

18 September 2012

In a Christian way we learn today for tomorrow

“The ST PATRICK’S SCHOOL GALA is fantastic!”

Not so anonymous

Dear Parents, Pupils and Parishioners,

KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS

Tane Hiha, Nicola and family. Tane’s father passed away recently.

May he rest in peace.

COOL AT SCHOOL

We congratulate **Kendal Ottley**, a Year 7 pupil who “sparkles.” She has an infectious positive attitude towards learning, her schooling, her classmates and life.



JOIN OUR UPPER SYNDICATE

This **Thursday (20th) at 9am** in our Chapel as they celebrate Mass together. We will even provide a “cuppa” afterwards.

ACROSS THE COUNTRY

Good luck to our Year 7 team who compete tomorrow at the 2012 T.A.C.S Cross Country Championships at Puketapu School.



CHAMPION PUPILS

Two results to share with our community –

YEAR 7 / 8 CATHOLIC CLASH

Our seniors won back the “Catholic Clash” Trophy last week against St Joseph’s and St Mary’s Intermediates, Hastings with an 8 – 6 aggregate win. Close games but best of all was the attitude, sportsmanship and behaviour of our pupils – something to be proud of.

H.O.P.S SOCCER CHAMPIONSHIPS

On Friday afternoon two representative Year 5 / 6 soccer teams (boys / girls) won the HOPS shield. The boys won all their games with some outstanding play and goals and our girls were amazing winning two games out of 3.

GALA NEWS – 4 SLEEPS TO GO!!

- ❖ **Thanks – to all those who could help at the working bee on Saturday**
- ❖ **KIDZONE PRIZE** – donated by **Marewa Cycles** with a value of \$400 is an Octane Malvern Star 18 speed bicycle that will be won by a Kidzone Pass holder.
- ❖ **CAKES FOR CAKE STALL** – today we have sent home a plate & plastic bag. Please use this plate to send your donation of baking to school for the Gala Cake Stall.
- ❖ **STALLS OPEN FROM 11AM (KIDZONE STARTS 10AM)**

**BRING THE WHANAU / FANAU / FAMILY
IT’S GOING TO BE A GREAT DAY!!!**

11AM START – BE EARLY!

IN THIS WEEK’S NAPIER MAIL

Have a look in this week’s Napier Mail at the full page promotion of our school.

It’s a wonderful opportunity for the Napier community to see some of the great things that go on at St Patrick’s School.

ENROLMENTS FOR 2013 - ARE YOU???

If you have a child turning 5 in 2013 or know of someone who has a **year 6** pupil who wants to attend our **Intermediate (Year 7/8) next year** – then please call me or the office for an enrolment form or to make an appointment. I am happy to answer any questions you may have or show you around our wonderful school.

SUMMER UNIFORM CHANGEOVER (START NOW)

Pupils will be able to wear Summer Uniform from **Monday 17th September** if they wish (getting warm). We expect all pupils to be in full and correct summer uniform in term 4 by **23rd October**. Remember we sell: - Girls pinafores and skirts. Boys & Girls sweatshirts and sports shirts. Postie Plus stock the rest of the uniform requirements.

KIDS UNPLUGGED – SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

From the 1st – 5th Oct and 8th – 12th Oct. Specialising in creative programmes for 5 – 13 yr olds. Including a “Peter Pan” ballet theme (Tutor - Natasha Purcell), “Pirates and Fairies” arts and crafts theme (Tutor Casey Mcleay) and a “Nautical Nurturing” theme (Tutor – Richard Van der meent).



Enquiries and bookings phone 843.8164 or email primarycoloursnz@gmail.com.



KELLY SPORTS – HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

From Monday 1st October – Friday 5th October at the Napier Tech Sports Clubrooms. For 5 – 13yr olds. For further information regarding the holiday programme contact Sarnia Brewer 843.4219 or email sarnia@kellysports.co.nz.

FREE – MATHS FOR FUN HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

For children from Yr 1 – 8 at the Napier Library from Monday 8th October to Friday 12th. Registrations at the Napier Library from 9.30am Monday 24th September 2012. This is a programme designed to present mathematics in fun way, to increase understanding of mathematics and to develop confidence.

SWIMMING IMPROVEMENT CLASSES

The Napier Aquahawks Swim Club are running swimming improvement classes in Term 4. For further information phone Mike or Anna on 843.8286 or email naq@xtra.co.nz.

LAST WEEK’S QUIZ

Cash on Delivery

SEE YOU AT THE GALA

Regards & Blessings

Jurek Wypych
PRINCIPAL

THIS WEEK’S QUIZ

**spring
summer
autumn
winter**