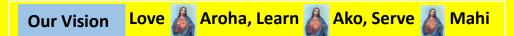


ST. PAUL'S SCHOOL

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Our Mission Statement

St Paul's School Massey provides quality education for children in a Catholic community committed to Gospel Values.



Mission Day

TOMORROW, Thursday 31 October

Our students are planning some fun fundraising activities for Thursday during lunchtime.

Please support your children by allowing them to bring small amounts of cash on this day so that they can purchase: drinks, second hand books or toys, lollies, cakes and food, etc.

I can do all things in Christ because he gives me strength. Paul's letter to Philippians 4:13

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Hello, Kia Ora, Tālofa lava, Mālō ē lelei, Annyong (Korean), Namaste, Privet, Ni Hao, Hola (Spanish), Kamusta (Filipino), Bula vinaka (Fijian), Muraho (Rwandan), Apa kabar (Indonesian), Hallo (Dutch), Fakaalofa lahi atu (Niuean), Kia Orana (Cook Island), Minggalaba (Myanmar), Akwaaba (Ghanian)



31 Oct (Tomorrow)	St Paul's Mission Day - Sale of Items **Bring cash**
1 Nov	Room 4 Liturgy
6 & 13 Nov	Baptism Programme—3.00-4.00pm at School–Room 15
6 Nov	Year 3 to 6 Athletics Day
11-15 Nov	Papua New Guinea Language Week
15 Nov	Room 5 Liturgy
16 Nov – Sat	Sacrament of Baptism
28 Nov	Sports Prizegiving
10 Dec	Culture Day
13 Dec	* Celebration of Learning* Disco
16 Dec	9.15 Thanksgiving Mass and Year 6 Graduation
17 Dec	Last day of school
2025 Thurs 30 Jan	BEGINNING OF TERM 1 School starts: 8.45AM—2.45PM



Kia ora koutou e te whānau o Hāto Paora,

Today our Kapa Haka and Pasifika groups performed at the Kumeu Showgrounds as part of the WestFest Culture Day. Their performances were awesome. Both groups have been together all this year and have been learning all about Māori and Pasifika culture culminating in this performance today.

Again wow! I am very grateful to Matua Johan Seidl, Mrs Jess Muller, Mrs Maninoa Funaki and Ms Angelina Brayne for all the time, energy and talent that they have shared with our learners. What an amazing experience.

On Friday 1 November, we are celebrating Aotearoa Teachers' Day. Some of you may have heard that during the holiday break I visited Finland as part of Tours for Principals. I was fortunate to visit 4 schools and I also attended workshops all about the Finnish's world class education system. The Finnish education system is held in high regard. This is why I took the opportunity to find out why. As you can imagine the reasons for this descriptor is

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complicated. Their education and health system is totally free and their support for learners is world renowned. The children are in education from birth. Children receive the same education from 1 year old. The system is consistent. There are small class sizes, a high ratio of Teacher Aide support, free lunch every day, and a doctor, nurse, and psychologist available for every school. But the tax rate is very high.

However, the point of me telling you this is that our teachers/kaiako at St Paul's do an amazing job. Our schools are very diverse and our children come to school at the age of 5 with varying degress of preparation for school. Teachers work hard to ensure that every child achieves success. The way they teach (pedagogy) is very effective as our results show.

So on Friday 1 November remember to thank our teachers for all their hard work.

Parents please continue supporting your child's learning. Make sure that they are doing their homework every day, especially reading every day and learning the mathematical basic facts starting with addition and subtraction, then learning their times tables, including division.

Thank you parents and whānau for your continued support. Check out the calendar for upcoming events.

Nga mihi nui kia koutou katoa,

Mary Zellman (Principal)



Please let us know **URGENTLY** if you are **LEAVING** St Paul's School at the end of *this year* or know that you will be leaving *next year*, even if you do not have a fixed date as yet. We will appreciate this greatly as we are trying to include many other students into our school. We have a significant number of students on our waiting list. We are also in the process of ordering stationery and furniture and knowing your plans will help us greatly.

Thank you for your help!!

Sports:

St Paul's Hoop Heroes played well and showed some really good skills after the hard run they have had but it has paid off with a win of 20-10 POD Jackson Moore.

St Paul's Warriors POD: Lufi Thakur and Archie Sawyer.

St Paul's Little Legends played drew 8-8 POD: Kenzo Logue.

Assembly Certificates

TERM 3, WEEK 8

Room 2—Oscar Tagaloa, Nicole Ferdean. Room 3—Zara Padua, Lautalatoa Levi. **Room 4**—Arian Babatugon, Janica Turno. Room 5—Maria Miocevic, Noa Sana. **Room 6**—Semisi Johnson, Falcon-Reign Walker. **Room 7**—Patiia Fakava, Hazel Lijo. Room 8—Damian Allen –Baines, Micaela Magwa. Room 9—Jaelene To, Alexander de Costa. Room 10—Xavier Morales, Miu Do. **Room 11**—Fateh Singh, Rudi Steedman. Room 12—Ella-Mae Ritchie, Jaxon Carvalho. **Room 13**—Isabella Magnampo, Ella Angeles. Room 14—JJ Victoriano, Maria Chang. Pukeko-Room 16— Faith Liufau, Erick Bibi, Lila Vaikeli, Vika Johnson, Matthew Magnampo, Ayden Abhilash, Marcus Williams, Junho Seo, Santino Taylor. **Pukeko-Room 18**—Joaquin Luna, Matina Fang, Roy Kim. Kereru-Room 19—Johnson Nisbett-Moka, Liam

Mataika. **Kereru-Room 20**—Daphney Walla, Keilani Tai.

Kereru-Room 21—Kioa Ahio, Anamaile Tamoua.



READING is the 5 to SUCCESS

Next certificate due is 225 Reading Nights, on 23 October.

75 Nights: Veronica Tugaga, Ellie An, Falcon-Reign Walker.
125 Nights: Emilia Magwa, Cynthia Liu, Harmony Edwards, Khanh Nguyen.
100 Nights: Henry Davies, Jeremiah Edwards.
150 Nights: Eva Tagaloa, Cleo Allen.
175 Nights: Bella Jones, Eva Tagaloa, Janica Turno, Semisi Kalaniuvalu, Dyon Datt, Leon Haigh.

200 Nights: Savannah Moitra, Mason Kim, Denis Tekoronga, Frank Donnelly, Eva Tagaloa, Ryder Thomas, Devin Fernando, Polikapi Tamoua, Liam Vidanes, Ella Grigor, Millie-Layla Walker, Isileli Ma'u, Maripaz Gullo Olarte, Louie Quinio, Sophia De Leon, Romeo Faylona, Ethan Lam, Lucia Kim.

Reading Nights cont...

225 Nights: Aranui Muller, Zariah Krishna, Neco Namoa, Aebel Abhilash, Ivy Maafu, Lillian Major Charles, Liam Apino, Kaharau Henry, Aiko Longid, Pua Levi, Clara Reid, Neihana Scott, Finn Baker, Piper Phelan, Ethan Zarzoso, Indi Tuimavave Clarke, Foheloa Funaki, Bronx Waikiki, Madeline Bryce, Xavier Morales, Jung Young An, George Ewart, Yiyi Wang, Keilani Tai, Ethan Page, Lael Yoo, Noah Wulf, Daphney Walla, Sterling Llewellin, Ruth Major Charles, Alvin Jose, Leo Benevides, Mikayla Willy, Jaanvi Narayan, Rosi Williams, Finn Crawford, Masia Nair, Sofia Sherning, Joaquin Luna, Armah Tahere, Braxton Carvalho, Matina Fang, Millar Butler, Jayden Hsu, Oliver Hassett, Richard Rodan, Roy Kim, Marty Suan Te, Jennifer Bergin, Isabel Gatland, Archie McKenna, Amelia Bergin, Ira Jimenez, Zia April, Meila Lyons, Miles Hill, Zara Williams, Isileli Misinale, Noah Sawyer, Alexander Longville, Mikayla Caneda, Arian Babatugon, Coreen Encarnado, Aurora Anderson, Isaac Lobo, Bodhi Parker, Noah Apacible, Kyla Ocampo, Ezekiel Pereira, Kiara Cheung-Tau, Olivia Spemann, Joel Kwon, Lazarus Sadik, Isabel Light, Jianna Wainiqolo, Janvi Shankar, Lufi Thakur, Kassandra Marmita, Ana Misinale, Micah Lim, Migen Umali, Kellan McMahon, Noah Edginton, JJ Victoriano, Cole Wharton, Emma King, Maria Chang, Christine Lian Zaw, AJ Arama-Schwalger, Yanika Quezon, Ella Angeles, Oliver Sherning, Alejandra Umali, Brooks Carlisle, Waiata Muller, Wyatt Philpott, Ezekiel Epati, Anna Lian Zaw, Achilles Wineera, Lennon Tillett, Gavin Umali, Jake Dy, Oliver Aholima, Piper-Rose Allen, Natalia Mendoza, Thomas Longville, Mikaela Perez, Isla McGeady, Kenzo Logue, Liam Kim, Anthony Balbir-Kok, Henry Liu, Ollie Davies, Archie Sawyer, Aquilina Amil, Olliver Hernandez, Levi Mascarenhas, Pietro Rosa, Felix Vo, Ella-Mae Ritchie, Yanexa Quezon, Micaiah Williams, Alice Duncan, Hayley Albinto, Charley Clotworthy, Erica Lakra, Daniel Tyshetskyy, Jaimee Tecson, Georges Abdo, Maia Luna, Suah Park, Joshua Theethay, Hayley Salazar, Zoey Page, Sam Do, Lui Chae, Nikolis Levi, Ian Noh, Lily Borg, Rosina Andrusca, Veronica Abdo, Josiah Webster.



Room 2—Kaya Love, Cynthia Liu.
Room 3—Oakley Hill, Zoey Yu.
Room 4—Milan Lematua.
Room 6—Ian Noh, Semisi Johnston.
Room 8—Tyra Miranda, Paul Kuata.
Room 10—Natalia Mendoza, Jedidiah Zang.
Room 11—Neo Norio, Kenzo Logue.
Room 12—Cooper Laureano, Charley Clotworthy.
Room 13—Alejandra Umali, Liam Apacible.
Room 14—Kellan McMahon, Micah Lim.
Room 15—Isileli Ma'u, Millie Walker.
Pukeko-Room 16—Djara Graham, Khang Nguyen.
Pukeko-Room 18—Bruce Satchell, Elijah Delaney, Armah Tahere, Richard Rodan, Ryan Bui.

PHOTOLIFE

An email from PhotoLife was sent out to the parents/caregivers during the school holidays containing the code to purchase the children's photos.

The deadline to order for free delivery to the school was Sunday, 20 October 2024. <u>You can still order but you will need to</u> <u>pay for the postage</u>.



Terms 1, 2 and 3 fees and stationery are overdue and <u>must be</u> <u>paid now.</u> TERM 4 FEES ARE DUE AT THE END OF NOVEMBER 2024.

> Term Fees: \$144.00 per term (including \$15 Special Character Contribution) \$576.00 per year

> > Stationery: Yr 1: \$75.00, Yr 2: \$85.00 Yr 3—Y6 : \$95.00

We encourage parents/caregivers to do weekly/ fortnightly automatic payments to spread the cost throughout the year.

Please contact Mrs Leony if you have any enquiries. Email: leonyl@stpaulsprimary.school.nz Phone: 832 7200 (9am-3pm)

Uniform Shop

Open: <u>Friday only</u> 8.00 - 9.00am Cash/Eftpos

Please note that the uniform shop price reflects the latest costs from our supplier, embroidery and shipping.

Year 5 and 6 students must wear the school PE shirt (\$16.00) for Physical Education lessons.

Please Name Everything!

School hats Bags/Drink bottles/lunch boxes School jackets/shoes/socks/shirts/shorts/ culottes Jewellery: Only small, plain studs Hair ties: Dark Blue/Black Socks: Dark Navy Blue

SPARE CLOTHES

Please put a change of clothes in your child's bag in case of falling in the mud or being caught in the rain etc.

Let's pray The Rosary and let Mother Mary intercede for us.

Thank you teachers/kaiako, for your hard work, mahi.

Mary Zellman Principal