

# St Pius X Catholic School

## Te Kura O Hato Paea

### Newsletter #2



To Learn Love  
To Learn Wisdom  
The Way We Are

Thursday 11th February 2021

Week 2 Term 1



#### Principal's Message

Tena koutou katoa. Nga mihi nui kia koutou.

Reminder this coming **Tuesday 16th February. Meet the Teacher :**

This is an opportunity to hear about class programmes, routines and expectations. We have found that attending these meetings has answered a lot of questions for parents and are very worthwhile.

The programme: Kea A and B - Tracey and Urai Vanxay and Mrs Williams 3.00pm NE and Year 1

Piwakawaka - Miss B, Miss Millar, Mrs Garsed 3.20 Years 2 & 3

Kārearea - Mr Fernandes 3.40 Year 4

Tara Iti - Mrs Overmayer, Mr de Vega 4.pm Years 5 & 6

Tūi and Hoiho– Mrs Hayde and Mr Easto 4.20 Years 7 & 8

**Swimming** is coming up soon. Notices have already or will come home. Please check your child's bag. Check the calendar in this newsletter to see what week your child is going.

**Cultural Evening:** Friends of the school are organising this. Please see details in this newsletter. There is a meeting of the Friends of the School this Monday the 15th, you are all welcome to attend. Remember also to check the calendar on our website for dates for upcoming events by clicking [here](#)

*Welcome new staff members*



Mr Keegan Fernandes Teacher



Dr Plex John Teacher Aide

We welcome our new students to our school community and wish them every blessing and a wonderful learning journey at St Pius X.



Thank you for ensuring your children have their stationery pack, it has enabled the teachers to get their programmes underway. If you have trouble getting your child's pack please contact Maree in the office, she will be able to help.

God Bless  
Jane Rutherford

# February 2021

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12 <i>School Mass</i>	13	14
15	16 <i>Meet the Teacher</i>	17 <i>Ash Wednesday</i>	18	19	20	21
22 <i>Swimming Starts Piwakawaka, Kareare &amp; Tara Iti</i>	23	24	25 <i>Board Meeting</i>	26	27	28

# March 2021

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
1 <i>Swimming Kea A &amp; B. Tui/Hoihoi</i>	2	3	4	5 <i>Cultural Evening</i>	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				



St Pius X School and Friends of the School present:  
**2021 Cultural Showcase - Shared Picnic &  
Performance**



Everyone welcome! Friday 5 March 5:00-7:30pm

Come and celebrate the family traditions and cultural influences that make our school community so special

The St. Pius X Cultural Showcase is an evening to share food together and watch performances. Your family is invited to bring a food dish to share and/or sign up to provide entertainment.

Here is how you can participate:

COME ALONG! Everyone is welcome to attend - experience what others are sharing and get to know the St Pius X School community better. We encourage parents and children to come in cultural or traditional dress.

SHARED PICNIC: Bring your favourite dish to share with others - food which is culturally or traditionally significant to your family. Bring your dish ready to serve. Stay with your dish & serve it -OR- Leave your dish at the self-service table.

PERFORMERS WANTED: Contribute to the entertainment schedule with a performance - Dance, Song, Poetry, Tribute, Martial Art demo, etc. Individual or group. 5-minute slots are available. There are no limits to the types of family-friendly entertainment!

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If a member of your family is interested in performing - email the following information to [friends@stpius.school.nz](mailto:friends@stpius.school.nz) or complete this form and return to school office. Friends of the School will then be in touch with further details.

Please register your interest by 26 February.

Student's Name & Room number:

Parent's Name:

My family would like to contribute

live performance

food

other

Details:

# What's Happening

## Hamilton Roller Skating Club Melville Park

The following are all the Public Sessions we are running this term starting 15<sup>th</sup> February with the Sunday Morning Session.

**Sunday Morning 10 a.m. to Noon** Mums and Dads skate free with their own skates, kids \$3.00 each. Hire Skates available cost \$2.00 each.

**Monday 5.30 p.m. to 6.30 p.m.** Learn to Skate Class including skate hire \$25.00 per term, or \$3.00 per night starting 15.2.2021.

**Thursday 5.30 p.m. to 7.00 p.m.** Speeds skating \$2.00 each.

**Thursday Night Twilight/Disco Skate 7.00 p.m. to 9.00 p.m.** \$3.00 each \$2.00 skate hire.

A great way to get out there and get active with your kids



If you would like any further information please ring Kathy Moody on 8552523.



Here at St Pius school you can learn any instrument you want with

## MUSIQ HUB

PLAY SMART

Contact Carl for more info: [carl.watkins@musiqhub.co.nz](mailto:carl.watkins@musiqhub.co.nz)  
027-388-9558

### TERM 1 BIKE SKILLS PROGRAMME – AFTER SCHOOL – MONDAY NIGHTS 5.30pm to 6.30pm

For new riders on pedal bikes to learn bike skills in a safe environment with qualified coaches. Bike & Helmet hire available \$2 per item

All riders must be fully covered eg. long pants, long sleeve top, covered shoes (we have gloves)

Term 1 – 8 Week Programme for all ages on pedal bikes – Cost \$100 which includes the programme & an annual membership with Hamilton BMX Club.

Monday Nights 5.30pm to 6.30pm – start date 15th February 2021

All dates: 15th & 22nd February, 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd & 29th March, 12th April

Bike Skills: Pedalling, Balancing, Braking, Cornering, confidence

REGISTER HERE: <https://www.hamiltonbmx.co.nz/lessons/>

IMPERIOUS DANCE COMPANY

# DANCE CLASSES

## In Melville

WEDNESDAYS!!  
@ St Lukes Church Hall

STREET HIPHOP  
JAZZ & CONTEMPORARY

Dance Classes for 3 - 18 years

FOR INFO: Email  
[imperiousdancecompany@gmail.com](mailto:imperiousdancecompany@gmail.com)  
OR PH 0274186777

**GLENVIEW UNITED ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL CLUB**  
FOOTBALL 2021

Exciting things are happening at Glenview United AFC. We would like to invite anyone interested in playing football in 2021 to an open day. On the day we will have a chance to try some activities, play a game and meet other players, the coaching team, and club officials. We will also be on hand to assist you with the sign-up process.

This will be held Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> February 2021, at the Glenview School hall and Glenview park, Bruce Ave, Hamilton at the following times:

First Kicks, anyone born 2015 or after.	9am
U8 boys, born 2013 and 2014	10am
U10 boys, born 2011 and 2012	11am
All girls born 2008 or after	12pm
U14s anyone born in or before 2010	1pm

As part of the club's commitment to make the game available to all, we will be running courses to introduce the game to anyone who is new or returning to the game. Glenview club is also looking at opportunities for potential new coaches to learn about coaching. More information will be available on the 27<sup>th</sup>.

For further information contact the club at [glenviewafc@gmail.com](mailto:glenviewafc@gmail.com) or follow us on facebook 'Glenview United AFC'.

**OPEN DAY SATURDAY 27<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY**

**DirectGroup Uniforms**

DG Sport

Now open from 7am until 7pm every Thursday for the rest of February

**This Weeks' Birthdays**

**February**

7th – George Yr 3 Piwakawaka  
8th – Yr 1 Kea A  
10th – Tyler Yr 4 Karearea  
12th – Jeffrey Yr 4 Karearea

*Happy Birthday from everyone at St Pius X*

**BIKE SKILLS LESSONS PROGRAMME**  
2021 TERM 1

PEDAL BIKES  
ALL AGES & SKILLS

Bike Skills  
Build confidence  
Pedalling, Balancing, Cornering

REGISTER HERE:  
<http://www.hamiltonbmx.co.nz/lessons/>

PAYMENT  
BANK TRANSFER

Bank Account: Hamilton BMX Club  
03-0314-0215410-00  
Feedback: Robyn Hume & Peta

Hamilton BMX Club  
Minogue Park,  
Moore Street,  
Forest Lake, Hamilton  
Track Contact: Elaine Lucas  
027 2733149

**STARTS 15<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY 2021**  
**HAMILTON BMX CLUB**  
**TERM 1 BIKE SKILLS LESSONS**  
NEW RIDERS – ALL AGES – PEDAL BIKES

8 WEEK AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMME/LESSONS  
Cost \$100 Includes an annual membership with Hamilton BMX Club

MONDAY 5.30pm to 6.30pm  
Qualified coaches - Safe, fun environment - Riders must be fully covered eg. Long pants, long sleeve top, covered shoes (no floppy gloves)  
Bike & helmet hire available \$2 per item

Starts 15<sup>th</sup> February 2021  
All dates: 15<sup>th</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> February, 1<sup>st</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup> March & 12<sup>th</sup> April

Event Health & Safety Statement:  
By registering into this programme you acknowledge you have read & understood the event H&S Declaration that is provided by the sport when submitting your online registration. A full event H&S delivery plan can be provided by contacting the host club.

**BIKE**

**BOOK A VISIT!**

Our club would love to share our sport with you, join us at Wednesday club nights or book a visit.

<http://www.hamiltonbmx.co.nz/lessons/>  
Phone 027 2733169 or email: [hamiltonbmx@xtra.co.nz](mailto:hamiltonbmx@xtra.co.nz)

Minogue Park, Moore Street, Forest Lake, Hamilton