

Our 2017 House Leaders



Francis Xavier
Leader: Mikayla Monahan
Deputy: Lukas Proske



Mary McKillop
Leader: Ashlee-John Cecilio
Deputy: Leona Tolentino



Bridget
Leader: Mikhail Downing
Deputy: Genevieve Allen



Euphrasie Barbier
Leader: Madeline Vanxay-Chanpasit
Deputy: Joshua Hernandez



Nicholas
Leader: Jacob Dowd
Deputy: Ana Nu'u



Peter Chanel
Leader: Eren Lumiwes
Deputy: Coby Mateo



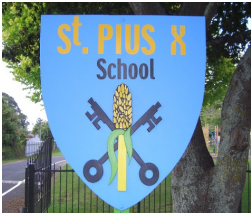
Thomas
Leader: Rose Cotter-Huxtable
Deputy: Libby Mollet



Catherine
Leader: Brooklyn Hayde
Deputy: Joshua Cortez

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Thursday 23rd February 2017, Newsletter #4



Tena koutou katoa. Nga mihi nui kia koutou
 Congratulations to our school leaders. Tomorrow they will be attending a leadership day run by Project Energize.



We welcome our three new entrants, Titan Tuliau, Hannah Nelson and Aiden George, to our school community and wish them success in their school journey.

Sports Notices: Please note although it seems early for organising sports for Term 2 it is important to know how many teams we will have and also how many coaches we will need. See opposite page.
 God Bless
 Jane Rutherford

*Blessed
 are the Poor
 in Spirit*

*The Beatitudes
 Blessed are the poor in spirit for theirs is the Kingdom of Heaven.*

*Our values for this week are:
 Faithfulness
 &
 Integrity*

Swimming Reminder

Students in Rooms 4-Pohutukawa, 5-Nikau, 6-Matai, are swimming every day next week.

Please remember your togs & towel.

Bring along your swimming cap & goggles if you have them.

If not Gallaghers will supply goggles for the lessons.

Please name all items including your swimming bag.

Students will be walking to the pools each day.

You are welcome to collect your child from the pools after their lesson.

Please let the classroom teacher know if you wish to do this and make sure you inform the teacher onsite before you take your child.



Your child will have a set time for their swimming lesson, please inquire from your classroom teacher regarding the lesson time for your child.

2017 School Terms for Primary and Intermediate schools

Term 1	Wednesday 1 February	Thursday 13 April
Term 2	Monday 1 May	Friday 7 July
Term 3	Monday 24 July	Friday 29 September
Term 4	Monday 16 October	Monday 18 December

Calendar of Events

February

- Friday 24th ➤ Leadership Day for House Leaders
- Monday 27th ➤ Swimming for Rooms 4,5,6

March

- Wednesday 1st ➤ Ash Wednesday. School will be attending 9.00am Mass



Money Matters

The Invoice for School Payments was sent home to you the first week of Term.

Please pay this as soon as possible.

If you need another copy of the invoice please ask at the office. Phone 843 6554.

Thank you to those who have paid already.

Preferred methods of payment are:

- Eftpos at the school office
- Online ASB123152-0175049-01. Reference your child's name and classroom number.
- You may still pay by cheque or cash at the school office.

Saints Sports

Reminder: netball notices for Y 7 & 8 are due back tomorrow.

Hockey notices will go home next week for Saints sports.

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Interest in Playing Netball Return Slip - Please return this to the office

Please print

Family Name _____

Student's Name and Room Number _____

Phone Number _____ **Parent's Signature** _____

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Interest in Playing Hockey Return Slip - Please return this to the office

Please print

Family Name _____

Student's Name and Room Number _____

Phone Number _____ **Parent's Signature** _____



School Banking

First Credit Union banking at St Pius X is each Thursday.
Starter Packs are available from the school office.
It is good to encourage our children to save a little each week



Speech and Drama at St Pius X School

Speech and Drama lessons began on Monday
13 February at St Pius X School at 1.30pm.
It is not too late to enrol.

These classes focus on spoken communication skills, including poetry speaking, impromptu speaking, prepared talks, reading aloud, drama games and voice work to improve the way we talk. During the year the children will be prepared to sit an Oral Communication Assessment which involves a prepared talk and speaking poetry and at a more advanced level reading aloud. Classes are open to children of any age. Speech and dram lessons are \$12.00 per lesson per child. Please contact Margaret Evans phone 07 843 5656 or email me at mmaryt@hotmail.com

Here is a petition for bringing back Bader community police station. If you would like to sign this petition, please go to this website

[Http://nzlp.nz/policing](http://nzlp.nz/policing)



Sunday 12th March 2017 (1.00pm - 4.00pm)

Marist Rugby Clubrooms, Old Farm Road, Hamilton

**New Players – A Copy of Birth Certificate or Passport required to confirm age
(Please ensure it is a copy we can keep!)**

Coaches & Managers also required for teams

Subscriptions: \$50 per player, \$80 for two siblings, \$105 for 3 or more siblings
For more information:

Phone: Mike Borrie on 027 2212042 or
Steve Burgess on 027 335 8866



Want to learn to play the GUITAR or UKULELE?

Here at St Pius X you can, with the help of MusiqHub. Just contact Carl for more info...
tozee@gmail.com or 027 388 9558

COOLING DOWN FOR SUMMER

SUPER SMOOTHIES

Smoothies are a great drink that can double as a snack. They are quick, nutritious and easy to make.

Ingredients:

- 1 banana
- 150g pot of fruit yoghurt
- 1 cup low fat milk
- Ice cubes (optional)

Blend all ingredients together and enjoy. Experiment with different types of fresh, canned or frozen fruit.

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