



E-Newsletter # 10 - Term 2
Week 10 2021
Wednesday 7 July 2021

Learn to Love,
Love to Learn

Akona te Aroha, Arohaina te Ako

Upcoming Dates

Week 1

Monday 26 July

Morning Powhiri -Liturgy
9.00 am in the Church

Friday 30 July

Whole School Mass
St Anne's Feast Day
9.00am in the Church

Tabloid Sports

Whole School

Cook Island Language Week

Week 2

Monday

Morning Liturgy
9.00 am

Led by Cook Island
Community

Friday

Hub Led Mass

9.00am in the Church
Led by Whakanui Tuatahi

School Assembly

2.00pm in the Church
Led by Cook Island
Community

Greetings, Kia Ora Koutou Katoa, Talofa Lava, Malo e Lelei, Kia Orana, Fakalofa atu, Kumusta, Shlama Ellokxon, Zdravo, Kona Mauri, Malo Ni, Salam Alaikum, Bula Vinaka, Namaste, Chao Ban

On Saturday we celebrated the life of Mrs Rebecca Ross, wife of Mr Rob Ross. Unfortunately she has been sick for a couple of years and it was time to be with the Father.

Rebecca brought so many wonderful gifts to the world, including to our own whanau here at St Anne's. She was a strong member of our Parish and dedicated to the Parish Maori community.

We celebrate Matariki, the beginning of a new year, starting with a school and community Liturgy. It was an honour to have Mr Ross's whanau with us during the celebration. It was an opportunity for the whanau to complete their celebration of Rebecca before heading home.

To me this whakatauki summed up the efforts of everyone involved in the Tangi throughout the week:

E iti noa ana nā te aroha

A small thing given with love

Nga mihi nui to all our whanau for your support over the term. We appreciate all you do for us as a school community. We look forward to more exciting events and opportunities in Term 3.

God Bless

Mr Ryan
Principal



'The union which exists among you will draw down the favour and blessing of Heaven.'

Catherine McAuley

First Day of
school
for Term 3
Monday, 26 July
2021

Disciple of the Week



In Week 8 the **Disciple of the Week** trophy was awarded to Delecia of Whakanui Tuatahi for playing with students who didn't have friends



In Week 9 the **Disciple of the Week** trophy was awarded to Thomas of Arohanui Tuarua for an act of kindness to another student at the Reins programme where both attend.



ManaKidz

"Kia ora! It's great to have got through a whole term at school with no lockdown! Just a reminder that the Mana Kidz health team are still working through the holidays and if you need any medical advice please don't hesitate to get in touch. If your child does develop a sore throat, please take them to your GP. Or you can contact Nurse Rebecca - 022 618 7811. Have a great break. Rebecca and Jane (Mana Kidz Health Team)."

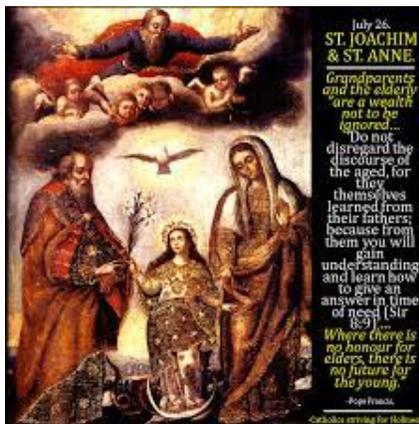
World Day of Prayer for Grandparents

This year, Pope Francis has declared July 25th as the 'World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly', which will be held throughout the Church every year on the fourth Sunday of July, close to the feast of Saints Anne and Joachim, the grandparents of Jesus. Pope Francis wrote "It is important for grandparents to meet their grandchildren, and for grandchildren to meet their grandparents, because - as the prophet Joel says - grandparents, before their grandchildren, will dream (Joel 3:1), and young people, taking strength from their grandparents, will go forward and prophesy".



Grandparents and the elderly are often overlooked, but this new day in the Universal Church calendar is a momentous achievement for grandparents and the elderly and will hopefully reassure them that they are loved and that they are needed.

Feast of Saint Anne and Joachim



Term 3 begins with the Feast of Saint Anne and Joachim (July 26), and as members of the Saint Anne School and Parish community, we will be celebrating the feast of our namesake alongside our grandparents. We have dedicated a week of celebrating this wonderful feast, with each Hub planning different learning activities for the children and looking at

ways to have our children's grandparents participate during the week. As a whole school, we will end the week with a full school Mass on Friday, and we invite all our grandparents to join us for this celebration of the Eucharist. Following the conclusion of the Mass, grandparents are invited to join their grandchildren in their hubs to share in their learning before coming together for Morning Tea.

Through the intercession of St. Joachim and St. Anne, let us ask God for all the grandparents and the elderly so that they keep on providing indispensable love, support and affection to their grandchildren with their prayers, faith, wisdom and holiness.

Activities



Celebrating Matariki



Matariki (Maori New Year) is a time of celebrating the diversity of life, signals growth, change and remembering loved ones. A possession of candles each one representing a Matariki star and a gift as well as our remembrance books was displayed during our liturgy. The rest of the day was filled with fun activities.





Well done to the following children who have received

Principal Awards

Aroha - Year 0&1:

Leonardo Amato
Psalms Tafemalii
Nathaniel Sevaio
Micha Aukuso

Tika - Year 1&2:

Sophia Kasi
Rayven Filivao
Charisma Silivelio Ulugia
Holden Darlington
Nirushika Jenardnimalraj

Whakanui -Year 3&4:

Olivia Malele
Violet Silva
Athaliah Lago
Nathan Lambert-Baker
Annie Tatireta
Raymondo Barnett
Emosi Tabudravu
Monte-Carlo Matiu

Arohanui - Year 5&6:

Kyler-Jay Timali-Siau
Jaxon Changaia
Amber Paras
Freddie Hopkins
Alecko Fafita

Tumanako - Year 7&8:

Eline Tipasa
Seini Berwick
Angella Sta Maria
Magdala Fafoi



Congratulations!

Fantastic Language Ambassadors



In Week 8 the Excellence Award trophy went to Tumanako for their work on a video which they produced for International Language Week. The song 'happy and you know it' sung in different languages. Please click [here](#).



Budding Scientists



In Week 9 the Excellence Award trophy went to Ella & Amazingrace of Whakanui Tuatahi. Their Stream video was presented to the Board of Trustees. The Board were impressed by the girls professionalism and their detailed knowledge of their stream project on volcanoes and how they affect the fertility of our whenua.

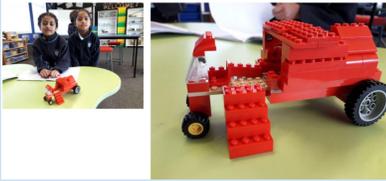
Lego Groups



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Lego Extension Groups

During Term 2, Mr Hey worked with Tika and Whakanui students in the Lego Room. The students worked in groups and accepted Mr Hey's Challenge. The students had to work together to problem solve and then write about their findings and the results are amazing. Well done



Tika Groups



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Whakanui Tuatahi



Whakanui Tuarua

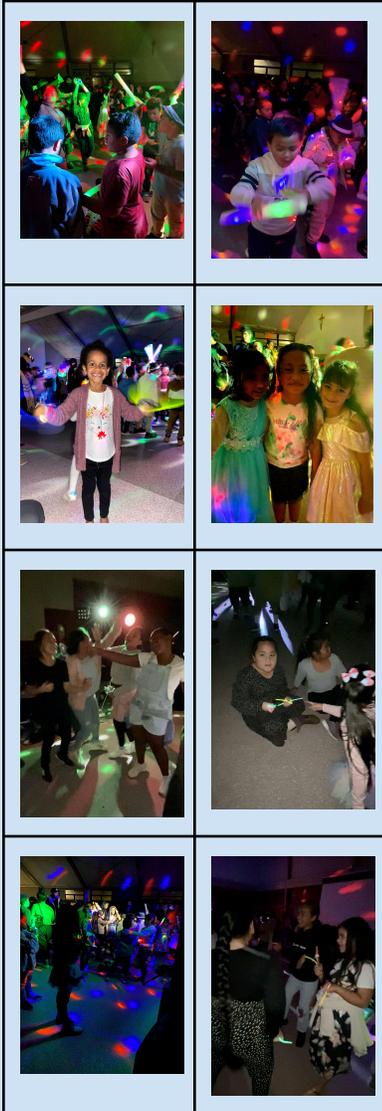
EPRO 8 Extension Groups



Mr Gibbs also gave a group of Arohanui students many challenges where as a group they had to discuss, come up with a plan and put it together to create fantastic mechanical working machines. Finally, the test run, 3-2-1. GO!!

School Disco

It was a fantastic night which everyone had a great time. Lots of dancing, plenty of hotdogs to eat and glow sticks swinging in time to the beat of the music. The PTFA would like to thank all those who supported the event.



Kia orana Whānau,

This week Mrs Stent took the year 5&6 volleyball team to their tournament. They had a great time and played really well.



Well done to all the children who have participated in school sports this term. Thank you for spending your morning teas and lunch times practicing and preparing for your tournaments. A big thank you to all the coaches who have been responsible for leading a sport this term, without you it wouldn't be possible.

I'd also like to thank all the coaches who have supported us with our St Anne's Shield training on Monday afternoons. This term we had support with netball, thank you Santana and Jade. We also had some young adults from Manurewa High School come and help coach our ripper and rugby teams. Thank you very much Peter for organising this.



As term 2 draws to a close we are busy making plans for our whole school tabloid sports, which will take place on Friday the first week back, which is St Anne's Feast day. Whanau are invited to celebrate this day with us.

Kia Kaha,
Miss Lewis
Sports Coordinator

Quote of the week:

"It's about working hard, and resting when you need to" Adama Traore

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