

St Anne's Catholic School

E-Newsletter # 17 Term 4 23 October 2018

Upcoming Dates

- WELCOME-BACK TO SCHOOL

Week 2 Tokelauan Language Week

Wednesday 24 October & Thursday 25 October School Class/Hub Photos

Please ensure children are in the correct full school uniform. Good time to check that all school uniform items including sandals and shoes are clearly named. Thank you.

Sports Team Photos

Children will be notified by the Sports Coordinator if their team will be having a photo.

Thursday 25 October Year 7&8 Technology

Friday 26 October School Assembly

Led by our Team Leaders
Whanau please feel free to join us in celebrating our week.
2.00 pm - Church

Week 3

Monday 29 October

No morning liturgy today We will be having morning liturgy this Thursday for All Saints/All Souls Day.

Great to be Home

After our fantastic break overseas we are so happy to be home. One of my learnings was a greater appreciation of what New Zealand has to offer and our current quality of life. However it is something we need to keep ahold of and be proactive in.

Greetings, Kia Ora Koutou Katoa, Talofa Lava, Malo e Lelei, Kia Orana,

Fakalofa atu, Kumusta, Shlama Ellokhon, Zdravo, Kona Mauri, Malo Ni,

Salam Alaikum, Bula Vinaka, Namaste, Chao Ban

Pope Francis has asked us to take care for God's creation. From seeing how the environment has changed since my last visit overseas 15 years ago, we need to be careful. We each have a responsibility to reduce our waste, recycle and care for our community green spaces. We have an amazing green environment, let's continue to care for it.

Term 4 Events

We have many exciting events planned for the term, including: Gala, School Athletics, Kids for Kids Choir, Ukulele Festival, Life Education Bus, Parish School Mass, Cultural Dance Festival, Weetbix Tryathlon, Kapa Haka Festival, Leaders Trip to Wellington, Written Reports, Helpers morning tea, Prizegiving and Leavers Mass.

We are packing this into a nine week term. I thank the staff for taking the time to lead the pupils in these events and giving the pupils the opportunities.

We would love to have you with us, please keep an eye on the Upcoming Dates.

School Gala

A big thank you to the school whanau who have offered their support of the Gala. Your donations, selling (buying) raffle tickets and helping run the stalls on the day means so much. We look forward this amazing community event.

A thought to leave with you:

"No virtue is perfect without prudence"

Ngā mihi nui and God Bless

PTFA/Gala Meeting

Stall Co-ordinators & Helpers Meeting.

7.00 pm in the Staffroom.

Tuesday 30 October Arohanui Reading Degree Ceremony

9.30 am - Church

Year 7&8 Technology

Thursday 1 November Whole School Morning Liturgy - All Saints Day Led by Arohanui Tuatahi

Year 7&8 Technology

Board of Trustees Meeting 6.00pm - Board Room Parents & Caregivers are welcome to attend.

Friday 2 November School Assembly

Led by Whakanui Tuatahi Whanau please feel free to join us in celebrating our week. 2.00 pm - Church

Week 4

Monday 5 November Morning Liturgy Led by Whakanui Tuarua All welcome

PTFA/Gala Meeting

Please feel free to join us for our last Gala meeting. It's never too late to come and join our PTFA.
7.00 pm in the Staffroom.

A very big welcome!

To the following students (and their whanau) who have recently started at our school

William Tran
Anthony Tran
David Finau
Tajshan Foliano
Hunter Betham

Mr Ryan Principal



Overviews For This Term

Aroha

Tika

Whakanui

Arohanui

Tumanako

Please click on the links on the left to read the Learning Overview for your child's team from their Team Leader informing you of what's happening in their learning this term.

Welcome back to the new term and the last for the year...



October has traditionally been known in the Catholic Church as the month of the Rosary. This occurred because the Feast of **Our Lady of the Rosary** is celebrated on October the 7th.

One **Devotional Prayer** of the Catholic Church is the Rosary. People have prayed the Rosary for hundreds of years since about the 13th century. St Dominic taught the people of his time how to pray the Rosary. According to some Catholic traditions, the Rosary was given to Saint Dominic in a vision of the Blessed

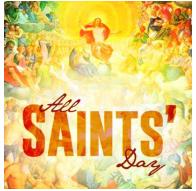
Virgin Mary and it was then promoted by Blessed Allan de la Roche. Many Popes throughout the ages, following the account given by Blessed Allan de la Roche, have spoken of the Rosary coming to straight from Our Lady, through St Dominic.



Gospel Value of the week JUSTICE TIKA

UPCOMING LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS: Please join us.

Thursday 1 November



ALL SAINTS DAY Liturgy Led by Arohanui Tuatahi 9.00 am - Church

Friday 2 November ALL SOULS DAY Hub led Mass Arohanui Tuarua 9.00am - Church

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CURRICULUM

Strand: Communion of Saints

Family-Whanau book

Catholic Community Links

Auckland Catholic Diocese
St Anne's Parish Mass Time



During this month, maybe you and your whanau can set aside some time to say and meditate on this wonderful prayer, that allows us to know the coming of Jesus (The Joyful Mysteries), His life and work here on earth (The Luminous Mysteries), the pain and suffering He endured to save us from our sins (The Sorrowful Mysteries) and the events that took place after His death (The Glorious Mysteries). These stories help us understand and reflect on the life of Jesus and Our Lady and to know them better, so that we can learn to follow Jesus more closely.



Disciple of the Week

Week 1
Alexandra
For doing the right thing and helping others do the same



Well done to the following children who have received

Principal Awards

Aroha - Year 0&1:

Lifa Alenepi Earlene Maisog Jovana Leapepe

Tika - Year 1&2:

Kingston Luatua Monie Prosser-Smith Christian Sharma Victoria Ledger

Whakanui -Year 3&4:

Michael Tuusolo Benjamin Fiso-Lolohea Christopher Yousif Sadie-Rose Peni Spence Ioane Feao Fehoko

Arohanui - Year 5&6:

Etuale Iosefa Weston Ioane Alena Lotulelei Franeli Leota Rozahnia Malaki

Tumanako - Year 7&8:

Victoria Fatongiatau



Celebrating our Achievements & Successes



Sharing Skills & Knowledge



John Andrew and Bolyn

Last week, the Excellence Award was shared between students John Andrew and Bolyn. Both students were nominated for taking the time to share their skills and knowledge of riding bikes to teach someone else in their hub who was less confident.

Superb End to Term 3

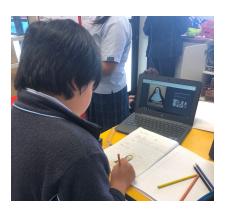
Our last week of last Term was a busy week - Mercy Day celebrations; superheroes mufti day raised \$425 for the Hearing House; our school choir performed beautifully at Erin Park and our Year 7&8 girls basketball team competed hard at the Counties Zones basketball tournament.



Mercy Day Mass & Activities



Superheroes Mufti Day







<u>Upcoming Sports</u> Fixtures:



Week 2

Thursday 25 October MPSSA Touch Tournament

Year 5&6 Touch team Bruce Pulman Park (SAVE DATE - 29/10/18)

Week 4



Tuesday 6 November MPSSA Softball Tournament Year 5&6 Softball team Bruce Pulman Park (SAVE DATE - 8/11/18)

Wednesday 7 November CSSA Athletics Meet

Year 7&8 Athletics team Massey Park Papakura (SAVE DATE - 12/11/18)

Miss Siluuga Sports Coordinator

Year 7 & 8 Girls Touch Rugby finish second in Central Counties



Last Wednesday nine nervous, excited touch rugby girls headed off to represent our school at the Inter School Touch Rugby tournament held at Bruce Pulman park. Our awesome coaches Mrs Milich-Misikini and Mr Ross were just as excited. We were all determined to do our very best! All our games were challenging, given that we only had a few trainings beforehand but we all dug deep and played our hearts out especially in the thrilling semi-finals. This game was tied at 2-2 which meant drop off - this is when a player is dropped off every two minutes. We were ecstatic when the talented Tiare crossed the try line, winning it for us by one point! Finals was tougher against the tight Clendon Park team but we didn't give up. Overall we came second place which means our team has made it to the Counties Zones. Thank you to our tremendous coaches and supporters.

Krystal Hughes (Captain)

Reminder - School Uniform

All our tamariki (children) should be in full SUMMER uniform now. This includes having correct summer footwear and correct coloured hair ties. Please parents name all your child's or children's items.



@ the School Office

Attendance Dues

Please contact Mrs Sparks at the school office if you have any queries regarding your account or you are unable to make payments Ph 269 0023. Thank you.

School Uniform

Our school uniform is now available for you to purchase online through our supplier **Argyle Schoolwear**.





2019 Enrolments

We are now taking enrolments for Term 1 2019. If you have a child turning 5 and not yet enrolled please come to the school office to collect an enrolment pack.



St Anne's Manurewa Facebook Remember all students need their school hats for Term 4. School Slouch hats (Yr 0-6) are available for \$15.00 and caps (Yr7&8) are available for \$12.00 from the School Library.

Less than 3 weeks to go until our Gala SATURDAY NOVEMBER 10TH

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Noel Leeming Friends & Family Deals



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