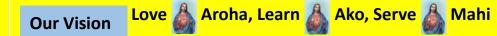


ST. PAUL'S SCHOOL

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Our Mission Statement

St Paul's School Massey provides quality

education for children in a Catholic community committed to Gospel Values.





HAPPY EASTER Ngā Mihi o te Aranga!

Loving God, Our hearts are so full of joy today. You feel so near to us on this most special celebration of Easter. May the love we feel this morning stay with us the rest of the day and always. We pray in Your holy name. Amen.

I can do all things in Christ because he gives me strength. Paul's Letter to Philippians 4:13

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Hello, Kia Ora, Tālofa lava, Mālō ē lelei, Annyong (Korean), Namaste, Privet, Ni Hao, Hola (Spanish), Kamusta (Filipino), Bula vinaka (Fijian), Muraho (Rwandan), Apa kabar (Indonesian), Hallo (Dutch), Fakaalofa lahi atu (Niuean), Kia Orana (Cook Island), Minggalaba (Myanmar), Akwaaba (Ghanian)



1 Feb	School begins
21 Mar	50 Reading Nights
11 April	Colour Fun Run
12 April	Room 11 Liturgy
12 April	Last day of Term One
29 April	First Day of Term Two
08 May	Chess Tournament
11 May	Wider West Netball begins
02 –30 May	Thursday Swim Skills for Years 4-6
13-17 May	Rotuman Language Week
03 June	King's Birthday
28 June	Matariki
17 Dec	Last day of school

WEEK 10

Ngā Mihi o te Aranga, kia koutou! Happy Easter, to everyone!

I hope you have all had a blessed start to the joyfilled season of Easter. It was a privilege to attend the services at St Paul's Parish over Holy Week and seeing so many of our children and their whānau.

It was also a blessing to witness our Year 6 Leaders lead our school through Holy Week and into Easter with reverent and moving re-enactments of the Triduum—the 3 days of Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Easter Sunday. They led with grace and reverence.

Easter is the season of new life and hope. I pray that your lives are filled with hope and joy over the coming weeks.

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Each class has received an Easter chain. For morning prayers, each day in Easter, the children will break open a link in the chain with an action that will bring joy into the lives of others. Please look out for these Easter acts of kindness.

Ngā mihi mahana Angelina Brayne Acting Principal

Triduum and Easter Liturgy



LIBRARY BOOKS need to be returned by the end of the term for stocktake.

Please ensure your child returns their school library books before the school holidays. Thank you.

Reading Nights:

If your child has read every night then they should be on 63 **Reading Nights and should have** received their 25 Reading Nights Certificate and 50 Reading Nights Certificate,



25 Nights:

Morgan Loninia, Miller Dwyer.

50 Nights:

Liam Libin, Anneka Tisch, Ryder Thomas, Kellan McMahon, Micah Lim, Cole Wharton, Miller Dwyer, Grace Theethay, Kyrene Anoneuvo, Anton Jose, Avidan Santo, Rose Bao, Joeli Wainigolo, Beau Ongoongo, Jamaine Graham, Jedidiah Quezon, Isla McGeady, Maria Ale, Eva Tagaloa, Martin Shao, Lachlan Finnemore, Isabelle Dalton, Zayne Meyers, Oliver Sherning, Tatum Forsyth, Maia Takau, Ricci Boyd, Aiyana Tahere, Oliver Hasset, Noah Caneda, Cabe Bareman, Mona-Jnr Lo Tam, Logan Marr, Semisi Nasau, Lennon Tillet, Louie Quinio, Romeo Faylona, Theo Gould, Calida Marmeto, Chanze O'Gorman, Oscar Tagaloa, Evelyn Eby, Bella Jones, Ma'ana Tiumalu, Nazareth Cheung-Tau, AJ Arama-Schwalger, Rylee Berghan, Lose Faeamani, Ollie Luzada, Shenelle Pal, Aranui Muller, Lachlan Carr

The season will commence on May 11 (Term 2). Games will not be played King's Birthday weekend (June 1) or Saturday 6 July Term 2 break.



WE NEED COACHES AND MANAGERS.

Please see Ms Brayne of Ms Mackay if you would like information and support for coaching netballwe cannot have teams without coaches and managers. We need you!

NETBALL TRIALS WILL BE HELD TOMORROW AND NEXT WEEK-LUNCH TIMES. We will let you know when teams are formed.

Tomorrow Thursay 04 April—Year 1-2 Trials at lunchtime

Next week Tuesday 9 and Wednesday 10 April-Years 3-6 Trials at lunchtime—please bring a pair of running /sports shoes.

TOUCH RUGBY— Last Tuesday the Year 5 and 6 students participated in the inter-school cluster Touch Rugby Competition. Everyone had a great time and all tried their very best. Thank you to Miss T and to all the parents and whānau who helped with transport and cheering on the kids from the sidelines. Your support is much appreciated. The girls' team placed a respectable 7th overall, while the boys made it to the finals and came 2nd to Ranui Primary.



Uniform Shop

Open: <u>Friday only</u> 8.00 - 9.00am Cash/Eftpos

Please note that the uniform shop price reflects the latest costs from our supplier, embroidery and shipping.

SCHOOL HATS

Please also purchase a hat for \$15.00. Hats are now to be worn outside. <u>NO HAT NO PLAY</u>

Year 5 and 6 students must wear the school PE shirt (\$16.00) for Physical Education lessons.

COLOUR FUN RUN

School Colour Fun Run will commence on 11 April.

There is only a week to go till the St. Paul's Fun Run on Thursday 11th April. We are making good progress with over half of the students having created a profile and finding sponsors already. Room 13 was the first class to have all their students set up with a profile, so they will be receiving a Juicie as a reward on Friday.

We still have lots of children who are yet to create a profile. The profile takes less than 5 minutes to set up. It would be great to get all the children set up so they can raise \$10 and receive a prize. (To receive a prize, the students will only be eligible if they have created the electronic profile.) The children can still collect sponsors till the end of the holidays.

The students wear old clothes and sneakers including a white tshirt on the day. They don't come to school wearing their uniforms that day. Remember that students won't be getting changed back into their uniform afterward. They will be released straight from the field afterward and won't be showered and changed, so bring an old blanket or towels to protect your car seats.

Parents are most welcome to come and watch the event!

PTFG will run sausage sizzle.

SCHOOL DUES

Stationery should be paid by now.

Please pay your Term 1 Dues by the end of this term (next week).

Camp and Sports fees are to be paid as soon as possible.

Please contact Mrs Leony if you have any questions.

Email: leonyl@stpaulsprimary.school.nz Phone: 832 7200 (9am-3pm) Thank you.

WATER SKILLS FOR LIFE

Water Skills for Life for students in Years 4, 5 and 6 will commence in Week 1 of Term 2 on Thursday 02 May. There will be five lessons in total with the last lesson on Thursday 30 May.

A letter will be sent home tomorrow to these students with further information

Sports Results:



St Paul's Warriors LOST 14-12 POD: Jamaine Graham St Paul's Hoop Heroes LOSS 10-12 POD: Keelyn Delaney St Paul's Aces WON 10:4 POD: Lufi Thakur

SPARE CLOTHES

Please bring spare clothes for your child in his/her bag (including underwear).

It does not have to be school uniform.

Alleluia! Jesus is Risen! Alleluia

Mary Zellman - Principal