



"To live, learn and love with Jesus, being the best we can be."

Principal's Note

Hello, Kia Ora, Talofa lava, Namaste, Mabuhay, Ciao, Kia Orana, Ahalan, Konnichiwa, Ni hao, Selam, Xin chao, Bonjour, Bula, Dzień/Dobry, Nee how, Shalom, Dia duit, Mauri, Halo, Bom dia, Giday, Malo ni

Thank you to all those who came and supported our Term 2 powhiri and Mass of Welcome. This is always such a special celebration and an opportunity for us to practise our values of whanaungatanga and a big hearted love.

This week is NZ Bully Free Week. This ties in with our KiVa lessons and on Friday during Assembly, we will be sharing some of the work the children have been doing. We are also supporting Pink Shirt Day by allowing the children to wear something pink. This is not a mufti day however, the children can wear a pink accessory with their uniform to mark this important day.

Next Friday, 2nd June, we will be running our Reunification Drill which was postponed from last term. All details remain the same and a letter with information is attached to this newsletter email. The reunification zone map is on the website under Civil Defence - Reunification Zone. Thank you in advance for your support in helping us to ensure our children are prepared for any emergency.

On Tuesday, 30th May at 5.30p.m., Deana Collis and Cheryl Kidd will be running an Information Evening for parents, to discuss changes to our behaviour plan and gather your feedback. Please mark this in your diaries now and come along to share your ideas with us.

Have a happy, safe and relaxing weekend.

Whai i te wiki nui.

Donna McDonald - Principal



Dialogue allows us to plan for a future in common. Through dialogue we build peace, taking care of everyone. Pope Francis



This Sunday's Gospel

Ascension Sunday

In the Gospel for the Ascension of our Lord, Jesus gives very clear directions — a mission statement of sorts — to his disciples and to us.

The purpose statement is *to make disciples of all nations.*

The business statement is *teaching and baptizing.*

The values statement is *'In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit'.*

May we always be faithful to our mission to go forth and make disciples of all nations.



If your child is not going to be at school for whatever reason, please make sure you have left a message on the answerphone (no later than 9.10a.m. and/or emailed the classroom teacher and the Office.

Some dates for your diary:

Tues., 30th May (PP Thurs., 1st June)
- Senior Cross Country 11.15a.m.

Tues., 30th May - Behaviour Consultation Meeting 5.30 - 6.30p.m.

Wed., 31st May - Mobile Dental Clinic on site for a week

Fri., 2nd June - Junior Cross Country 11.30

Fri., 2nd June - Reunification Drill Pick up—1.15p.m—2pm

Mon., 5th June - Queen's Birthday NO SCHOOL.

Catholic Character

Scholastic Bookfair Week - Wed., 7th to Tues., 13th June. We need volunteers for the 'shop'. Please let Sarah know if you can help.

Book Character Dress Up Day - Fri., 9th June

Entertainment books for sale.
\$65 each.

Uniform fittings on site: Fri., 9th June.
You need to make an appointment, so
please call or email Gina.

LOST PROPERTY:

The following children have all lost
their named school jerseys:

Victor Ablett (Rm 10)

Kate Vincent (Rm 2)

Cassidy Meli (Rm 7)

PLEASE check to see if your child
mistakenly has one of these.

There are all sorts of bits and pieces in the
Lost Property bucket outside Room 1.

They are there because they're not named.
Please try to name EVERYTHING!

SPARKS OF GOD - T2, Wk 3



Back: **Jakson Deed, Max Lewer, Victor Ablett**

Front: **Teuaine Mareikura, Tommy Carter,
Jacob Fordham, Hunter Tomlinson,
Paige McLaughlin, Kerys Cuddihy**

Class of the Week - Room 10



This week Room 10 will be holding a
KiVa Assembly. How much do you know
about KiVa? We have a fun game
planned for you to enjoy -
be prepared to stretch
your brain! We will also

be showing some cool Battle Hill
Interviews.

See you at Assembly.



Bookfair Week

Wed., 7th June to Tues., 13th June.

Sarah desperately needs some volun-
teers to help with sales during the 'shop'
hours. 8.30 - 9.30a.m. and 2.30 -
3.15p.m. It doesn't have to be every
day - any amount of time you can be
there will be appreciated. Please let her
know as soon as possible.

**Book Character Parade - Friday, 9th
June.** Come to school all dressed up as
your favourite book character. PLEASE
don't go to any extra expense!

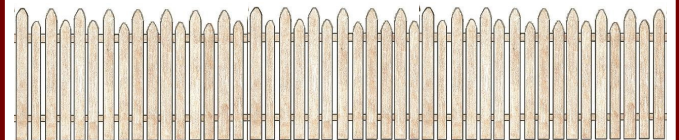
Our Carnival needs YOU!

One, two or even a group of 3 organised
and motivated people are needed to take
over from this year's organisers as they
have all stepped down. There will be
heaps of support and information passed
on to you and to ensure our Carnival 2018
happens next year, we need some new
faces. PLEASE consider taking on this
very rewarding initiative. If you need any
more information, please talk to Donna.



Named Pickets - be a part of our history!

We will be taking orders again this term. Pickets
cost \$35 each. If you want to order one or a few,
forms are available at the Office and payment can be
made via Internet banking, in cash or by Eftpos.



Senior School Cross Country (Years 4 - 6)

When: Tuesday, 30th May

Time: 11.15a.m.

Place: St Theresa's Catholic School grounds

Children will change into their PE gear at morning
tea. We will be starting with the Year 4s and go in
year group order. If this event needs to be
postponed, a notice will be placed on the school
website and answerphone.

PINK SHIRT DAY - Friday, 26th May. To acknowledge the end of Anti Bullying Week, we are suggesting
that if children want to, they can wear something pink with their school uniform. Just add something pink
to your uniform and please don't go to any expense at all. It is not a Mufti Day.