

28 August 2018

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

“PATIENCE is not the ability to wait,  
But the ability to keep a good attitude while waiting.”

Dear Parents, Pupils and Parishioners,

**ANOTHER TREASURE JOINS US**

We welcome **Summer Beale** to A1 and to St Patrick’s School. She joins big sister Trelise here and has already shown that she has the most wonderful manners. Enjoy learning at St Patrick’s Summer.

**COOL AT SCHOOL**

We celebrate with **Michaela Wilson**, a Year 8 student who has taken that “next step up” in her attitude, responsibility and endeavours. We are proud of what Michaela has achieved.

**TOP IN NEW ZEALAND**

For the first time at St Patrick’s we have a student who has received a **HIGH DISTINCTION WINNERS MEDAL** for ICAS Science. We congratulate **Caitlin Montaperto-Wells**, a Year 6 student who topped N.Z Year 6 group who sat this exam with a 98% result. AWESOME! Also... we celebrate the achievements of **Saoirse Kenny**, a wonderfully talented Year 8 student who achieved **DISTINCTION** in both Science and Spelling. She has consistently achieved to the highest level over the past few years.



Congratulations also to **Alice Dravitzki** who achieved **MERIT** in ICAS Spelling.

**GALA MEETING (ONLY 3 WEEK TO GO) - THIS WEDNESDAY 29<sup>TH</sup>**

We need **ALL INVOLVED** (especially Convenors) to attend this meeting **6.30pm TOMORROW** in the staffroom. **FINAL PREPARATIONS FOR THE BIG DAY.**

**SCHOOL PHOTOS THIS FRIDAY**

For all class photos – individual photos will be automatically taken for all students – PLEASE ensure uniform is **CORRECT** and **CLEAN**.

**OPEN DAY SHOWCASING OUR INTERMEDIATE**

Last Thursday’s Open Day/Evening was a huge success with 85 students visiting in the morning and a large group of parents and students attending the evening session. Our senior students were the most amazing ambassadors for our school – we are so proud of them. Thank you to Pip, Jodie and our senior team for their organization and enthusiasm and to Kirstin, Victoria and Maksim for speaking about our wonderful school so well. **ROLL ON the 2019 enrolments!**

**P.E SHIRTS - ONSALE (45% OFF)**

Only for 2018 – our P.E shirts are only **\$25** (usually \$45). Get in now as these will be compulsory in 2019 for students as our old uniform will be history.

**SACRED HEART COLLEGE INTERVIEWS FOR 2019**

Please contact the **Sacred Heart Office** on **835 3761** to make an appointment. Times are available from 2pm on – Monday 24 Sept, Thursday 27 Sept. Alternatively, call and make an appointment at another convenient time.



**SAUSAGE SIZZLE - THIS THURSDAY 30 AUGUST**

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 30 August.**

**GALA - ONLY 3 WEEKS TO GO!**

**DONATIONS DESPERATELY NEEDED FOR THE GALA PLEASE**

- FROZEN CHICKENS & CHOCOLATES– for the wheel
- Plants
- Toys in good condition
- Household items & furniture for Auction / White Elephant
- Prizes for Mystery Envelope, Lucky Dip stalls
- Books

**PLEASE NO – Computers, Printers, Clothes, Shoes, Old TV’s**  
**PLEASE DROP OFF GOODS BETWEEN 8AM – 3.30PM WEEKDAYS**  
**NO WEEKEND DROP OFFS PLEASE**

Please contact Alison 021 139 7462 or Vic 021 071 2898 if you have any questions.

**WONDER IN ALICELAND**



**Napier Municipal Theatre**  
**4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> September 6.30pm**

Tickets **\$10** – on sale through TICKETEK, Municipal Theatre  
or at the **SCHOOL OFFICE**.

Come and see the amazing talent of your children.  
Tell your family, friends, neighbours.

**IT WILL BE A GREAT SHOW!!**

Regards & Blessings

Jurek Wypych  
PRINCIPAL

