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Newsletter

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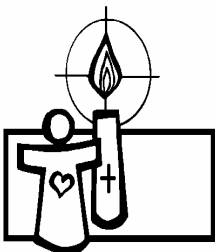


Our responsibility
is working for the
Lord-Loving God
and loving our
neighbour.

This week's Bible Quote

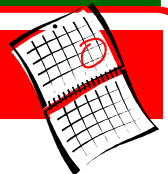
24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

'The life and death of each of
us has its influence on others'
Romans 14:7



This week's altar
servers are: Olivia
Bayne & Sophie Diaz

IMPORTANT DATES



SEPTEMBER

Sun 10th-Fri 15th	AIMS Games
Thurs 14th	BOT Meeting
Tues 19th	Ham N/W X Country Tackling Technology Seminar
Wed 20th	Cath. Intermediate X Country
Thurs 20th	Septemur Morning Tea Fundraiser
Sat 23rd	Working Bee
Mon 25th	Production rehearsal @ University
Tues 26th	Production
Wed 27th	Production

OCTOBER

Sun 1st	SPC Movie Event
Mon 16th	Day One Term 4

Mission Statement

The students at
St Peter Chanel School
will receive a comprehensive education
with a special emphasis on
their Catholic faith development.

School Vision

Whole Education. Whole Person.
We want our students to be:
Followers of Christ, Thinkers,
Contributors, Communicators,
Self Managers

School Production



This year our biennial school performance will be held in the last week of this term. Due to numbers the show involves only Year 3-8 students

Venue: Performing Arts Centre
at University of Waikato.
Time: Tuesday 26th Wed. 27th
September 7.30pm.
Cost: \$15.00 Adult
\$7.00 secondary students
and below.

Tickets are now available from the school office.

Junior school parents are strongly encouraged to bring their children to the show.

Parent Information Evening

Circle your calendars on September 19th, as Marian School are hosting a meeting for parents and caregivers, not to be missed. Tackling Technology is a presentation about how to keep your children safe on-line and what to look out for. The world our children are growing up in is one we need to learn to navigate- so come along for a gold coin donation and learn what you need to know.

Start time 5.45pm in the Gerry Sullivan Events Centre, at Marian Catholic School.

WFP Speech Regionals

SPC hosted the Area 2 Regional Waikato Full Primary Speech Competition last Thursday night. We had 10 schools attend from all over the Waikato. The speeches covered a huge range of topics and were presented to a very high standard. Saint Peter Chanel had three students compete. We congratulate them on their fine performances, with each students placing. Ryan Roche competed in the Year 8 Boys competition and placed second with his speech on Why Concussion Should be Taken More Seriously in Rugby, Grace Batters competed in the Year 8 Girls section, placing second with her speech on Red Hair Racism, and Arianna Robinson competed in the Year 7 Girls category with her speech on Bullying, she placed third. We thank the judges who gave up their evening to support us in running this event and the families and friends who supported our speakers, it truly made it a special occasion. The first and second place getters have gained entry into the Waikato Full Primary Speech Finals which will be held on Thursday 21 September. We wish our SPC competitors best of luck at regionals.

September



Some of our staff have taken up the challenge to try and walk 10,000 steps a day to raise money for children and adults living with cerebral palsy. To help with their fundraising we are supplying morning tea next **Thursday 21st of September @ 10.40am**. All parents/caregivers are invited to join us and if you like to make a donation to help towards the fundraising that would be wonderful. Thank you.

Mufti Day-Tomorrow

We are holding a Mufti Day tomorrow to raise funds for one of our students who has been selected to compete in an International Gymnastics Competition. Students who choose to come to school in mufti are asked to contribute a gold coin donation.

Road Patrol Supervisors

Angels Wanted

Can you spare 15 minutes to supervise our road patrol on Thursday mornings 8.20-8.45 –Rain, hail or shine. If you are available and willing please contact the school office.

Scholastic Book Orders

The Scholastic Book Club orders need to be into the school office by no later than tomorrow **Friday 15th September**.

Board of Trustees

The Board of Trustees are holding their next meeting tonight, Thursday 14th September, in the staffroom.

Jury Service

Mr Quinn has been called up for Jury Service next week so may not be at school. In his absence Miss Frogley is responsible for the school.

Missing Bike

Last Thursday a bike went missing from the school bike rack. Metra Mountain Bike, green and black, near new. If you have any information please contact the school office

School Banking

If you or your family wish to save through the Credit Union, membership packs are available from the school office.

Bank books need to be deposited into the green banking box located in the school office, before Wednesday which is our school's collection day. Bank books are returned to us on Thursday and need to be collected from the school office.

Mass Times

Friday 9.00am	School Mass
Saturday 5.30pm	Parish Mass (SPC)
Sunday 10am	St Joseph's Fairfield

AIMS Games

AIMS games; what an experience. This week, starting from the 10th of September, some Year 7 and 8 SPC students were lucky enough to compete in the AIMS Games. This event was held in Tauranga and began with an impressive opening ceremony getting us all ready for the beginning of our week.

Our students competed in a variety of sports with the following results:

CONGRATULATIONS to:

Jaron Trenberth for Gymnastics and coming an impressive 3rd overall in his age group.

Jack Griffiths and Brooke Zimmerman for cross country who ran 3km in a tough field battling the elements.

Ryan Roche: Swimming, top 12 for 100 fly and top 13 for 50 fly.

Olivia Bayne: Swimming, top 20 in five events and in the top 25 for the rest of her events.

Sophia Wenceslao: Swimming, coming in top 20 and 35 for her events.

Camryn Williams: Swimming, placed in top 20 and 25 for her events.

All four swimmers worked as a team in both relay races and did an awesome job.

Laekyn Wihapi: Tennis, still competing.

Maia Kelly: Squash, still competing.

This was an amazing experience and we all wish good luck to future SPC athletes representing school against the best in the country, in the years to come.

Ryan Roche

Spring Clean

Our groundsman, Jack Kusalic, is due back at the end of this month. Before Jack arrives we want to clean up the school so he then can work on some planned major projects.

Saturday...23rd September
8.30 to 10.00am

Tasks:

- Waterblast buildings
- Turn over the wood chip on the playgrounds
- Gardens
- Sweeping Paths
- Spring clean classrooms
- Vacuum decks
- Tidy up around the church
- Clean up the sandpit
- Weed eating in difficult to mow places
- Dig out around the playground equipment



TICKETS AVAILABLE FOR SALE
AT THE SCHOOL OFFICE . TICKETS ARE SELLING FAST
ONLY 9 TICKETS STILL AVAILABLE.

SPC Family Movie Event

CAPTAIN UNDERPANTS

Sunday 1st October 3PM

METRO HOYTS CINEMA

\$12 per person (popcorn included)



PRIZES UP FOR GRABS



Spring Sports Registrations

Spring sports registrations close this week, get in NOW and register for your spring sport so that you don't miss out.

Check the SPC website for details of the sports and to register.

Parent Help

SPC sports are only possible with the help of parents. Each team of our children needs a parent to guide them, you don't need to be Steve Hansen, just be willing to show up and help the children in their chosen sport. WE NEED YOU.

Lacrosse

- Games are played on a Saturday afternoon at Gower Park.
- Fee per child last year was \$30 each to play
- All equipment will be provided by local High Schools.
- If we get enough boys wanting to play we can enter a boys team into the competition!
- Last year we had 2 girls teams...it would be great to introduce a boys team too!
- Games are either 6 aside or 8 aside...depending on team numbers at registration. Maximum of 10 players in a team.
- (last year they ran a "have a go day" before the season started so hopefully they do this year too)

Softball

- Games are played on a Saturday morning in term 4 in Hamilton.
- Fee per child last year was \$25 to play (TBC this year)
- All equipment will be provide by Saints United.
- Mixed team, we have to have at least 9-10 players to make up a team!
- (last year they ran a "have a go day" before the season started so hopefully they do this year too)

Sports Invoices

There are a large number of invoices that are overdue many of them for sports played in 2015 or 2016. It would be appreciated if parents could pay these as soon as possible. Statements are sent out each month. Payment by regular instalments is welcomed. When making payment please use your child's name as reference. To all those who have paid recently a big thank you!!

Sports Committee Meeting

The SPC Sports committee will be meeting next Monday at 7pm. All welcome.

The Superstar Cricket Academy is back!

The Superstar Cricket Academy is designed for boys and girls aged between 5 and 10 years, providing the first step on the cricket pathway. The sessions focus on participation and skill development, ideal for beginners, and provides the chance to learn cricket while having fun. Working with Hamilton Cricket coaches, kids get the chance to learn the fundamental skills of cricket and get a taste of New Zealand's summer sport.

Hamilton Cricket will have the following Superstar Cricket Academy Hubs available in Term 4, 2017 for your child or children to attend.

Hub	Venue	Dates
North Hub	Discovery Park	Mondays 30 th October – 4 th December
East Hub	Waikato University	Tuesdays 31 st October – 5 th December
West Hub	Swarbrick Park	Wednesdays 1 st November – 6 th December

Hubs run from 5:30pm – 7pm each week Cost – The cost of the programme is \$25 for 6 weeks or \$55 for 6 weeks if you wish for your child to receive cricket prizes. Prizes include a plastic cricket bat, ball, backpack and a drink bottle.

To register visit www.hamiltoncricket.co.nz

Waikato Touch and Junior Representative Days

Waikato touch are now taking registrations for their junior skills and Representative Trial days. These are open and free to all children added U10-U18. Use the link below for more details.

<http://www.waikatotouch.co.nz/junior-skills-representative-trials-registrat/under-10s-14s>

Avantidrome

Avantidrome near Cambridge runs sessions teaching children over 10 years old how to ride a track bike at the velodrome. The beginner sessions are on a Monday night from 5-6.00pm and cost \$10 per session and includes bike hire. These sessions teach the children the necessary skills to attend the school race meetings run most Friday evenings. If anyone is interested please contact Liz Andrew, liz-paul.andrew@xtra.co.nz or 0273851002.

SAINTS UNITED

2017 Hockey Prizegiving

End of season prizegiving, team photos and celebratory breakup of Saints United Hockey.

WHERE: Events Centre, Marian School

WHEN: Friday 22nd September 6-7pm

BRING: A Small Plate of food for shared meal, goalie bags, team gear bags.
Please bring a spare top to hand in your Hockey top.

Make sure you come dressed in your hockey top, black shorts and black socks and sneakers.

All players, parents and supporters welcome!

SPC Sports Club have changed their bank account, the old bank account has now been closed. The new details are as follows:
ASB 12-3454-0128707-00

Questions about SPC Sports?

If you have any questions with regards to sports then Craig Wise is available most days between 2.50pm and 3pm outside the staff room by the steps to room 10, email spcsportsnz@gmail.com or call 021 521 777.

HEALTHY HOME BAKING

LITTLE CHEFS



Baking is a fun family activity!

Getting kids in the kitchen is a good opportunity to talk about healthy food and learn and practise cooking, maths and fine-motor skills, plus it's FUN!



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