

**Tena Koutou Katoa
Greetings everyone**

Currently we have a number of school families who are dealing with severe illness within their immediate or extended family. We ask that you keep them in your thoughts and prayers as they face some tough times ahead of them. It is always at times like this when we reflect on our blessings. Don't let today finish without telling someone you love them or giving someone a hug!

Last Wednesday we had another accident at the Kea Crossing outside the school on Guppy Rd. Although there were no serious injuries, it highlighted the need once again for vigilance, awareness and extra safe practices. The right hand turn into Moeller St from Guppy Rd can create a back log of traffic across the kea crossing. Please consider other ways of accessing Moeller St to relieve this if possible. We want to make sure that we are all keeping things as safe as possible for pedestrians and other road users.

A big thanks to Neil Goddard and Dee Kimble for their help at the scene. We would also like to congratulate the three girls on Road Patrol who used their initiative and cleared themselves and the road patrol equipment from the scene until they had adult supervision to resume the patrol again. Well done to Zarah Otto, Brooke Waikato and Molly Jeffery for quick thinking and safe practice.

THE WEEK AHEAD

Monday 11th – Graeme Braddock (Artist) visiting
Tuesday 12th – Junior Novice Gym Festival 11am
Thursday 14th – Senior Novice Gym Festival 11am
Thursday 14th – Financial Literacy Programme
Friday 15th – Financial Literacy Programme
Sunday 17th – Production practice 10am – 2pm

FIRST COMMUNION

Congratulations to all those children from Reignier and other schools who received Holy Communion for the first time on Sunday. Mass was a wonderful celebration for all who were there. A special thanks to Father Bernard. We would also like to thank the organisers who put so much time and effort into preparing the children and parents for the sacrament. Thanks to Mel Davis and Mrs Mellon for their input and expertise. A very special thanks to Mrs Riceman and Mrs Quinney as the coordinators of the programme for their hard work and dedication over the last 6 years. They have given their time willingly as parishioners and have done a marvellous job. They are now stepping down from this role to pursue other activities and service and we know they will be greatly missed. However, it is an opportunity for anyone keen to step up and facilitate. New ideas and fresh enthusiasm always add to any programme. Keep it in mind for next year!

Congratulations to the following children:

Adam Winnie	Jack Graham	Millie O'Leary
Aidan Minehan	Jack Erickson	Olympia Signal
Amanda Merryless	Jacob Wardley	Oliver Gardiner
Amelia Swann	Joshua Goddard	Peata Kaio
Benjamin Sloan	Joshua Quinn	Phoebe Shea
Caitlin Wilson	Jonty Unwin	Ryan Gouder
Charlotte Lancaster	Kelly Minehan	Sarah Winnie
Daniel Hurley	Lilly Aston	Sam Williams-Smith
Finn Exeter	Laura Powell	Sehun Kim
Hamish Gibson	Lucy Harvey	Summer Wilson
Hannah Cotter	Luke Swann	Talia White-Shaw
Hannah Lawson	Madeleine Parker	Tom Hollier
Isaac Pilcher	Matthew Quinney	Ye Lim Cha

We would also like to thank the PTA for their hard work in making the day a success. The PTA parents work behind the scenes, setting up the parish centre and preparing the First Communion breakfast feast after Mass. Thanks to all those parents who gave their Saturday afternoon and Sunday morning to making it a special occasion. A special thank you also to Mrs Newell for doing the flowers—they were spectacular.

There were a few platters and plates left behind from the breakfast which are now in the school staffroom. Please call in and collect if you forgot to take yours.

GYM FESTIVAL

We are still short of transport for tomorrow and Thursday to transport children to and from the Gym festival at Onekawa. Please if you are able to help out could you let Mrs Cronin or the office know ASAP. Thanks

SIGNAGE

A special thanks to Corey Stephens for the new signage around the school. The sign at the front of the school is visible from a long way down the road, and will certainly add a new dimension to our frontage and general profile. The directories are also up, with classroom signs still to come. Thanks Corey. They're superb.

PARISH NEWS

BAPTISM PREPARATION: The courses for the year will be held on Tuesdays 12 June, 11 September and 13 November 7pm – 8.30pm. Please indicate your intention to attend one of these courses by notifying the Parish Office phone 844 2224.

Ma te Atua koe e tiaki

God bless you all.

Julia Johnson

**REIGNIER CATHOLIC SCHOOL HALL
FUNDRAISING EVENT**

On Saturday 28th July at 7.00 pm we are organising a major fundraising dinner and we want you all to be a part of it. Get a group of friends and come along and enjoy great food – a choice of entree, main and dessert from 6 different cooks including a celebrity chef. The evening is about raising money for our new school hall, having fun and meeting new people in our Reignier community. Tickets will go on sale from the school office from Wednesday 20th June and will be limited. Tickets are \$50 per person for nibbles and a 3 course meal plus a drink on arrival. Organise your friends now – they will not be disappointed.

So put **SATURDAY 28TH JULY at 7.00pm** into your diaries – you do not want to miss out on this amazing night of fun.

Any queries about the dinner please contact Tania Broome on 835 5445.

ALTAR SERVERS

Sunday 17 June 9am Mass:

Monica Cacho-Bevin, Alysia Homan, Tegan Marlow

Sunday 17 June 5pm Mass:

Henry Thomas Askew, Brianna Otto, Roman Walewski

CLASS AWARDS—CONGRATULATIONS TO THESE CHILDREN

Room 1	St Veronica	Logan Haayema	For excellent work habits
Room 2	St Angela	Jacob Cotter	For learning to write so many words
Room 3	St Thomas More	Ella Brassington Matthew Eagles	For fabulous story writing For contributing his thinking in class discussion
Room 4	St Therese	Hannah Rich Albert Parker	For great use of gesture in our drama activities For excellent work habits
Room 5	St Gerard	Talia White Shaw Anna Restieaux	For consistently showing an excellent work ethic For focussed work in ICT
Room 6	St Francis	Isabella Devereux Thomas Cacho-Bevin	For using words to create pictures in a story For well crafted stories and excellent spelling
Room 7	St Patrick	Caitlin Wilson Gareth Williams	For excellent progress in Number Strategy For excellent progress in Number Strategy
Room 8	St Anne	Dylan Homan Tony Mildon	For fantastic progress in Reading For fantastic progress in Basic Fact recall
Room 9	St Bridget	Samantha Hannam Molly Jeffery	For the fantastic effort she is putting into Production For having great focus in class this week during writing
Room 10	St John Bosco	Emma Wynne Georgia Hollier	For the determination and perseverance she demonstrates in class For the great progress she is making with her reading and writing
Room 11	St Dominic	Zachary Picone Corbyn Betts	For the huge effort he has made this week to show self control For the fantastic effort he has put into learning all his production lines



DENTAL CLINIC

For **EMERGENCY** treatment only you can telephone:
Taradale Intermediate—Ph: 878 9822 (out of caravan)
Tamatea Intermediate—Ph: 873 4864

ICAS EXAMS

Those Senior students who have paid to sit an ICAS examination this term will do so on the following dates;

- Writing - Thursday 14th June
- Spelling - Thursday 21st June

KAPAHAKA

8.30am—8.55am— Tuesdays in School Hall

SCHOOL PRODUCTION—'Oh, Rats!'

The Reignier School Year 5 & 6 children, parents and teachers have been working hard to present 'Oh, Rats!'

This will be held:

Tuesday 19th and Wednesday 20th June at 7pm at Hawke's Bay Opera House, Hastings. Tickets on sale now through Ticketek. \$10 plus booking fee. Check out the Hawke's Bay Opera House website for more details. Lots of fun for all ages! Come along, sit back and enjoy!

Sunday Rehearsal—This Sunday there is a production rehearsal at school at 10.00am—2pm.

SENIOR TEAM CHALLENGE

Senior students will not have a Challenge to complete this term because of the commitments they have to the school production. They will receive their next Challenge at the beginning of Term 3.

THIS WEEK'S SPORTING NEWS ...

BASKETBALL

Results from last week were;

Reignier Saints beat Reignier Lakers 19 - 6. Player of the day was Jonty Unwin.

Basketball for students in Year 3/4 and Year 5/6 teams at Centennial Hall this **Wednesday 13th June after school**. The draw is as follows;

- Year 3/4 Reignier Lakers v Henry Hill Homies at 3.30pm
- Year 3/4 Reignier Saints v TKKM Karaka at 4pm

- Year 5/6 Reignier Celtics v Porritt Wizards at 5.30pm
- Year 5/6 Reignier Heat v Henry Hill Hurricanes at 5pm

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.

NETBALL

Reignier Defenders vs Bledisloe—Won 23-7

Player of the Day—Molly Jeffery and Paris Burton

Reignier Shooters vs Bledisloe—Lost 7-4

Player of the Day—Chloe Dagg

Reignier Stars vs—Taradale—Won 5-4

Player of the Day—Emma Smith

Reignier Raiders vs Porritt—Lost 2-3

Player of the Day—Caitlin Wilson

RIPPA RUGBY

The Year 5/6 Rippa Rugby team didn't play last week due to bad weather. This Wednesday 13th June the team play Onekawa Blue at Onekawa Primary at 3.30pm. Anyone who hasn't got a ride should see Mr. Crawford on Tuesday. Students need to wear their school PE uniform and will play in bare feet.

TACKLE RUGBY

The Year 5/6 10-a-side interschool tackle rugby competition starts next term and is played on Wednesdays after school home or away. I will be taking names of those interested in playing this week to see how many teams we will enter.

Students play in barefeet and must have a mouth guard. The school will provide the rugby jerseys to play in. There isn't any pushing in scrums, but all other rugby rules apply. If parents have any questions, see Mr Crawford.

TARADALE AND DISTRICT SCHOOLS SOCCER FIELD DAY

The annual Taradale and District Schools Soccer Field Day is being held on Tuesday 26th June at Park Island. All students in the Senior team will be attending the field day in one of 10 mixed teams. We will require parents/family members to assist in supervising some of the teams. The afternoon runs from 1.15pm to 2.40pm.

A permission notice with further details and a request for assistant will be coming home shortly. We will be busing the students to and from Park Island.