



REIGNIER CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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THE WEEK AHEAD

Friday 11th November

Mass 11am

Baptisms

90th Birthday Celebrations

Blessing Sacred Space

Picnic

Monday 14th November

School Athletics Years 3-6

UPCOMING EVENTS

Tuesday 29th November

Interscholar Athletics

Wednesday 30th

November—Friday 2nd

December

Year 3/4 Camp

Wednesday 7th December

Year 6 Leavers Dinner

Thursday 8th December

*Year 5/6 Feast Day @ Guthrie
Smith*

Thursday 15 December

Last Day of Term 4

Tena Koutou Katoa

Greetings Everyone

TERM 1 2017 DATES

School will begin on Monday 30th January and the term will finish on 13th April – Easter weekend.

MATHLETICS COMPETITION

Congratulations to our teams who performed well. Two teams received bronze awards and one team received a silver award.

Reignier 1 (Molly Cardwell-Dray, Zara Sheard and Ben Graney) and Reignier 3 (Sasha Ward, Alisa Onuma and Sophia Wilton) received Bronze awards.

Reignier 2 (Harry Unwin, Ruby Lo and Ethan Boyd) received a Silver award.

90TH CELEBRATION

On Friday we will be having a triple celebration at school, primarily to commemorate 90 years of the school being open on this site. We will begin by celebrating Mass at St Mary's at 11am, at which we will join the Jones family in baptising the twins Scarlett and Emma. Following Mass we will come back to school and Father will bless the Sacred Space and officially open it. A picnic on the grass will complete the celebration. We invite everyone who wishes to join us to be a part of our special day. If the weather doesn't permit we will have an indoor picnic spread around the school. Please come and join us for some or all of the celebrations.

SCHOOL HATS

There are a number of children who don't seem to have their school hats. Please could you check with your child that they have theirs at school, and have a hunt at home for any that are missing. Thank you. We really want to be able to keep your child sun safe at school this term.

NEW PARENT MORNING TEA

On Friday 18th November we will be having a New Parent morning tea in the staffroom at 9am for all new parents, prospective parents and for established parents who wish to join us. The purpose is to mix and mingle, ask any questions and receive some information about children new to school, and what it means to be in a Catholic school. Please feel free to come along.

Ma te Atua koutou e tiaki

God bless you all

Julia Johnson

THIS WEEK'S PARISH NEWS...

www.copon.org.nz



ALTAR SERVERS

Sunday 13th November 9am Mass: Thomas Cacho-Bevin, Caleb Marwick, Oliver Marwick

Sunday 13th November 5pm Mass: Kate O'Connor, Sasha Ward, Emma Harvey

GENERAL NEWS...

LOST AT GALA A Gerber Knife. If you have information about this please contact the school office.

TEAM KERERU ASSEMBLY

Room 10 will be leading our Team Kereru assembly this Friday 11th November at 9am.



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	Gabrysia van Asch Lucas Collings Nevaeh Batten	For being super-helpful in Room 1 For amazing effort in Writing For improved self control at mat time
Room 1A	St Veronica	Beau Lepelaars Aaron Lo	For showing kindness to others For focus at Reading time
Room 3	St Mary McKillop	Luke Trower Luca Humphrey Thomas Chang Ben Jackson Claudia Jones Olivia McNaught	For a fabulous Saints story For great Maths thinking For working with focus in Reading For a fabulous effort in Writing For marvellous Maths thinking For independent thinking
Room 5	St Gerard	Sophia Unwin Tara Labat	For always being a kind and caring class member For showing fantastic focus in class and a great attitude to her learning
Room 6	St Francis	Brian Sadakorn Kayline Thomson	For his wonderful acting skill and great expression in his script reading For always trying her best and for being kind to others
Room 8	St Anne	Liam Reilly Chelsea Goldfinch-Green	For showing outstanding catching skills in PE For fantastic perseverance in Maths leading to awesome progress in Maths knowledge
Room 9	St Bridget	Sara Takahashi Helena Mills Kate O'Connor Gaku Takahashi	For fabulous progress in Maths thinking For fabulous progress in Maths For her focus and positive attitude towards learning For fabulous progress in Reading
Room 10	St John Bosco	Molly Cardwell-Dray Hannah Rich Anna Mildon	For consistently producing learning to excellent standards For persisting on learning when it is challenging!!! For her positive attitude and willingness to always try her best

TEAM PIWAKAWAKA ASSEMBLY

Room 1 will be leading our Team Piwakawaka assembly this Friday 11th November at 12.30pm.

THIS WEEK'S SPORTING NEWS...

SCHOOL ATHLETICS DAY YEARS 3-6

This is happening on **Monday 14th November**.

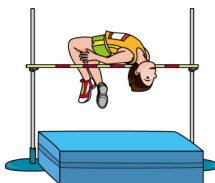
The children are allowed to wear house colours to school for this event.

All children (except our 7 year olds) will be competing in an age group as of their age on 29th November (Inter-School date).

Please see below the timetable for the day.

2016 YEARS 3-6 INTER-HOUSE ATHLETICS DAY DRAW: MONDAY 14TH NOVEMBER

TIME:	LONG RUN	LONG JUMP	SPRINTS & THROW	HIGH JUMP
9.20am	7 years 250m 11 years 600m	8 years	9 years 70m	10 years
10.10am	10 years 400m	7 years 11 years	8 years 60m	9 years
11am	Break	Break	Break	Break
11.25am	9 years 300m	10 years	7 years 50m 11 years 100m	8 years
12.10pm	8 years 300m	9 years	10 years 80m	7 Years 11 years
1pm	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
2pm	House relay x 1 Year 3 girl, x 1 Year 4 boy etc - 8 children in each race House leaders to organise! Class relays – Room 9 vs Room 10 vs Room 5 (Year 5's) Room 9 vs Room 10 (Year 6's) Room 6 vs Room 5 vs Room 8 (year 4's) Room 6 vs Room 8 (year 3's) 2 boys/2girls per race. Teachers, Parents v Year 6 Students			



BASKETBALL—TERM 4

Results from last week;

Year 1/2

Reignier **Stars** beat TPS Cowboys 18-10. POD—Alex Chapman

Reignier **Rockets** beat TPS Magic.

Reignier **Turbos** lost TPS Breakers 20-28. POD—Sam White

Reignier **Shooters** beat TPS Raiders 26-6. POD—Riley Kelsen

Year 3/4

Reignier **Breakers** beat AMS Metro 24-6. POD—Georgia Halpin

Reignier **Lakers** beat GMS Raptors 17-16. POD—Sophia Unwin

Reignier **Heat** beat AMS Jets 28-4. POD's—The whole team

Reignier **Hawks** Lost to GMS Warriors 19-37. POD—Rose Jones

Reignier **Thunder** lost to AMS Raptors 26-40. POD's—Lachie Ward and Troy Sayer

Reignier **Bulls** lost GMS Rockets 3-10. POD—Jake Coffin

Year 5/6

Reignier **Saints** beat Tamatea Nicks 33-22. POD—Harry Unwin

Reignier **Hornets** beat Porritt Panthers 32-22. POD—Alivia O'Shea and Zara Sheard

Reignier **Spurs** lost to Porritt Pumas 34-36. POD—Abbie Gardiner

Basketball Draw for Thursday 10th November

Year 1/2

Reignier **Stars** vs TPS Magic at 3.30pm – Court 3b

Reignier **Rockets** vs GMS Sharks at 3.30pm – Court 3c

Reignier **Turbos** vs GMS Raiders at 3.30pm – Court 3

Reignier **Shooters** vs GMS Bullets at 3.30pm – Court 1b

Could the coaches of the Year 1/2 teams please email Mr J the result and Player of the Day after each game to bjenyms@reignier.school.nz so the results can be put in the newsletter each week.

Year 3/4

Reignier **Breakers** vs Reignier **Bulls** 4.30pm – Court 1c

Reignier **Lakers** vs Porritt Stingers at 5pm – Court 1c

Reignier **Heat** vs Clive Purple at 5pm – Court 1

Reignier **Hawks** vs Puketapu Yellow at 4.30pm – Court 3c

Reignier **Thunder** vs Team X at 4pm – Court 2

Year 5/6

Reignier **Saints** vs Tamatea Pistons at 6.30pm – Court 1

Reignier **Hornets** vs Clive Red at 6pm – Court 3b

Reignier **Spurs** vs Porritt Pumas at 5.30pm – Court 3

CRICKET TERM 4 YEARS 3-6

Year 3/4

Reignier Stags and Reignier Black Caps - Games abandoned due to rain

Year 5/6

1st 11 **beat** Onekawa 114 – 58. POD's—Abbie Gardiner (bowling) and Jacob Cotter (batting)

2nd 11 **lost** to Napier Central 55 – 91. POD's—Sophie Gouder (bowling) and Ethan Boyd (batting)

Draw for this week: Mr J will hand out the draw to all cricket players when it becomes available this week.

1st 11 Cricket Practise

Mr J will be running a practice for the 1st 11 players at school on Wednesdays from 3.15pm – 4.30pm.

2nd 11 players are more than welcome to join the hardball practice after school on Wednesdays as well.

NETBALL TERM 4 YEARS 1-2

Congratulations to the Reignier Magic Player of the day last week—Penny King—well done!

T-BALL TERM 4 YEARS 1-2

Draw for Saturday 12th November: Reignier **Rockets** vs GMS 2 at 10.15am – Tareha Park 6

CONNECTING SCHOOLS NOTICES...



Principal's Assistant

Mrs Lynda Pipe, Principal's Assistant is retiring after 13 years of amazing service. We are now seeking a replacement who will bring a high level of secretarial skills including excellent IT applications. The position requires a welcoming and outgoing personality who will deal with a wide range of people. Embracing our Special Character is also essential to this role. The hours of work are five days per week 8.00am to 4.00pm term time only. Job Description is available on our website and letters of application with CV and two referees to The Principal - sbryan@sacredheartnapier.school.nz. Closing date Monday 23 November.



Sacred Heart College, Napier

Youth Minister

This is an exciting opportunity to sustain and nurture the Catholic Character and spiritual growth of students and staff at Sacred Heart College.

15 hours per week.

Enquiries welcomed by the Principal or letters of application with two referees to The Principal's Secretary, Sacred Heart College, Convent Road, Napier 4110 or email to pr.sec@sacredheartnapier.school.nz

www.sacredheartnapier.school.nz

COMMUNITY NOTICES...

HOUSEKEEPER AVAILABLE... If anyone is looking for a honest and reliable house cleaner please contact Kristi on 027 427 5007.

PLACE TO RENT... A Japanese mother and three children (8yr Boy / 5yr Boy / 3yr Girl) are looking for a house/ large sleep out/ flat to rent between the mid Jan and mid July 2017. Two boys are Reignier students. Please email kana@yotecott.co.nz if you can help.

SNAPSHOTS OF THE WEEK...

SPECIAL AWARD...

ALEK CHOJETA

Has read 10 Roald Dahl books since the middle of Last Term!

Awesome reading
AleK... well done!!!



You can
LEARN,
something new
EVERYDAY
If you
LISTEN

• Play,
* Learn
and
Grow...
Together!

**WORK
HARD,**
and
BE KIND
to each other.



2017 WEET-BIX KIDS TRYATHLON (SWIM, BIKE, RUN)

Dear Parents/Caregivers

Your child has expressed an interest in participating in the 2017 Weet-Bix Kids TRYathlon. This is an event for children 7 years and older. It is taking place on Wednesday 15th February at Frimley Park in Hastings. **Our Year 6 children this year will need to register with their Intermediate School.**

The distances are dependent on the age of your child (see website). The Weet-Bix Kids TRYathlon will start with a swim held in the outdoor pool located at Frimley Pools beside the park. The pool is 50m in length, meaning 7 year olds do one lap, 8-10 year olds do 2 laps and 11 – 15 year olds do 4 laps. The children are generally able to stand-up during the swim, however the organisers do encourage them to swim as much as they can. The run is located in the Frimley Park main field and the bike is around Frimley Park's surrounding roads.

The cost for this event is \$37 (early bird) per child. To ensure you receive an early bird discount, please ensure you have registered by Monday 16th January. All on-line registrations will close on Wednesday 8th February.

Each participant will receive:

- A medal to celebrate participating
- An official Weet-Bix TRYathlon T-shirt
- A complimentary breakfast from the Weet-Bix tent
- The chance to win some awesome spot prizes

Your child can either enter as an individual or as part of a 2 person team. To register your child(ren), please follow the link below as it **will link to Reignier Catholic School** when you register (this link has been emailed with the school newsletter).

<https://registration.tryathlon.co.nz/Home/Event/6/Package/0/Wave/0/Sequence/0/School/143ea00f-5df5-456f-aed9-3350d1338846>

All registrations will be done this way, please do not send in money or registrations forms to school.

A huge thanks to Dean Young, Steve Walling, Emma Sheard, Cyree Hunt and Fiona Conroy who have already offered to help co-ordinate this event for Reignier School. Any other parents who wish to help will be more than welcome! Please indicate on form below and return to Mr Jenyns in Room 10. Help on the day will be vital and will include helping the children get to where they need to be at the park and offering support during the racing.

If you have any questions, please see me ASAP.

Kind regards

Blair Jenyns

2017 Weet-Bix Kids TRYathlon – Parent help note

I will be available to help on the day at the Weet-Bix TRYathlon on Wednesday 15th February.

Name:

Email Address: