saturday** to let the office know. We need some expertise and equipment for painting and putting together the playground equipment. We would love to have your help, so we can get it all finished! Working Bee will start at 1pm. This is a great opportunity for a not too serious social afternoon which will benefit the school. See you there!

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS BOARD FEES

If you are concerned about how to meet your commitments or are falling behind in payments, you can seek advice or support from our Parish representative. Brian Peploe works with families in the Parish to keep the fee payments manageable. You can phone him on 844 8541.

UNIFORM

Please could we have all students in winter uniform next week.

PARISH NEWS

St Patrick's School are holding a quiz night on Friday 22 June in the school hall. \$20 for a team of 4. Supper provided. Refreshments for sale. Registrations to St Patrick's school office on 843 9238.

Sacred Heart College is holding an Open Day on Friday 25th May. If you have Intermediate aged girls, this is a great opportunity for you to look around and see what our Catholic Secondary schools have to offer. Please ring the College office on 835 3761 for more information.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION DATES

Tuesday 15th May 1st Children's session 5.30pm

Tuesday 22nd May 2nd Parent meeting 5.30pm

Friday 8th June 2nd Children's session and combined practice in the Church at 2.00pm

Sunday 10 June 9.00am First Holy Communion

Followed by the First Holy Communion 'breakfast' in the Parish Centre.

Ma te Atua koe e tiaki
God bless you all.
Julia Johnson

ALTAR SERVERS

Sunday 20 May 9am Mass:

Michael Chappell, Georgia Lawson, Anneliese van Florenstein

Sunday 20 May 5pm Mass:

Johanna Minehan, Molly Jeffery, Isabel Gibson

SCHOOL PRODUCTION

Production Letter—On Friday a letter with information regarding the production was sent home with all Year 5 and 6 children. If you have not received this letter (printed on bright orange paper) please ask your child to bring a copy home.

Wardrobe Department requires coat hangers and clean plastic bags please.

YEAR 5/6 CAMP

This year the Year 5 and 6 students will be going to Wellington from 24th—28th September on their urban camp. We need 12 parents to accompany us on this trip to assist the teachers with the supervision of the students. If you would like to be one of the parents to accompany us for the week we recommend you ensure your Police clearance is up to date. If you are unsure or have not applied for a Police clearance before, pick up a form from the office as soon as possible. A camp information letter will be going home this week with details and a request for parents to accompany us on camp this year.

CALLING ALL McCAINS VEGETABLE BARCODES

Some children in Room 9 are developing our school vege garden in partnership with the McCains School Vege programme. All barcodes will be redeemed for points which the children will be able to spend on buying equipment and vegetable seeds for the garden. Please send all your barcodes to Room 9 or leave at the office.

Thanks Debra Gibson

LAURA'S POEMS

Has anyone got a copy of this book that they no longer use? The staff would really appreciate it if someone could donate this book. It will be well used!

WORLD VISISON 40 HOUR FAMINE—MAY 25TH—27TH

GO HARD OUT FOR THE HUNGRY

I am Anneliese van Florenstein from Room 11 and I am going to do the 40 hour famine which this year is raising money for the hungry in Mali and in Niger. \$40 is enough money for 7 children to have proper food for a month. If you would like to sponsor me (please check with your parents first) you can find me in the playground, Room 11 or phone me at home on 835 0202. Thank you.

FOR SALE

Vest and Sweatshirt —Size 6 \$10 each

Phone: 844 1894 or txt 027 766 7180

HOUSE TO RENT—ELLIOTT STREET, TARADALE

4 Bedroom home, ensuite, large fenced section, easy care property, newly decorated, heat pumps, 1970's home, quiet

CLASS AWARDS—CONGRATULATIONS TO THESE CHILDREN

Room 1	St Veronica	Charlotte Burn Kayline Thomson	For great number work this week For showing kindness to others
Room 2	St Angela	Keisha Massey	For super self-control
Room 3	St Thomas More	Amberley Chang Emelie Kane	For her great attitude to learning For her creative story writing
Room 4	St Therese	Cailin Marlow Emilie White	For super reading For super reading
Room 5	St Gerard	Adam Carey Belle Chang	For being an enthusiastic class member For settling so well into our Room 5 community
Room 6	St Francis	Mark Zyskowski Sam Lack	For excellent progress in Maths knowledge For excellent progress in Maths knowledge
Room 7	St Patrick	Caitlin Wilson Robbie Poon	For progress in understanding reading texts For fabulous, inspirational writing
Room 8	St Anne	Aidan Minehan Matthew Viljoen	For thoughtful contributions to class discussions For a willing and positive attitude to learning
Room 9	St Bridget	Emma Smith Noah Sloan	For being a great Digital Dazzler teacher For being a great Digital Dazzler teacher
Room 10	St John Bosco	Alex Fretchling Luis Toomey Byron Viljoen	For contributing a terrific production title For outstanding enthusiasm during production rehearsals For the great progress he has made with his understanding of what he reads
Room 11	St Dominic	Ethan Ball Sophie Eyles	For making great progress on their complex sentences For making great progress on their complex sentences



neighbourhood, close to schools in Taradale. \$350 per week. No dogs. Available 25th May. Phone Frances on 844 9125

THIS WEEK'S SPORTING NEWS ...

BASKETBALL

Results from last week were;
Reignier Lakers drew with Henry Hill 10-10
Player of the Day—Lily Giddens
Reignier Heat lost to Porritt 11-16
Player of the Day—Bryn Nicol
Reignier Saints won to Henry Hill 25-16
Player of the Day—Billy Dagg

Basketball for students in Year 3/4 and Year 5/6 teams at Centennial Hall this **Wednesday 16th May after school**.

The draw is as follows;

- Year 3/4 Reignier Lakers v Central Leopards at 4pm
- Year 3/4 Reignier Saints v Short Blacks at 4pm
- Year 5/6 Reignier Celtics v Henry Hill Hotshots at 5.30pm
- Year 5/6 Reignier Heat v Pool Y friend at 5.30pm

The draw for the term can also be found at:

www.basketballhawkesbay.co.nz

Thank you to Kerry O'Leary, Nic Baudinet, Mike Lynch and Corey Stephens for looking after teams this term. Your support is greatly appreciated.

RIPPA RUGBY

The Year 5/6 Rippa Rugby game last Wednesday was cancelled because of bad weather. This **Wednesday 16th May** the team play St Patricks at St Patricks school at 3.30pm. The boys need to get there as soon as possible after school. Students need to wear their school PE uniform and will play in bare feet.

KIWISPORTS FIELD DAY

Thank you to those parents who managed teams at the Kiwisports field day last week. It was a super day and your support was gratefully appreciated.

KIDS BIKE JAM

The world's only mountain bike series for kids aged 5 – 13 years is coming up on Sunday 27th May at Eskdale Forest.

For full entry details go to www.kidsbikejams.co.nz

HOCKEY

Reignier Pulse lost 6-2 but had fantastic team play.
Player of the Day—Georgia Lawson
Reignier Magic won 3-1 had an awesome game.
Player of the Day—Joshua Goddard

NETBALL

Reignier Defenders vs Porritt—Won 20-5
Player of the Day—Sophie Lancaster
Reignier Shooters vs Te Awa—Won 7-2
Player of the Day—Emma Tantrum
Reignier Stars v Puketapu—Won 16-6
Player of the Day—Isabelle Lorch
Reignier Raiders vs Greenmeadows—Won 1-0
Player of the Day—Lucy Harvey

NEWS FROM THE PTA ...

PTA FUNDRAISER—A FUN NIGHT OUT!!!

The PTA are hosting a **Hypnotist Evening on Friday 25th May at 7pm.**

Tickets are \$25—this includes a beverage on entry.

Cash Bar also available throughout the evening.

Venue: Nelson Park Primary School Hall.

Limited Tickets so be in quick. Tickets will be available from the school office.

All proceeds going to upgrade of the Senior Playground.

SCHOOL UNIFORM SHOP

This week the school uniform shop will be open on **Tuesday** not Wednesday from 8.30-8.55am. The uniform shop is now being run out of the school office and orders will be processed from there.

Uncles Alan and Bert both got hurt

Fighting on the ANZAC dirt.

Shrapnel in their legs

Bullets in their heads.

Alan was buried at sea when he was dead

Twenty four and twenty three

Mother sad as can be.

By Molly Cardwell Dary, Room 4