

3 July 2018

***In a Catholic way we learn today for tomorrow***

“Love and COMPASSION are necessities not luxuries.  
Without them humanity cannot survive.”

Dear Parents, Pupils and Parishioners,

**KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS**

Please keep in your prayers Kathryn Farnworth and family. Kathryn’s beautiful sister passed away last week. May she rest in peace.

**COOL AT SCHOOL**

We congratulate **Emerson Burt**, one of our wonderful Year 7 students who is always willing to help. She shows great initiative, is considerate and truly reflects our July Gospel Value of “Compassion.”

**BON VOYAGE AND SLA'N SAM**

We wish Sam Weber all the best as he heads off to Ireland to play rugby and explore the world. Travel safely Sam and thank you for the gifts you have brought to St Patrick’s.

**GOSPEL VALUE FOR JULY - COMPASSION**

This month our school focus and Value is “COMPASSION”. As a Catholic school, this should be at the heart of all our relationships and actions. **“Show you care for others”**. It is **how** we do this that can set us apart as a compassionate community. (Home, Parish and School).

**GRANPARENTS LITURGY (SPREAD THE WORD)**

Our annual and ever-popular GRANDPARENTS LITURGY and picnic will be held on **Friday 3 August – 12.00** for the Junior Syndicate.

**SAUSAGE SIZZLE - THIS THURSDAY 5 July**

An easy lunch and good value too!

Raising funds for our Middle Syndicate Camp to Turangi.

**\$1.50 a sausage. Please bring money / order to your class teacher by  
9am Thursday 5 July**



**TAMATEA / TARADALE BUS RUN CHANGE**

From Term 3 (23 July) Nimons will be delivering our students to and from school. ONE bus will incorporate the Tamatea/Taradale run in partnership with Sacred Heart College. There will be minimal changes to the route and time of pick up/drop off but the good news is that the PRICE will stay the same in 2018.

Please call 8439 238 if you have any questions. Information has been sent out with students who use this service.

**TERM 3 STARTS - MONDAY 23 JULY**

See your smiling faces for a **8.45am** start (not later!) on Monday 23 July.

**SACRED HEART SCHOLARSHIPS FOR 2019**

Sacred Heart College are looking to recognise 5 incoming students for 2019. As a school, they take pride in a culture which promotes academic, cultural, sporting excellence and which also aims at developing citizenship and leadership in young people.

**Five, \$1000** scholarships are available and applications must be in to Sacred Heart College **NO** later than **FRIDAY 24 AUGUST** – APPLICATION FORMS AVAILABLE FROM OUR SCHOOL OFFICE OR CONTACT THE COLLEGE.

**GALA UPDATE**

**GALA DATE - SATURDAY 22 SEPTEMBER  
ONLY 11 WEEKS TO GO!**

**SOME CHANGES:-**

- More Food Options
- Combined Auction/White Elephant
- **NO** Clothes, Shoes, Linen, Computers, T.V’s
- More Student Involvement
- Kidzone Again

**WE NEED:-**

- Plants
- Frozen Chickens
- Wine
- Toys in Good Condition
- Furniture / Household Goods for Auction/White Elephant
- Prizes for Mystery Envelopes & Lucky Dip
- **WE ALSO NEED YOUR HELP!!**

Please – we are raising funds for **YOUR** children. So we still need CONVENORS and HELPERS. Contact the office 8439 238 or Ali on 021 139 7462.

**FIRST GALA MEETING TERM 3 - WEDNESDAY 25 JULY 5.30-PM  
ALL CONVENORS, HELPERS & THOSE INTERESTED.**

**BOARDER / FLATMATE WANTED**

A large double sunny bedroom with ensuite and walk-in wardrobe available on Bluff Hill. Only suitable for a working person or adult student, no couples or pets. \$180 per week furnished or unfurnished. Please phone Anna Scott 027 517 9454 for more information.

**SPONSOR OF THE WEEK - EDUKIDS**

Our neighbours and a Best Start Child Care Centre call Edukids 843 4534. Helping children transition to school happily (including St Pats!)

Regards & Blessings  
Have a wonderful holiday  
Jurek Wypych  
PRINCIPAL