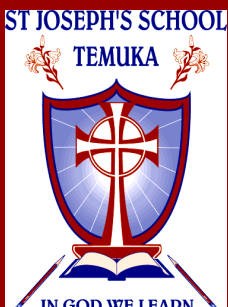


# St Joseph's School Temuka



## Newsletter 6 June 2018 Issue 8





Tena Koutou parents and friends of our school

I hope you all enjoyed your long weekend break and had a chance to recharge your batteries for the winter months ahead.

Our staff were all part of a day of workshops with the other COL schools in Timaru hearing from a range of interesting speakers about our key area of interest this year, being Engagement of Students. We certainly came away with lots of new ideas and strategies to try over time in our classes. Now that teachers have all had a chance to mix with teachers of the same level in others schools during COL release times, it's a very positive outcome to seeing the relationships forming across schools and the willingness to collaborate and share ideas.

The TSG cross-country last week was a very satisfying event, not only with the large number of medals winners from among our students but more so to see all of our students complete the track and looking comfortable in doing so, after training so consistently well. As we repeatedly say, the success of such an event is the progress individual students have made in their practice times from the start of training until the end. It is such a positive thing so see all of our students take part in training now and show really perseverance to see it through and achieve success in their own improvement.

Next week Mell Tate (BOT Chairperson), Brenna and I will be attending the triannual NZ Catholic Schools Convention in Wellington. This is a huge gathering of people from all over NZ who will hear from a range of international speakers on matters relating to Catholic Education in 2018. We look forward to some insightful interesting debate and ideas to bring back to Temuka.

We look forward to seeing you all at school mass this Sunday.

Noho ora mai,  
Bernie Leonard

## Student Led Conferences

Our student led conferences for Year 4-8 will take place on the afternoon of **TUESDAY 19 JUNE** from 1.00—8.00pm and **WEDNESDAY 20 JUNE** from 3.30—6.00pm. A time will need to be booked by next Tuesday otherwise parents will be given a time.

To book a time please log into  
[www.schoolinterviews.co.nz](http://www.schoolinterviews.co.nz).  
Enter the code:

**22fww**

Classes will finish for the whole school at **12.30pm** as junior students scheduled for six-month interviews will also have these scheduled then as well.

## Junior Conferencing

If your child is in Rm 4,5, or 6 and is due for a Learning Conference, you will be contacted by the class teacher to set a time and date for this.

## Paid Union Meeting

We have been advised that the next paid union meetings for all primary teachers is to be held on **FRIDAY 22 JUNE** at 2.00pm in Timaru. In order for all our teachers to attend this meeting **classes will finish on this day at 12.30pm** also. We apologise that both of these events are on the same week but the time of the Union meeting is outside of our control.

PLEASE!!  
NOTE



## School Mass

Our school mass for this term is **THIS SUNDAY 10 JUNE 10 at 10.30am**. All students, in full uniform, and parents are asked to attend. If there is an inexcusable reason you can't make it please send a note to your class teacher.

## South Canterbury Cross Country

On **Tuesday 12 June** the following students have been selected from our school Cross Country results to represent the school at the South Canterbury Cross Country at Waihi School. *Isabella McNaught, Brodie Young, Tallulah Rooney, Rhiana Nimo, Josh Young, James Eastmead, Alex Fitzgerald, Lucy Faulkner, Hayden James, Ben Hunter-Brady, Hunter Fitzgerald, Sam McNaught, Oscar Hewson, Alex Eastmead, Charlie Rooney, Cameron Fitzgerald, Darcy Attridge, Anakin Gillies, Carmichael Gamblin, Ruby McNaught, Abby Renwick, Keita Frisby, Hazelle Tate, Taylah McGuire, Ashleigh Bloggs and Kerri O'Rafferty.*

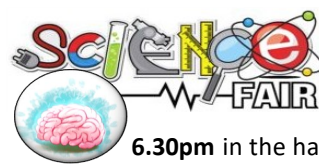
Students will leave school at **10.00am** with the first race starting at **11.00am**—students will be back at school by 3pm.

11.00	Race One	Year 5 girls
11.15	Race Two	Year 5 boys
11.30	Race Three	Year 6 girls
11.45	Race Four	Year 6 boys
12.00	Race Five	Year 7 girls
12.20	Race Six	Year 7 boys
12.40	Race Seven	Year 8 girls
1.00	Race Eight	Year 8 boys

Students will need to bring warm clothes to wear when not racing, spare shoes to wear during the walk around, lunch and a water-bottle. Students are to wear their full school PE uniform to school. Good luck to all students competing.

## St Vinnies Group

Our Year 7-8 students this week will begin taking part in a Respect Me programme at Wallingford home every third Thursday for one hour learning and sharing with a resident there to learn from and also teach. Each session will involve nine Yr 7-8 students with three rotations to ensure they are all able to be part of this programme during the year.



Our biannual science fair in which all Yr 5-8 students will present their term's science inquiry will be held on **WEDNESDAY 4 JULY** from **5-00—6.30pm** in the hall. Some Yr 1-4 students may also be in attendance to share some of the work their classes have done on this topic. We look forward to seeing all students there to celebrate their learning.



## Student Success

**Jennifer Schenk**— won 2 Gold and 3 Silver Medals in her age group under 10 Years.



## Doing Your Bit

**Brodie Young, Isabella McNaught, Nelly Tate and Tallulah Rooney** for helping with the soup kitchen on Friday.



## Cross Country Results

Yr 1 Boys	1st Coen Fitzgerald
Yr 1 Girls	1st Maci Baird
Yr 2 Girls	1st Chloe Attridge
Yr 3 Boys	1st Jackson Robinson
Yr 3 Girls	2nd Jada Baird
Yr 4 Boys	1st Taine Nimo
	2nd Thomas Hewson
	3rd Daniel Eastmead
Yr 4 Girls	2nd Holley Ferguson
	3rd Jennifer Schenk
Yr 5 Boys	1st Darcy Attridge
	3rd Cameron Fitzgerald
Yr 5 Girls	3rd Kerri O'Rafferty
Yr 6 Boys	2nd Oscar Hewson
	3rd Ben Hunter-Brady
Yr 6 Girls	2nd Hazelle Tate



## AMAZING COMPUTER DEAL Asus 11.6" Vivobook E201NA Model: E201NA- GJ008T

Noel Leeming had advertised the laptop we recommend for Yr 5-8 students down to \$349 for a short period. We have asked them if they will honour the price for longer, which is not possible, but if you say you are a parent from St Joseph's Temuka they will do a deal of \$389 which is still an amazing saving. This laptop comes highly recommended from our techie and other schools due to its increased memory and is extremely suitable for students starting out with BYOD and will see them through to High school.



## Calendar

<b>Term 2</b>	<b>30 April—6 July</b>
8 June	Assembly Rm 3—11.45am
10	School Mass
12	SC Cross Country
	First Communion Parent Session
13	Mass Rm 2
13-15	Catholic School Convention— Bernie, Brenna & Mellanie attend
18-21	Junior Reporting Week
19	Snr Student Led Conferences
	School closes at 12.30pm
20	Snr Student Led Conferences
20	Mass Rm 3
22	School finishes at 12.30pm for Staff
	Union Meeting
	Assembly Rm 1—11.45am
26	Filipino Info Session
27	Mass Rm 6
	BOT Meeting 7pm
1 July	First Communion
4	Science Fair 5-7pm
	Mass Rm 5
5	Yr 5-8 Oral Assessment
6	Assembly Rm 5&6—11.45am
	Caritas Mufti Day
	End of Term 2
<b>Term 3</b>	<b>23 July—28 Sept</b>
31 July	School Photos
2 Sept	School Mass
<b>Term 4</b>	<b>15 Oct—19 December</b>
11 Nov	School Mass
12-16 Nov	Yr 5—6 Camp
26-30 Nov	Yr 7—8 Camp
18 Dec	School Prizegiving
18 Dec	Last day of school for students

## Fruit In Schools Roster

Monday:	Tamara Page
Tuesday:	Rose James
Wednesday:	Nic Charles
Thursday:	Rose James
Friday:	Kirsten Stevens

## Altar Servers

10 June	Taylah Maguire
	Abby Renwick
17 June	James & Kendra Taylor



\$2 per sausage or meat pattie to be placed in an envelop with your child's name, class and order written on the outside. Orders placed in the box at the office before school.

We need 2 parent helpers for each day please phone Sarah Young 021 778 659 if you can help.

11 June	Tania and Colin
18 June	Dan G & Allister Tate
25 June	Allister Tate
2 July	Tania and Colin

## Assembly Certificates

### Principal's Award

**Louie Charles**—Outstanding progress with learning alphabet letters and writing independently.

**Oscar Hewson**—Outstanding fair play during the Rippa Rugby Tournament.

### Mary MacKillop Awards

**Alex Fitzgerald**—For letting the Holy Spirit guide him in making positive choices.

**Oscar Hewson**—For his encouragement of others and sharing the try line at Rippa Rugby.

**Korall Tate**—For showing a thoughtful and thankful attitude in prayer times

**Olly Renwick**—For demonstrating the fruit of the spirit – kindness when out in the playground.

**MJ Bravo**—For always listening to the Holy Spirit and doing the right thing.

**Zoe Goodwin**—For being caring class member or sharing her kindness to others.

### Room 1

**Noah Tiplady**—For showing how well he can take control of his learning and his self-management in class

**Isabella Loder**—For taking responsibility for her actions and being a positive influence in the school

### Room 2

**James Taylor**—For his focused approach to learning.

**Savannah Miller**—For being engaged in her learning and self managing.

### Room 3

**Holley Ferguson**—For working extremely hard during reading and writing time.

**Eoghan Cronin**—Showing respect and reverence to others.

### Room 4

**Jackson Robinson**—For demonstrating excellent time management in all areas of class room life.

**Jada Baird**—For having the confidence to always involve herself in in classroom, syndicate and school wide discussions. Very Brave!

### Room 5

**Holly Phillips**—For progress in reading. Great fluency and expression.

**Parker Hanifin**—Being a superstar mathematician. Great noticing patterns in numbers.

### Room 6

**Carter Barid**—For making an excellent start at school.

**Abby Sutherland**—For wonderful effort and attitude in everything she does.



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