

St Anne's Catholic School

E-Newsletter #2 Term 2 16 May 2017

Upcoming Dates

WEEK 3

Tuesday 16 May
MPSSA Soccer Interschool
Tournament
Year 5 & 6 Soccer Teams
War Memorial Park

Wednesday 17 May Swimming Whakanui 1 & 2 Manurewa Leisure Pools

Auckland Basketball Services Limited (ABSL) sessions begin Arohanui 1 & 2

Thursday 18 May
Board of Trustees Meeting
Board Room 6pm
Parents welcome

ABSL sessions continue Aroha 1 & 2 Tumanako

Friday 19 May Morning Mass Prepared by Arohanui 2 9.00am St Anne's Church

WEEK 4

Monday 22 May Morning Liturgy/Assembly Arohanui 2/ Tumanako ALL Welcome

Tuesday 23 May MPSSA Rugby Interschool Tournament Year 5 & 6 Rugby Team Bruce Pulman Park

Dear Parents and Caregivers

Greetings, Kia Ora Koutou Katoa, Talofa Lava, Malo e Lelei, Kia Orana, Fakalofa, Kumusta, Shlama Ellokhon, Malo Ni, Salam Alaikum, Bula Vinaka, Namaste, Chao Ban

We hope you enjoyed our first emailed newsletter in week 1. I would like to thank Mrs Flavell, Mrs Hughes and Mrs Clyne who design and edit the newsletter. Our aim is to share the living school with you through pictures and videos, so you can see the school in action. These are often shared as links that are 'Blue' and 'Underlined'. To access these, click on the words, a link will appear, then click on the link and enjoy.

I hope you and your family enjoyed a relaxing mother's day this year. Mother's Day is one of my favourite thank you days. In the busyness of a modern life we get to say 'thank you for being our happiness protector, defender, pushing us along, superhero, inspiration, fashion sense protector, laugh at our jokes and for always loving us.

I have added this lovely tribute to mothers I hope you enjoy. Click on the following 'Blue Underlined Word'; Mother's Day Video.

Year 7 and 8 Outdoor Education Camp

I had the opportunity to be a part of the camp last week. What a wonderful camp and a quality run event. The laughter and fun was fantastic. The girls were involved in kayaking, flying fox, riding horses, climbing wall, archery and many other activities. Camps are experiences that the girls will remember forever. Thank you to Mrs McNamara and Ms Pereira for your organisation.

A thought to leave you with

"Catherine's confidence in God's guidance gave her courage to take extraordinary risks." M Carmel Bourke

God bless Glen Ryan PRINCIPAL



SwimmingArohanui 1 & 2 Manurewa Leisure Pools

Wednesday 24 May
Papakura Netball Tournament
Year 5-8 Netball Teams
Papakura Netball Courts

Swimming continues Whakanui 1 & 2 Manurewa Leisure Pool

ABSL sessions continue Arohanui 1 & 2

Thursday 25 May Year 7&8 Leaders Day For HOUSE CAPTAINS 9.30am - 2.00pm Vodafone Centre Manukau

MPSSA Rugby Interschool Tournament SAVE DAY Year 5 & 6 Rugby Team Bruce Pulman Park

ABSL sessions continue Aroha 1 & 2 Tumanako

Friday 26 May Whole School Mass Ascension of the Lord Prepared by Arohanui Tuatahi 9.00am St Anne's Church

WEEK 5

Book Week

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Samoan Language Week

Monday 29 May Morning Liturgy/Assembly Arohanui 1 ALL Welcome

Tuesday 30 May Swimming continues Arohanui 1 & 2 Manurewa Leisure Pools

Kia Ora Koutou Katoa



To start off our Week 2, we celebrated our Mums, Grandmothers, Aunties, Godmothers and Role Models with a lovely assembly lead by our House Captains. The House Captains shared the significance of their own motherly role models who attended the assembly alongside them.

MOTHERS DAY LITURGY TRIBUTE - VIEW PHOTOS





We also had children singing and signing for our assembly to celebrate New Zealand Sign Language Week. As a whole school we sang and signed our national anthem together.

Kapa Haka had a great start with 130 students enthusiastic and eager to learn. Whaea Jadein taught us a game called "Pepeha" and the Senior group began learning their first waigta.

KAPA HAKA WITH

JADEIN - VIEW

PHOTOS/VIDEO

Mrs Milich-Misikini Associate Principal Thank you to our wonderful children who also taught us how to sign some everyday words.



It was wonderful to see the great turn out of the many cultures at our Whanau Hui... CONTINUE TO READ...



Exciting news!!! Your child can now access IXL English online at home and at school. This programme supports your child's learning for Reading and Writing. To find out more click here.

Gospel Values of the Week

Honesty and Integrity Whakapono

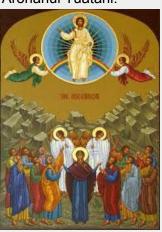
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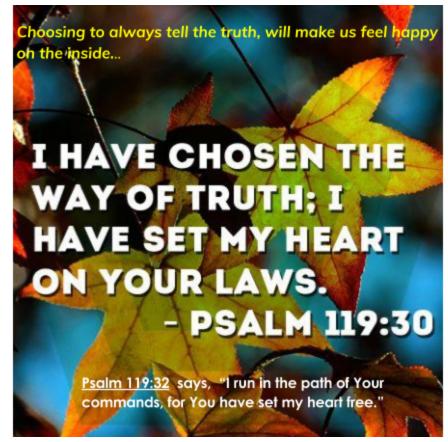
UPCOMING LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS:
Please join us.

Mon 22 May, 9am - Liturgy: Our Lady Help of Christians prepared by Arohanui Tuarua.



Fri 26 May, 9am - Ascension of the Lord, whole school Mass prepared by Arohanui Tuatahi.





<u>Honesty - school example</u> (click on link to view video) <u>Integrity - general example</u> (click on link to view video)

Below are the lovely lyrics of a popular Maori Waiata (Hymn). Click on the blue link below to hear this online.

E toru nga meaThere are three things

Nga mea nunui very important things

E ki ana Te Paipera as stated in the Bible

Whakapono Faith (Honesty and Integrity)

Tumanako Hope

Ko te mea nuiAnd the greatest of all

Aroha Love

E toru nga mea - Three important things

Our Lady, Help of Christians

<u>Info about Our Lady Help of Christians</u> (click on link to find out more). Mary, Help of Christians prayerful song

The tradition of this advocation goes back to 1571, when the whole of Christendom was saved by Mary Help of Christians when Catholics throughout Europe prayed the Rosary. All Europe had joined with the Emperor crying out "Mary, Help!" and praying the Holy rosary.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CURRICULUM

Holy Spirit Strand
Pentecost Liturgical Year
Family-Whanau book

Catholic Community Links
Auckland Catholic Diocese
St Anne's Parish Mass Time
Caritas



Blessings

Mrs Tumua

Pala'aia

Director of Religious





The Friendship Club helpers enjoying a morning at Otahuhu pools as a thank you for for their hard work and support to run Friendship Club in last term.



Michael Mangan put on two wonderful concerts for our students and staff last week on Tuesday 9 May. Everyone present, sang joyfully songs we already knew and new songs.

Michael has been composing Catholic Christian songs for 25 years and has composed over 250 pieces used in Liturgy and Religious Education programmes in schools and parishes throughout Australia, New Zealand, Canada and the USA. When he was a specialist music teacher, he would always look for songs suitable for the kids; this led him to writing songs which were inspired by students, his faith in Jesus and messages from the Bible. For example: Micah 6:8 'To act justly, and to love mercy, and to walk humbly with our God.'

The first song he wrote was, 'Come together let's celebrate, sing a joyful song'. One of his favourite songs is 'Hearts on fire'.

MICHAEL MANGAN ROCKS! - VIEW VIDEO





Friendship Club returns this term, starting this week. Friendship Club is a club which any child can attend on an assigned day during break times. Children can play with different board games and interact with others of the same age level. Friendships Club aims to introduce children to new experience with games, helps with turn taken, friendships and social skills.

Assigned Days are:

Monday second break is for Aroha 1 & 2 in Room 25

Tuesday first break is for Tika and Whakanui in the Library.

Thursday first break is Arohanui & Tumanako in the Library

Please encourage children to attend on assigned days or if you wish for your child to attend let a teacher or social worker Maria Heaney know and they can encourage your child to attend.



Well done to the following children who have received

Principal Awards

Aroha Reception 1 & 2:

Joana Acaso Joseph Mounga Philip Pani Kenn Tatireta

Tika - Year 1 & 2:

Aleena Khoshaba Michael Tuusolo Tilomai Avau Frances Papalii Leo Khoshaba Mosese Lounga Antonio Amatp

Whakanui - Year 3 &4:

Filipo Sua Daniel Tuusolo Lisandro Erimia Eline Tipasa Zeus Abundo Talosaga Vise Jacinta Etuati Alethis Beirne

Arohanui - Year 5 & 6:

Joseph Seduadua Roman Kaiaruna Gillian Redfern Darren Mauia David Isho Anthony Tran Kim Webster Sariyah Paitai

Tumanako - Year 7 & 8: Maribeth Tabaquero

Celebrating our Achievements & Successes

congratulations!



Our Excellence Trophy winner last week was Leizharn Kasi-Sagote from Tika Tuatahi. Leizharn was nominated for trying hard to complete his work.



This week's winners for our Excellence Trophy are Charlotte Pome'e-Tuia and Evelyn Hopkins - Tika Tuatahi. Both girls were nominated for using their gift of sign language to help the hub learn a new song.



Bravo to all our Excellence Trophy recipients - WOW all three students are from Tika Tuatahi!





<u>Upcoming Sports</u> Fixtures:

Tuesday 16 May MPSSA Soccer Interschool Tournament Year 5 & 6 Soccer Teams War Memorial Park

Tuesday 23 May (Save Date: Thursday 25 May) MPSSA Rugby Interschool Tournament Year 5 & 6 Rugby Team Bruce Pulman Park

Wednesday 24 May Papakura Netball Tournament Year 5-8 Netball Teams Papakura Netball Courts

Soccer

Mrs Baice and Miss Wong have been training two year 5&6 soccer teams who will be representing our school at the MPSSA Football Tournament today (Tuesday 16 May).

Have fun and go for it guys!



Rippa Rugby

As the captains of the rippa team we felt excited because for us it was an honour being captains of the team.

About our day...

"Our team was a bit nervous for our first game against Everglade because we knew they were a good team.

At the start of our semi-finals it was a bit disappointing because the other team scored the first try but we still had faith. We were working so hard! It got to the stage where we went over time. It went on for so long that they end up taking off four people from each team. We knew we could do it! Marcel started to run with the ball and we knew he would get the try - and he did! Everyone started to scream and we were so happy, but it wasn't the end.

Finals had begun, we were fighting to be on top of the leader board but it was frightening because we were up against Everglade again. We all had to fight ten times harder and we all knew that but we were just too tired. We still tried hard, we knew this was it! We came second after trying our best.

As captains we really enjoyed the day because we had fun and we worked hard as a team too."

Marcel & Sariyah (Captains)





Auckland Basketball
Services Limited (ABSL)
will be coming in to run
basketball skills
workshops with some of
our students. The
workshops start in week 3
and continue through until
week 9. These are held
during learning time and
are part of your child's
hub PE programme.

Workshops:

- Aroha 1 & 2 (Thursdays)
- Arohanui 1 & 2 (Wednesdays & Thursdays)
- Tumanako (Thursdays)



Papakura Netball Tournament

St. Anne's Catholic School have 5 teams (year 5-8) preparing to compete in the Papakura Netball Tournament. Please ensure you have brought back your permission slips, so that you do not miss out!

<u>Link to permission slip for Papakura Netball Tournament</u> (only for the teams selected).

Rugby

Well done to the year 5&6 students who have been preparing for the MPSSA Tackle Rugby Tournament. Both permission slips need to be returned to Mrs Tino as soon as possible.

<u>Link to permission slips for MPSSA Tackle Tournament</u> and <u>link to NZRU Registration Form</u> (only for the selected team).

A special thank you to Rupeni Seduadua who came in to run a training session with the boys last week. Always great to have the support of our whanau community!

WERO Whitewater Rafting

Our year 6 students have been given the opportunity to participate in the Fast Moving Water Safety Session at WERO Whitewater Rafting Park.

Thanks to WERO, Swimgym, Counties Manukau Sport (Kiwisport) and the John Walker Field of Dreams Foundation, transport and entry is at no cost to your child!

The session will take place during the last few weeks of the term - the exact date is yet to be confirmed. Once the date has been confirmed, a note will go home informing families of the update.

<u>Link to Year 6 WERO Whitewater Rafting permission slips</u> and <u>link to WERO Parental Consent Form</u> (only for year 6 students).

Board of Trustees

On Wednesday, 3 May a number of our Board of Trustees visited the school and were able to see first hand how the hubs looked and operated. Board members talked to the teachers and students were able to tell them what they were learning and what their learning outcome would be. What a great opportunity to finally see our school in action. Many thanks to Colin Hopkins, Louise Manuatu, Vivian Pereira and Audrina Flavell for taking the time to visit.







TUMANAKO

<u>Lakewood Lodge Adventure Farm Camp</u>

KAYBRIELLE - My week at Camp summed up in one word would have to be "surprising" It wasn't at all what I expected it to be, but in a positive way. I shared a room with three other girls, it wasn't in the main dormitory, but I enjoyed that. My favourite activity was archery which I had never done before and I have to say I was surprisingly good at it. The most challenging activity that really pushed me to my limit was the Climbing Wall, man it was hard. Thank you to everyone who made this week possible.

CHEYENNE - My week at Camp summed up in one word would have to be "enthusiasm" It was just everywhere, bubbling up all over the place. Dormitory sleeping with 20 other girls was different, can you imagine the chatter after lights out? My favourite activity was Kayaking because It was hilarious watching my Mum trying to keep her balance in the Kayak. The most challenging for me was also the climbing wall because there was a swarm of ladybugs at the time which made it very hard to concentrate.



TUMANAKO CAMP - VIEW PHOTOS





Reminder Notice to parents in Aroha Tuatahi.

Please send back the reply slips for our outing on the train on Tuesday, 23 May 2017 asap. The cost is \$5.00 per student.

Thank you Mrs Hey



This morning staff took part in a Pink Ribbon Breakfast in support of the Breast Cancer Foundation. They enjoyed a lovely breakfast and prayed for those affected by breast cancer and their families. Over \$500 was raised for this worthy cause.

PINK RIBBON STAFF BREAKFAST - VIEW PHOTOS

Congratulations to our newly elected 2017 Parent, Teacher and Friends Association Committee. Thank you for volunteering to support our school.

- Ana Baice Chairperson
- Margaret Fata-To'o Secretary
- Debbie Sparks Treasurer
- Rob Ross
- Rachel Hopkins
- Seini Kuluka
- Rita loane
- Hanna Malele
- Koni Havea
- Josephine Fiso
- Diana Heke-Baice

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Week 4 May 22-26 is Bullying Free NZ week.

If you wish to enter a competition to win \$500 dollars worth of technology or other resource for our school, please view details.

COMPETITION - VIEW DETAILS



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