2 August 2011 In a Christian way we learn today for tomorrow

Dear Parents, Pupils and Parishioners,

Welcome back to Term 3 which promises to be very busy and rewarding for our pupils.

Make sure you are involved – Gala in 8 weeks!

KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS

Tiger DAssefa, her mum and family. Tiger was involved in a serious accident yesterday and is in hospital. She needs your prayers and we wish her a speedy recovery and return to school.

We also are thinking of Joshua & Luke Chamberlain as their loved Grandma (Rachel's mum) passed away in the weekend. May she rest in peace.

OUR LATEST ARRIVALS

We welcome 3 new pupils who began school yesterday. **Amanda Anaua** who is a year 8 pupil began in SM13 and all the way from Taiwan are **Rachel** (M11) and **Rebecca** (SM12) **Mogey** and their parents Cath & Scott.

Enjoy learning and making life-long friends.

MOST RECENT ARRIVAL

Congratulations to Chantelle and George on the safe arrival of Cooper, a young brother for a very proud big sister Paige.

PTA MEETING - TOMORROW NIGHT

We need you to join us tomorrow (**Wednesday 3**rd) at **7.30pm** in the school library for our first meeting of Term 3 as we discuss our GALA!

GALA HELP - NOTICE OUT WITH TODAYS' NEWSLETTER

Please put your name forward to help and return the **ORANGE** form by **THIS FRIDAY 5 AUGUST.**

COOL AT SCHOOL

To finish last term off in style we congratulate **Abbey Boyes**, a Year 1 pupil who is a treasure in class and to her classmates.

CLEVER COMPUTER SKILLS

Congratulations to **Magdalene Tidy** and **Chris Tichborne** who both gained a 'Credit' Pass in the recent I.C.A.S Computer Skills tests.

RUGBY REPS!

Congratulations to $Anthony\ Hodgson$ and $Nikau\ Murray-McGregor$ who have been selected for the Napier Ross Shield squad .

SCHOOL PHOTOS 2011 - NEXT WEEK

These happen on <u>Wednesday 10 August</u>. Information packs with your child's name preprinted and order forms go home with today's newsletter. Orders and payment need to be back at school to the office by this **Friday**, **5** August.

All cheques should be made out to "Photo Life Studio Ltd"

GRANDPARENTS LITURGY – NEXT FRIDAY

Our annual and ever-popular GRANDPARENTS LITURGY will be held next **Friday 12 August.** The Junior (Year 1 / 2) and Middle (Year 3 / 4) syndicates celebrate this beautifully and we always finish off with a picnic lunch. So spread the word and we'll see you here on the **12**th – **11.30am** in the school hall and afterwards for lunch.

SCHOLASTIC BOOKFAIR 10th – 12th AUGUST IN THE LIBRARY

8am – 4pm every day. Late night Thursday 11th 5 – 7pm.

GREAT BOOKS SEE YOU THERE

AN IMPORTANT VISITOR

At the end of last term we were visited by Bishop Charles Drennan, our new Bishop for the Palmerston North Diocese which covers Taranaki, Manawatu and Hawkes Bay. He spoke to our senior pupils and was shown around the school. What was very impressive was his open and friendly manner with our pupils and the real interest he showed in our school. Bishop Charles will officially take over from Bishop Peter Cullinane who retires at the end of this year after many years of wonderful service to us all.

PARENT / PUPIL / TEACHER CONFERENCE (INTERVIEWS)

These will be held at school on **Monday 15 August** and **Tuesday 16th August**. We encourage **all pupils to attend** these as they will be involved in leading this conference and telling how and what they are learning. Please return the interview reply slip at the bottom of this newsletter by **THIS FRIDAY 5 AUGUST** so that we can set interview times. (All families will be allocated a time).

ST JOSEPH'S WAIROA – CENTENNIAL CELEBRATIONS

For all those fortunate enough to attend St Joseph's School in Wairoa you have a chance to celebrate <u>100 YEARS</u> this Labour Weekend <u>21 – 23 October 2011</u>.

For information and registration details contact:-

TUESDAY 16 AUGUST 3.15 – 5.00pm

Jubilee Committee, 21 Clyde Rd, Wairoa 4108 or email jubilee@wairoa.school.nz

WILL BE AN AMAZING WEEKEND

KELLY SPORTS AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMME "SUPER SPORTS"

Kelly Sports is again offering its multisport programme on Tuesdays after school this term. SUPER SPORTS is designed specifically for year 1 – 4 children so they can experience a range of sports. For those who have never joined a club before it gives them the confidence to give sport a go. For children already playing sport it gives them an extra chance to improve their skills for the summer and winter seasons. To enrol please fill in the registration form enclosed with the newsletter or for further info contact Craig Findlay – craig@kellysports.co.nz or phone 843.4219.

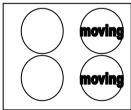
OUR LAST QUIZ

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Regards & Blessings

Jurek Wypych PRINCIPAL

THIS WEEK'S QUIZ



Please reply to classroom teacher by this Friday 5 th August		
Family:	Children:	Room:
My preference fo	or an interview is: (please circle)	
MONDAY 15	AUGUST 3.15 – 5.15pm or 6.15 – 8.30pm	