



REIGNIER CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Tena Koutou Katoa Greetings everyone

Excitement is building, lines have been learned, voices are tuned, props are painted and **tickets are now on sale**. See the newsletter for ticket information.

So much work has gone into preparing for this production and now "we need you."

This production is for our whole school community so please come along, be entertained and celebrate the wonderful talent within our school community. If what I have heard around the school is any indication we are in for a real treat. Spread the word, bring family and friends to a great night out, on **1st and 3rd July** at the **Municipal Theatre**.

This week we acknowledge and thank our wonderful support staff. These are the people in our school for whom nothing is ever too much. They each have their special skills and talents which they share with us generously and daily. This is our chance to thank them publicly and acknowledge the great work they do. Thank you, thank you, thank you Karyn, Andrea, Maree, Kevina, Cyree and George. May God bless you and your families abundantly.

The "Taste of St John's" last week was enjoyed by many of our Year 6 boys. It was a great opportunity to visit the school and see what this Catholic Boys College has to offer. The new principal Paul Melloy and his staff made us all feel very welcome and thought and care had gone into the programme for the day.

The tagged teacher seminar and the BOT session with Bishop Charles and the education team from the Catholic Education office were interesting and provided key information about the vision the Bishops of NZ have for the education of Catholic children.

School reports will be made available to families next week. As is usual these reports will be followed by an interview opportunity. The interview days are Tuesday the 24th June and Wednesday the 25th June. School will close at 2pm both these days and interviews will be scheduled from 2.20-6pm. These can be booked online.

THE WEEK AHEAD AND THE COMING WEEKS

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| 9 th May | Copyright data collection process begins and continues for 8 weeks |
| 10 th June | PTA meeting, 7pm in the school staffroom |
| 16 th June | ICAS writing exam Reports home to parents |
| 17 th June | ICAS Spelling exam |
| 18 th June | BOT meeting, 7.30 in the school staffroom |
| 24 th and 25 th June | Parent interviews (school closes at 2pm both of these days) |
| 24 th June | Novice Gym – Junior competition |
| 25 th June | Technology challenge for 12 Year 5/6 students with Mr Jenyns |
| 26 th June | Novice Gym – Senior competition |
| 1 st July | Production performance 7pm at Municipal Theatre |
| 3 rd July | Production performance 7pm at Municipal Theatre |

MID YEAR REPORTS AND INTERVIEWS

This year Mid year reports will be sent out on Monday 16 June.

Parent teacher interviews will be held on Tuesday 24 and Wednesday 25th June from 2.20pm. School will be closed from 2pm both days. Once again we will use the online booking system for booking interview times. This will be available from this Friday. If you do not have access to a computer please feel free to make an interview time through your class teacher or at the office. Interviews will be 10 minutes long. We encourage you to bring your child so they are part of the conversation about their learning. To book an interview either click on the link on the school website entitled Parent Teacher Interviews and follow the instructions, or go directly to the website www.schoolinterviews.co.nz. Our school event code is 4HPR3. You will need to enter this to access our school's interview timetable.

ROUTINES AND REMINDERS

This week we began the copyright data collection process which will last for 8 weeks. This process ensures that we respect the writers of material we copy for student use and that they receive the appropriate remuneration.

Please continue to send cans of food to school to contribute to the civil defense supplies at school. Each child receives two extra tokens for the assembly token draw when their can comes in. Thank you for your generosity.

parents@reignier.school.nz is the email account we use to send information to you. You may reply to this. However the most efficient email address to use to contact us is admin@reignier.school.nz as this is checked most regularly. admin@reignier.school.nz will usually be the first email account visited each day.

Please remember to contact your child's teacher or the management team if you have any concerns regarding your child at school rather than addressing these yourself. We are here to help and have sound and fair procedures to support all concerned.

Please remember to contact the school to explain your child's absence when they are away. This ensures all are safe and accounted for and we have the correct information.

The focus virtue for the month of June is **Perseverance** and this has been very visible within our school community. Enjoy the changing season as Winter gives us the opportunity to gather in the warmth with family and friends.

Ma te Atua koutou e tiaki
God bless you all.
Sheryl Riceman

THIS WEEK'S PARISH NEWS...

ALTAR SERVERS

Sunday 15th June 9am Mass:

Talia White Shaw, Ben Sloan

Sunday 15th June 5pm Mass:

Ella Lawson, Hannah Lawson

CLASS AWARDS—CONGRATULATIONS TO THESE CHILDREN

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| Room 1 | St Paul | Claudia Jones Calib England | For being a mighty mathematician For acting with kindness |
| Room 2 | St Angela | Kayline Thomson | For reading the class prayer confidently in assembly last week |
| Room 3 | St Mary McKillop | Liam Reilly Jyde Low | For wonderful work in Maths For wonderful work in Maths |
| Room 4 | St Therese | Ruby Robinson Sophia Unwin | For a great attitude For some super writing |
| Room 8 | St Anne | Poutama Watson Claudia Crichton Pearl Drummond | For showing amazing perseverance in writing For fantastic progress in Maths For exercising excellent self-control |
| Room 5 | St Gerard | Helena Mills Hannah Rich | For excellent progress in Maths knowledge For thoughtful contributions to class discussions |
| Room 6 | St Francis | Sophie Gouder Ryan Tantrum | For good progress in Maths strategy For using his knowledge to help others with new vocabulary |
| Room 9 | St Bridget | Logan MacIsaac Laura Powell | For progress in Maths strategy testing For always sharing her thoughts during class discussion |
| Room 10 | St John Bosco | Isaac Pilcher Peata Kaio | For his excellent learning about fractions For her excellent descriptive poetry about winter |
| Room 11 | St Dominic | Bella Devereux Dylan Homan | For her amazing stories and fabulous artwork For showing Reignier virtues and a positive attitude |

GENERAL SCHOOL NEWS...

ST. PATRICK'S INFORMATION EVENING

St Patrick's has a varied and comprehensive Intermediate Programme that caters for all pupils. We pride ourselves in getting to know our pupils, their interests, strengths and learning needs. Enrolments for 2015 are now being taken, all applications are welcome (including non-catholic). Please join us for an evening (pupils and parents) to see what we have to offer you. St Patrick's is a good option for Intermediate. We look forward to meeting you.

PARENTS OF ALL CURRENT YEAR 6 PUPILS – INTERMEDIATE FOR 2015

You are invited to an Open Evening at St Patrick's School on Wednesday 25th June, 7pm to view what we have to offer your child for Intermediate (Year 7/8 schooling) in 2015.

Reignier School Pupils – St Patrick's is offering two \$100 Academic Scholarships plus a \$320 Transport Scholarship (Bus) for Year 6 pupils who attend in 2015. All pupils enrolled are eligible. For more information phone the Principal, Jurek Wypych on 843 9238.

SCHOOL PRODUCTION

The Reignier Catholic School Year 5 & 6 children present '**Quest on the Blue Planet**'. Tuesday 1 July and Thursday 3 July at 7pm. Napier Municipal Theatre. Tickets on sale through Ticketek. \$10 each plus a booking fee. Online or at the Municipal Theatre. 0800 842 538 <http://premier.ticketek.co.nz/> Lots of fun for all ages!

SCHOOL PRODUCTION RAFFLE

Today an email was sent to parents of Years 5 & 6 children regarding production raffle books. These books of five tickets will be sent home on Friday. Please return the sold book and money to the office by 30 June. Thank you for helping make our production a success.

If anyone has spare coat hangers and they are happy to donate to the School Production can you please drop them to the school office.

TEAM KERERU ASSEMBLY

Friday 13th May—Room 11 children will be leading this assembly.

THIS WEEK'S SPORTING NEWS...

BASKETBALL Year 3/4 Basketball results from last week;

Division 1:

Reignier **Saints** beat Swish Purple 48–30.

POD's—Tré Jeffares and Ben Graney

Division 2:

Reignier **Heat** lost to Central Harriers 7–14.

POD—Tom Halpin

Reignier **Hawks** lost to Eskdale 8–20.

POD—Adam Gregory

Draw for this Wednesday 11th June. All games at Centennial Hall.

Division 1:

Reignier **Saints** vs Henry Hill Thunder at 4.30pm – Court 1

Division 2:

Reignier **Heat** vs Eskdale Ravens at 3.30pm – Court 3

Reignier **Hawks** vs Taradale Wizards at 4.30pm – Court 3

HOCKEY Results from last week;

Reignier Magic won 6-3.

POD—Kate Young

Reignier Mystics lost 7-0.

POD—Ivan Meihana

Reignier Pulse lost 7-0.

POD—Aidan Minehan

Draw for this Saturday 14th June:

Reignier **Pulse** play 8.30am at Park Island.

Reignier **Mystics** play at 10.30am.

Reignier **Magic** have a bye this week.

Practice will take place on Wednesday.

NETBALL Results from last week;

Reignier **Raiders** beat Bledisloe 12-5.

POD—Holly Williams

Reignier **Stars** lost to Bledisloe 11-7.

POD—Lucy Harvey and Ben Sloan

Year 6 Netball Practice is Wednesday morning—be ready to go at 8.30am please.

RIPPA RUGBY Results from last week;

Reignier **Hurricanes** beat Taradale Gold 12-11.

POD—Sam Lack

Reignier **Magpies** lost to St Pat's Cheetahs 15-21.

POD's—Connor Kimble and Abbie Gardiner

Draw for this Wednesday 11 June:

Reignier **Hurricanes** vs St Pat's Cheetahs at Reignier School.

Reignier **Magpies** vs St Pat's Lions at St Pat's School.

SNAPSHOTS OF THE WEEK...

