

# St Peter Chanel Catholic School

Newsletter

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The theme of this week's Gospel highlights the inherent worth of all individuals, regardless of their contributions.

# This week's Bible Quote

### 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Workers in the vineyard 'These last ones worked only one hour, and you have made them equal to us'.

Matthew 20: 12

# **Important Dates**



# **SEPTEMBER**

Thurs 21st Mass 12.15

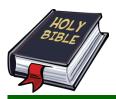
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Fri 22nd Last Day Term 3



## **OCTOBER**

Mon 9th First Day of 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

# **Junior Poetry Competition**

The Junior Poetry Competition was held yesterday.

1st Adelaide Oehley

2nd Alianna Knight

3rd Carlo Laurence

Congratulations to all the students who competed in the competition.



### **End of Term**

#### **End of Term 3**

The term ends this Friday at 3.00pm. The school is closed for a two week break.



### Term 4

Classes start at the normal time, 8.45am. on Monday 9th October.



# **Uniform Shop**

The school uniform shop will be open on the first Wednesday of the school holidays. Wednesday 27th September 10am—1pm, for anyone wishing to purchase summer uniforms.



# **School Spirit Cup**

This week's recipients of the School Spirit Cup are Nina Mondia, Ava Chaimontree, Gabrielle Stowers, Ngaluafe Soakai and Petesa Koli Filivao. The group have been amazing, assisting with the grounds work around the school. They have given their break times to clean up around the barked areas, raked up grass cuttings and stripped off the masking tape on the newly painted playground. Their commitment to the tasks and their service is appreciated.



# **Wearable Arts**

# LOOKING FOR SOMETHING TO DO IN THE HOLIDAYS?

Aleigha, Makaia and Ava are organising a Weareable Arts Competition for the Years 5-8 students. Participants are invited to create wearable arts, or something 3D, out of recycled rubbish. The entries must be completed by Tuesday Week 2 of Term 4.



# **Mufti Day**

After receiving multiple requests from students for a Mufti Day the decision has been made to have Mufti Day tomorrow - celebrating the last day of term. A gold coin donation for the missions is requested.



# **Football Competition**

On Wednesday the 13th of September Henry Aguilar hosted the annual Football House Tournament. Expectantly, this was a successful day that everyone enjoyed - spectators House voicing chants, cheering, and laughing filled the air.

When the first semi - final game occured with a derby clash between Pompallier and McKillop it was a close score of 1 - 0 to Pompallier with Henry Aguilar scoring the winning goal from a great distance.

In our second semi - final we had a clash with McAuley and Kolbe. It was a 1 - 0 win to McAuley with the winning goal from Keely Greene.

In the 3rd and 4th place match we had McKillop vs Kolbe. Ben Beagly scored 2 quick goals Kolbe's, Kade Spiers pulled one back with an easy tap in. Overall a spellbinding game to watch. In our finals game it was very tight with Pompallier and McAuley at it with each other but in the final minute Heath Martin scored the winning goal from a cross by Everett Williams.



# **Uniform Changeover**

The official changeover to summer uniform is following Labour Weekend, Tuesday 24th October.

#### **Girls Summer Uniform**

Green and white checked tunic, white polo shirt or blouse, plain black, brown or red sandals.

Senior Girls: Green and white checked skirt or tunic, white polo shirt or blouse.

#### **Boys Summer Uniform**

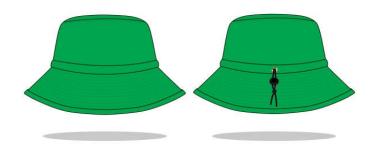
Grey polo shirt with school monogram, grey summer shorts. Black or brown sandals.

#### **All students**

Green Jersey or jacket, both with school monogram and green hat wide-brimmed or bucket style.

We would appreciate any donations of winter uniforms which are in good condition. We always have families looking for good quality pre-loved uniforms. If you would like the school to sell them on your behalf we can advertise them in the school newsletter.

At the beginning of Term 4 (as per our school's Sun Safe policy) students **must** wear their hat outside at breaks and during PE. Please ensure your child has a hat which is clearly named on the outside brim. New hats are available for purchase from the school office at the cost of \$15.00.



### **Absences**

If your child is away or is going to be late, it is vital you contact the school office and let them know.

Email: admin@spc.ac.nz or text: 022 156 6171 or Ph. (07) 849 3734 and leave a message. Please give the reason for the absence as the Ministry of Education collects this data.



# **Newsletter**

The newsletter is available every Thursday to view on our website. A link is also on our Facebook page, and as from this week every parent will be also emailed a copy of the weekly newsletter. Can you please contact the school office if you have changed your email address, so we can update it on our system. We will no longer be distributing paper copies of the newsletter, but there will be some paper copies available in the school office.



### **School Dates 2023**

Term 4 – Monday 9<sup>th</sup> Oct - Wed. 20<sup>th</sup> December

Labour Day – Mon. 23<sup>rd</sup> October

# **Lunch Orders**

Our school works with local company who provide lunch orders to over 30 schools in Hamilton. Lunches are available Friday only at St Peter Chanel.

Lunch orders are back again for another year with more menu options and continued focus on selling healthy school lunch food at reasonable prices.

Check our website for more information on how it works and what's on offer this year.



# **HPV** Immunisation

The Public Health Nurses will be at school on November 1<sup>st</sup> 2023 to provide dose 2 of the HPV immunisation for the Year 8 students who parents/caregivers consented earlier in the year. If your child is absent there will be a catch up planned within 3 weeks.

If parents have any queries or changes contact the PHN Amy Grace 021315648, amy.grace@waikatodhb.health.nz.

# **School Banking**

There have been changes made to joining First Credit Union. If you wish your child to join the First Credit Union, application forms can be collected from the school office. Once you have completed the forms you will need to go into the First Credit Union in Collingwood Street, to complete your School Banking application. The bank books will be cleared from the green box every Wednesday. morning.



### **Mass Times**

#### St Peter Chanel

Tuesday 9.00am

Thursday 9.00am Liturgy with Communion

Thursday 12.15pm. - School Mass Parent & caregivers are welcome to attend.

Saturday 5.00pm

# St Joseph's

Wednesday 9.00am Liturgy with Communion

Friday 9.00am Sunday 9.00am

Donations to Parish of the Holy Cross: One off Donations: Foyer envelope. Or bank: 02-0454-0000400-000 Automatic

Payments: Contact office

Parish Priest: Fr Stuart Young Office & Residence: 86 Clarkin Rd Hamilton,

# Yummy Stickers

Mrs Murphy Room 7 teacher is collecting yummy stickers for the school. Please collect your stickers and either take them to Mrs Murphy in Room 7 or drop them to the school office. The Yummy Stickers finish at the end of this Term.





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# WEET-BIX KIDS TRYATHLON!

Our school group is registered for the Weet-Bix Kids TRYathlon in Hamilton on Sunday 10th December.

To register your child, click on the following link, scroll down to How to enter a TRYathlete and select C) Joining Your School Group.



https://raceroster.com/events/2023/79102/hamilton-sanitarium-weet-bix-kids-tryathlon

### OUR SPORTS REGISTRATIONS HAVE NOW CLOSED

Thank you to everyone who has registered for a sport for Term 4! Player lists have been passed onto our parent leads and you will hear from them soon! Go sport!!!

# SPORT PARENT LEADS

NEW! Basketball - Miha Brown, spcsecretary2020@gmail.com
Gymnastics - Cat Seward, catherine.seward@hotmail.com
Inline Hockey - Sasha & Eli, eli.sasha.wilson@gmail.com
Netball - Miha Brown, spcsecretary2020@gmail.com
Splash Polo - Nicole Bradbury, nicole.bradbury@hcc.govt.nz
Touch - Miha Brown, spcsecretary2020@gmail.com
Water Polo - Sarah Quinn, quinnlandscaping@xtra.co.nz

# UPCOMING SPORTING EVENTS

- √ Karapiro 100K Flyer, 14 October 2023
  <a href="https://eventpromotions.co.nz/events-karapiro-100k-flyer/">https://eventpromotions.co.nz/events-karapiro-100k-flyer/</a>
- √ City to Surf: Tauranga-Mt Maunganui, 5 November 2023 https://citytosurf2023.eventdesq.com/
- √ Weet-Bix Kids TRYathlon: Hamilton, 10 December 2023
  <a href="https://tryathlon.co.nz">https://tryathlon.co.nz</a>
- √ Rotorua Off-Road Trail Run/Walk: Rotorua, 3 March 2024
  <a href="https://eventpromotions.co.nz/rotorua-off-road-trail-run-walk/">https://eventpromotions.co.nz/rotorua-off-road-trail-run-walk/</a>
- √ Long Course Weekend NZ: Waikato, 12 14 April 2024

massive congruis to our SPC Buffalos team, they have come first place for Division 4! They played against Matangi and won 2-0. We are extremely proud of them and their efforts. They have worked really hard to get to first place - it was their goal this Term and they achieved it! An extremely well-deserved success.

### Big congrats to:

Jayden Zimmerman Madison Richards Dominic Ron Devia Dakota Ron Devia Miesha Martin Rene Ron Devia

And also to coaches:

Eli Wilson & Sasha Ron Devia

Next Term we are moving to Division 3 and we are looking forward to it!

GO BUFFALOS!







#### September/October School Holiday Skill Camps!

The time has come for the September/October School Holiday skill camps!

Everyone is welcome, regardless of your Centre affiliation or skill level.

Year 3-4 (1 day camps \$50 per day) - Tuesday 26th September and/or Tuesday 3rd October

Year 5-6 (1 day camps \$50 per day) - Tuesday 26th September and/or Tuesday 3rd October

Year 7-8 (2 day camp \$100) - Wednesday 27th September and Thursday 28th September

Under 14 & 16 (2 day camp \$100) - Wednesday 4th October and Thursday 5th October

The camps run from 9:00am until 3:00pm each day and will be held at the Hamilton City Netball Centre.

For further information and to register, <a href="https://netballhamilton.org.nz/poipoia-te-manawa">https://netballhamilton.org.nz/poipoia-te-manawa</a>

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Visit ndcricket.co.nz/programmes to register.

For more information contact programmes@ndca.co.nz