



Striving for Excellence
In the Marist Tradition

St Mary's Catholic School

Putāruru

Tumuaki – Mrs Jenny MacKenzie

NEWSLETTER

9th November 2023

Mai i te Kōpae ki te Urupa, tātou ako tonu ai

From the cradle to the grave we are forever learning

MARIST

Excellence in learning and behaviour

We work hard

Kia mahi tahi tatou

ATTITUDE

Positive can-do attitude

We don't give up

Ngakau rekatou



RESPECT

Consideration for ourselves,
others

And the environment

We are caring and helpful

Manaakitanaatou

YES

Yes to following in the footsteps of Jesus

We say Yes to doing the right thing

Kia mahi pono tahi tatou kit e mahi
tikatou

FRUIT OF THE HOLY SPIRIT - JOY - TERM 4

APOLOGIES

We would like to apologise to Maggie Christensen for leaving her name off our list of helpers for our Wearable Arts evening, we appreciate your help Maggie.



ROOM 3 & 4 AC BATHS (TAUPO) TRIP

A permission notice has been sent home to all Room 3 & 4 (and the year 4's from Room 5) for the trip to AC Baths in Taupo. Can you please ensure that these forms are signed and returned as soon as possible. Thank you



YEAR 5 & 6 BEACH TRIP

A permission notice has been sent home for the Year 5 & 6 beach trip – can you please ensure that these forms are signed and returned to school as soon as possible. Thank you.

YEAR 7 & 8 CAMP

The time has finally arrived for our Year 7 & 8 students to head off to Wellington on their camp – we are sure they are all very excited and cannot wait for Monday ... please ensure that they are at school on time – meet at school at **07:00am** with departure at **7:30am SHARP**. This will be a fun filled camp – with many fun and educational activities planned for our students. Their estimated time to return to school is Friday around 5pm.



SCHOOL VAN

Please note, our school van is currently in the garage having a service, so will not be running for the rest of this week. The van is also being taken to Wellington for the Year 7 & 8 camp so again, will not be running all next week. We thank you for your understanding that the van is needed elsewhere and appreciate you getting your students to school while the van isn't available.



SCHOOL MASS

Our School Mass is on Sunday 3rd December at 9:30am. Please ensure that your child/ren are in their full school uniform for this.



SPEECHES

On Tuesday we held our Speech Finals – thank you to all whānau and friends who came along to support our students. The students all did an amazing job on their speeches this year, with a wide variety of topics. The results are as follows:

Year 3 & 4

1 st	-	Molly Leavai	-	"Being the Oldest Child"
2 nd	-	Ada-Dawn Paki	-	"Why Stitches is the Best Character in the World"
3 rd	-	Aurora Sutherland	-	"Koalas"

Year 5 & 6

1 st	-	Hannah Colman	-	"Phobias"
2 nd	-	Hendrix Paki	-	"Broncos"
3 rd	-	Honour Ogle	-	"Friendship"

Year 7 & 8

1 st	-	Thomas Hayward	-	"Vanilla Ice Cream"
2 nd	-	Ciára McChlery	-	"Back in My Day"
3 rd	-	Toby Christensen	-	"School Uniform"



Well done to all students who participated in our speeches this year, congratulations to those who got into the finals, and of course a massive congratulations goes to those who were placed 1st, 2nd and 3rd, you can all be very proud of yourselves.



TOUCH DRAW

This will be emailed out as soon as it's received. Due to athletics today there may be a delay on it being sent out.

TOUCH TEAMS

Year 7 & 8 - Touch Teams					
Red		Green		Orange	
CAMPBELL	Greer	BARRY	Noah	BATSON	Caleb
CASSELS	Brianna	BEAZLEY	Jaco	CLARK	Caleb
FARRELL	Toby	CHERRY	Eden-Dawn	DEIPARINE	Joy
HAYWARD	Thomas	CHRISTENSEN	Toby	GUNAWARDHANA	Lithula
HENARE	Myriah	McCHLERY	Ciara	LLUBIT	Bianca
McGUIRE	Liam	PRIESTLEY	TJ	McCHLERY	Orla
NEGI	Divyanshu	WALSH	Charlotte	ROSE-SPRAGG	Aiden
SUTTON	Alex	WERAHIKO	Jahdyn	ROSE-SPRAGG	Aliesha
TE WHAITI	Maz			WERAHIKO	Carlos
VAN DER HEYDEN	Korben				
Coach - Kirby		Coach - Waylon		Parent - Sarah Clark	

Year 5 & 6 - Touch Teams			
Blue		Purple	
BEGBIE	Ava	ANDREWS	Lola
CHERRY	Allura	CROKE	Fionn
COLMAN	Hannah	HYSLOP	Max
FARRELL	Octavia	McNICHOLL	Sofia
HENARE	Scarlet	OGLE	Lincoln
MANSELL-BENNETT	Caden	OGLE	Honour
NICHOLLS	Cienna	PRIESTLEY	Isabella
ORMSBY	Koby	ROGERS	Rebecca
PAKI	Hendrix	ROSE-SPRAGG	Violet
SIELY-CONWAY	Cade		
VAN DER HEYDEN	Ryder		
Coach - Tere-Anne			

TOUCH TEAMS

Year 3 & 4 - Touch Teams			
Yellow		Pink	
ANDERSON	Lyla	BURDON	Ashton
ANDERSON	Kaiya	HYSLOP	Lance
BARRY	Isla	JOHNSTON	Aurora
COLMAN	Caleb	LOP	William
CONWAY	Ruby	LOP	Charlie
CROKE	Cillian	PAKI	Ada-Dawn
GURUNG	Alvin	PATON	Bailey
LEAVAI	Molly	PERERA	Gavin
MATCHITT	Julian	STEWART	Isla
MONTERO	Clarke		
SHARMA	Hayaan	Coach - Tere-Anne	
STENSON	Quinn		
Coach - Justin			

Year 1 & 2 - Touch Teams					
Sky		Sea		Forest	
CHAUHAN	Ekam	ANDREWS	Arlo	BUCKLEY	Prisha
HUGHSON	Kenzie	CONWAY	Stella	CROKE	Niamh
McCHLERY	Tadhg	FARRELL	Sienna	HEAYSMAN	Lucas
PIKIA	Harper	MONTERO	Kheana	OGLE	Rejoyce
RATA	Denton	OGLE	Brooklin	ORMSBY	Lachlan
WELLINGTON	Ieshea	ORMSBY	Cooper	SIELY-CONWAY	Jaxon
WOODS	Harry	TEBRIO	LJ	WHITE	Emilia
		VAN DER HEYDEN	Harper	WOODS	Mikah
Coach - Blaze		Coach - Courtney		Coach - Malesa	

ST MARY'S FAMILY PICNIC EVENING

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29th November
5:30 pm - 7:30 pm

We would like to welcome all whanau of St Mary's present and future to celebrate in a shared dinner to get to know each other and celebrate a successful year.

Bring a plate to share, BBQ available for use

Kapa Haka performance

Pool will be open - Bring swimming togs



BASKETBALL

**FUNDAMENTAL
ACTIVATION**



MONDAYS @ PUTARURU BASKETBALL
STADIUM

**IT'S NOT
TOO LATE!**

**6TH NOVEMBER -
11TH DECEMBER**

\$20.00 PER REGISTRATION

YEAR 5 - 9

LIMITED TO 40 SPACES

GET IN QUICK

REGISTER NOW

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