

Marist Catholic School Herne Bay News

Issue 6, Term 2, 1st May 2019



Our Charism

As Marists, we think, judge, feel and act in the way of Mary

Our Mission

learning opportunities, with Jesus Christ as our guide

Message from the Principal.....

It's always a pleasure to see the children and their families back after a break, and to hear their stories about what they have done over the school holidays. I hope you all had a blessed Holy Week/Easter and a wonderful break with your children. We have had a busy holiday at Marist with our administration block having a fresh coat of paint and new furniture installed in our staffroom. With our staff working so hard to ensure there is quality teaching and learning at Marist it is wonderful that they now have an environment to enjoy.

Congratulations to all those students who were Confirmed and received their First Holy Communion last weekend. It was a lovely celebration and we are very proud of these students furthering their relationship with God through the Sacrament of the Eucharist.

We are looking forward to the two social events of the year run by our PTA, the school disco and the PTA social. First is the disco where students can come along and bust some dance moves in our school hall while parents can mix and mingle in the library. The PTA social is an Island theme, with music, drinks, canapes and a silent auction throughout the evening. Tickets will be available soon. The PTA guarantee a great night out!

We are looking forward to another eventful term and as always celebrating all our successes.

God Bless

Sarah Gleeson

ICS Softball Tournament:



At Cox's Bay on 4 April. We won two and lost one game, getting into the finals. (Where we lost to Pt Chev!) Thanks to Mel Begovich and Brendan Thawley for walking to and from school with us, Hugo Lloyd who acted as coach, umpire and scorekeeper, and Deluxmi Bernard who provided refreshments and acted as parent

helper for the day.

Our M.V.P.'s:



Week 10:

Maxwell Cocker,
Emily Jiang,
Sienna Guise,
Sebastian Faust,
Olivia He,
Olivia Millard,
Ruby Dobrec,
Kate Barrington,
Tessa Lepionka

Week 11:

Rachel Nelson,
Clara Young,
Issy Neal,
Ala Malarczyk,
Lola Mantell,
Violet 'Aho,
Nixon Bernard,
James Williams



GENTLE REMINDERS:

Important Dates

BOT Q&A Evening - Wednesday 1 May at 6:00pm

Football Taster - Friday 3 May (Whole School)

Goal Setting Conference - Monday 6 May at 1-6pm
- Tuesday 7 May at 3:30-5:30pm

ICS Swimming - Thursday 9 May

Assembly (Liturgical Team) - Friday 10 May at 2:15pm

School Disco - Friday 10 May at 5-7pm

Marist Cross Country - Wednesday 15 May

Hub 1 Assembly - Friday 24 May at 2:15pm

Positivity Card

This year we are introducing a new initiative where throughout the year teachers will be writing cards to students celebrating positivity. Keep an eye on your mailbox as your child may receive one this year.

Football lunchtime sessions

There is an opportunity for your child to be part of a coaching programme run by Football NZ. They will be able to build their skills in the game through drills and mini football games once a week at lunchtimes. The programme is \$59 for the six week programme. For more information the application form is attached to this newsletter.

We extend a very warm **WELCOME** to the following new students who have started with us recently:

Olivia Pardoe

Addison Rands

Maselusi Amiatu

Neve 'Aho



Stations of the Cross:

Throughout the last week of Term One our Year 6's

presented the stations of the cross. This was a wonderful way for us to celebrate Holy Week and remind us that Lent/ Easter is a time to remember Jesus and his love for us.



MCSHB Board of Trustees Election:

Nominations are invited from Friday 10th May 2019 for the election of 5 parent representatives.

A nomination form and notice will be posted to all eligible voters. You can nominate another person to stand as a candidate, or you can nominate yourself. Both parts of the form must be signed.

Additional nomination forms can be obtained from the school office.

Nominations close at noon on Friday 24th May 2019.

A voting roll is open for inspection at the school office and can be viewed during normal school hours. There will also be a list of candidates' names, as they come to hand. **Voting closes at noon on 7th June 2019.**

Congratulations to the following children who celebrate their birthday in APRIL:

Charlie Dasent

Sophie Dyer

Michael Geary

Jack Hardy

Elijah Leaoasavaai

Marcello Mudu

Summer Samuela

Isaac Short

Monty Simpkins

Louis Turner

Emelia Young



Goal Setting Conferences:

We will be having our annual goal setting evenings this term on **Monday 6th May, 1-6pm** and **Tuesday 7th May, 3-5:30pm.**

This is a time where you can come with your child and hear about their academic goals and build an understanding of how they are going in their learning. These will be followed up later in the term with the mid year reports.

In A Faraway Place:

In a faraway place
or maybe nearby
a Hero gave birth
from out of his heart.

towards the newly made sky.

And then,
just like he planned,
a green and blue globe
shot from his palm.

There He stood,
looking around
He called out
"let here be life!"

His vision was beautiful,
quiet and calm
Everyone loved each other
regardless of charm.

All around him
light shot, like a blast

Let us go back

To live in that peace.

Friendship and unity,
Our centerpiece...

God is here

Watching our every move.

He saw the pain in Christchurch
And he doesn't approve.

He is heartbroken,

Grief in his fern.

Let's not make him

Feel that way again.

Let's make him proud
That we are his herd
And listen to his word
As John said...

"Let us love one another
for God is Love"

Love a little bit more
And all our hearts
will grow...

Emilia Young (Year 6)

Netsafe Tips for Parents:

Social media

How old should kids be before they get social media accounts? The minimum sign up age for Facebook, Instagram, Snapchat, Twitter and YouTube is 13. Of course, if they're under the age minimum it's always better that they're honest with you about using an app or site, rather than doing it behind your back. This way, you can help them to stay safe online.

Tips for setting up social media accounts

1. Make sure you've taught them the online safety basics above
2. Help your child to setup the account
3. Depending on their age, use your email address to sign up
4. Enter their actual birth year so they're less likely to see inappropriate content
5. Become their friend, or follow them
6. Teach them about the safety tools available

When it's appropriate you should talk to your kids about the risks of sharing personal information and images and what can happen to those photos or videos once created and shared.

SACRED HEART PARISH 16 VERMONT STREET, PONSONBY

Sunday: 10.30am (includes children's liturgy)
Vigil: 5pm Saturday
Monday to Thursday: 8.00am
Friday: 12.00noon
Saturday and Public Holidays: 8.00am

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP PARISH 82 KELMARN AVE, HERNE BAY

Sunday: 8.30am
Monday-Saturday: 7.00am



Confessions:

Friday: 11:30am to 11:55am
Saturday: 4:15pm to 4:45pm

ST PAUL'S COLLEGE

AUTUMN HARVEST DINNER & QUIZ NIGHT

TICKETS \$10 + DONATION

BASED ON HOW MUCH YOU ENJOYED THE EVENING



PROCEEDS TO GO
TOWARDS UPGRADING
COLLEGE VAN

FRIDAY MAY 10TH 7PM @ ST PAUL'S COLLEGE HALL

DRINKS AVAILABLE FROM BAR

TICKETS CAN BE PURCHASED VIA INTERNET BANKING - ST PAUL'S COLLEGE ACCT. 12-3107-0018298-01. USE YOUR NAME & "AUTUMN" AS THE REFERENCE. TICKETS ARE ALSO AVAILABLE FROM THE SCHOOL OFFICE.

THE DINNER IS FOR PARENTS AND THEIR FRIENDS, SO LEAVE THE KIDS AT HOME, RELAX AND ENJOY GOOD FOOD AND GOOD COMPANY





Welcome to

School Soccer Programme

FFC Academy



Games are played in one of our inflatable fields, which maximises the time with the ball.



Follow us on Facebook and Instagram.



MANUKA DOCTOR

6 Week Wednesday Lunchtime Programme

Where/When Marist School - Wednesdays 12:45-1:25pm
May 15th, 22nd, 29th, June 5th, 12th & 19th.

Who can play All Children from age 5-12 or Year 0/1-6

How Much \$59

What to Bring Hat, shin pads, boots or trainers, socks
Plus lots of water and snacks

Register Online: www.ffcacademy.co.nz OR Call Rudy 021 332 256
Email: admin@ffcacademy.co.nz OR **Signup & Pay** on the 1st day

OUR COACHES:

- Rudy Mozr - UEFA "A" Czech Republic
- Sander Waterland - UEFA "B" The Netherlands
- Dylan Manickum - Futsal NZ National Team
Waitakere United AFC
- Tom Knight - Bucklands Beach AFC
Onehunga Mangere AFC
- Fern Dignadice - Bucklands Beach AFC
- Jeremie Bouvet - East Coast Bays AFC
- Joseph Martegani - Forrest Hill AFC
- Beth Rattray - Eastern Suburbs AFC

Signup online at www.ffcacademy.co.nz OR Complete the form below.
For wet weather please check our Facebook page or website for details.



MY DETAILS

Marist School (Heme Bay)

Players Name: _____ Parent/Guardian: _____
 Date of Birth: _____ Mobile : _____
 Room No: _____ Email (Mandatory): _____
 Medical Conditions: (Please circle) Yes/No If yes, please provided details: _____

PAYMENT and COMPLETED FORM (Please submit the completed form with cash or cheque to the Coach or the school administration)

Register directly online at www.ffcacademy.co.nz OR Cash: Payment for \$_____ (enclosed)

OR Cheque: please make cheque out to **FFC Academy Ltd** (arrached)

OR Direct debit: **ANZ Bank: 01-0867-0682868-00** (FFC ACADEMY LTD) Payment day: ___/___/___

For online payment please leave your child's name and school's name as reference.

I am interested in information about future programmes YES / NO

I am interested in information about future camps YES / NO

UNIFORM PURCHASE (Optional) \$35 See image below YES / NO

Size: (circle one) XS 4-6 year olds SMALL 7-8 year olds
 MEDIUM 9-10 year olds LARGE 11-12 years old

Training Top

\$35



DECLARATION

I hereby release FFC Academy Ltd for any and all claims of liabilities. I understand that FFC Academy Ltd is not responsible for any physical injury from the participation in sports. I certify that my child is in good health and is able to participate in all activities. I agree to notify the coaching staff of any pre-existing medical and/or psychological conditions. If attention is required for any illnesses or injury, I give my permission for a staff member to perform such care. I give my consent for my child to be photographed and/or videotaped when participating in tournament activities, and I agree for the resulting images/videos to be only used by FFC Academy Ltd for promotional purposes.

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____

Date: _____