St Pius X Catholic School Te Kura O Hato Paea Newsletter # 6



Thursday 25th November 2021

Week 6 Term 4



Tena koutou katoa. Nga mihi nui kia koutou.

It is so good to see everyone back at school. Children have settled well into their classes and appear to be enjoying being with their friends and reconnecting again.

A big thankyou to parents and caregivers for being so respectful of the Level 2 conditions by wearing masks and not coming into the school grounds. I am so appreciative of your caring attitude towards our school community.

We are having to do things differently this year, so end of year activities such as prizegiving and end of year Mass will not be happening.

However we do want to acknowledge our Year 8 students so we will be farewelling them in our usual way by presenting them with the candle and the cross. We will also be giving out our Catholic Character Award, the Altrusa Award and the Mainfreight award. We will be live streaming this occasion so tune in on Tuesday the 14th of December at 2pm.

We welcome our final group of new entrants for the year. For some it has been a long wait to start school and we are so pleased they could do this before the end of the year. We wish them every blessing as they start on their schooling journey.

God Bless—Jane Rutherford



LtoR- Albion, Nau, David, Benita, Louisa, Georgina, Adam

If your child is interested in signing up for the Weetbix Kids TRYathlon, click on the following link https://www.registernow.com.au/secure/Register.aspx?E=44537&G=141932



What's Happening



Kapahaka begins again this Monday 29th of November and will finish on the 13th of December



Your child must wear a school hat at school (which can be purchased from Direct Group Uniforms) to play outside during the day. They will have to sit on the deck at play time and lunchtime if they do not have their hat.

STATIONERY for 2022

Years 1—8

Will once again be online.
We will keep you updated on when and how you can do this.



God of power and mercy, open our hearts in welcome. Remove the things that hinder us from receiving Christ with joy, so that we may share his wisdom and become one with him when he comes in glory, for he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for

ever and ever. Amen

School Banking Update

First Credit Union wishes to advise parents that School Banking will not resume in Term 4.

We will resume in Term 1 2022

If you have any queries, please feel free to contact your nearest branch.



Happy Birthday from everyone at St Pius X Birthdays this week 21st—Lauren—Hoiho 24th—Maxene—Piwakawaka 25th—Kyrie—Tara Iti, Braxton—Karearea, Jewel—Kea B Happy Birthday!