



# REIGNIER CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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## THE WEEK AHEAD

Wednesday 22nd March  
*Battle of the Books*

Friday 24th March  
*St Joseph's Day Celebrations*

## UPCOMING EVENTS

Thursday 13th April  
*Holy Thursday*  
*End of Term 1*

Tena Koutou Katoa  
Greetings Everyone

## ANZAC SPEECHES

Congratulations to Callia Murfin and Pippa Giddens who recited speeches at the ANZAC competition. Both spoke magnificently and were rewarded for their efforts with a book voucher, a badge and a certificate.

## SWIMMING SPORTS

Congratulations to all our competitors who swam their little hearts out on Thursday. We were very proud of the way everyone participated. A special congratulations to those placed in their events. The results are detailed further in the newsletter.

## BATTLE OF THE BOOKS

This Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> March a team of our literacy experts will be battling it out in a literacy quiz at Taradale Intermediate. We wish Keisha Massey, Elise d'Arbois, Maggie Cooper and Lola Jones good luck and good reading! We also thank Theo d'Arbois our community expert for his help and expertise. Theo has come in and coached the team over the last few weeks.

## ST JOSEPH'S DAY

We begin the day on Friday with Mass at 9.15am. This will be followed by the welcoming powhiri (welcoming ceremony) on the junior field at 10am approximately. We really encourage our existing families to join the Tangata whenua to welcome in our new parents and learners. We will be especially welcoming Amy Lee, our new Deputy Principal. After the powhiri (welcoming ceremony), the staff and parents are all invited to the staffroom for morning tea. The walkathon will begin at 12pm on the school field and the PTA will be providing a sausage sizzle lunch following the walkathon at about 1pm.

## PARKING AT THE FRONT OF THE SCHOOL

As the framing goes up for the new hall, there will be a number of tradesmen needing to access the construction site. We are asking parents to use the area directly in front of the school as a drop off and pick up zone only. If you are intending to park and leave your vehicle, we ask you to find a suitable park further up the road, in Moeller St, Chester St or Burness Rd. Thank you for your consideration.

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

## THIS WEEK'S PARISH NEWS...

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



## ALTAR SERVERS

**Sunday 26th March 9am Mass:** Noel Castelino, Ella Brassington, Thomas Jones, Molly Smith

**Sunday 26th March 5pm Mass:** NO MASS

If your child is interested in becoming an altar server please contact Maree Paterson at school on Ph: 844 2144 or email [mpaterson@reignier.school.nz](mailto:mpaterson@reignier.school.nz)



## YOUTH NEWS

**Next Event:** Carrying the Cross on Good Friday. Starting at St Patrick's in Napier at 9:30am and finishing on the beach by the pier with Fish 'n' Chips! All for \$2!

## 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        | Eliza Nithin<br>Declan Knight          | For being extra helpful in class. Well done!<br>For great 1-1 pointing in Reading                                                  |
| Room 3  | St Mary McKillop | Gabrysia van Asch<br>Rhiannon Jones    | For excellent focus during Writing<br>For excellent work during Maths                                                              |
| Room 2  | St Angela        | Senul Fernando<br>Penny King           | For great effort with his Reading and Writing<br>For contributing great thinking to our communication discussions                  |
| Room 4  | St Therese       | Dirk Blitz<br>Quinn Baylis             | For sharing some good thinking on communication<br>For showing initiative and interest in class activities                         |
| Room 8  | St Thomas Moore  | Daniyal Sheikh<br>Willow Zajonskowski  | For showing excellence in spelling<br>For showing respect by working quietly and with focus                                        |
| Room 6  | St Francis       | Benjamin Sadakorn<br>Campbell Thompson | For working hard to write neatly and thinking about full stops<br>For excellent Maths thinking and for explaining is thinking well |
| Room 7  | St Patrick       | Kate Harvey<br>Jyde Low                | For making very good progress when working on Place Value in Maths<br>For having an excellent attitude to his learning             |
| Room 9  | St Bridget       | Awhina Kaio<br>Poppy Walling           | For showing respect and kindness towards everyone<br>For always having a excellent attitude towards her learning                   |
| Room 10 | St John Bosco    | Rory O'Mahony<br>Iraia Roberts         | For excellent thinking with reading comprehension<br>For excellent thinking with reading comprehension                             |

### **CATHOLIC PARISH OF NAPIER - PASTORAL COUNCIL IS SEEKING A SECRETARY**

The Parish Pastoral Council is entering an exciting time with the implementation of the Parish Strategic Plan. To support our work, we are looking for a secretary. The main task of the Pastoral Council secretary is to take the minutes of the monthly Pastoral Council meetings. Other tasks and conditions (payment) are negotiable. If you have the skills and are available for this role or if you have any questions, please contact the Parish Secretary on 844 2224, or [secretarycpn@gmail.com](mailto:secretarycpn@gmail.com).

### **CONFIRMATION**

This Sacrament is for anyone who is a Baptised Catholic, aged 15 years or old (exceptions may apply) and keen to grow in their relationship with Christ. Enquire with the Parish office of Napier or Hastings or their Youth Coordinators. Applications close on 23rd April.

### **ST VINCENT DE PAUL—SHOP MOVE**

Thanks to the 10 Boys from St John's College, 6 Girls from Sacred Heart College and the adults involved in this. I'd also like to acknowledge all those who also wanted to help but had other commitments or were unwell. Thanks Chris Marwick.

### **YOUTH BAND**

St Thomas More warmly welcomed the band when they celebrated mass with them at 8am on Sunday. So many people approached band members and myself afterwards thanking them for filling the church with vibrant sounds. One parishioner commenting "It really lifted us" and another said "we were really excited you were coming!" Thanks to all those band members that managed to turn up. Please seriously consider joining, if only for one year. This ministry is so important for the life of the parish and our youth. If God has blessed you with the gift/talent to play an instrument or sing then it is only fitting you use it in building up the Body of Christ. Please contact me if you would like to join. We need all instruments, including guitarists and vocalists. Thanks Chris Marwick.

## **GENERAL NEWS...**



### **ROAD PATROL**

Attention all school parents/grandparents/caregivers the road patrollers desperately need your help with road patrol supervision. If you are able to donate some time to our fantastic school please consider this really important job. Training will be given. The following times are still available: Thursday and Friday afternoons 2:45-3:15pm, Starting asap. Please see Debra in Room 9 or the office.

### **TEAM KERERU ASSEMBLY**

**No** Assembly this week due to it being St Joseph's Day.

### **TEAM PIWAKAWAKA ASSEMBLY**

**No** Assembly this week due to it being St Joseph's Day.

## **THIS WEEK'S SPORTING NEWS...**

Please can ALL coaches of each sports team email the results and player of the day to Margo Harvey [sportadmin@reignier.school.nz](mailto:sportadmin@reignier.school.nz) after each game so the results can be published in the newsletter each week. These need to be emailed through to Margo by Sunday night.

## **BASKETBALL**

*Results from last week;*

### ***Year 1/2***

Reignier **Stars** vs GMS Bullets—No Result

### ***Year 3/4***

Reignier **Lakers** vs Porritt Stingers—Lost 11-17. POD—Dylan Rae

Reignier **Hawks** vs Porritt Hornets—Lost. POD—Campbell Thompson

Reignier **Thunder** vs AMS Thunder—Lost 20-30. POD—Claudia Jones

Reignier **Heat** – GMS Warriors—No Result

### ***Year 5/6***

Reignier **Saints** vs Reignier Spurs—Won 18-8. POD—Whole Team

Reignier **Hornets** vs Tamatea Jazz—No Result

Reignier **Spurs** vs Reignier Saints—Lost 8-18. POD—Sara Takahashi

Reignier **Breakers** vs AMS Celtics—Lost 8-25. POD—Lola Jones & Pippa Giddens

## ***Basketball Draw for this Thursday 23rd March***

### ***Year 1/2***

Reignier **Stars** vs TP Raiders at 3.30pm—PGA1B

### ***Year 3/4***

Reignier **Lakers** vs Porritt Stingers at 3.30pm—PGA3C

Reignier **Hawks** vs Tamatea Pistons at 4.30pm—PGA3C

Reignier **Thunder** vs AMS Thunder at 3.30pm—PGA3B

Reignier **Heat** vs TP Snipers at 4.00pm—PGA3C

### ***Year 5/6***

Reignier **Saints** vs Reignier Spurs at 7.00pm—PGA1

Reignier **Hornets** vs AMS Saints at 6.30pm—PGA1

Reignier **Spurs** vs Reignier Saints at 7.00pm—PGA1

Reignier **Breakers** vs Clive Blue at 5.30pm—PGA1

## **CRICKET**

### ***Cricket Results from Friday 17<sup>th</sup> and Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> March;***

Reignier **Stags** vs Nelson Park Rebels—Lost 60-59. Fielder of the Day—Essex Page, Batter of the Day—Max Fysh

Reignier **Black Caps** v Nelson Park Rockets—Lost by 2 runs. Batter of the Day—Lance Hunt, Fielder of the Day—Molly Smith

Reignier **IX** vs GMS B—Won 82/3-82/8. Bowler of the Day—Hunter Carew, Batter of the Day—Jacob Cotter, Fielder of the Day—Archer Ericksen

### ***Cricket Draw for this Friday 24<sup>th</sup> and Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> March***

The draw will be out later in the week.

Year 5/6 **Reignier XI** - The two players standing down for this week's game are Hunter Carew & Archer Ericksen.

## **HOCKEY – TERM 2**

Trials for the Year 5/6 hockey teams are going to be held on Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> March from 3.30– 4.15pm at Arthur Miller School – Guppy Road. Please be changed and ready to go at 3.30pm with your stick, shin pads and mouth guard.

## **T-BALL**

Result from last week—Reignier **Rockets** vs GMS 1—Won 23-19. POD—Reef Parrish-Storey

**Draw for this week Saturday 25th March**—Reignier **Rockets** vs St Pats 2—Tareha 6—9am—Playing for 1st and 2nd Place—Good Luck!

Please note after the game there will be a short prize giving for the end of the season.

## **PTA NEWS...**

### **WALKATHON**

The PTA annual walkathon is to be held this Friday 24th March following our St Joseph Day celebrations. This years theme is 'Mad Hatters'. Children will be able to bring along a creative hat to school to put on with their house colours, after the Mass and Powhiri (welcoming ceremony) take place. A named sponsorship form has been sent home with every child. Please support your child in getting sponsorship/donations from family and friends. **The money raised from this years' walkathon will go towards a new Senior Playground for the school!!!!**The PTA will provide a sausage sizzle (1 per child), an apple, and an ice-block for lunch. Remember to pack additional lunch items should your child need more than this. If you can help on the day, please leave your name at the office. Everyone welcome.

## THIS WEEK'S SPORTING NEWS CONTINUED...

### YEARS 3-6 SWIMMING SPORTS RESULTS

Congratulations to all the children that participated in the Swimming Sports last Thursday. Your swimming was amazing and you were fantastic at supporting and cheering on your fellow team mates. Well Done!! A big thanks to all the parents who helped with the timekeeping – it was much appreciated.

**Overall House Points: 1<sup>st</sup> Hillary (240 points), 2<sup>nd</sup> Devoy (209 points), 3<sup>rd</sup> Te Kanawa (198 points), 4<sup>th</sup> Hadlee (169 points).**

*Congratulations to the following children:*

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| <b>7 Year Old Girls – Flutterboard Front</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Olivia McNaught<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Stephanie Powell<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Willow Zajonskowski | <b>7 Year Old Boys – Flutterboard Front</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Jeamin Yang<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Luca Humphrey<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Benjamin Sadakorn    | <b>7 Year Old Girls – Flutterboard Back</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Minudi Win<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Willow Zajonskowski<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Raven Lawton        | <b>7 Year Old Boys – Flutterboard Back</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Ben Jackson<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Connor Stevenson<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Jeamin Yang         |
| <b>7 Year Old Girls – Freestyle Width</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Freya Doolan<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Hazel Marwick<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Greer Dooney                 | <b>7 Year Old Boys – Freestyle Width</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Ben Jackson<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Connor Stevenson<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Dylan Mabry          | <b>7 Year Old Girls – Backstroke Width</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Ava Gleeson<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Freya Doolan<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Greer Dooney               | <b>7 Year Old Boys – Backstroke Width</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Ben Jackson<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Connor Stevenson<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Braith Carew         |
| <b>7 Year Old Girls – Freestyle Length</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Milla Koenigsberger<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Ava Gleeson<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Aaliah Hamilton        | <b>7 Year Old Boys – Freestyle Length</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Sam Rich<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Sam White<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Xavier Labat                  | <b>7 Year Old Girls – Backstroke Length</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Milla Koenigsberger<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Claudia Jones                                     | <b>7 Year Old Boys – Backstroke Length</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Sam White<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Harry Cooper<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Tamati Madden             |
| <b>7 Year Old Boys – Breaststroke Length</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Same Rich<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Ben Coffin<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Harry Cooper                    | <b>8 Year Old Girls/Boys – Flutterboard Front</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Ying Yi Yang<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Kanata Araki<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Natalie Fu     | <b>8 Year Old Girls – Freestyle Width</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Natalie Crabtree<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Esther Jardine<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Ying Yi Yang         | <b>8 Year Old Boys – Freestyle Width</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Lachie Ward<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Max Fysh<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> = Essex Page & Callum Sheard  |
| <b>8 Year Old Girls – Backstroke Width</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Natalie Crabtree<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Esther Jardine<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Ying Yi Yang           | <b>8 Year Old Boys – Backstroke Width</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Lachie Ward<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> = Alek Chojeta & Max Fysh                               | <b>8 Year Old Boys – Breaststroke Width</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Lachie Ward<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Lucas Palmer<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Callum Sheard             | <b>8 Year Old Girls – Freestyle Length</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Kelly Kimble<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Maddie Grams<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Francesca Pilcher      |
| <b>8 Year Old Boys – Freestyle Length</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Archie Hollier<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Liam Reilly<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Noah Onuma                   | <b>8 Year Old Girls – Backstroke Length</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Kelly Kimble<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Maddie Grams<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Bronnie King         | <b>8 Year Old Boys – Backstroke Length</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Noah Onuma<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Archie Hollier<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Dylan Rae                 | <b>8 Year Old Girls – Breaststroke Length</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Rose Jones<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Kelly Kimble<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Francesca Pilcher     |
| <b>8 Year Old Boys – Breaststroke Length</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Jyde Low<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Liam Reilly<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Noah Onuma                      | <b>9 Year Old Girls – Flutterboard Front</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Kayline Thomson<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Brooklyn Gill-Avison                             | <b>9 Year Old Boys – Flutterboard Front</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Layton Hill<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Troy Sayer<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Brian Sadakorn              | <b>9 Year Old Girls – Freestyle Width</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Kayline Thomson<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Brooklyn Gill-Avison                                 |
| <b>9 Year Old Boys – Freestyle Width</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Layton Hill<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Brian Sadakorn<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Hunter Carew                  | <b>9 Year Old Girls – Backstroke Width</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Molly Smith                                                                           | <b>9 Year Old Boys – Backstroke Width</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> George Briggs<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Hunter Carew<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Wylliam Overend           | <b>9 Year Old Girls – Breaststroke Width</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Laura Brassington<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Adalyn Homan<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Serah Fernando  |
| <b>9 Year Old Boys – Breaststroke Width</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Jake Coffin<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Hunter Carew                                                 | <b>9 Year Old Girls – Freestyle Length</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Poppy Walling<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Ava Koenigsberger<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Tara Labat      | <b>9 Year Old Boys – Freestyle Length</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Iraia Roberts<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Lincoln Jeffares<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Oliver Marwick        | <b>9 Year Old Girls – Backstroke Length</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Ava Koenigsberger<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Poppy Walling<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Sophia Unwin    |
| <b>9 Year Old Boys – Backstroke Length</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Iraia Roberts<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Lincoln Jeffares<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Oliver Marwick          | <b>9 Year Old Girls – Breaststroke Length</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Ava Koenigsberger<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Poppy Walling<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Ruby Haworth | <b>9 Year Old Boys – Breaststroke Length</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Iraia Roberts<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Lincoln Jeffares<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Archer Ericksen    | <b>10/11 Year Old Girls – Freestyle Length</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Kate Young<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Molly Campbell<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Maggie Cooper      |
| <b>10/11 Year Old Boys – Freestyle Length</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Jacob Cotter<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Manasa Young<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Tom Halpin                | <b>10/11 Year Old Girls – Backstroke Length</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Kate Young<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Molly Campbell<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Maggie Cooper    | <b>10/11 Year Old Boys – Backstroke Length</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Jacob Cotter<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Jack Walling<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Manasa Young          | <b>10/11 Year Old Girls – Breaststroke Length</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Kate Young<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Claudia Crichton<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Maggie Cooper |
| <b>10/11 Year Old Boys – Breaststroke Length</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Jacob Cotter<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Jack Walling<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Rory O'Mahony          | <b>House Relay – 7 &amp; 8 Year Olds</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Hillary<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Devoy<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Te Kanawa<br>4 <sup>th</sup> Hadlee | <b>House Relay – 9,10 &amp; 11 Year Olds</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Hillary<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Hadlee<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Te Kanawa<br>4 <sup>th</sup> Devoy |                                                                                                                                                      |

## COMMUNITY NOTICES...

**HAWKE'S BAY NETBALL** are looking for 8-10 people interested in an 8 week Junior Coordinator coaching role for the Year 3 & 4 Junior Programme in Hastings and Napier. If you or you know someone who are interested in earning some extra cash during term 2 and have a passion for netball this maybe the position for you. You must be reliable, confident and have basic knowledge of netball. You MUST also be available for the full 8 week period. Full training is provided prior to the programme and there will be ongoing support throughout the eight weeks. Please see attachment flyer for newsletters, we would appreciate getting the word out. If you are interested please contact Tracy Crichton, Junior Co-ordinator, Hawke's Bay Netball on 06 650 1627 or 022 029 1978 or email [juniornetball@hbnetball.co.nz](mailto:juniornetball@hbnetball.co.nz)

NEW TO LUNCHONLINE...  
PITA PIT ON THURSDAYS!!!



YOUR SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAMME

Heavens Bakery – Wednesdays & Fridays  
Pita Pit - Thursdays

SUPPORTING YOUR SCHOOL'S FUNDRAISING



# SNAPSHOTS OF THE WEEK...



DISCOVERY...  
A TIME TO  
EXPLORE, LEARN &  
HAVE FUN!

