



# ST JOSEPH'S SCHOOL, DANNEVIRKE

'Nurturing Spirits, Encouraging Excellence' AMDG

*Manaakitia e te Wairua, Whakatenatena I ngā Hiranga*

9 November 2023 TERM 4 WEEK 5

## IMPORTANT DATES

- Assembly - Fridays 9am
  - 10 Nov – Room 4
  - 17 Nov – Room 3
  - 24 Nov – Student Leaders
- Year 7 & 8 Tech – Mondays
- **Teachers Only Day – Mon 13 Nov**
- Interschool Athletics – Wed 15 Nov (p/p – 22 Nov)
- Mission Day Gala – Fri 24 Nov
- Ki O Rahi Tournament – Thurs 30 Nov
- DHS Year 8 Day – Fri 1 Dec
- Forbes & Tippet – Mon 4 Dec p/p  
Tues 5 Dec
- End of Year Thanksgiving – Mon 11 December
- End of 2023 - Wed 13 December
- Start of Term 1 2024 – Tues 30 January

## PRINCIPAL'S NOTE

Kia Ora

Great day at the Athletics sports today. All our students participated well, tried their best and encouraged others to give things a go. It's neat to see them all supporting each other, a great demonstration of our Gospel Values.

Huge thank you to our parent and whānau helpers and supporters. Trophies will be presented at assembly tomorrow. Mrs Larsen will be organising the interschool team in the morning and making sure they are ready for the competition next Wednesday.

Winners of the House relay was St Francis, Gold House, narrowly beating the parent's team, St Joseph's Red, St Patrick's Green, St Matthews Blue and finally the 'teacher's'! We don't just have speedy kids!!

Mā te Atua koutou e manaaki  
i ngā wā katoa  
May God always  
bless you.

*Megan*



## SCHOOL PHOTOS

### Tuesday 14 November

Information about photos has been sent home. Please ensure that all students are in correct summer uniform. PhotoLife have stipulated that sibling photos will **only** be taken if a signed form has been returned to school.

## HEALTH & WELLBEING

We have reported cases of headlice and slap cheek in the school currently. Please check your children's hair and treat accordingly. As per school policy children need to be treated before returning to school.

Symptoms of slap cheek include bright red cheeks and a lace-like rash on the body.

**School is closed for Teachers Only Day – Monday 13 November**

## HAIKU POEMS – ROOM 3

The clever authors in Room 3 have been writing Haiku Poems about Parihaka. Haiku have a special format.

5 syllables

7 syllables

5 syllables

These ones earned Principals awards!

5<sup>th</sup> November

One thousand six hundred troops

1881

By Lachie

1600 troops

It was a peaceful village.

Mt Taranaki

By Breyton

Te Whiti Tohu

Forced to prison left to leave.

Destroyed peacefully.

By Mila

Destroyed village.

On the 5<sup>th</sup> of November

Troops surrounded them.

By Harper

1600 troops

They destroyed land and crops.

Mt Taranaki

By Thomas

November the 5<sup>th</sup>

Pulled up pegs and destroyed land.

Houses were destroyed.

By Flynn

## PRINCIPALS AWARDS



## CATHOLIC CHARACTER

### MISSION DAY GALA

Friday 24 November

Every year we hold a mini gala to raise funds for our sponsored children, Our Lady of the Missions and Caritas.

Year 7 & 8 students organise fun games and activities for the rest of the school.

Contributions to the cake and sweet stall and the trash and treasure stall would be greatly appreciated.

Toys, books etc that are no longer used can be brought to school from now on. All are welcome to attend our mini gala.

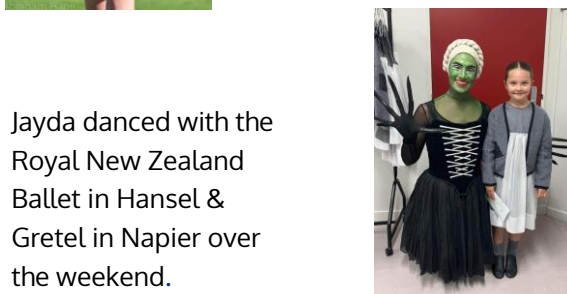
More information will follow.



## CONGRATULATIONS...



Awesome effort at the Gumboot Friday relay at the Dannevirke Domain last Saturday. Koby ran 50km!!



Jayda danced with the Royal New Zealand Ballet in Hansel & Gretel in Napier over the weekend.

## SPORT REPORT

### ATHLETICS SPORTS

#### JUNIOR SCHOOL DISTANCE RESULTS

5 YEAR OLD GIRLS	5 YEAR OLD BOYS
1. Tilly	1. Lochie
2. Marley	2. Blake
3. Whillow	3. Parker
4. Phoebe	4. Ollie
6 YEAR OLD GIRLS	6 YEAR OLD BOYS
1. Ava	1. Brodie
2. Adelaide Milla	2. Porter
3. Lexi	3. Jonty
7 YEAR OLD GIRLS	7 YEAR OLD BOYS
1. Maci	1. Lucas
2. Acacia	2. Quinn
3. Elana	3. Nixon
4. Lily	4. Te Haerenga

### ATHLETICS SPORTS

#### JUNIOR SCHOOL SPRINTS RESULTS

5 YEAR OLD GIRLS	5 YEAR OLD BOYS
1. Tilly	1. Blake
2. Marley	2. Parker
3. Willow H	3. Lochie
	4. Ollie
6 YEAR OLD GIRLS	6 YEAR OLD BOYS
1. Ava	1. Porter
2. Adelaide	2. Jonty
3. Milla	3. Brodie
4. Whillow	
7 YEAR OLD GIRLS	7 YEAR OLD BOYS
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4. Kcyzia	4. Nixon

Senior results will be published next week.

## LUNCH MENU



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**MONDAY**  
Chicken Pasta Salad

**TUESDAY**  
Ham Sammy

**WEDNESDAY**  
Coconut Curry

**THURSDAY**  
Pasta Bolognese

**FRIDAY**  
Chicken Meatballs  
on Rice

NOVEMBER 13 - 17