



NEWSLETTER

08 SEPTEMBER 2017

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

Tena koutou katoa

There has been so much to highlight around school over the last couple of weeks.

The following children sat the Kiwi English, Maths, Science exams and obtained the following results:

ENGLISH

Achieved: Atalina Pritchard, Siobhan Taylor, Mathan Merekula, Jimmy Port & Jaimie Cantwell

Merit: Ramsay Sula

MATHS

Participation: Atalina Pritchard, Mathan Merekula, Jimmy Port

Achieved: Alex Belton & Jaimie Cantwell

Merit: Zach Prince

SCIENCE

Participation: Atalina Pritchard, Mathan Merekula, Jaimie Cantwell

Merit: Alex Belton

Congratulations to **Rheanna Dreaver and Amiele Miguel** who were placed second at the Canterbury Digi Awards for the website they developed.

Congratulations also to the following students who received their First Holy Communion last Sunday, **Greer Douglas, Grace Prince, Tweeny Paunga, Niamh Taylor and Telesia Paunga.**

Fiafia night was a great success with our Pasifika group really shining through. A big thank you to everyone who helped make this night so successful. We would like to continue to develop our Pasifika group so if you have some ideas about how we could do this please come and see me.

We are trying to confirm our classes for next year. To do this we need to have confirmed numbers of children who will be continuing or starting with us next year. If you have a child that is not enrolled already, could you please come into the office and get an enrolment pack.

Likewise, If you know of anyone who is thinking of enrolling their children, could you please encourage them to come in and see us so we can start the enrolment process with them.

We also have vacancies on the school roll for Catholic children and children with a Catholic connection. For clarification, this could be a parent/guardian, grandparent or other significant adult in the child's life such as an aunt, uncle or godparent. If you know of anyone interested in attending our school please provide them with our contact details.

Fun Faith Fact

Pope Francis' prayer intention for the month

of September is for **parishes**. His prayer is *"That our parishes, animated by a missionary spirit, may be places where faith is communicated and charity is seen."*

Our school is part of a parish community. Let's make this our prayer focus for the month too!

God Bless
Arohanui

Graeme Norman
Principal

School Photos – Tuesday 19th September

Our School photos will be taken on **Tuesday 19th September**.

Named pre-payment envelopes have been distributed to all children today. Envelopes need to be returned to school **no later Friday 15th September**.

If you would like a 'sibling photo' of your children please ask for a sibling envelope order form from the school office.

A reminder please that all children need to be wearing their correct winter school uniform on photo day and everyday. This includes their school tie, school jersey, and black school shoes. Please note that the school polar fleece is not to be worn in class and not worn in place of the school jersey. Requirements of the winter uniform are noted in this newsletter under reminders.

Thank you for your support.

Out of School Achievements:

Well done to **Preston Kearney** – Room 5 who was awarded "Play of the Year" for the Rolleston RFC 2017 under 8 Black Team

FOR SALE –

Boys Uniform

1 x School Sports Polo Shirt – Size 16

2 x Long Sleeve Shirts Size 14

1 x Boys Shorts Size 88cm

These items are in very good condition and only used for less than a year.

Contact number 021992173

School Newsletters:

A newsletter is emailed out to families every two weeks. Please ensure we have your correct email address and advise the school if you change your email address. You can also see our latest school newsletter on our School Website – under information – www.stbernadetteschch.school.nz.

Information in the newsletter is very important.

Please keep your eye on the newsletter and our Facebook page to ensure you are kept up to date with information about what is happening at school.

You can now get the latest news from school and keep up to date by downloading the **Parent Teacher Calendar APP**. To download the APP just search your Play Store or App Store for the Parent Teacher Calendar App. **This is a free download**. You can also use this to notify us if your child is going to be absent. School Cell Phone Number if you prefer to text in an absence is **027 518 1174**.

CLASS AWARDS



Week 6

ROOM 1

C.E.R.R. Awards

Jack- for having a positive attitude in the

classroom and the playground.

Duffy:

Storm- for being a very responsible class member and for consistently showing compassion to others.

ROOM 4

C.E.R.R. Awards

Max - for showing responsibility with his belongings and making great contributions to class discussions.

Greer - for stepping up and showing great responsibility in her classroom duties.

Duffy:

Denise - for always having a smile on her face and having a 'can-do' attitude.

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- **THE WINTER SCHOOL UNIFORM IS WORN in TERM 2 and TERM 3**
- Please remind your children to wear their correct winter uniform to school everyday. That includes their school tie and school shoes.

Boys: Grey Winter Shorts and Shirts, School jersey, Tie, Plain long school socks and School Shoes

Girls: Pinafore, White Long Sleeve Blouse, School Jersey or School Cardigan, Tie, Navy over the knee socks or navy tights, School Shoes.

School Polar Fleece can be worn as an 'optional' extra as **part of the Winter Uniform only**. They are not to be worn in the classroom, but can be worn to and from school and in the playground when it is cold.

Children must wear their school jersey when it is cold. The polar fleece must not be worn in place of the school jersey.

Long Hair should be tied back and only blue and burgundy hair ties should be worn.

- **Navy Blue Micro-fibre Track-pants**(Style No. 99457) have been **added to our School Sports Uniform Requirements** at the Warehouse. **These are optional and can be worn over the top of the navy sports shorts.**
- **Year 7 & 8 Girls' skirts** are now also available from the Warehouse.

Our full uniform is available from the 'Warehouse' at Hornby Mall.

If the Warehouse does not have the item you require this can be ordered in by them and should only take about a week if there are stocks available. Any problems please let the school office know.

Mainland Uniforms Ph. 3603037 also stock most items of our school uniform.

Please Phone Trish Hastie on **3440556** if you would like to see our second-hand uniform supplies.

- Our C.E.R.R. values (pronounced care) are **COMPASSION, EXCELLENCE, RESPONSIBILITY and RESPECT**

TERM CALENDAR

11 September	Life Education
12 September	Life Education
13 September	Life Education
12 September	Christchurch Schools Music Festival Rehearsal
19 September	School Photos
20 September	Kids for Kids Concert
25 September	Board Meeting 6pm
26 September	HPV Vaccine
29 September	End of Term 3
16 October	Term 4 Begins –Summer Uniform
18 December	Term 4 ends

BIRTHDAYS in September...

Anabelle Albano, Jaimie Cantwell, Faith Pavia, Nino Albano, Izza Ecleo, Sara Dwyer, Nathan Dalpatan, Petelo Tonga, Kurtis Chappell, Lauren Dreaver,, Stanley Celajes, Dion Pascual

REMINDERS...

- The yearly **Religious Education Levy of \$5 per child and the family photocopy fee of \$10 per family are now due for payment.** Please send this money to your child's classroom teacher in a named envelope.
- **Year 7 & 8 Technology Fees are due for payment \$70.00.** Please send this money to your child's classroom teacher in a named envelope.

- Children should not be at school prior to **8.30am** and should be collected no later than **3.30pm** in the afternoon
- School Office Hours: 8.30am – 3.30pm
- **Breakfast Club – Mon, Wed, Fri – 8am**
- This **Homework club** caters for ALL, especially the Whanau of Hornby community. It has been running for the past 4 years, and it is always **for FREE**.

NOTE - Changes for Term 3.

The Monday session from 3:30-4:30pm has been cancelled.

However, **POWER UP**, an After School programme still runs from 5:00pm to 7:00pm every Monday at Hornby High School

Wednesday session is from 3:30pm to 5:00pm

Venue: Hornby High School

Room A10

Friday session is from 3:30pm to 5:00pm (Rm

Venue: Hornby High School

Room: A10

For more info:

Contact-Lupe Baker

Email: llbaker@clear.net.nz

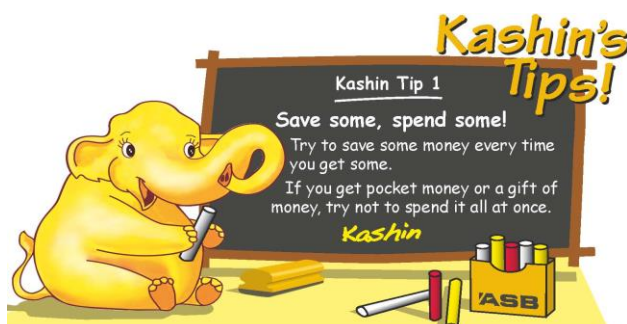
m-phone:02041144492

Violin tuition is available at the school from Ian Bolton, Dip. Mus. Ian plays with the Christchurch Symphony Orchestra and teaches in many schools. He may be able to arrange hire of a violin at a reasonable rate. Phone Ian on [981 7260](tel:9817260).

ASB SCHOOL BANKING

REGISTER YOUR CHILD TODAY INTO ASB'S SCHOOL BANKING PROGRAMME

Banking day is every Wednesday.



PARISH NEWS

Sunday Mass Times:

8.30am Darfield

10.30am Hornby

Attendance Dues Payments are compulsory.

Automatic Payment of Parish Attendance Dues Accounts is encouraged.

If you would like to pay

By internet banking they are as follows

CDOC Catholic Parish of Hornby and Darfield

03 1592 0832496 021

Could you please put your name in the reference so we can credit your account

Attendance Dues are \$61.75 per term per child

The Parish Office is open Wed / Thurs mornings Ph 3429 763 – 76 Hei Hei Road

Term 3 is now over halfway in the new the term. We have a considerable amount of outstanding and unpaid School Attendance Fees, **around \$11629.90 of which \$4410.70 is for Term 3.**

Please help us by paying your outstanding amounts. As we have said previously all the money collected goes to the Diocese for the well-being and maintenance of St Bernadette's School

ASB

Supporting success in your school.

If you are a parent, staff member or member of the school community and you draw down a new ASB home loan of \$250,000 or more, ASB will donate to your chosen participating school:

\$500

ASB lending criteria and terms apply. Fees may apply. To be eligible for this donation your new home loan application must be received, approved and then documented in a facility agreement, along with the completion of a school donation voucher, between 1 July 2017 and 30 June 2018. A minimum of 20% equity is required in the security property provided to ASB. This home loan offer is only available on loans secured by an owner-occupied residential property. Only one donation will be given per customer. Donations will be made by ASB on behalf of the customer to the chosen school upon full draw down of the new home loan. This offer excludes loans for business purposes and bridging.

ASB Bank Limited 562 90 0478/0477

COMMUNITY NEWS...

Marching Canterbury invite you to come along and have a go. With FREE learn to march classes being held at Templeton Community Centre on Tuesdays 4.30-6pm for the remainder of Term 2. Marching is a great sport for those who enjoy teamwork, making lifelong friends, travelling the country and fine-tuning your coordination and posture. If you would like to see what it's all about, come along and meet some of the girls. Any questions

please contact Becky on 0273096679

Get Ready Week is held every year to mark the International Day for Natural Disaster Reduction (13 October). This year's theme is Stay Safe, Stay Informed.

<http://www.civildefence.govt.nz/cdem-sector/public-education/get-ready-week/>

Mainland Holiday Programmes – see www.mainlandfootball.co.nz

CNZBA – International Market & Beauty Expo

9 September 11- 4pm Halwell Community Centre, 341 Halswell Road

www.canterburybusiness.org.nz/donat

Toughlove – 6 Week Parent Support Course

Tips for Parenting Adolescents – Tuesday Nights from 7pm – 9pm

Ph. 3379452 or email toughloveusi@xtra.co.nz

Kiwi Volley Holiday Fun programme takes place on 11th, 12th and 13rd October 2017, between 9am and 12pm at St. Margaret's College, Cost: \$60 per person. These sessions are full of fun and they include a mini tournament. Complete beginners are welcome! Players will learn all the basic skills, meet other Volleyball players and have a ton of fun! Register at <https://www.canterburyvolleyball.org/kiwivolleyball-holiday-programme>.

Kiwi Volley League starts Wednesday 25th October and finishes Wednesday 6th December 2017, between 3.30pm and 5pm at one of four locations around Christchurch, Cost: \$150 per team.

Register at www.canterburyvolleyball.org/about1-c1qk5

Weet-Bix Kids Tryathlon 2017-2018 series

25 February 2018 – Register www.weetbix.co.nz

Meet in the Middle, Sunday 15 October

Celebrate the opening of **Te Ara Ōtākaro**, the Avon Trail, by joining the walk or ride along the river from New Brighton or the City to Kerrs Reach for a grand family fun day, with a regatta, kids activities, food and live entertainment. For details: www.middle.nz

CHRISTCHURCH AVON ATHLETICS CLUB – Junior Section
<http://christchurchavon.com>

We are a well-organised Junior Athletics Club – catering for children of all abilities in the 5-14yr age groups. Club nights are Wednesdays 5pm -6.45pm (5/6yrs finish by 6.30pm) – at **Burnside High School**.

First Club night for the new season is **Wednesday 18 October**.

Saturday Inter-Club Competition is available and top-quality coaching is also provided.

REGISTRATION DAY - for all new members:

DATE: Monday 16 October

TIME: 5.00-6.30pm

PLACE: Christchurch Avon Club Rooms – Burnside High School

(access from Greers Rd beside tennis courts)

contact Marilyn Morrison (Junior Club Captain) by email at marilynmorrison52@gmail.com

Christchurch Arts Festival – 30August – 17 September Fabulous Family Fun – See www.artsfestival.co.nz for more details

SPORT CANTERBURY ACTIVE KIDS

Registrations now open for **October School Holidays– book online!**

Week 1 – Mon 2nd – Fri 6th October *LINCOLN *WESTBURN *PAPANUI

Week 2 – Mon 9th– Fri 13th October *CHCH BOYS HIGH * ROLLESTON

- Join us for a week of action packed fun and adventure
- Delivered by enthusiastic, fully trained staff
- OSCAR approved; WINZ subsidies apply

P 03 373 50 60

E activekids@sportcanterbury.org.nz

www.sportcanterbury.org.nz

Girls Cricket – Zone Fun day Sunday 10th September 3 – 5pm Sydenham Pavilion Cnr

Colombo and Brougham Street

www.sydenhamcricket.co.nz/clublinks/zoned

Christchurch Vegan Expo

Air Force Museum of New Zealand, Harvard Ave, Wigram.

10am – 4:30 pm

Sunday, October 8, 2017

CNC are running a holiday programme for Under 5's and 5-7 years in the October school holidays. Flyer attached.

Venue: Bishopdale YMCA

Dates: Thurs 5th & 12th October

Times: Under 5's 9am – 1015am

5-7 years 10.30am – 11.45am

Cost: \$5 per child per session

Sara Norton

Junior Netball Coordinator

Mobile 027 9194474

My names Isaac Sutherland and I'm part of the team organising the Hellers Pegasus Fun Run this year at Lake Pegasus.

This is an fun run targeting families of Christchurch and it's a great event for the community to get behind, not only is there the option of running 2.5, 6 or 11km's but a day full of family activities for the kids, food vendors and a band.

Unlike other running events cost is not a barrier with pre-registration for adults only \$15, kids \$5 and under 5's free.

Please see www.sportcanterbury.org.nz

Prebbleton Touch

2018 Rugby Season-Genuine, enjoyable country atmosphere.

(All grades in JAB - Colts)

Your child will receive exceptional coaching from our highly motivated team, and an opportunity to reach their full potential, along with exposure to many development programs and increased representative opportunities. Our teams have access to exceptional training equipment and facilities, and our coaching team is complemented by a fulltime Rugby Development Officer.

Ellesmere is not weighted, so your child can play with their peers, and grounds are rarely closed due to weather. We welcome you and your family and friends for the 2018 season. www.prebbletonrugby.co.nz

EDUKIDS DELAMAIN, 5 Jarnac Boulevard Yaldhurst have a special deal -

50% off fees for two months for a limited time only.

Please contact Edukids Delamain on 7411024

Have you ever fancied doing something different in the water? We are recruiting new members who can swim 25m aged 7-11yrs. Come along and try Synchronised Swimming – 2 free lessons, Wednesday nights
Phone Joan 3495001 or 0274487356

Junior & Youth Indoor Sports Season Term 4
Ph. 3480621 www.howzatindoorsportsc.co.nz

Recruiting now for Empire Marching Team!! If your daughter(s) is interested in joining a new fun sport introduce her to marching! She doesn't have to be an expert, we'll teach her all the basics and she'll make friends for life! We're an Introductory Grade team and are looking for girls aged between 4 and 12, she can even bring a friend along! For questions and enquiries please contact Selinna on 0220256410 or Kellie on 021334786."

Kat's Art Studio – Art Classes for Children –
www.katrinamcgettigan.co.nz

Hornby United AFC is the football club that services the suburbs around Hornby, Hei Hei, Broomfield, Sockburn and Templeton and operates out of the Hornby United Clubrooms at Denton Park. We cater to all ages from Mini League (pre schoolers to 8yrs), juniors, youth and seniors. We are a friendly club and all are welcome.
Contacts: Janine Tanner – Secretary – clubsecretary_hornbyunited@hotmail.co.nz
Sean TeWhata-Wallace – Vice President/Mini League Coordinator - clubsecretary_hornbyunited@hotmail.co.nz
Peter Anderson – President –

clubsecretary_hornbyunited@hotmail.co.nz
Website: www.hornbyunited.sportingpulse.net

TimberNook –provides innovative nature-based programmes for children designed to foster creativity, imagination & play in the great outdoors.

TimberNook programmes are now offered in Christchurch! Amazing outdoor experiences in a natural setting –Cracroft Guide Centre (151 Cashmere Road). Limited places for Tiny Ones preschool playgroups, Going Wild weekend club, a range of school holiday programmes, special events & birthday parties. To view programmes visit <http://www.timbernook.com> or contact Kim via email Kim.Tenebaum@timbernook.com, 027 9340409, fb TimberNook Christchurch NZ South

TimberNook doesn't entertain – we empower!

Southern Cross Irish Dance – Beginner Class
Tuesday – 4-5pm, Saturday 10-11am Ph. Shannon & Argene 022 0403109

ANZ Future Ferns Fund Have a Go Day for Yrs 1– 6

To register <http://www.sporty.co.nz/viewform/50158>

Singing and Piano Lessons
Please contact Yvette on Ph. 022 0729469
Or email yvilor@gmail.com

THE KIWI FAMILY TRUST have just launched The Layton Swimset Fund which aims to give families access to Swimming Lessons for children aged 3+ throughout New Zealand. If you would like further information please contact Natasha Layton on 9638040

Email Natasha@kiwifamily.trust.org

Kidsfirst Kindergarten Hei Hei - Vacancies for children 3-5 year old

Kidsfirst Hei Hei have spaces available to support your child's growth and learning.

Come and see us for an enrolment form.

Contact us: 03 3496265 heihei@kidsfirst.org.nz

10 Wycla Ave, Hei Hei

Hornby Toy Library 34 Springs road Sockburn (grounds of Sockburn school) Hours Thursday 5:30-7pm & Saturday 9:30am-12pm

more information visit us, phone (03) 349 3109



**Home Interaction Programme
for Parents and Youngsters**
Learning to learn together

Do you have a child aged **3.5-4.5 years** of age?

Do you want to work with your child at home and prepare them for a successful start at school?

HIPPY is a new programme now available to families in Hornby.

HIPPY costs only \$1 per week.

HIPPY tutors, who do HIPPY with their own child, show parents what to do.

HIPPY takes 15 minutes per day, 5 days per week.

For more information, please contact:

Kim Strange – HIPPY Hornby Coordinator ph 021569911



KUMON

Find out how your child can develop essential maths and English skills with Kumon. **Contact your local Kumon Centre by 8 May to secure your child's place in the Free Trial!**

KUMON PAPANUI EDUCATION CENTRE

1/2 Horner Street, Papanui, 8053

Instructor: Saree | mobile: 022 356 4305

Terms and conditions apply. Visit <http://au.kumonglobal.com>



Horizons

O S C A R

creating opportunities for children to grow

We offer fun, friendly Before School, After School and Holiday Programmes for Years 1-8.

Located at Hornby Primary,

Sockburn Primary & Reima Centre (27 Aymes Rd)

Phone 974 1532

www.horizonsoscar.net.nz

FB: Horizons-Oscar

Do you love to SING, DANCE, DRUM or just HAVE FUN?

StarJam is a not-for-profit NZ organisation that seeks to empower young people with disabilities through music and performance!

We run weekly performance workshops for anyone aged 6-25 years old with any type of disability and we currently have SPACES IN HORNBY for drumming, singing and dancing!

Our workshops have room for up to 12 young people, who are able to commit to coming every week to learn new skills, make friends, and experience the belief that anything is possible. Each workshop is supported by a skilled tutor and 2 or 3 volunteers.

Contact Jo with any questions on: 021 782 766 | 03 423 1691 | christchurch@starjam.org

RSA 38 Kirk Road Templeton – Kids Disco – First Sunday of every month except when it falls on a statutory holiday – 2-5pm and is a family affair – primary/intermediate

children and their families – Entry is a gold coin donation per child. All very welcome.

Stitch in Time – Clothing and Uniform Repairs
Ph.3320496

Small Strokes Synchro Club are inviting girls 7-12yrs who can swim 50metres to join our beginners classes on a Wed night 6-7pm.
Those interested please phone Joan 3495001 or email j.billing@clear.net.nz

Muay Tahi Christchurch – New Kids Classes – First Lesson Free Ph. 027 6658297

Hornby Hockey – Year 1 & 2 players
Interested? Please see
www.hornbyhockey.co.nz/membership

Big Brother Big Sister

We are looking for volunteers to become male mentors for some great young boys in our city. Become a Mentor today Ph. 3584019
www.christchurchbigbrotherbigsister.org.nz

We have registered for the **ANZ Olympic Schools Programme** which is designed to inspire, motivate and reward our youth and schools, with the magic of the Olympic games.

Through the programme, when we refer fellow parents and friends in our school network to ANZ for their home or business lending our school will have the opportunity to secure an Olympian visit at their school.

Plus for every successful home or business loan referral of \$50,000 or more our school also earns credits to spend at the ANZ Awards Centre on new IT equipment, sports gear and much more.

2017 Mitre 10 Mega Tough Kid Event and Pegasus Fun Run
Information www.sportcanterbury.org.nz