



St. MARY MACKILLOP CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Mission: "Together we grow Christ centred children who are ready for the next step."

Term 4 Value:

Expression of Faith –Proverbs 3: 5 "Trust in the Lord with all your heart, on your own intelligence do not rely"

Kiaora Koutou St MMK whanau,

Thankyou for your response as we are having an amazing start to the term. Well done DPOD for having the best Sandals at the end of week 2. Well done to APOD for having the most parents filling the survey. More ICE blocks and PIZZAs to follow.

A few dates to keep an eye on:

Nov 10:	Beginning of Term Mass
Nov 16:	NZEI stop work meeting: School finishes at 12.30pm
Nov 17:	Athletics day

**NZEI stop work meeting:
School finishes at 12.30pm**

On November 16 at 12.30 classes will close as our Teachers will attend an NZEI stop work meeting. We realise the impact this has on families and planning. I will send out a Google survey similar to before, for those families who may need help in the afternoon. More information will follow closer to the date.

Staffing update:

As we plan and look ahead to 2023 we share with you the news that Mrs Myocevich, Mrs Schofield and Mrs Mariu are moving on at the end of the year. We wish them all the best for their next steps in their journey. We are very grateful for the service and leadership they have given us.

Athletics day:

November 17:

Whole school athletics day - 9:30am. Put the date in your diaries as we have our much celebrated Athletics day. We have changed to Thursday due to other commitments happening at the same time. Come along to support your child as they all participate and try to earn points for their house. More details to follow.

Whanau Survey: One more week !

I have shared a couple of snapshots that show who is in the lead for responses and guidance that some of our whanau are wanting parent evenings.

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Whānau Survey Term 4 2022

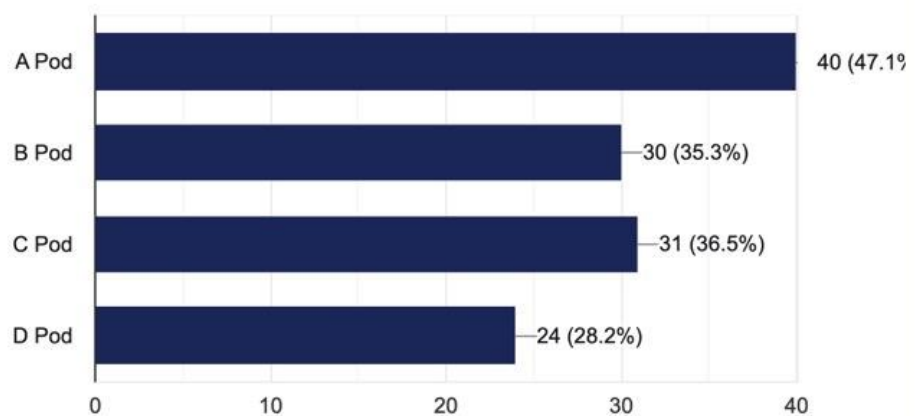
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Which Pod are your child/ren in?

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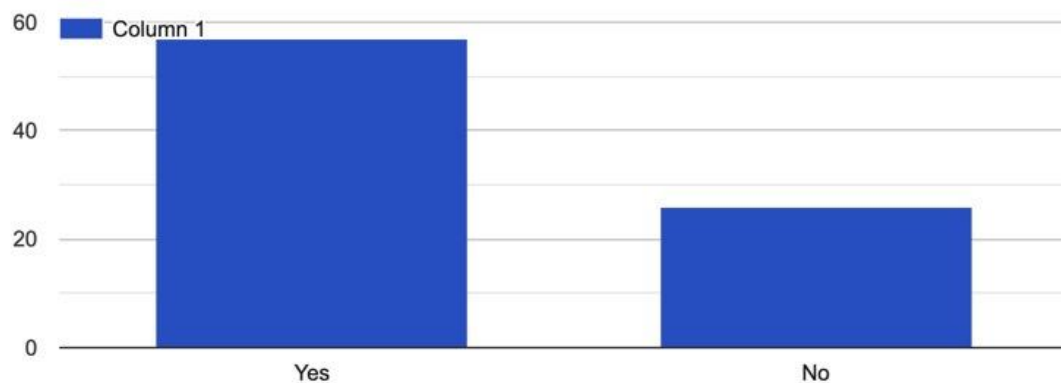
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Fono, Hui : Meetings @ school

I would like to attend parent meetings to participate in different activities for the school

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Enrolments: 2023

Parents are invited to enrol their children at St Mary MacKillop Catholic School when they turn three, and I strongly advise not to leave this to the last minute even if you have children already attending our school.

Preference is given to children who are baptised Catholic.

To enrol at St Mary MacKillop Catholic School you are required to provide the following: - A completed pre-enrolment form signed by both parents (which is available at our School Office or on our school website) - A Preference Certificate signed by a Catholic Priest and stamped with a parish stamp. - Original birth certificate or passport - Original baptism certificate - A passport must be sighted showing the residency status of a child who is born outside of New Zealand - Immunisation certificate and the child's baptism certificate.

There will be an Enrolment Information morning on Wednesday 9th November at 9.30am in our school library for those students who have enrolled for 2023 and have received a letter via post or email. It is very important that parents attend this meeting.

Stationery 2023:

We will be working with Officemax to make some changes to make it easier for ordering and buying your child's stationery for 2023. More information will follow shortly.

Classes and Teachers are getting ready for 2023:

We are beginning to sort and think about classes for 2023. Please message Mrs Myocevich with a request. We encourage you to ask but there is no guarantee we will say yes.

We are expecting changes in all levels of the school. With Teachers shifting being signalled. We will wait until sorted to share who are the class teachers for 2023.



St. Mary MacKillop Recognises Sporting Achievements

In 2022, our school participated within the club sector of netball and rugby. Friday evenings and Saturday mornings our netball teams paved the Mangere-Otahuhu Netball Courts with pride in their school and fun in their hearts. 5 teams, from our Year 1's through to our Year 8s

- Year 1 & 2 Angels
- Year 3 & 4 Miracles
- Year 5 & 6 Blessings
- Year 7 & 8 Mixed Saints
- Year 8 Guardians



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St. Mary MacKillop also participated in club rugby in association with Papatoetoe Rugby Club.

Under 6 Rippa Team

Under 11 GUARDIANS Rugby

On Saturday 29th October we recognised all of our students who represented our school with pride and excellence within the club sector at our annual Sports Prizegiving.

Photos can be found on our school facebook page



Award	Y5&6 Blessings	Y7&8 Mixed	Y8 Girls
Display of Sportsmanship	Zyon-Morgan Lui	Shavan Pritchard-Sula	Kareen Michael
Most Improved Player	Lenay Tupou	Urijah Tuiloma	Palepa Lafaitale
Best Defender	Elizma Vitolio	Sarah-Lee Ralph Pilimai	Autumn Faumui Tofilau
Best Shooter	Alisi Tu'ungafasi	Shaylee Fonua	Best Offense Anjolina Wirjapranata
MVP Runner Up	Leilani-Marie Aumareva	Sanimata Muller-Veikoso	Eden Hewlett
Most Valuable Player 2022	QUANARIAH TOOTOO	ATIYANAH TALAILELEI	'AKOSITA TU'UNGAFAFI





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Rugby

Award	Under 11 GUARDIANS Rugby Player
Display of Sportsmanship	Mikaele Tupua
Most Improved Player	EJ Lafotanoa
Best Tackler	Paula Vehikite
Top Try Scorer	Tietie Tietie
Top Points Scorer	Tietie Tietie
Forward of the Year	Princeton Raki Vitaliano
Back of the Year	Epenesa Luamanuvae
MVP Runner Up	Epenesa Luamanuvae
Most Valuable Player 2022	TIETIE TIETIE



2022 Overall Netball Player of the Year
'Akosita Tu'ungafasi

2022 Overall Rugby Player of the Year
Tietie Tietie

Congratulations to all of our participants, and to our award winners



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Congratulations to the following students who received awards at Assembly on Friday 21 October

CLASS	PRINCIPAL AWARD	PRINCIPAL AWARD	VALUES AWARD	CAUGHT BEING GOOD
A1	Fotusamoa Vetelino	Bianca Tudit	Victoria Tupou	Abigail Varkey Mon Joseph
A2	Peter Muller	Daisha Chang Wai	Hannah Futialo	Paula Ah Wa-Viau
A4	Ethem Vailima	Elenola Kolomatangi	Novena Fiva	Levi Lemalu
A5	Lilliana Oliveti	Denise Hunkin Melesia	Rhian Llasus	Avery Wirjapranata
A6	Raymond Ota'Ota	Lavinia Motulalo	Dililah Ikitule	Liana Jo Praveen
B1	Latu Vete	Tai Laiseni	Welly Lavea	Xavier Fiva
B2	Kayla Sauso'o	Jayden Leota	Leilani Levi	Brayden Vea
B3	Elenola Kolomatangi	Ethem Vailima	Novena Fiva	Levi Lemalu
C1	Cloie Anipot		Santana Cawllins	Esther Tuungafasi
C2	Lagimaina Maota	TJ Faumui Tofilau	Carson Eteuati	Contessa Lapuaho
C3	Lewis Powell	John Ula	Shalom Misi	Jordan Tate
D1	Kha'Lisia Saufua Jansen	Cruzito Tevaga	Sanimata Muller-Veikoso	Kalala Kasipale
D2	Jesse Vehikite	Jonathan Unasa	Peter Muller Veikoso	Shavan Sula Pritchard
D3	Emelda Chang Wai	Shaylee Fonua	Lucas Tekeu	Liana Logoia

Term 4 dates

November	
8	D POD @ CAMP ADAIR 8th-11th Swim Programme B&C Pod
9	2023 NEW ENROLMENTS MORNING 9:30am
10	Beginning of Term Mass @ St Therese Church-9:15am B Pod
14	New Entrant Fun Day 9-12pm
15	Swim Programme B&C Pod
16	School finishes early at 12:30pm
17	Athletics Day - No school lunches



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22	Swim Programme B&C Pod
24	SWZ Athletics
25	Syndicate Mass at school - 9:15am A & C Pod
29	Swim Programme B&C Pod
30	BOT meeting
December	
1	School Prize giving at 6:00pm @ De La Salle College School finishes early - 2:00pm Interzone Athletics
2	School Assembly- A4 & Soul buddy Class
6	Swim Programme - B&C Pod
7	A Pod Christmas Play - 11:30am
8	End of Term Mass at St Therese Church 9:15am - Year 8 Leavers
9	School Reports - emailed to parents
12	NO SCHOOL LUNCHES A Pod Movie at Manukau Event Cinemas/Gravity - 9:30am-2:30pm
13	NO SCHOOL LUNCHES B Pod Movie at Manukau Event Cinemas/Gravity - 9:30am-2:30pm
14	NO SCHOOL LUNCHES Year 8 School Assembly SCHOOL FINISHES 12:30pm

TERM DATES 2022:

Term 4 ... Monday 18th October - Wednesday 14th December