



REIGNIER CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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THE WEEK AHEAD

Wednesday 25th October

*Year 5—Kapa Haka
Performance at Taradale
Intermediate at 6.30pm*

Thursday 26th October

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Saturday 28th October

School Gala at 11am

UPCOMING EVENTS

Monday 30th October—Friday

3rd November

*Camp Kaitawa—Year 6
Safe Cycling—Year 5*

Monday 6th—Friday 10th

November

*Camp Kaitawa—Year 5
Safe Cycling—Year 6*

Wednesday 29th November—

Friday 1st December

Year 3/4 Camps

Tuesday 12th December

*School Prizegiving 6pm at
St Mary's Church*

Thursday 14th December

*Last Day of Term 4
Final Mass 11am at
St Mary's Church*

Tena Koutou Katoa

Greetings Everyone

We warmly welcome the following new entrants who started last week—Hunter Reilly, Talon Lawton, San Maria Shijo, Isla Carew and Chenhao Zhao and their families to Reignier.

The Church celebrates All Saints Day on Wednesday 1st November and commemorates all the Faithfully Departed (All Souls Day) on Thursday 2nd. Mass times will be advertised in the Parish newsletter this week.

There will be no pupils attending Mass this week, due to a funeral on Thursday. This will be at 11am instead of the usual 9.15am Mass.

Congratulations to Sacred Heart College for celebrating their 150th Jubilee over the weekend. We have heard so many really positive comments on how the weekend went. It was great to see so many past staff and pupils from all over the country back in town to celebrate.

NEW ENTRANTS

If you have a child due to start school some time in 2018, and have not officially enrolled them please let the office know so we can firm up our numbers for next year. It is wonderful to see so many preschoolers running around the school and we are excited about our future rolls, however we are not altogether sure how old they are. Come in and grab an enrolment form, even if they are a couple of years off starting.

GALA

Thanks for all the donation of goods over the weekend. Keep the goods rolling in.

We look forward to seeing you all at the Gala on Saturday. If you can help in any way, please let us know. It's so much fun being involved.

GALA! GALA! GALA! **SATURDAY 28th OCTOBER 2017!**

This is our school's biggest fundraiser for the year and your support is crucial.

If you have any business or corporate contacts that you think may help with sponsorship please contact Duane Coffin on Ph: 021 191 1328 or the school office.

Donations for gala can be dropped into trolleys or at the school office.
Any queries please contact the office.

Please note it's not **TOO LATE** to bring in any of the countdown items listed on the countdown flyer:
GROCERY ITEM, LUCKY DIP ITEM, MYSTERY ENVELOPE, \$10 DONATION TOWARDS CHICKENS/MEAT PACKS, MYSTERY BOTTLE & RAFFLE WHEEL PRIZES!!!

KAPA HAKA

We wish our Year 5's and Mrs Smith a great week of performances at the Kapa Haka festival. A big thanks to those year 6 leaders who are helping out – Poutama Watson, Maggie Cooper and Pippa Giddens. The Year 5's will be performing on Wednesday and Thursday evening from 6.30pm at Taradale Intermediate.

KERERU TEAM ATHLETICS

These will be completed tomorrow as long as the weather delivers what it has promised. We will begin again at 9.30am from where we left off last week. We should be done and dusted by lunchtime if all goes according to plan. All are welcome to come along and support.

MISSION STATEMENT

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

YEAR 6 CAMP

We wish our Year 6 cohort a safe and memorable week next week at Lake Waikaremoana. We know that they will embrace all the new experiences that come their way and have a great time.

TERM 4 UNIFORM

Unless you are waiting for new uniform which has been ordered, all children will now be expected to wear summer uniform, including hats.

Ma te Atua koutou e tiaki

God bless you all.

Julia Johnson

THIS WEEK'S PARISH NEWS...

www.copon.org.nz



ALTAR SERVERS

Sunday 29th October 9am Mass: Noel Castellino, Jake Coffin

Sunday 29th October 5pm Mass: Caleb Marwick, Oliver Marwick

GENERAL NEWS...

POSITIVE NORM

Setting Up Positive Norms in Maths Class

Every 3 weeks the whole school will be focussing on one positive message that encourages Maths in the classroom

Depth Is Much More Important Than Speed

During Maths we no longer need students to just be able to compute fast.

We also need them to think deeply, connect methods, reason, and justify!

TEAM KERERU ASSEMBLY

NO ASSEMBLY this week due to the hall being in use for Gala.

TEAM PIWAKAWAKA ASSEMBLY

NO ASSEMBLY this week due the hall being in use for Gala.

THIS WEEK'S SPORTING NEWS...

Please remember by signing your child up to play in a team you have committed to the whole season. If for any reason your child can not make a game please let your coach know in plenty of time.

Please can ALL coaches of each sports team of each code email the results and player of the day to Margo Harvey 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

Draw for this Thursday 26th October;

Year 1/2

Reignier **Stars** vs TP Raiders 1 at 3.30pm—PGA1B

Reignier **Heat** vs TP Raiders 2 at 3.30pm—PGA2

Reignier **Thunder** vs GMS Sharks at 3.30pm—PGA1C

Year 3/4

Reignier **Lakers** vs Clive Pink at 4.00pm—PGA1C

Reignier **Hawks** vs Taradale Bulls at 4.30pm—PGA1B

Year 5/6

Reignier **Saints** vs TP Titans 2 at 6.00pm—PGA2

Reignier **Hornets** vs AMS Giants at 5.30pm—PGA1

You can also find the Draw on Basketball Hawkes Bay's website www.basketballhawkesbay.co.nz

CRICKET—TERM 4

Year 3/4 – There's no draw yet for this week but cricket **starts this Friday 27th October** at Nelson Park at 3.30pm.

Year 5/6 cricket starts on Saturday 4th November – **game venue and time to be advised.**

NETBALL

Draw for this Thursday 26th October;

Year 1/2

Reignier **Stars** vs GMS Swift at 3.45pm—ONC4A

You can also find the Draw on HB Netball's website www.hawkesbaynetball.co.nz

SUMMER HOCKEY

Draw for this Wednesday 25th October;

Year 1/2

Summer **Funsticks** starts **next Wednesday 1st November 4-5pm** at Park Island

Year 3/4

Reignier **Magic** vs Chicks with Sticks at 4.45pm—Cape Physio C

Year 5/6

Reignier **Steel** vs The Six Squad at 5.30pm—Big Save 2

Reignier **Rebels** vs St Pats Slick Sticks at 4.45pm—Big Save 2

You can also find the Draw on HB Hockey's website www.hbhockey.org.nz

PTA NEWS...

ABACUS FUNDRAISER –ORDERING 2017

Order forms have been sent home for purchasing Abacus Calendars, Cards, Diaries, Notepads and Mouse Mats. The children's amazing creations can be viewed in their classrooms, or you can submit your own photo following the instructions on the order form. The products are very professional and make great gifts or keepsakes.

We appreciate your support with this fundraiser. Payments can be made by cash/cheque or Eftpos. **Please make cheques payable to Reignier School. All order forms completed IN FULL are to be returned by this Friday 27th October in a sealed envelope to your child's teacher.** If you are ordering for more than one child and wish to write just one cheque, please submit separate order forms to each child's teacher and include the cheque for the total amount with the oldest students order. If you have any queries please phone Leah Ericksen 021 113 7551. Thank you.

GALA...CAKES! CAKES! CAKES!

Please check your child's bag tomorrow for a flyer about the cake stall, raffles and passports etc and a cake plate for filling and returning on Friday. Thank you.

GALA...STUFF

In order to make gala a success we need your 'stuff'! Please don't think it's too late to bring gala items in. It's also not too late to bring in items from the countdown flyer. **We are in desperate need of CHOCOLATES for wheel prizes!** Thank you for your continued support.

PLEASE SUPPORT OUR
MAJOR FUNDRAISER FOR
THE YEAR!!!
HUGE THANKS TO ALL
OUR MAJOR
SPONSORS...YOUR
CONTINUED GENEROSITY
& SUPPORT IS AMAZING!!!





IT'S GALA TIME!



Reignier Catholic School Gala

Saturday 28th October 11am



HOW CAN YOU HELP ON GALA DAY???

We ask **each family** to fill out the slip below and return to the school office by **Friday 8th September**. **Every** family that returns a slip, their child(ren) will receive a **token** into the weekly gala token draw.

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I can give you some time to help set up on the day before the Gala—
Friday 27th October

Yes/No

I am happy to help sort donations in the week(s) PRIOR to Gala

Yes/No

I am able to help on THE DAY

Yes/No

I am interested in helping on the _____ stall

If you have worked on a stall before, please indicate if you would like
to do it again

Yes/No

Comments/Notes:

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I'm happy to have my contact number given to the Gala Committee

Yes/No

Name: _____ Contact Number: _____

Any questions please contact Michelle Reilly (Mum to Liam & Ben) 021 705 385 or
Amanda Rich (Mum to Emma & Sam) 021 072 2221.

OVER THE NEXT FEW WEEKS ANY AMOUNT OF TIME YOU CAN
GIVE TO HELPING WITH GALA IS GREATLY APPRECIATED.
THANK YOU!



PLEASE KEEP THIS FLYER ON YOUR FRIDGE TO REMIND YOU OF EACH WEEK'S ITEM!



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Each family is asked to donate six items over a six week period to assist with the gala stalls. To cater for everyone, this year we are giving families the option of making a **one off donation** instead of bringing in an item each week. If you wish to donate to the value of the items listed below, please complete the slip at the bottom of this flyer.

This is our school's main fundraising event so everybody's help is greatly appreciated.



| Date: | Items Required: |
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| 28 th August – 1 st September Week 1 |  GROCERY ITEM AND SWEET STALL Grocery item and a bag of soft lollies or an ingredient for sweet making (cocoa, condensed milk etc). |
| 4 th – 8 th September Week 2 | LUCKY DIP ITEM  Hair Clips, stickers, stationery, toy cars or any other small, new item. |
| 11 th – 15 th September Week 3 |  MYSTERY ENVELOPE A new item suitable for a prize. |
| 18 th – 22 nd September Week 4 | FROZEN CHICKENS/MEAT PRIZES FOR THE WHEEL This year we are asking for a \$10 donation towards purchasing of chickens/meat packs for prizes for the wheel. <i>This is to comply with health and safety regulations.</i>  |
| 25 th – 29 th September Week 5 |  MYSTERY BOTTLE Wine, soft drink, shampoo, chocolate sauce etc. |
| 16 th – 20 th October Week 6 | RAFFLE WHEEL PRIZES  Boxes of chocolates, wine and any goods that would create interest for a good prize. |

NB: Goods can be left in the New World supermarket trolleys around the school.

Please complete this slip and return to the school office along with your cash or cheque (payable to Reignier Catholic School). EFTPOS is also available.

We would like to make a donation of \$_____ to contribute to the 2017 Reignier Catholic School Gala.

Family Name: _____ Classroom(s): _____

Thank you for supporting the PTA. Helping all our children make it!

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Reignier's annual school gala is only 4 school days away so please mark your calendars now. A gala committee has been working hard behind the scenes and now we need some help to provide prizes for stalls, raffles, lucky dips etc.

A flyer was sent home, asking families to donate **one** item each week for the next **six (school)** weeks to help fill our prize quota for stalls. These donations are crucial to our success, so we ask you to read the flyer. Keep it somewhere safe eg on the fridge and please add an item to your weekly shopping list.

We have the option this year for you to make a one off donation if that is easier for your family. If you do opt for this, please ignore the countdown notices in the upcoming newsletters.

Second hand goods you wish to donate such as books, magazines, toys, clothes, linen and crafts, can be bought in anytime and left in the office or in the trolleys around school. Sorry but we cannot accept TV's or computers so please don't bring these in.

The Gala Countdown Has Begun...

This week's item ANY ITEM YOU HAVE MISSED OFF THE COUNTDOWN FLYER... IT'S NOT TOO LATE!

Items can be dropped to the office or put straight in to the supermarket trolley's that are around the school.

Please remember items do not need to be expensive - just new. Many unbranded products are less than \$2 and looking through the cupboards often also locates suitable things!

Thank you and God Bless, The Gala Committee

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