



Tena koutou katoa. Nga mihi nui kia koutou.



A huge congratulations to our house leaders and their deputies for an excellent tabloid sports day. I was really impressed by their organisation, how interactive the games were and the fun aspect of them, making it an enjoyable and energetic morning for our students. Thank you.



Our teachers attended their union meeting yesterday. Going by the mood and resolve of the morning meeting it is more than likely that further industrial action will happen. I will keep you updated once the result of yesterday's vote is known and how you, as parents, may be able to support teachers in this drawn out campaign.

**Friends of the School Meeting this Tuesday 14th May 7:30 in the Staff room All Welcome**

I would like to draw your attention to the next page regarding the election as it is an important read.

Finally I will see you at the Mother's Day assembly tomorrow, in the church.

God Bless

Jane Rutherford



**Duffy Mother's Day Assembly**

**is at 2.10pm in the Church tomorrow  
(Friday 10th May).**

**Hope to see you there!**

## Thursday 9th May 2019, Newsletter #12

# Calendar of Events



## May

10th *Mother's Day Assembly 2:15 Church*  
 14th *Friends of the school Meeting 7.30*  
 21st *Rooms 1-3 Mass*  
 22nd *Board of Trustees Meeting*  
 31st *Whole School Mass*

## June

5th *School Cross Country*  
 12th *Rooms 6 & 7 Mass*  
 21st *Winter Sports Intermediate*  
 26th *School Photos*

## July

3rd *End of Term Mass*  
 5th *End of Term*



**Message from NZSTA – New Zealand Schools' Trustees Association**  
**The School Trustee Elections are being held this year, and we need you to get involved!.**

Our school is governed by a democratically selected group of people called the Board of Trustees. These trustees make important decisions about our school's strategic direction, student progress, management, school culture and more.

Being a trustee is an important and rewarding role. Parents, caregivers and people from the wider community can all be trustees. We're looking for a range of people with a variety of skills and experiences, who believe in making a positive difference to our children's learning.

Nomination forms have been sent to all eligible voters. If you're interested in standing for election or nominating someone you know, please fill out the Nomination form and return it to the school office St Pius X Catholic School, 57 Pine Ave, Melville, Hamilton 3206.

07 8436554, [info@stpius.school.nz](mailto:info@stpius.school.nz)

**Nominations close on Friday 24 May at noon.. Election Day is 7 June 2019.**