



St Patrick's Kura

NEWSLETTER - Week 6, Term 3 2024

Tēnā koutou parents and caregivers



Last week, our senior class had the privilege of receiving altar serving training from Mrs Fish at the Basilica. The lesson provided our students with guidance on how to serve at Mass, with reverence and responsibility. Thanks to her dedication, our seniors are now prepared to serve at our Wednesday Masses and on Sundays at the Basilica.

We're incredibly proud of these pupils for taking on this important role in our faith community.

School Mass

Our whānau Mass this term will be held this Sunday 1st September, which is also Fathers Day. Please make every effort to be there for the service. Afterwards there will be morning tea at the school and we will celebrate all of the fathers in attendance.

Manure Fundraiser

This Tuesday Room 1 will be bagging horse manure, which will go on sale at school for \$5 per bag, or \$20 for 5 bags. All proceeds will go directly towards camp fees so please advertise this, share the flyer and encourage people to support this initiative.

Term 4 School Camp

We are in the process of finalizing our Term 4 school camp to Dunedin for two nights for students in Room 1. The first night will include a sleepover at the Dunedin Museum, with visits to the Butterfly Forest, Science Centre, Planetarium, and general exhibits. Other camp activities will include a visit to Moana Pool and a morning tea break at the Moeraki Boulders. We are still putting the full itinerary together, including accommodation for the second night.

A letter and permission slip will be sent home in Week 10 of this term, providing detailed information. The camp dates are Wednesday, 13th November, to Friday, 15th November. We are still calculating costs, but please start setting aside money in preparation for next term. We will keep costs as low as possible through a couple of fundraisers happening between now and Term 4. Please support these efforts!

Room 2 will join us at the museum on Thursday, 14th November, for a day trip.

Term Dates

Please see the back of the newsletter for an overview of our dates for the term. We will add more as the term progresses.

Enrolments -

We really appreciate your continued loyalty to St Patrick's and appreciate your promotion of the school. Please continue to help us find new students from amongst your circles. Preference is given to Catholic children, and children of baptised Catholics.

Paul Cartlidge

Principal



What's on, Week 6 - 10 , Term 3 2024

Wk 6	Mon 26th August	Tues 27th August	Wed 28th Aug	Thur 29th Aug	Friday 30th August
	Morning Meeting/Prayer School Trip to Tekapo	Mr R in Room 1	School Mass 8:50am Year 8 Taster Day at WHS	9:30am - El Gregoes Magic @ WMS	8:45am - Yr 7-8 Tech Family Mass on Sunday - TBC
Wk 7	Monday 2nd Sept	Tuesday 3rd Sept	Wed 4th Sept	Thur 5th Sept	Friday 6th Sept
	Morning Meeting/Prayer Holly away all week		School Mass 8:50am		8:45am - Yr 7-8 Tech
Wk 8	Monday 9th Sept	Tuesday 10th Sept	Wed 11th Sept	Thur 12th Sept	Friday 13th Sept
	Morning Meeting/Prayer	Mr R in Room 1 Year 7+8 Vaccinations	School Mass 8:50am		8:45am - Yr 7-8 Tech
Wk 9	Mon 16th Sept	Tuesday 17th Sept	Wed 18th Sept	Thur 19th Sept	Friday 20th Sept
	Morning Meeting/Prayer		School Mass 8:50am Board Meeting 6:30 pm		8:45am - Yr 7-8 Tech
Wk 10	Mon 23rd Sept	Tuesday 24th Sept	Wed 25th Sept	Thur 26th Sept	Friday 27th Sept
	South Canterbury Anniversary Holiday	Mr R in Room 1 Morning Meeting/Prayer Staff Meeting	School Mass 8:50am		8:45am - Yr 7-8 Tech



St Patrick's School

CAMP

FUNDRAISER

Available from St Patrick's
School from Tuesday 27th
August

Full trailer loads can be
arranged upon request

Thanks for your support!



Horse Manure
\$5 per bag, or
\$20 for 5 bags