

28 October 2014

In a Christian way we learn today for tomorrow

*"We are all equal in the fact we are all different.  
We are all the same in the fact that we will never be the same."*

Dear Parents, Pupils and Parishioners,

### ST JOHNS COLLEGE 2015 SCHOLARSHIPS

Congratulations to these 3 senior boys who have been awarded Scholarships at St Johns College for 2015.

**Kalio Matauli** – Napier Old Boys Scholarship (\$650)

**Isaac Powell** – Principal's Scholarship (\$600)

**Gordon Naibunaki-Healey** – St Vincent de Paul Scholarship (\$750)

A great achievement. We look forward to hearing how our senior girls get on!

### CRICKET "KICKS OFF" THIS WEEK

Friday afternoon (Nelson Park) and Saturday morning cricket starts this weekend.

St Patrick's has 4 teams competing and this would not be possible if it was not for our **AMAZING COACHES**, organized teachers and **SUPPORTIVE PARENTS**. A large number of boys and girls playing, so play hard, play your best and represent St Patrick's School (and yourselves) proudly.

### POLYFEST (PASIFIKA) FESTIVAL NEXT WEEK

Our Pasifika Cultural group will be performing at **Napier Intermediate School Hall** at **11:15am** on **TUESDAY 4 NOVEMBER**. Fa'afetai Noela for your coaching and fanau for your support. A **DRESS REHEARSAL – THIS FRIDAY (31<sup>ST</sup>) IN OUR HALL – 9:15am** – an invitation for you all to have a sneak preview of the beautiful talent we have here at St Patrick's School.

O le a fa'ataunu'uina fa'afiafiaga a le fanau mo le "Polyfest" i le Aso Lua 4 o Novema i le 11:15 i le taeao. I le Napier Intermediate School.

O le a fa'aalia le toniga ma fa'afiafiaga a le fanau i le Aso Faraile 31 o Oketopa i le 9:15am, i le tatou aoga.

Fa'amolemole matua e mand'omia lau fesoasoani i lea aso.

Fa'afetai.

### INTER-ISLANDER \$250 VOUCHER FOR AUCTION

We have been kindly donated a **\$250** Inter-Islander Travel Voucher (valid until **31 October 2015**) to auction for the school. Please either phone the office or send in your name and \$ bid. **Highest bidder gets the voucher!** This closes next week on **Friday 7 November, 9am**. A great cause with a great prize – thank you.

### SCHOOL CRAFT FAIR / BOOT SALE

Something to look forward to on **SUNDAY 7 DECEMBER** at St Patrick's School. 10am – 2pm. Enquiries to Kathleen 021.331.723 or Christine 021.147.7451.

### PTA MEETING – NEXT TUESDAY 4 NOVEMBER

Join us at **7.30pm** in the **Staffroom** next **Tuesday (4<sup>th</sup> November)** A short meeting to **SUPPORT YOUR SCHOOL**. Thank you.

### SCHOOL BOOK FAIR

In our school library **5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> November, 8:30am – 4pm**. Three days to look through a great variety of books, stationery, games etc that make for a great birthday / Christmas present.



### SOLVING THAT CHRISTMAS PRESENT PROBLEM –

We are once again producing "Children's Art Calendars," "A5Diaries" AND "Kiddi notepads" through Abacus Calendars. Cost is **\$9 for Calendars, \$15 for Diaries & \$10 for Kiddi notepads**. They will be in full colour. Pupils are currently doing the art work for their calendars / diaries. You can view your child's art (**before you order**) **from 3 November – 14 November** in your child's classroom. An ideal present – especially for Grandparents. Orders close **14th November**. Keep an eye out for order forms coming home. Make cheques out to **St Patrick's School PTA**. Money **must** come in with orders. Each child has their **own** order form (payment can be combined).



### SCHOOL GOSPEL VALUE FOR OCTOBER

This month our focus is on "**RESPECT**." As Christians, we should respect all that God has created (people, property, our environment) – we can do this in what we say and do (words and actions). Respect can start at home and at school. Our catch phrase will be...

**TREAT OTHERS AS YOU WOULD LIKE THEM TO TREAT YOU.**

### BEAUTIFUL IN SUMMER UNIFORM – HATS COMPULSORY NEXT WEEK

Good to see our pupils in **CORRECT** summer uniform. This includes sandals too!!  
**NAME YOUR CLOTHING AND SANDALS PLEASE.**

### SOME LATE SUCCESSES FROM TERM 3

#### CROSS COUNTRY

Napier Schools Cross Country champs were held late last term.

The St Patrick's School team did very well with outstanding results from:

**Emily Kelly-Lowe** 1st place, **Sam Turner** 2nd place and our Y6 girls were 3rd overall.

#### ICAS

Recent **OUTSTANDING** results from the ICAS English exams proved that we have some exceptional talent here.

High Distinction (top 1% of the country)- **Anneliese vanFlorenstein** Y7

Distinction – **Roisin Kenny** Y7 (Top10%)

**Saoirse Kenny** Y4  
**Gemma Eagles** Y7  
Credit – **Lily Burt** Y5  
**Amy Macdonald** Y7  
**Olympia Signal** Y7  
**Isaac Powell** Y8  
**Logan Start** Y6

Merit – **Emily Wakely** Y7

Congratulations to you all, **PROUD OF YOU!!**

### LAST WEEK'S QUIZ

High Court

Regards and Blessings

Jurek Wypych

PRINCIPAL

### THIS WEEK'S QUIZ



