



# REIGNIER CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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## THE WEEK AHEAD

**Tuesday 26th & Wednesday 27th July**

*Whole School Closes at 2pm for Years 4-6 Interviews*

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**Monday 1st — Friday 5th August**  
*Art Intensive Week*

**Wednesday 3rd August**  
*Matariki Celebration at 5.30pm*

**Thursday 4th August**  
*Years 5/6 Winter Sports Exchange with St Pat's*

**Monday 8th August**  
*Years 5/6 Spell-a-Thon*

**Friday 12th August**  
*Spooner Shield*

**Sunday 14th August**  
*Compulsory Whole School Mass*

**Tuesday 16th—Friday 19th August**  
*Scholastic Book Fair*

**Wednesday 24th August**  
*Years 3-6 School Cross Country*

**Tuesday 30th August**  
*Year 6 Girls to Sacred Heart 10am-2pm*  
*Bangers and Maths Evening*

**Monday 5th September**  
*Camp Meeting for Parents going on Senior Camp*

**Tuesday 6th September**  
*Years 3/4 Aquarium*  
*Inter-school Cross Country*

**Wednesday 7th September**  
*Camp Wellington Parent Information Presentation 5.30pm*

**Monday 19th—Friday 23rd September**  
*Years 5/6 Camp Wellington*

**Friday 23rd September**  
*Last day of Term 3*

**Tena Koutou Katoa**  
**Greetings Everyone**

Welcome back everyone to another busy term. We hope you all had a relaxing holiday. This term will be filled with sport, art and learning. Make sure you note the upcoming events and keep track of these through the website or the School App.

## MATARIKI CELEBRATION

Next Wednesday evening 3<sup>rd</sup> August we will be celebrating Matariki at the Taradale rugby clubrooms at Tareha Park. We will begin at 5.30pm. We would love as many families as possible to join us for an evening of reflection, waiata and wonder. We will also be having a shared tea (easy Friday night option) and the usual marshmallows and milo. Please come and be a part of this traditional celebration.

### **Remember to bring:**

**Dinner/finger food to share**

**Cup for milo**

**Lantern/torch**

**Warm jacket and hat**

If anyone is interested in helping out with the organisation of the evening, please let us know at the office.

## KEEPING OURSELVES SAFE

As part of our Health and PE schedule we will be running this programme across the school. It is a child abuse prevention programme which has been developed by the New Zealand police and the Ministry of Education. It focuses on teaching children to make good decisions around keeping themselves safe in a number of situations. It will be run this year with the support of our Police Education Officer Kevin Marshall. Before the programme begins we will be holding a meeting for parents to give further information regarding the programme and to answer any questions or concerns. You will be advised of this meeting as soon as possible.

## INTERIM REPORTS AND INTERVIEWS

Interim reports for all year 4 to 6 learners were sent out at the end of last term. There will be an opportunity to meet with your child's teacher to have a conversation about your child's learning this week. Teachers will be available to meet with you and your child today, Tuesday and Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> July from 2.20pm pm. We will be using the online booking system again, so either access it through the website as in previous years or go into [www.schoolinterviews.co.nz](http://www.schoolinterviews.co.nz). Our school code is **d5268**. If you have not already booked a session, there is still time to do so. It is really important that you have a conversation around your child's learning with them and their teacher. Don't forget that they are most welcome to be a part of that conversation as well.

## ST PATS SPORTS EXCHANGE

Our Year 5 and 6 Spooner Shield Teams will be taking part in a sports exchange with St Pats next Thursday. All children involved will have received a notice. If you are available to help with transport, please indicate on the form and return to school.

## SECOND HAND TUNICS AND POLO SHIRTS

We have a family who will be here for only a short while who would really appreciate not having to purchase a new winter tunic for only 8 weeks. If you have a spare tunic that might fit a middle school (Year 3/4) child, we would appreciate the use of it, either as a loan or a gift. Please contact the office if you can help.

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

## **MISSION STATEMENT**

**'A well balanced education achieved through virtue  
and knowledge in a faith-filled community.'**

## CLASS AWARDS—CONGRATULATIONS TO THESE CHILDREN

Room 1	St Paul	Carter Gillies Emma Nairn Ayomide Reyes	For superb progress this term! Well done For learning her sight words so fast For fast thinking in Maths
Room 1A	St Veronica	Ben Reilly Bella Coombe	For always helping others For reading with great fluency and expression
Room 3	St Mary McKillop	Freya Doolan Jayla Zajonskowski Lance Hunt Gareth Sheard Connor Stevenson	For giving thoughtful responses in class discussion For trying hard to use her phonics For great counting on in Maths For reading well with expression For skilfully retelling a story using drama
Room 5	St Gerard	Jake Coffin Pippa Giddens	For always showing respect and kindness to others For always showing a fantastic and positive attitude towards her learning
Room 6	St Francis	Laura Brassington Poppy Walling	For using part-whole thinking in subtraction For excellent use of speech marks
Room 8	St Anne	Noah Onuma Natalie Crabtree Emma Rich	For your exceptional listening skills For your focus in producing a beautiful Matariki picture For showing excellent perseverance in all your work this week
Room 9	St Bridget	Ella Brassington Sam Macintosh	For excellent area and perimeter work For excellent area and perimeter work
Room 10	St John Bosco	Maggie Cooper Anna Mildon	For her fantastic 'stop-motion' animation For her fantastic 'stop-motion' animation

## THIS WEEK'S PARISH NEWS...

[www.copon.org.nz](http://www.copon.org.nz)



### ALTAR SERVERS

**Sunday 31st July 9am Mass:** Catriona Williamson, Georgie Chapman, Jake Coffin

**Sunday 31st July 5pm Mass:** Carter Frame-Tavita, Matthew Eagles

## GENERAL NEWS...



### KAPAHAKA

Kapahaka will be in the hall every Friday at 8.30am this term. Everyone welcome.

### TEAM KERERU ASSEMBLY

**Room 6** will be leading our Team Kereru assembly this Friday 29<sup>th</sup> July at 9am.

**Room 10** will be attending Mass on Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> July at 9.15am

### TEAM PIWAKAWAKA ASSEMBLY

**Room 1A** will be leading our Team Piwakawaka assembly this Friday 29<sup>th</sup> July at 12.30pm.

### YEARS 5 & 6 PRODUCTION—WARDROBE

Please **collect** all **LOANED** wardrobe items from **Room 7** anytime **this week**. Thank you.

### YEAR 5 CHILDREN

All Year 5 children will be performing in the Kapahaka Festival at Taradale Intermediate School on 26th and 27th October at 6.30pm. This festival involves all Taradale Primary Schools. **Year 5 children will be practising for this every Friday at 8.30am in the hall.**

### YEARS 5 & 6 CHILDREN

If you would like photos of the production please bring a named USB to me at school and I will get this back to you as soon as possible.  
Mrs Smith

## THIS WEEK'S SPORTING NEWS...

### BASKETBALL—TERM 3

Term 3 basketball starts on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> August (Week 2).

The team lists should have come home with your child last term.



### HOCKEY

Congratulations to our Pulse hockey team who participated in the Big Save U11 Hockey Tournament during the school holidays. The team played exceptionally well and come 3rd overall in their division. A huge thank you to Donna Briggs who gave up her time to coach the children for this event. Well done everyone!

## **TACKLE RUGBY – YEARS 5/6**

This will start on **Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> August**. A draw for our 'combined team' with Greenmeadows will be given out this week.

## **PTA NOTICES...**

### **FAMILY PHOTO FUNDRAISER – SUNDAY 21<sup>ST</sup> AUGUST**

\$10 for a 10"x13" Family Photo. Please check your child's bag for a flyer with all the details and order form. Any questions phone Margo on 844 7191 or 021 055 0546.

### **PTA MEETING**

The next PTA meeting is tonight **Tuesday 26th July at 7pm** in the Staffroom. All very welcome.

### **TRIVIA NIGHT!**

The quiz night scheduled for Friday 5th August has been cancelled. Apologies for any inconvenience caused.

### **YUMMY STICKERS**

This is a reminder to please keep on collecting the Yummy Apple Stickers and Cut-Out Labels! If you have any completed collection sheets, please return these to the office. The more stickers we collect, the more sports gear the school will get, so keep on collecting. We have until the end of Term 3 to collect as many as we can! Yummy apples can be purchased at New World, Pak' n Save and participating Four Square stores. You can print off **additional collection sheets** here <http://www.yummyfruit.co.nz/schoolstickerpromo>.

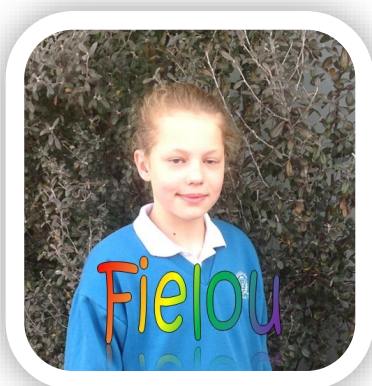
## **COMMUNITY NOTICES...**

### **PARISH YOUTH BAND**

All Napier Youth interested in being involved with a Parish Youth Band are invited to a short meeting at St Mary's centre, 58 Osier Road, Greenmeadows on **Sunday 7th August from 3pm**. PIZZA will be served up after 3.30pm. Following this there will be a Youth Parish Overview meeting where you are invited to give feedback on where you see the Parish now and in the future. This will finish before 5pm. Your comments would be appreciated. Regards, Mr Marwick, Youth Co-ordinator for Catholic Parish of Napier.

# **SNAPSHOTS OF THE WEEK...**

**WE WARMLY WELCOME FIELOU, TYZA  
& THEIR FAMILY FROM THE NETHERLANDS**



**BIG SAVE U11 HOCKEY TOURNAMENT...**





# \$10 Portrait Fundraiser

creative clicks  
PHOTOGRAPHY

**Pay a \$10 sitting fee and receive  
a FREE 10"x13" photograph of  
your family or children**

**Reignier Catholic School, Napier have booked  
Creative Clicks Photography to take family portraits at their school**

**Where: Reignier Catholic School  
99 Guppy Rd  
Greenmeadows, Napier**

**When: Sunday 21 August 2016**  
**For information or to make a booking  
contact: Margo on 021 055 0546**



## Everyone Welcome - Please support our school

- 3 Different photos will be taken, the additional photos will be available to purchase at a special discount price
- Free photo is a 10"x 13" print of the first pose selected
  - Photos can be either colour or black & white
- A person may only be in one free photo
  - ONE booking per family
  - No refunds on missed appointments