



REIGNIER CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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THE WEEK AHEAD

Friday 18th November
New Parent Morning Tea

Monday 21st November
*Yr 3/4 camp meeting for
parents attending 5pm in
staffroom*

UPCOMING EVENTS

Tuesday 29th November
Interschool 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

Last week we celebrated the 90th anniversary of our school being on the current site. We shared Eucharist at Mass with the St Mary's Faith community and then came back to school to open and bless our new Sacred Space. Thank you to all members of the community – parents, grandparents, past pupils who shared the morning with us. It was wonderful to have Meta Conroy join us who was a member of that original group of school children who were enrolled when it opened on 16th May 1926. Thanks to Father Peter for the Mass, baptisms and the blessing.

TERM 1 2017 DATES

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

ATHLETICS DAY

Congratulations to all those children who participated in the Athletics Day on Monday. It was great to see everyone trying so hard and enjoying themselves. Thanks to Mr J for his magnificent organisation of the day. Thanks to the Sacred Heart girls who came along and helped to run the events. Wonderful to catch up with our past pupils. Well done to all those children who qualified for the Interschool Athletics competition which will be held at the Hawkes Bay regional park on Tuesday 29th November. If you have been chosen for this event, you will have received a permission slip from Mr J.

YEAR 6 TRANSITION VISIT TO ST PATS

A reminder to all parents who have Year 6 students enrolled at St Patrick's for 2017 – There will be a transition morning next Thursday 24th November. Parents, please drop your child at St Patrick's at the beginning of the day, and they will be brought back to Reignier during the morning. Please make sure they have some morning tea with them.

NEW PARENT MORNING TEA

This 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.

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.

DENTAL CLINIC

The Dental clinic is operating periodically and children are attending. If you have any concerns about your children attending during school time please contact the dental clinic directly on Ph: 844 7023.

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

THIS WEEK'S PARISH NEWS...

www.copon.org.nz

ALTAR SERVERS

Sunday 20th November 9am Mass: Catriona Williamson, Georgie Chapman, Jake Coffin



The Catholic Parish of Napier
Te Hahi Katorika ki Ahuriri

MISSION STATEMENT

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

CLASS AWARDS—CONGRATULATIONS TO THESE CHILDREN

Room 5	St Gerard	Molly Campbell Tom Halpin	For sharing her excellent learning in Maths For working hard on his speech
Room 6	St Francis	Troy Sayer Layton Hill Maia Signal	For excellent progress in Reading For showing excellent Maths thinking For showing enthusiasm for learning
Room 8	St Anne	Maddy Grams Emma Rich	For fantastic progress in Reading For fantastic progress in Reading comprehension
Room 9	St Bridget	Sasha Ward Ethan Boyd	For making excellent progress in all learning areas For showing great focus in class and a great attitude to his learning
Room 10	St John Bosco	Jack Connolly Abbie Gardiner Maddox Parrish Storey	For making excellent progress in all learning areas For making excellent progress in all learning areas For making excellent progress in all learning areas

Sunday 20th November 5pm Mass: Carter Frame-Tavita, Matthew Eagles

Altar servers please let Mrs Paterson know if you are unavailable for any dates during the next 2-3 months.

GENERAL NEWS...



TEAM KERERU ASSEMBLY

Room 6 will be leading our Team Kereru assembly this Friday 18th November at 9am.

Rooms 5, 9 and 10 will attending Mass this Thursday 17th November at 9.15am.

TEAM PIWAKAWAKA ASSEMBLY

Room 1 will be leading our Team Piwakawaka assembly this Friday 18th November at 12.30pm.

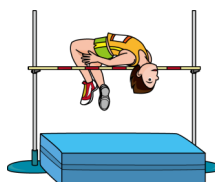
THIS WEEK'S SPORTING NEWS...

ATHLETICS DAY YEARS 3-6—RESULTS

7 Year old Boys 1 st Archie Hollier 2 nd Alek Chojeta 3 rd Harry Cooper	7 Year old Girls 1 st Francesca Pilcher 2 nd Maddy Grams 3 rd Hazel Marwick	8 Year Old Boys 1st Liam Reilly 2nd Archer Ericksen 3rd Lachlan Ward 4th Jyde Low	8 Year Old Girls 1st Bronnie King 2nd Laura Brassington 3rd= Violet Unwin 3rd= Sophia Unwin
9 Year old Boys 1st Oliver Marwick 2nd Iraia Roberts 3rd Lincoln Jeffares 4th Jai Muggleston	9 Year old Girls 1st Pippa Giddens 2nd Molly Campbell 3rd Kate Young 4th Lola Jones	10 Year old Boys 1st Jacob Cotter 2nd Rory O'Mahony 3rd Ben Graney 4th Poutama Watson	10 Year old Girls 1sr=Alisa Onuma 1st=Maddox Parrish Storey 3rd Georgie Chapman 4th Cailin Marlow
11 Year Old Boys 1st Ryan Tantrum 2nd Liam Quinney 3rd Harry Unwin 4th Theo Roberts	11 Year Old Girls 1st= Kate O'Connor 1st=Emily Deihl 3rd Genna Massey 4th Abbie Gardiner	House relay 1 st – Hadlee 2 nd – Devoy 3 rd – Te Kanawa 4 th – Hillary	Class Relays Year 3: Room 8 1st Year 4: Room 5 1st Year 5: Room 9 1st Year 6: Room 10 1st Teachers vs Students vs Parents Race: - Students 1st

HOUSE POINTS

1st – Te Kanawa 384 points, **2nd – Hillary** 370 points, **3rd – Devoy** 350 points, **4th – Hadlee** 349 points



BASKETBALL—TERM 4

Results from last week;

Year 1/2

Reignier **Stars** beat TPS Magic 24-8. POD—Saoirse Quinn
Reignier **Rockets** vs GMS Sharks - No result given
Reignier **Turbos** tied with GMS Raiders 20-20. POD—Daniyal Sheikh
Reignier **Shooters** lost to GMS Bullets. POD—Ben Reilly

Year 3/4

Reignier **Breakers** beat Reignier **Bulls**. POD's—Liam Reilly (Breakers) and Serah Fernando (Bulls)
Reignier **Lakers** beat Porritt Stingers 24-2. POD—Violet Unwin
Reignier **Heat** beat Clive Purple 28-23. POD—Maia Signal
Reignier **Hawks** lost to Puketapu Yellow. POD—Ethan Macintosh
Reignier **Thunder** beat AMS Lakers 21-16. POD—Dylan Rae and Archer Ericksen

Year 5/6

Reignier **Saints** beat Tamatea Pistons 38-37. POD—Max Signal
Reignier **Hornets** beat Clive Red 17-16. POD—Ethan Boyd
Reignier **Spurs** lost to Porritt Pumas 35-39. POD—Tom Halpin

Basketball Draw for Thursday 17th November

Year 1/2

Reignier **Stars** vs Reignier **Rockets** at 3.30pm – Court 3c
Reignier **Turbos** vs GMS Sharks at 3.30pm – Court 3
Reignier **Shooters** vs GMS Tigers at 3.30pm – Court 1

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 Clive Black at 4.30pm – Court 2
Reignier **Bulls** vs Puketapu Blue at 4.30pm – Court 1c
Reignier **Hawks** vs Porritt Buzzy Bees at 4.30pm – Court 3c
Reignier **Thunder** vs GMS Kings at 4pm – Court 1b
Reignier **Heat** vs Reignier **Lakers** at 4.30pm – Court 1
Reignier **Lakers** vs AMS Jets at 5pm – Court 1

PLEASE NOTE – Reignier Lakers have 2 games this week!

Year 5/6

Reignier **Saints** vs AMS Breakers at 5.30pm – Court 1
Reignier **Hornets** vs GMS Magic at 6pm – Court 3b
Reignier **Spurs** vs TPS Warriors at 5pm – Court 3b

CRICKET TERM 4 YEARS 3-6

Year 3/4

Reignier **Black Caps** beat Napier Marist. POD's—Dylan Rae (bowling) and Max Fysh, Hunter Carew (batting)
Reignier **Stags** lost to Onekawa by 4 runs. POD's—Noah Onuma and Liam Reilly

Year 5/6

1st 11 beat Porritt 117-60. POD's—Harry Campbell (batting) and Jack Walling (bowling)
2nd 11 beat AMS 127-51. POD's—Mikhail Sheikh (bowling) and Archer Ericksen (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—Minudi Wickramarathna—well done!

T-BALL TERM 4 YEARS 1-2

Sat 5th: Reignier beat AMS. POD—Ben Jackson
Sat 12th: Reignier beat GMS. POD—Taylor Marsh

Special congratulations to Addison Marple who played for GMS as they were short.

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.

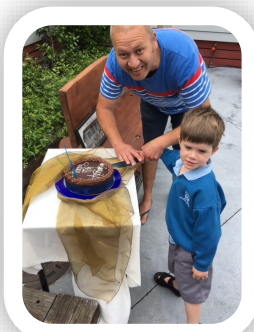
PLACE TO RENT...A Japanese mother and three children (8yr Boy / 5yr Boy / 3yr Girl) are looking for a house/ large sleep out/ flat to rent between the mid Jan and mid July 2017. Two boys are Reignier students. Please email kana@yottecott.co.nz if you can help.

PLACE TO RENT..."Mature couple with son attending Year 2 in January at Reignier are looking for permanent or short term accommodation (House sitting). Prefer Taradale or Greenmeadows. Can provide excellent references on request. Please contact Gerard on gdblitz@gmail.com.

HEATHER BRUNSDON SCHOOL OF DANCE presents Kaleidoscope of Dance and The Mad Hatter and Friends. Napier Municipal Theatre Saturday 19th November at 1:00pm and 5:30pm. Tickets available from Ticketek or the theatre box office.

SNAPSHOTS OF THE WEEK...

**SACRED SPACE BEING OFFICIALLY
BLESSED & OPENED!!!**



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

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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: