

31 May 2016

*In a Christian way we learn today for tomorrow*

*“Any fool can criticize, condemn and complain  
but it takes character and SELF CONTROL to  
be understanding and forgiving.”*

Dear Parents, Pupils and Parishioners,

### WELCOME – 2 TREASURES

We welcome **Kaitlin** (SM9) and **Helena** (SM13) Black and their mother to St Patrick’s School. They have settled in beautifully after only ONE day. (We have very welcoming children and staff at St Patrick’s).

### COOL AT SCHOOL

Congratulations to **Luke Burgess**, a Year 6 student who is always willing to help others, take on responsibility and is someone who relates well to all of his classmates.



### OPEN DAY – INTERMEDIATE 2017

Open Day and Evening last week was a great success with a good turnout of both students and parents. **WE** know we have the **BEST** Intermediate in Napier – now, **OTHERS** know!

### LIFE EDUCATION CARAVAN

Next week our Juniors host the Life Education Caravan for a week. The focus will be “**Positive Friendships**.” They will be discussing the social skills that make a difference.

### MEASLES OUTBREAK

There has been an outbreak of measles in Waikato and the HB Public Health Service would like to prevent an outbreak here. Please check with your GP whether your child has been immunised against Measles (MMR). Vaccination is not compulsory, but is **HIGHLY** recommended.

### BOARD OF TRUSTEES VOTING – CLOSES THIS FRIDAY

The candidates for this year’s election are **Stefan Burt, Ken Cooper, Craig Jones, Tony McEwan, Teenica Grant** and **Bevan Walker**. Thank you for putting your names forward. Votes need to be returned (posted / or delivered to the school office.) in the reply-paid envelope supplied by **NOON, THIS FRIDAY (3 JUNE)**

### HANGI AT ST PATRICK’S

As part of our school’s upcoming Matariki celebrations (and a Year 7/8 Camp fundraiser) we are planning a hangi on **Wednesday 22 June**. A 5.30pm hangi meal followed by a talk about **Matariki** and the significance of this event on the Maori calendar.

Hangi tickets will be on sale (\$10 each) soon.

### SAUSAGE SIZZLE – THIS THURSDAY



An easy lunch and good value too! Raising funds to help our Year 8 students as they plan for their Term 3 camp to Wellington.

**\$1.50 a sausage. Please bring money / order to your class teacher by  
9am Thursday 2 June 2016**

### PTA MEETING – NEXT TUESDAY

Join us on **Tuesday 7 June at 7.30pm** in the School Staffroom as we plan for our Gala and look at ways to make St Patrick’s a better place for **YOUR** children.

### BOTTLE OF WINE - GALA

We are asking families to donate a **BOTTLE OF WINE** for our raffle wheel at the Gala. Please bring to school office – thank you. **(5 in so far!)**



### CATHOLIC PARISH OF NAPIER – WE NEED YOUR INPUT

Accompanying last week’s newsletter was a Parish Consultation paper asking you, the parishioners to help shape the future of our Parish. Please return the Response Form to the **SCHOOL OFFICE** by **this Friday (3<sup>rd</sup> June)**.

### The Phantom of Terawhiti



Crawford and Zac  
Wind Blustering  
Ships sinking  
Secrets and Treasure  
Repeating history  
Tasha  
History Repeating  
Treasure and Secrets  
Sinking ships  
Blustering Wind  
Zac and Crawford

**By Emily Hendery**

### THIS WEEK’S SPONSOR – GRANT PROPERTY AND CONSTRUCTION

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### LAST WEEK’S QUIZ

Nine lives of a cat

Enjoy the long weekend  
Regards & Blessings

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PRINCIPAL

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