

#### ST PAUL'S SCHOOL

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**Our Vision** 



Love Aroha; Learn



Ako; Serve



Mahi

**Our Mission Statement** 

St Paul's School Massey provides quality education for children in a Catholic community committed to Gospel Values.



## Pray for Teachers

#### Father.

within the walls of our school, hearts and minds will be nurtured. In every moment, make your presence known in a mighty way. Give more than enough courage, more than enough truth, and more than enough love.

Help us to come alongside those who lead and serve in this schools, with hearts of gratitude, with expression of kindness, and with hands that help.

May the day be blessed with growth in wisdom and love.

May we all hunger for your Word.

Thank you for those who invest in our young.

How good you are to us, preparing our days before they arrive.

Amen.



Each class is being asked to provide some food or grocery items to support our St Vincent de Paul foodbank. See the list inside the newsletter.

Thank you for your generous support.

#### Newsletter No. 33 - Week 04 - 29.10.2025

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Email: office@stpaulsprimary.school.nz

Hello, Kia Ora, Tālofa lava, Mālō ē lelei, Ni Hao, Namaste, Annyong (Korean), Privet (Russian), Hola (Spanish), Kamusta (Filipino), Bula Vinaka (Fijian), Muraho (Rwandan), Apa Kabar (Indonesian), Hallo (Dutch), Fakaalofa lahi atu (Niuean), Kia Orana (Cook Island), Mingalaba (Burmese), Akwaaba (Ghanian), Dobro došli (Slovenian, Croatian), Xin Chào (Vietnamese), Noa'ia (Rotuman)

## Term 4

30 October	Athletics Competition
31 October	Room 4 Liturgy
4 November	Athletics Rain Day
21 November	Room 5 Liturgy
27 November	Celebration of Sport 7pm
28 November	Room 3 Liturgy
2 December	School Reconciliation - in the Hall - 11.00am
3 December	Year 6 Retreat
5 December	Celebration of Learning 2.45- 5.30pm Disco 5.30-7.00pm
9 December	Nativity - time tbc
10 December	Graduation - 9.15am in the Hall
12 December	<ul> <li>Prizegiving - 11.15am in the Hall</li> <li>LAST DAY OF SCHOOL</li> </ul>
4 February	FIRST DAY OF TERM 1, 2026

#### Week 04

Kia ora kotou e te whānau Hato Pāora,

I recently attended St Dominic's College Senior Prizegiving. Many of our former students received awards in Year 11, 12 and 13. A number received diligence awards. This is for students who have worked to the best of their ability all year and must be nominated in at least four subjects.

Year 13 students also received scholarships from The University of Otago, AUT, and Rotary of which our former students received a few.

#### Mary cont....

Congratulations to Carolann Faeamani who was the Top Sportswoman in the school, and was awarded a swimming Scholarship for 18 months in Bahrain.

Isobel Nash was awarded Dux of the school. She placed top in her subjects. Isobel gave a speech acknowledging Mrs Marie Nelson for teaching her all about the language of Mathematics, instilling in her a love for the subject. Well done Mrs Nelson.

I shared the names and awards with the staff and they were heartened to hear about their former students.

I will be attending the Liston College Prizegiving and hoping to hear more of our former students' successes.

Many thanks to Mrs Nelson and Miss Thoumine for organising our Athletics Day last week. Our team will be representing the school tomorrow at The Trusts Stadium. The children really enjoyed watching the relay races at the end.

Thank you Mr Horler for supporting Chess this year. Well done at the National Chess Competition last weekend achieving 17<sup>th</sup> place. See the photo.

Thank you in advance for supporting the St Vincent de Paul foodbank. Every little bit counts.

Ngā mihi nui *Mary Jellman* Principal



#### **School Dues**

Term 1, 2 and 3 Fees are now overdue. Full payment of 2025 fees must be received by 30 November 2025.

If you arranged an AP with Mrs Leony, please DO NOT STOP until you receive notification.

Term Fees \$148 per term (including \$15 Special Character Contribution).
Total: \$592 per year.

Please contact our finance administrator,
Mrs Leony, at office@stpaulsprimary.school.nz for
any information in regards to fees.

Bank Account: ST PAUL'S SCHOOL (MASSEY) BOARD 12 3085 0310721 00 Ref: Name/Fees





## **Rosary Beads**

Rosary beads are available to purchase from the office. They are \$1 each.



### **Sports Results**



St Paul's Aces lost POD: Hope Moimoi and Liam Kim

St Paul's Warriors lost 30-40 POD: Jake Dy St Paul's Hotshots lost POD: Achilles Wineera St Paul's Shooting Stars draw 14-14 POD: Liam Mangunay

St Paul's Disciples WON 17-15 POD: Jun Ho

# Suggested food and grocery items urgently needed for St Vincent de Paul

Room 2: chips, Weetbix Room 3: noodles, rice

Room 4: peanut butter, jam, spreads

Room 5: biscuits, crackers

Room 6: tins of fruit, tins of vegetables

Room 7: pasta

Room 8: tins of spaghetti and baked beans Room 9: soap, toothbrushes, toothpaste Room 10: tins of salmon, tuna, corned beef

Room 11: soups, candy canes Room 12: tea, coffee, milo

Room 13: baking items: flour, sugar, jellies Room 14: washing powder, liquid, chocolate

Room 15: toilet paper, handy towels

Room 16: muesli bars, snacks Room 17: cereals, crackers Room 18: popcorn, biscuits

Room 19: tins of spaghetti and baked beans

Room 20: margarine, shampoo Room 21: toilet paper, handwash

We appreciate your help and any food given.

# PHOTOLIFE SCHOOL PHOTOS were taken on Tuesday 28 October 2025



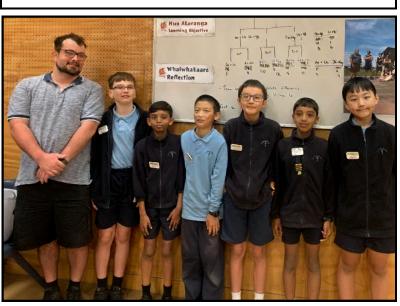
School photos took place on Tuesday the 28th October.
They will contact each family by email with a "key code"
for you to log in and look at the photos and
order from there.

This should come to you within about 3-4 weeks, or earlier. Please keep an eye out in the newsletter for further information regarding this timeframe.

Please let us know should you not receive any information regarding the order of the photos.

#### **National Chess Competition**

After a recalculation of scores from the tournaments throughout the year, we were able to take the top 6 students to compete at Nationals on Saturday 25th October at Alfriston College, Manukau. The boys each played impressively and each played 9 games throughout the day. We faced some tough opponents from around New Zealand and were able to come away with 19.5 points out of a possible 36 points. This allowed us to place as the top 17th New Zealand school team in the Junior Division of Nationals. Each child will receive their Certificate of Merit at our school assembly on Friday.



Left to right: Mr Horler (coach), Cole Wharton, Matthew Painuthara, Isaac Zang, Jayden Hsu, Anton Jose, Junho Seo

## **Reading Nights**

**25 Nights:** Gigi Duque. **50 Nights:** Vedh Bandaru.

**125 Nights:** Teddy Bergin, Ryan Bui.

**150 Nights:** Bodhi Tuimavave Clarke, Do Young Seo, Falcon-

Reign Walker.

**175 Nights:** Pio Reyes, Sarode Baraniko, Eric Vui Lua, Ma'ana Tiumalu, Immanuel Calumpang, Jennah Mathews. **200 Nights:** Samuel Pereira, Stefan Moore, Kaleb Daclan, Rebecca Ahio, Noa Sana, Lisa de Costa, Aiven Jose, Sienna Fahiua.

200 Nights: Jack Butler, Hurlee Callado, Isaac Lobo, Gabo Dimayuga, Liam Mangunay, Achilles Wineera, Praise Neri, Ezekiel Epati, Hazel Lijo, Mikayla Caneda, Isileli Misinale, Savannah Moitra, Ethan Liam, Roman Umi, Zia April, Arian Babatugon, Louie Quinio, Lennon Tillett, Nicole Ferdean, Alban Lyes, Lui Chae, Suah Park, Shiloh Nicholas, Matilda

### Term 4 - No Hat No Play

Please ensure that your child(ren) have their hats ready to wear. We will impose 'No Hat No Play' policy after Labour Weekend (commencing Tuesday, 28 October). Hats are available to purchase from the Uniform Shop (open every Friday 8:00am-9:00am).

They are \$15 each.

#### National Chess Comp... cont.

Through his repetitive successful endeavours at tournaments this year, Jayden was personally invited to the Champions tournament on Sunday 26th October at Alfriston College. He played with strategic determination and was able to win 5.5 points out of a possible 9 points. This allowed Jayden to place as the 23rd top Chess player in the Junior Division throughout New Zealand.



#### Reading Nights cont...

Karnadi, Kaiser Palmos, Nazareth Cheung-Tau, Ryder Boyd, Eryk Nguyen, Nikolis Levi, Victoria Dopmul, Elizabeth Lee, Kenzo Logue, Lochlan Carr, Oliver Aholima, Liam Kim, Anthony Balbir-Kok, Henry Liu, Ella-Mae Ritchie, Archie McKenna, Fateh Singh, Madeline Bryce, Jake Dy, Xavier Morales, Shenelle Pal, Alice Duncan, Zoe Victa, Ollie Davies, Ray Orbeso, Amelia Bergin, Rebecca Ahio, Meila Lyons, Romeo Faylona, Aaron Asmaro, Zoe Sebastian, Ezekiel Pereira, Veisinia Vea, Anna Lian Zaw, Theodore Gould, Benedict Bicerra, Sharlene Pal, Ethan Ritchie, Miles Hill, Gita Savic, Siena Ongoongo, Gavin Umali, Siwoo Kim, Mark Angeles, Hayley Salazar, Violet Oliver, Jaelene To, Hope Moimoi, Cora Suniula, Theo Crawford, Cassandra Falcon, Jennifer Bergin, Roy Kim, Taane Manukau, Morgan Loninia, George Wood, River Hemara, Lorenz Hindrichs, Semisi Nasau, Ruth Rodahl, Veronica Tugaga, Henry Davies, Emilia Magwa, Kyrie de la Cruz, Cynthia Liu, Manawa Muller, Leo Chae, Aundrey Babatugon, Luna Willy, Zahli McKenna, William Suniula, Noah Apacible, Braxton Carvalho, Laila Umi, Junho Seo, Bodhi Parker, Micaela Magwa, Carlos Silapan, Oakley Hill, Sheryl Pal, Ellie An, Georgia McMahon, Anderson Tillett, Nevaeh So'e, Latalatoa Levi, Zara Padua, Clara Langston-Gayfer, Athena DSouza, Elijah Thomas, Liam Butler, Brodie Holmes, Liorah Palatty, Jakob Spemann, Kiera Thomas, Aiven Jose, Erin Diems, Oscar Tagaloa, Louis Cannon Strickett, Xander Longville, Kiara Hsu.

# Thank you for your generosity.

Mary Zellman - Principal