

ST. PAUL'S SCHOOL

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Our Mission Statement

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St Paul's School Massey provides quality



Congratulations to the children who received the Sacrament of Reconciliation at the end of last term. It was a beautiful milestone on their faith journey. Many thanks to Irae and her wonderful team who prepared the children to receive the sacrament and to Father Etuati and Father Mosese for beautifully celebrating the sacrament for the children.

Also, remember it is still Easter, the season of resurrection, new life, joy and hope. Think about the things in your life that give you hope and joy and remember to share joy and hope with those you encounter.

Easter Blessings to everyone!

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	
29 April	75 Reading Nights	I
02—30 May	Thursday Swim Skills for Years 4-6	
03 May	Pūkeko Whānau 1 Liturgy	1
08 May	Chess Tournament	
11 May	Wider West Netball begins	
13—17 May	Rotuman Language Week	
13—17 May	New Zealand Sign Language Week	
14 May	Hearing and Vision testing for various students	
17 May	Pūkeko Whānau 2 Liturgy	1
21 May	8-11 Year Old Interschool Cross Country Competition	
27—31 May	Samoan Language Week	
31 May	Room 8 Liturgy	ļ
03 June	King's Birthday	
28 June	Matariki	
17 Dec	Last day of school	

WEEK 01

Kia ora koutou e te Whānau o Hāto Paora,

What a fantastic start to the term we've had with our Fun Run! Not only did we rally together and raise a significant amount of funds, destined to enrich our school with a treasure trove of wonderful books and resources, but we also reveled in a tremendously successful afternoon yesterday. From navigating obstacles with boundless energy, whether it was running, crawling, or leaping, all while being adorned with paint in every hue of the rainbow, our students showcased their enthusiasm and spirit. It was equally heartening to see the support from our parents and we extend a huge thank you to Mrs. Haigh and Mrs. Nelson for orchestrating such a memorable event. For those who missed out on watching the event, be sure to swing by the school office where Mrs. Leony has compiled a video capturing the highlights of the day. A friendly reminder that there are still some children who have yet to select their prizes from the Fun Run. This selection process must be completed by this Friday to ensure seamless coordination with the Fun Run company for prize allocation. With early confirmation expected next week, we anticipate the arrival of these prizes around Week 5.

In other exciting news, our St. Paul's Netball teams have undergone trials and been assigned to teams with dedicated coaches and managers. We extend our sincere gratitude to the parents who generously volunteer their time for this endeavour. Managers are currently in the process of reaching out to teams, and practices are commencing this week. We eagerly anticipate witnessing our students showcase their skills on the court. Games are set to commence on the 11th at West Harbour School.

As we look ahead to the term filled with fantastic learning opportunities, we extend warm greetings and appreciation to you all.

Ngā mihi nui kia koutou katoa,

Patricia Mackay (Acting Principal)



Reading Nights:

If your child has read every night then they should be on 78 Reading Nights and should have received their 25, 50, and 75 Reading Nights Certificate.



25 Nights:

McKenzie Bulatiko, William Suniula, Roman Larsen-Marsters, Brooklyn Mtakwa

50 Nights:

Daphney Walla, Ethan Page, Jaanvi Narayan, Ashton Bos, Tina Nguyen, Leo Panassollo, Ella Grigor, Casey Thomas, Liam Apacible, Chantelle Mazana, Janica Turno, Brooks Carlisle, Zoey Page, Thomas Suan Te, Sia Choi, Beau Berghan, Maria Chang, Sophia De Leon, Ethan Lam, Zevyda Maafu

75 Nights:

Olliver Hernandez, Kenzo Logue, Jackson Moore, Fateh Singh, Ray Orbeso, Ollie Davies, Ivie Holmes, Neo Norio, Aurora Hawkins-Smith, Maddie Petaia, Lorrina Moimoi, Nazareth Cheung-Tau, Zayne Meyers, Aidan Arun, Bella Kiran, Sybella Salang, Violet Oliver, Matilda Karnadi, Emma Edginton, Ollie Luzada, Alban Lyes, DeAndre Ngavaine, Blake De Brianson Wilson, Bethany Bergin, Lose Faeamani, Kira Netto, Hope Moimoi, Melehola Akauola, Cora Suniula, Faith Moimoi, Jayden Velandy, Meila Lyons, Semisi Kalaniuvalu, Zia April, Arian Babatugon, Sharlene Pal, Noah Sawyer, Alexander Longville, Miles Hill, Zara Williams, Mikayla Caneda, Ezekiel Pereira, Isaac Lobo, Noah Apacible, Ella Angeles, Mikaela Perez, Brooks Carlisle, Micaiah Williams, Anthony Balbir-Kok, Jaxon Carvalho, Hayley Albinto, Henry Liu, Archie Sawyer, Alice Duncan, Yanexa Quezon, Aquilina Amil, Hayley Salazar, Marcus Schaub Remor, Mila Arama-Schwalger, Rosina Andrusca, Lily Borg, Maia Luna, Lucia Kim, Lui Chae, Veronica Abdo, Sam Do, Zoey Page, Harmony Edwards, Nikolis Levi, Alexander De Costa, Zariya Faith Sadik, Irene Praiju, Yoha Choi, Felix Vo, Tatum Forsyth, Aranui Muller, Ira Jimenez, Jun Young An, Bronx Waikiki, Madeline Bryce, Amelia Bergin, Foheloa Funaki, Oliver Aholima, Jake Dy, Archie McKenna, Xavier Morales, Beckett Tillett, Thomas Suan Te, Agampreet Kaur, Marc Angeles, Shiloh Nicholas, Elizabeth Lee, Asher Amil, Siena Ongoongo,

Reading Nights cont.

Maddy Dalton, Zoe Sebastian, Sia Choi, Malakai Nengomasha, Izayah Hei Hei, Beau Berghan, Joshua Theethay, Ian Noh, Jaxson Sunderland, Luke Sana, Micah Lim, Johann Victoriano, Soyul Park, Emma King, Grace Mary Theethay, Maria Chang, Kellan McMahon, Wyatt Philpott, Ana Misinale, Isabelle Light, Janvi Shankar, Kiara Cheung-Tau, Joel Kwon, Jianna Wainiqolo, Lazarus Sadik, Anna Lian Zaw, Nicole Ferdean, Zahli McKenna, Lennon Tillett, Kaya Love, Romeo Faylona, Achilles Wineera, Ezekiel Epati, Roman Bosnich, Louis Connon-Strickett, Theo Gould, Kyla Ocampo, Liam Mangunay, Bodhi Parker.



Sports Results



Before Holiday:

St Paul's Panther: WON 26-4, POD: Kanoa Tai St Paul's Saints: WON 20-8, POD: Gavyn Tabora

This week:

St Paul's Saints: WON 20-16, POD: River Hemara St Paul's Disciples: DRAW 7 all, POD: Isabel Gatland St Paul's Little Legends: WON 12-10, POD: Ryder Boyd St Paul's Spirit: WON 36-27, POD: Ethan Zarzoso St Paul's Hoop Heroes: WON 16-8, POD: Aranui Muller

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 2nd May. Following lessons will be on Thursdays 9th, 16th and 23rd of May with the last lesson on Thursday 30th May.

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.

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

SPARE CLOTHES

Please bring spare clothes for your child in his/her bag

(including underwear).

It does not have to be school uniform.



st paul's primary MOTHER'S DAY RAFFLE



Beautiful gifts to win, perfect for mums. More tickets available at the office.

Money and tickets to be given to the office by **Thursday, 9 May 2024**

\$2 per ticket or \$5 for 3 tickets

DRAWN FRIDAY, 10 MAY 2024



Term 1 Fees and Stationery <u>should be paid</u> <u>by now.</u>

Term Fees: \$144.00/ term (including \$15 Special Character Contribution) \$576.00 per year

> Stationery: Yr 1: \$75.00, Yr 2: \$85.00 Yr 3—6 : \$95.00

Please contact Mrs Leony if you have any questions. Email: leonyl@stpaulsprimary.school.nz Phone: 832 7200 (9am-3pm) Thank you.

Sponsors of our Mother's Day raffle that have kindly donated beautiful prizes include:

NorthWest Shopping Centre * Pucker and Wink Beauty Hair on Rosebank* Paper Plus Westcity * Ecostore

Moana Rd * Kiwi Wheatbags * Ecovask

Whittakers Chocolate * Sunset Studio sets by Sam

Annah Stretton * Clarins from Daniela Forsyth

Everyday Things * DonBuck Honey * Ella May Florals

Aotea * Polished by Court * Wild Horses

If anyone is looking for gifts, please consider supporting these generous companies. A few businesses have given our school community discount codes which are listed below. Another way to support small local businesses is by following their pages on social media to increase their exposure. Your support is greatly appreciated.

Discount codes:

Everyday Things: 15% off any order (not valid with other discounts). Enter code 'GGHB23' at checkout. Expires 30 Sep 2024.

Wild Horses: 20% off any order (not valid with other discounts). Enter code 'SP20' at checkout. Expires 31 Aug 2024.

"I am the vine, you are the branches. Whoever remains in me, with me in him, bears fruit in plenty; for cut off from me you can do nothing." *John 15 : 5*