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Newsletter



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NEWSLETTER

Congratulations!

Well done to all our amazing speech makers and poem recitals at the recent District Speech and Poem Competition. We had a great team of speakers attend this event and are very proud of our students. Special congratulations to **Trelise Brown** - 2nd Yr 3, **Dominka Ward** - 4th Yr 3, **Madison Nickalls** - 2nd Yr 4, **Brooke Devaney**- 3rd Yr 5, **Rita Bhandari** - 2nd Yr 6, and **Aidan Butler**- 3rd Yr 6. Well done everyone.



Dominka Ward & Trelise Brown

Madison Nickalls



Aidan Butler & Rita Bhandari

Brooke Devaney



The netball season finished on a high for our Year 7 and 8 Team. Our Year 7 and 8 netball team won two trophies this season. They were the winners of their grade also won the goaling cup for the most goals scored in their grade.
Way to go team Charlotte Wells, Monique Ball, Maia Camp, Johannah Dale, Kali Craig, Esa Walker, Caitlin Bennett, Kate Van Vliet, Abby Evans.

Term 3
Week 5
2018

Tuesday, August 21st 2018

thank you!

E ngā mātua, Tena Koutou, Talofa, Kumusta, Ciao, Hallo, Guten,

On behalf of the teachers, we would like to thank you for your support with the primary principal and teachers strike that took place last Wednesday.

We are so fortunate to have an amazing school community.



Waimaths

Our year 8 team of girls competed in the Waikato Maths Competition last Thursday. The competition is extremely tough. Although we did not receive a placing, we are happy to announce that our team was the top Morrinsville team in our area. Once again, **Jamie-Lee, Lydia and Caitlin**, we are very proud of you.

Congratulations

The netball season is finished. We would like to thank our coordinator Olivia Yates, coaches, managers and helpers for all of your organising and support this year. It is very much appreciated. Our Year 7 and 8 netball team won two trophies this season. They were the winners of their grade also won the goaling cup for the most goals scored in their grade. Way to go team!

District Speech and Poem Competition

Well done to all our amazing speech makers and poem recitals. Some of our students from Years 1-6 show cased their talents along with entrants from schools around the district. It was pleasure to be a part of this event and are very proud of our students. Special congratulations to **Dominka Ward, Trelise Brown, Brooke Devaney, Madison Nickalls, Rita Bhandari and Aidan Butler** for being placed in their year groups. Well done everyone.

Grandparents Mass

Tomorrow Wednesday 22 August is our Grandparents Day Mass and celebrations. The day begins with Mass at 10.00 am at St Joseph's Church, followed by morning tea in our school hall, with a range of activities until lunchtime. All grandparents and honorary grandparents welcome. We would love to see you!

Baptismal course

There is a baptismal course starting this term for children over the age of 7. The sessions will be held in school time for the children. If you would like your child to be baptised, please contact the Parish Office 889 6730 or obtain a form from our school office. The course will begin shortly.

Time with Teachers

As staff we really value the opportunity to talk through any questions or concerns you may have. Quite regularly teachers have staff meetings, professional development and other commitments throughout the week. If you require more time than a brief chat, please make an appointment with the teacher so they can give all of their attention on what you need.

StarJam



Thank You So Much for your support and making the school bright with all our Star Students last Thursday. Through your generosity we as a school are able to donate \$264.00 to the worthy cause StarJam. Thank You Everyone!

Have a fantastic week. Take care and be well. God Bless *Andrea Colebourn, Principal*

DID YOU KNOW?

When teachers teach together (co-teach) students are more likely to see increased gains in achievement. This is often a result of the accelerated professional development that comes from seeing colleagues teach, feedback on a teacher's practice and the shared problem-solving that is possible in teams. In addition, co-teaching teams report increased job satisfaction and the creation of social capital.

Link: Darling-Hammond et al. (2002). *Reinventing High School: Outcomes of the Coalition Campus Schools Project.*



Reflection... Grandparents

A Child's Prayer for Grandparents

Dear God, please bless our grandparents.

Thank you for the life they gave my parents

And for the life they give to us.

For the ways they helped us and made me strong, I give thanks.

For the ways they love us no matter what, I rejoice.

For the ways they have paved the road

That leads us here, I am grateful.

Let them grow in wisdom and joy in life.

Let them find peace and rest from their work.

Let them be healed of every sickness and pain.

And let them see with their own eyes

The glory of your Son, Jesus,

In the love of their children and grandchildren.

Bless them always until they come to rest in you.

We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen

COMING SOON!

School Production

Tuesday, Sept 25th

Matinee & Evening

Wednesday, Sept 26th

Evening

Order forms for Production Tickets coming home next week. Please check the bag.



Interested in Becoming CATHOLIC?

The next round of the RCIA program (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) will commence on Wednesday, 22 August at 7pm at the Parish Centre in Morrinsville.

This is a program for non-catholics who are interested in getting baptised in the Catholic Church. Come along and join us! We have had parents in the past who inquired, joined the program and were baptised or received into the Church. This is also for baptised Catholic adults who have not yet had their Confirmation or First Communion. For inquiries, contact Fr JeLo 021 874 618 or Barbara 027 309 4362 or email morrinsville@phf.org.nz



Special Invitation.....

To Grand Parents and Special Family and Friends who play a grandparent roll in your family's life, are invited to join our school with

Whole School Mass - Wednesday, August 22nd at 10.00am
followed at 11.00am with Morning Tea

From 11.30am - 12.30pm Opportunity to share in class activities with students.

Look Forward to You Joining Us on this Special Day

TOMORROW

TERM 3

Wednesday,
Aug 22nd
Grandparents Day

Thursday, Aug 23rd
PIZZA

Wednesday, Aug 29th
Senior School
Cross Country

Thursday, Aug 30th
Gym Sport Festival

Friday, August 31st
Daffodil Day

Wednesday, Sept 5th
Team @Catholic
Interschol Cross Country

Thursday, Sept 6th
Piako Cultural Festival
Yr 4-8 students

Tuesday, September 11th
Whole School Photos

Sept 21st
Team@ Kaimai Speech

Production
Tuesday, Sep 25th
Wednesday Sept 26th



Fundraisers

Nothing Naughty Bars

Yummy Gluten Free Protein Bars

LAST WEEK TO ORDER with payment to the school office by
Friday, August 12th. PLEASE READ INFO SHEET CAREFULLY

Calendars and More...HOME TODAY

Please check the school bag—one order form per student.



Junior Touch Module Hamilton

There is an opportunity to put a team/s together to represent St Josephs and play mixed-touch in Hamilton Junior Touch Module in October.
If interested please contact Andre as below.

Location: Swarbrick Park Hamilton

When: Thurs Oct 18—Nov 22

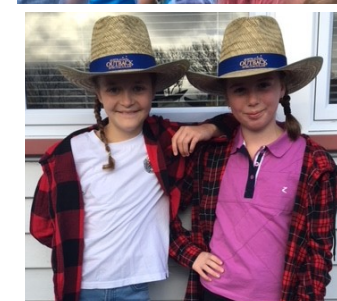
Times: Varies each week between 3.45 - 5.45pm

Teams: Yrs 1 & 2 mixed—Yr 3 & 4 mixed (other grades available)

Contact: Andre Wilson 021-0563126 Parent helpers appreciated



Star Day for StarJam



MASS
Sunday Aug 26th
11.00am
Welcomers:
Room 5

HOUSEKEEPING
School Mass: 10am
Grandparents Day
Master Chef:
Day Off—Pizza Day

CROSS COUNTRY
Senior School
Yrs 7-8
August 29th
1.30pm



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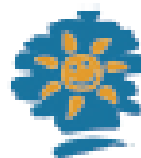
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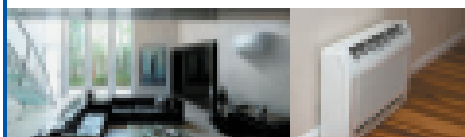
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