



St. Patrick's Catholic School News

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2015

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Deputy Principal: Cass Sutton. **Assistant Principal:** Marcus Oxenham.
Director of Religious Studies: Raewyn Jackman.
Office Staff: Dana Macdonald, Celena O'Donnell
Bursar: Patty Dudson.
Parish Priest: Fr Joe Stack.
BOT Chairperson: Kyle Owens.

Kia Ora Parents, Guardians and Children,

The Charism for this week is:



Signs of excellence

- Having high standards
- Knowing that I cannot be perfect - yet
- Having the will to win and the desire to succeed
- Trying to reach my full potential & deciding that today 'I WILL DO MY BEST.'

ADMIN CENTRE 8th June 2015



Reminder: Teacher Only Day Tomorrow



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TERM DIARY

Wk 8	Fri 12 th June: Teacher Only Day (TA Schools) SCHOOL CLOSED
Wk 9	Mon 15 th June: Prayer Ass 8:55am CH : Creativity Wed 17 th June: Ripa Rugby Tournament – Hamilton Fri 19 th June: Class Mass R6,7 @ 9:15am Team 3 Assembly @ 2:15pm Hall Team 2 Assembly 2:30pm in R5-7
Wk 10	Mon 22 nd June: Prayer Ass 8:55am CH : Creativity Fri 26 th June: Team 1 Assembly 2:30-2:45pm
Wk 11	Sun 28 th June: Confirmation/Eucharist Mass @10am with Bishop Steve Mon 29 th June: Prayer Ass 8:55am CH : Creativity Tue 30 th June: Science Fair Displays in Hall Wed 1 st July: Science Fair Displays in Hall Thur 2 nd July: Science Faith Displays in Hall Fri 3 rd July: Last Day of Term 2 Mufti-mania for NZCPA End of Term Whole School Mass @ 9:15am Whole School Assembly @ 2:15pm
Wk 1	TERM 3 Mon 20 th July: First day back. Prayer Assembly 8:55am CH : Wonder & Awe Wed 22 nd July: Photo Life – Class Photos only Fri 24 th July: Whole School Mass @ 9:15am

Please check the online version of the school calendar by following the link: http://www.stpatta.co.nz/1/embedded_items/1-school-calendar as this is updated as events or changes come to hand.

A quote from St Mary of the Cross MacKillop

'Does not sad experience show us how weak we are in generosity and goodness?'

21st May 1877

St Mary of the Cross MacKillop.....

Pray for us.



Our Vision: 'To provide 21st century learning in a Catholic environment which empowers children to strive for excellence'.

'Empowered today for tomorrow's world'

Meet our Board members....

Each week, we will feature one of our board members and so this week, we introduce you to Haley Fielder...

Hello! My name is Haley Fielder (nee Morris) and I'm one of the Proprietor's Representatives on the Board of Trustees.

The Proprietor's Reps assist the Board in ensuring the school remains a Catholic School, fulfilling its primary purpose, which is to give a Catholic Education to Catholic children and young people, and we report back to the Bishop annually.



I was born in Te Awamutu in 1979 and attended St Patrick's Catholic School for my primary and intermediate years. I am now proud to be a St Pat's mum with two of my three children attending here now too. Annabelle is in year 4, room 4 and Max is in year 1, Room 3, and Fletcher will follow in a couple of years!

I attended Sacred Heart Girl's College in Hamilton, then Waikato Polytech. I worked in Hotels for a few years, and only left the Waikato in 2001, moving to Auckland with my now husband, Lance, so he could further his Accounting career! This must have worked because he's now a Partner at the local firm, GydeWansbone!

We moved back to Te Awamutu in 2005 after I studied Beauty Therapy in Auckland, and marriage and babies followed fairly soon after!

In my spare time (which isn't very often) I enjoy travelling with friends, helping out at school, reading and baking!!

Management Team in Wellington

Cass, Marcus, Raewyn and myself along with Toni Van der Hulst from the Board are in Wellington to attend the tri-ennial Catholic Schools Convention.

School is closed tomorrow.

Along with most of the schools in the wider TA area, our school is also closed and our staff are attending TA wide Professional Development centred at TA College.

ASSEMBLY AWARDS

Congratulations to the following students who received awards at our Middle and Senior team assemblies on Friday 5th June 2015.



DEPUTY PRINCIPAL'S AWARDS

Kaelyn Strawbridge	Max Wilson
Joshua Hamlyn	Aidam Caddy
Leanne Pacua	Ezra Dearing

CHARISM AWARDS – "Respect"

Fionn McDaid	Shiloh Bantugan
Charlotte Mackie	

ASSOCIATE PRINCIPAL'S AWARDS

Torlesse Liddell	Emma Lindsay
Anja Gibson	Felicity Searle
Lily Hayes	Awatea Tamaki-Woolly
Molly McDaid	Kate McQuilkin
Rohan Dolan	Xylia Liddell

CHARISM AWARDS – "Respect"

Penelope Rice	Edmund Shum
Katelyn Holmes	Kate Overdevest
Erin Ticklepenny	

Mid-Year Conferences... Teachers are currently making overall teacher judgements (OTJs) in regards to all students as they are making progress as measured against the National Standards in Reading, Writing and Maths. As part of the process, your child contributes to the making of this OTJ. For most students, they will be receiving an *interim progress report* that will come home early next term. On this report there will be (for Reading, Writing and Maths):

1. A statement about how your child is progressing (against the relevant standard)
2. How your child is progressing against the goals that were set at the goal setting conferences.
3. Your child's next steps in learning
4. Some suggestions about how you can help at home
5. A 'heads up' on what is likely to be discussed by: Student, parents and teacher – in regards to learning or challenges to learning.

There will be more information next week. Conferences are set for: Week 2 of next term, Tuesday/ Wednesday 28th/29th July 2015.

**Look out in Term 3 –
there is a 'Winter Series' of Education
coming...
More information next week...**



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SPORTS NEWS

COMPETITION NETBALL

DRAW FOR: Saturday 12th June 2015

Team St Pat's.. (v) Ct	Time	We thank our Sponsors
B&C Property Tycoons v K-Town Diamonds	1:10pm	
Timmos ITM Tigers v Ray White Pirongia Troopers	9:00am	
Gibson Construction cobras v Ray White Pirongia Stormers	9:50am	
Fahrenheit Flames v TAS Manuka Health Honez	1:10pm	
Pastoral Panthers v Aropapa Seniors	9:50am	
Daffodils v Ohaupo Friendship Spirits	10:40am	
Pink Panthers v Puhue Magic	11:30am	

PTA NEWS

School lunch roster... We are always looking for people to help out for a couple hours on Friday mornings, please contact Maree Orr (0275 336 555) if you are able to go on the roster.

God bless


Brian Belczacki
Principal

ST PATRICK'S PARISH NEWS

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Mass Times

Weekday Masses

Wednesday to Friday @ 9.15am

Holy Hour: After 9:15am Mass with
Benediction around 10:30am

Weekend Masses

Sunday 14th June 2015

11th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Yr B)

Vigil Mass @ 5:30pm (Saturday)

Sunday Mass @ 10am

Gospel Reading: Mk 4:26-34.

'When the crop is ready, he loses no time.'

COMMUNITY NEWS

WINTER WARMERS

Beef & Vegetable StirFry

1tsp oil
500g lean beef –schnitzel or thin strips of rump steak
6 cups of colourful vegetables – baby corn, spinach, capsicum, mushroom, courgette, green beans, silverbeet, onions

Teriyaki sauce: ¼C soy sauce, 1tsp garlic and 1Tbsp honey

Slice meat into thin strips. marinate in the teriyaki sauce for 20 minutes. Heat the oil in the fry pan and add the meat, reserving the leftover sauce.

Allow the meat to brown then add diced vegetables. Pour over the leftover sauce, cook for 5 minutes. Serve on rice.

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