# 20 June 2017 In a Christian way we learn today for tomorrow

"Perseverance is a stubbornness with purpose."

Dear Parents, Pupils and Parishioners,

#### COOL AT SCHOOL

Congratulations to Jaymie Flynn, one of our lovely Year 6 students who has a great work ethic, is always willing to help and displays great perseverance.

#### SENIOR SYNDICATE MASS TOMORROW - YOU ARE INVITED

Our seniors celebrate their first Mass as a syndicate tomorrow in our school chapel at 9am. Please join us, (may be the last chance before they leave us!) GOOD LUCK MATHEMATICIANS

Four senior teams represent St Patrick's next Week at the annual HB Mathletics Challenge. All the best to:

YEAR 7 - Saoirse, Victoria, Amelie, Cramer, Thomas, Hayden and Abby. YEAR 8 - Oscar, Lilli, Sam, Eli, Mark, Georgia and Ashleigh.

#### TAC'S SPEECH FINAL

Congratulations to Aliyah King who was placed third last Friday in the TACS Speech finals.

#### TAC'S NETBALL

All the best to our 3 senior teams that compete on Friday 30<sup>th</sup> at the annual TAC'S Netball Tournament. Thank you teachers, coaches and parent helpers as well as our players for their great attitude.

### SAUSAGE SIZZLE - THIS THURSDAY 22nd JUNE

An easy lunch and good value too! Raising funds for our Year 8 Camp to Wellington.

\$1.50 a sausage. Please bring money / order to your class teacher by 9am Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> June.

#### TRIVIA NIGHT 5 PLACES LEFT!!

Our 30 June (7.30pm start in the school hall) Big Night of Trivia is filling up fast. Call the office 843 9238 to register your team of 4 (\$20 per team). Great prizes, supper provided and refreshments for sale. **DON'T MISS IT!** 

Regards & Blessings Jurek Wypych PRINCIPAL



## Busy Times at St Patrick's School

We have had a fantastic Term 2 at St Patrick's School!

Our learners did very well at the Lit Quiz with our Year 5 and 6 students taking out first place. Our school wide inquiry topic, 'Communication', has been developed with our students learning through the speech competition, technology challenge preparation, statistical investigation entries and discovery learning, to name just some of the learning opportunities based on our inquiry focus.

As a school we celebrated Samoan Independence Day with our students and their fanau. This was a wonderful celebration



We have also had some fantastic achievements in the sporting arena with one of our basketball teams competing in the Queen's Birthday basketball competition, and our rugby team being undefeated at the barefoot 7s. Our netball and hockey teams have all had a great start to the season also. Many of our students had a ball creating and participating in the dance festival. We also hosted Reignier School at our recent disco. It has been a great term!