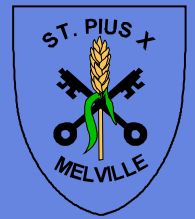


# St Pius X Catholic School

## Te Kura O Hato Paea

### Newsletter Week 2 Term 3

Thursday 4th August 2022



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To Learn Wisdom  
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#### Principal's Message

Tena Koutou Katoa,

School Reports: These will go home next Thursday, as we will not be having formal interviews teachers may be in touch with you to discuss your child's progress. If you haven't heard anything and you want to discuss the report, please feel free to contact you child's class teacher to arrange a time to meet.

2023: As you know we are at capacity number wise for our school. We have a long waiting list for next year and I need to be thinking about the number I can take. If you have a child starting next year could you please let the office know, [info@stpius.school.nz](mailto:info@stpius.school.nz) Also if your child/ren are not returning next year I would really appreciate knowing soon as it will help me for future planning; the reason I ask is that children often tell us that they are moving and not coming back next year so it would be extremely helpful for me to know when planning classes.

St Pius X Feastday: We are celebrating this on Friday the 19th of August. As part of the celebration we are asking children to dress up as a saint or a bible character. We will also attend Mass at 9.00am.

Also on Sunday 21st we are celebrating with the parish St Pius X feast day. We will be organising the Sunday Mass and there is an expectation that all students will attend. This will be followed by morning tea.

School Photos: Tuesday August 16th details on the back.

Ma te Atua Maanaki

Jane Rutherford



We welcome 3 new students to our school community. We wish Anna George, Ariella Linstrom and Isabell Juno all the best as they start their school journey.

## August 2022

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
			4 School-Mass 9am	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15 School Mass 9am	16 School Photos	17	18	19 School Celebration St Pius Feast Day.	20	21 Parish & School Mass 9am
22	23	24	25 Board of Trustees Meeting	26	27	28 Confirmation
29	30	31				

## September 2022

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
			1	2 Father's Day Assembly	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10 Jump Jam Comp	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

# What's Happening

## BoT Elections

This year there are Board of Trustee elections around the country. Below is the time frame that our school will be following for the elections:

Voting Papers Sent by - Wednesday 10th August  
 Election Day (voting closes) - **Noon Wednesday 7th September**

Count Votes - Tuesday 13th September  
 Board Takes Office - Wednesday 14th September

Note: there is no election unless there are more people standing than there are places on the Board of Trustees. The St Pius X Board of Trustees has always set the number of elected parent representatives at 5. If anyone is interested in finding out more about the Board of Trustees they are welcome to contact the Principal for further information.

## Melville High School Open day.

9:30 in the school hall, and Information meeting evening at 6pm in the Glenice Gallagher Library,

### Thursday 11th August.

- Programme:
- Musical performance
- Principal's address
- Student address
- Performing Arts Item
- Visits to classrooms & facilities
- Opportunity to meet staff
- Time for questions
- Enrolment opportunity

## School Photos—Tuesday 16th August

Your son or daughter will soon bring home an online slip with their unique Access Key detailed on it. This Access Key will display all the photographs of your child. It is then an easy process for you to shop on-line and purchase the photographs you want.

More information regarding school photos will be advertised as it becomes available.

## Our Ice Hockey Teams



### PEEWEE CARDINALS

ROCKET West  
 OLIVER Eichler  
 BLAKE Jacquier  
 VIAAN Thakker  
 EMERY Green  
 GRAYSON Ireton  
 MARSON Piskot  
 DALVIN JAMES (DJ) Ranjo  
 RYAN Rossbotham  
 NIKKI Rossbotham

### COACHES CAM Green - SANJAY Thakker SCHOOL REPRESENTATIVES KEEGAN Fernandes - JANE Rutherford

## TERM 3 ROSTERS



### ST. PIUS X CARDINALS

KENLEY Green  
 JOHN-MARK Badenhorst  
 MAKAYLA Pang  
 ZACH Muller  
 PATRICK Stevenson  
 VIAAN Thakker \*  
 EMERY Green \*

Congratulations to our two year 8 teams who competed in the Cathmath competition.



Happy Birthday from everyone at St Pius X

7th—Angela—Piwakawaka & Marlee-John—Kea A

9th—Lucas & Kerriann—Karearea

Happy Birthday!