



REIGNIER CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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THE WEEK AHEAD

**Monday 30th October—Friday
3rd November**

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

UPCOMING EVENTS

**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

Our thoughts and prayers are with the Quinney family and the Johnson family at this sad time. After a battle with cancer, Karyn Johnson passed away early on Sunday morning. We know you will all join with us to pray for her and the family.

Our Year 5 and 6 students are at Camp Kaitawa this week and next week. We wish them a week of fun, challenges and great memories. Our Year 5 students are all learning Safe Cycling skills with our police education officers.

This week Rooms 6 and 7 will be attending All Saints Day Mass at St Mary's on Wednesday at 9.15am. Rooms 8, 9 and 10 will be attending the All Souls Day Mass on Thursday at 9.15am. We would love as many parents as possible to join us.

STAFFING FOR 2017

After 23 years of teaching at Reignier, we farewell Raelene Cronin at the end of the year. Raelene has been an integral part of our school community and teaching staff, sharing her wonderful skills, talents and passion for teaching for all that time. We wish Raelene a long and happy retirement, and hope that she will visit us from time to time in the future.

After a thorough appointment process the Board have appointed Kara Leigh Jones as a fixed term teacher for 2018. We welcome Kara Leigh back as a full time teacher and look forward to once again having her skills and talents in the school and on the staff.

CONGRATULATIONS ON A TOP ICAS AWARD

This year some of our year 5 and 6 children competed in the ICAS exams which are run across Australia and New Zealand. This year Ruby Lo has won the ICAS medal for Year 5 Spelling. Ruby scored the top mark in spelling throughout New Zealand and the Pacific. This is a huge honour and is very exciting for Ruby and for the school. We congratulate Ruby on this top award and wish her well as she travels to Auckland for a special presentation ceremony.

REIGNIER SCHOOL GALA

Congratulations everyone on a magnificently successful gala. At this stage it looks like we made more money than last year. Thanks to all those parents who worked so hard, helping out prior to and on gala day. A special thank you to Duane Coffin, Steve Halpin, Lynley Halpin, Vicki Devereux, Michelle Reilly, Karyn Gouder, Amanda Rich, Maggie Smith and all the gala committee for the planning and preparation put into the day.

KAPAHAKA

Congratulations to the Year 5 Kapahaka group who performed wonderfully last week at the festival. We were very proud of you all. A big thank you to all the parents and teachers, especially Mrs Smith, who organised and ran the evenings. We have had a number of heartfelt thanks from other schools for the way in which the evenings were run. Well done, Team.

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.

MISSION STATEMENT

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

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. We apologise for the difficulty acquiring girls' tunics. We are trying hard to rectify the delays with Bromleywear. Hopefully they will be available before too long.

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

THIS WEEK'S PARISH NEWS...

www.copon.org.nz



ALTAR SERVERS

Sunday 5th November 9am Mass: Jonty Unwin, Harry Unwin, Sophia Unwin, Violet Unwin

Sunday 5th November 5pm Mass: Matthew Eagles, Olivia Molloy

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!**

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

The Feast of All Saints grew out of the love and devotion of God's people. The Church chose this feast to honour God in the saints. The communion of saints is made up of all true children of God. Perhaps, you were taught to think of saints as statues in a church building. But the Bible teaches something completely different. Who is a saint? *You are*. That is, if you are a follower of Jesus. There are saints who died for their faith – the martyrs. All of them are honoured by the church. Our last strand for the year is The Communion of Saints. The focus for each class is: (with reference to the Family/Whanau book in brackets) Rooms 1 and 3: Mary (pg 19), Rooms 2 and 4: Saints and Inspiring People (pg 22), Rooms 6, 7 and 8: Choices (pg 28), Rooms 9 and 10: Saints and Inspiring People (pg 31).



TEAM KERERU ASSEMBLY

NO ASSEMBLY this week due to the Safe Cycling Programme being run.

TEAM PIWAKAWAKA ASSEMBLY

Room 3 will lead this Friday's Piwakawaka assembly at 2.30pm in the hall.

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.

**PLEASE NOTE THERE IS NO NEWSLETTER NEXT WEEK SO HERE
ARE THE SPORTS DRAWS FOR THE NEXT TWO WEEKS!!!**

BASKETBALL

Results from last week;

Year 1/2

Reignier **Stars** vs TP Raiders 1 Won 18-6. POD—Liam O'Neill

Reignier **Heat** vs TP Raiders 2 Won 24-11. POD—Harry Nichol

Reignier **Thunder** vs GMS Sharks—No Result

Year 3/4

Reignier **Lakers** vs Clive Pink Won 34-23. POD—Whole Team

Reignier **Hawks** vs Taradale Bulls—No Result

Year 5/6

Reignier **Saints** vs TP Titans 2 Lost 7-1. POD—Whole Team

Reignier **Hornets** vs AMS Giants—No Result

Draw for this Thursday 2nd November;

Year 1/2

Reignier **Stars** vs Puketapu Shooting Stars at 3.30pm—PGA1C

Reignier **Heat** vs Taradale Blazers at 3.30pm—PGA2

Reignier **Thunder** vs Puketapu Hot Shotz at 3.30pm—PGA1B

Year 3/4

Reignier **Lakers** - BYE

Reignier **Hawks** vs AMS Nicks at 4.30pm—PGA1

Year 5/6

Reignier **Saints** vs Porritt Titans at 6.00pm—PGA2

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

Draw for next Thursday 9th November;

Year 1/2

Reignier **Stars** vs Reignier Thunder at 3.30pm—PGA1B

Reignier **Heat** vs Taradale Rockets at 3.30pm—PGA1C

Reignier **Thunder** vs Reignier Stars at 3.30pm—PGA1B

Year 3/4

Reignier **Lakers** vs GMS Warriors at 4.30pm—PGA1C

Reignier **Hawks** vs Clive Orange at 4.30pm—PGA1B

Year 5/6

Reignier **Saints** vs Clive Blue at 6.30pm—PGA1

Reignier **Hornets** vs Clive Gold at 6.00pm—PGA1

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

CRICKET—TERM 4

Results from last week;

Year 3/4

Reignier **Black Caps** vs NPS Lost 84-55. POD—Fielder—Molly Smith, Batter—Laura Brassington

Reignier **Stags** vs AMS Aces Won 80-22. POD—Fielder—Noah Onuma, Bowler—Liam Reilly, Batter—Max Fysh

Draw for this Friday 3rd and Saturday 4th November;

The draws will be handed out later in the week.

Year 3/4 your games are always start at 3.30pm at Nelson Park.

Girls Cricket – Years 2-3

If your daughter is interested in giving cricket a go please see flyer at the end of the newsletter.

NETBALL

Results from last week;

Year 1/2

Reignier **Stars** vs Arthur Miller Flames. POD—Addison Marple

Reignier **Stars** vs GMS Swift. POD—Alexis Bloomfield

Draw for this Thursday 2nd November;

Year 1/2

Reignier **Stars** vs Arthur Miller Stars at 3.45pm—ONC3B

Draw for next Thursday 9th November;

Year 1/2

Reignier **Stars** vs GMS Magic at 3.45pm—ONC3B

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

SUMMER HOCKEY

Draw for this Wednesday 1st November;

Year 1/2

Summer Funsticks starts this week **Wednesday 1st November 3.50-4.40pm** at Park Island. ***Please note change of time.*** If your child does not have a hockey stick HB Hockey have some at Park Island that you may borrow. Your child does need to have shinpads and a mouthguard.

Year 3/4

Reignier **Magic** vs St Pats Saints at 4.00pm—Cape Physio D

Year 5/6

Reignier **Steel** vs We're A'Mazon at 6.15pm—Cape Physio 1

Reignier **Rebels** vs Tricky Sticksters at 6.15pm—Big Save 2

Draw for next Wednesday 8th November;

Year 1/2

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Year 3/4

Reignier **Magic** vs AMS Rockets at 4.45pm—Cape Physio D

Year 5/6

Reignier **Steel** vs Puketapu Possums at 6.15pm—Cape Physio 1

Reignier **Rebels** vs Puketapu Kotuku at 7.00pm—Big Save 2

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

PTA NEWS...

ABACUS FUNDRAISER—ORDERING 2017

Abacus Fundraiser orders are now closed for 2017.

GALA—RAFFLE WINNERS

Congratulations to all our raffle winners. Grown Ups Raffle—Nga Ferguson, Groceries—Deb K, David Truebridge Light—Clare Geoghegan, Avanti Bike—Katie Bachman, Firewood—Anna Quinn, Magpies Jersey—Fiona Rollings, Xmas Cake #1—Cheryl, Xmas Cake #2—Esmé Rossiter, Doll & Clothing—M Hunt.

SNAPSHOTS OF THE WEEK...



**DISCOVERY TIME...SO MUCH LEARNING
AND FUN BEING HAD! AWESOME!**

COMMUNITY NOTICES...

Napier Kindergartens Open Day

When: Saturday 4th November
Time: Kindergartens open from 9.30—12.30

We welcome families who wish to make their own way to the Kindergartens

Transport: free maxi van provided
From: Napier Kindergarten office
66 Kennedy Road Marewa Napier



The van is for adults only (due to safety reasons).
You can choose three different routes. Information on reverse of flyer

Please find attached a list of Kindergartens that will be open

A great opportunity to visit the kindergartens' stunning environments and meet the teachers



Bette Christie Kindergarten 10 Hurst Ave, Maraenui ph 843 5736	Riversdale Kindergarten 11 Cooke Pl, Taradale ph 844 8525
Carlyle Kindergarten 113 Thackeray St, Napier ph 835 3852	Tamatea Kindergarten 3 Norfolk St, Tamatea ph 843 4655
Greenmeadows Kindergarten 44 Osier Rd, Greenmeadows ph 844 9152	Taradale Kindergarten 9 Puketapu Rd, Taradale ph 844 7701
Marewa Kindergarten 2 Bedford Rd, Marewa ph 843 8434	Te Awanga Kindergarten Cnr Raymond & Parkhill Rds, Haumoana ph 875 0224
Mary Richmond Kindergarten 8 Lister Cres, Maraenui ph 843 8514	Wharerangi Kindergarten 13 Essex St, Tamatea ph 844 4113
Onekawa Kindergarten 29 Maadi Rd, Onekawa ph 843 5577	Pirimai Kindergarten 17 Allen Berry Ave, Pirimai h 843 5051

ROUTE 1—MAXI TAXI	ROUTE 2—MAXI TAXI	ROUTE 3 MAXI TAXI
Bette Christie	Pirimai	Tamatea
Mary Richmond	Onekawa	Wharerangi
Marewa	Greenmeadows	Riversdale
Carlyle	Te Awanga	Taradale

Any queries please contact: Eileen Kennedy, Education Manager
Ph: 835 7890 ext 2 Cell: 021 413 004

Eileen@napierkindergartens.co.nz



Taradale Cricket Club is very excited to announce the launch of year 2 & 3 girls cricket this coming season.

Some parents may be aware that our head coach Sean Davies and current overseas professional,

Dean Foxcroft ran an introductory coaching course at three local schools earlier this year. We are now offering all those girls that attended these sessions the opportunity to continue playing and developing their cricket.

They will be offered a 10 week program that includes coaching as well as an internal league, where the girls will play some matches.



Taradale Cricket Club year 2 & 3 girls cricket

Cost

\$70 for 10 sessions of cricket. This also includes a cricket starter pack

Start date & timings

Tuesday 14th November

3:15 to 4:15

for a complete schedule visit our website
www.sporty.co.nz/taradalecricket

Venue

Taradale Park - 20 Symons Lane

There will be 5 weeks before Christmas and then another 5 weeks afterwards.

How to sign up

Please visit the Taradale Cricket Club website www.sporty.co.nz/taradalecricket
Look in the Junior Section and there is a girls cricket year 2 & 3 page
Complete the online form and we will take it from there

CARDBOARD SLIDING

FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY

DOLBEL RESERVE

(off Trigg Cres)

Sunday 26 Nov

4:30pm

BBQ @ 6pm

Bring some cardboard!!!

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Be Prepared. Be Advised. Be Supported

Referral Card

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021 039 1899

shaun@futureinsurance.co.nz
www.futureinsurance.co.nz

Reignier Catholic School
(Receives a Donation of) **15%** of Future Insurances commission

Name:
Ph:
Email:

(Client Receives) **20%** cash back on their first year's premium

It is about love and caring and future.

OUR PROMISE

- To help you help our School and in the process ensure your families future
- To find you the very best insurance at the most competitive price
- For each insurance policy we will donate 15% of our commission to the School
- You'll get 20% cash back (conditions apply)
- You'll also get all the benefits of having your own personal adviser, free for a life time. Someone who cares and will be there to support you when you need them

\$50 Gift Card to all successful referrals. Extra Referral cards available at the School Office.
(Offer applies to both Personal and Business type Insurances excluding home, car and contents)

COMMUNITY NOTICES CONT'D...

A nasty tummy bug is circulating in Hawke's Bay and seems to now be affecting lots of preschool and young school age children.



If your child is sick make sure they are getting plenty of fluids. If they can't keep fluids down at all, or you are worried see your GP.

If it's after hours call Healthline 0800 611 116, where a registered nurse is available 24/7 and will be able to tell you what you should do.

Tummy bugs spread really easily so hand washing in soap and water, often, is really important.

SAFE HAND WASHING

If you get sick, don't spread it!



1

WET



2

SOAP



3

WASH

4

RINSE

5

DRY