

# St Paul's Catholic School

Newsletter 6, Term 2, 2020

Thursday 21st May, 2020

***Vision: At St Paul's we know, love and serve God.***

**Mission: To provide a collaborative, holistic learning environment founded on Catholic ideals.**

Kia ora koutou, I hope your week is going well, a week in which we welcome you all back to school under Alert Level 2. A big thank you to you all for the understanding and patience that you have shown during these unprecedented times. Let us all continue to keep in our prayers people in positions of leadership who are making decisions on our behalf and who need to consider so many implications and complexities. May they be guided to make sound and safe decisions that will benefit us all.

As we race into Term 2, slightly disorientated, please be mindful of the following that was planned for in Term 1 for Term 2, that we're hoping will happen in Term 2, but may not as there is still some uncertainty around not only how long we'll be in Alert Level 2 for but also because we're still unsure what Alert Level 1 will look like.

**Things planned for that we're still unsure about:**

Baptisms

Reconciliation and the First Holy Communion and Confirmation programmes

Catholic Character Review

**Things planned for that won't happen in Term 2:**

Any interschool sport

The Teacher only day planned for Tuesday, 2nd of June.

**Things planned for that will happen:**

Year 7 and 8 Manual starting 28 May

School Reports on Wednesday 24 June

Parent interviews on Thursday, 25 June from 3 pm to 6 pm and Tuesday, 30 June 1 pm to 6 pm.

At long last, the new modern learning environment is operational. We'll have a blessing of the new classroom once the grounds works have been completed and the new library is in operation.

The children and teachers working in the new environment are very excited to be in there and I'm pleased to say that the oven is in good working order and the first batch of scones has been baked!

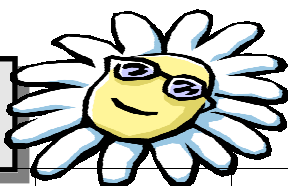
A big thank you to Mrs Koppens and Mrs Ashton for the time and effort you have both put into preparing this learning environment, and the patience you have shown while waiting for it to be completed.

With regard to School Uniform, thank you for the big effort that parents have put in so far to try and make sure we started Term 2 with mainly correct uniform. All children should be in full school uniform by Friday 29th May.

**May the blessings of the risen Lord be with you.**

Shaun Emms





| Week      | Mon                      | Tue  | Wed   | Thu  | Fri                | Sat | Sun       |
|-----------|--------------------------|--|---|--|--------------------|-----|-----------|
|           | 25                       | 26   | 27  | 28   | 29                 | 30  | 31        |
| <b>7</b>  |                          |  |   | Manual   |                    |     | Pentecost |
|           | JUNE 1                   | 2  | 3   | 4  | 5                  | 6   | 7         |
| <b>8</b>  | Queen's Birthday Holiday |  |   |  |                    |     |           |
|           | 8                        | 9  | 10  | 11   | 12                 | 13  | 14        |
| <b>9</b>  |                          |  |   | Manual   |                    |     |           |
|           | 15                       | 16   | 17  | 18   | 19                 | 20  | 21        |
| <b>10</b> |                          |  |   |  | Easter Raffle Draw |     |           |
|           | 22                       | 23   | 24  | 25   | 26                 | 27  | 28        |
| <b>11</b> |                          |  | Birth of St John the Baptist<br><br>Written Reports go Home | Manual<br><br>Parent Interviews Parents & Students 3-6pm |                    |     |           |
|           | 29                       | 30   | JULY 1  | 2  | 3                  | 4   | 5         |
| <b>12</b> | St Peter and Paul        | SCHOOL CLOSSES AT 12PM<br><br>Parent Interviews Parents & Students 1-6pm |   |  |                    |     |           |

## BANK ACCOUNT DETAILS FOR DIRECT CREDIT.

OUR ACCOUNT NUMBER FOR DIRECT CREDIT OF ACTIVITY OR OTHER FEES IS: ASB TeRapa 12-3454-0056352-01. Please put your family name in particulars and what the payment is for in the reference.

## **IMPORTANT! FLEXIBUZZ**

Our communications App. Download the app and search for St Paul's Ngaruawahia To make sure you get the correct notifications regarding your child's class, reset your classroom boxes.

Go to Enter Here - Go to 3 lines at top right - then add or remove boxes.



## **BLACK SCHOOL JACKET WITH LOGO.**



If you wish to order a Black School Jacket for your child for this winter, please let Kay know by next week, Wednesday 27th June. The jackets will be \$71.00 for kids sizes 6-14, and \$86.00 for adults sizes SM-XXXL. Upon ordering, we will require a \$20.00 deposit with the balance paid once the jackets arrive.

## **Technology/Manual Training - Thursday**

Technology/Manual for Year 7 & 8 on a Thursday this year and will be on very alternate Thursday. Students are to wear their **BLACK SCHOOL SHOES** to Technology.