

# St John Bosco School

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Principal: Mr Dee Luckin



## TERM DATES

### Term 3

Mon 25 Jul - Fri 30 Sep

### Term 4

Mon 17 Oct - Thu 15 Dec

## EVENTS

### NP Cross Country

Wed 21 Sept

### Meals for Freezer

Wed 21 Sept

### School Mass

Sun 25 Sept, 10.30am

### School Photos

Sun 25 Sept, last day to order for free delivery

### Queen Elizabeth II Memorial Day, school closed

Mon 26 Sept

### Taranaki Cross Country

Wed 28 Sept

### School Disco

Thur 29 Sept

### Kelly Club Starts

Mon 3 Oct



## From the Principals Desk...

Kia ora koutou. Kua tae mai tetahi atu wiki, kua ngaro. Kei te tere haere ratou i tenei wa. Another week has come and gone and they seem to be passing by quickly at the moment.

This week is Maori Language week and every class has continued to integrate reo into their daily routine and ensure that the use and intention is authentic.

**Welcome:** I would like to welcome the following new students and families to SJB this week.

*Room Pohutukawa* - Macy Johnson and her parents Sally and Tony.

*Room Harakeke* - Chloe McCarten and her parents Jane and Robert.

We have announced our new Board of Trustees this week. I would like to thank all candidates who stood for our Board. Congratulations to Linsay Ireland, Jordan McFadyen, Gary McVey, Dave Smith and Lyndsay Mussen who will take the role of your community appointed members.

Congratulations also to Kate Buchboeck, Michael Normanton, Ronie Asi and Hamish Gunson who have been appointed as our Proprietors Representatives appointed by the Diocese of Palmerston North.

Together alongside Cushla Young and myself, we will be creating the strategic plan for the next 3 years to create a place of inclusion, quality outcomes for all students and working hard to meet the needs of our community.

I would also like to take a moment to pass on my sincere thanks to the Board members who have not sought reelection this year. Pauline Thomson, Keri Fleming and Brian Smith. Pauline and Keri have been on the Board for 6 years. Pauline has played a huge role in supporting me to access all the

financial resources I have required to bring our vision to life. She has spent many hours advising and revising budgets. Keri Has been involved in the appointment of the majority of our staff and in doing so, been a huge support in helping ensure I had the skill sets I needed on my team. I would also like to pass on my thanks to Brian who has been an informed ear with any decisions around health and wellbeing as they arose during an interesting past few years. I give thanks that you were sent to us and ask that God blesses you all.

Congratulations to the St John Bosco Tamariki who last weekend and this weekend coming completed their First Holy Communion. An exciting time in their faith journey life. I would like to thank Karen McLean for preparing our tamariki and also Jodie Mehana for being our school liaison. Thank you also to these children's families who have supported them on this special journey. We will continue to pray for you all as you enter this special time of commitment to your faith and ask God to bless you all.

You will be aware this week the Government has removed the COVID-19 Protection Framework and we have now moved to a new long-term approach to managing COVID-19. As noted, masks are no longer strongly recommended in school settings reflecting advice from public health.

Household contacts, including those who have not had COVID-19 in the past 90 days, no longer need to isolate for seven days. Household contacts are recommended to test daily for five days from when the case in their household tests positive and wear a mask when they are out. If they do test positive, they will be considered a case and be required to complete seven days of isolation.

Household contacts who have COVID-19 symptoms should stay home regardless of the result of their rapid antigen test (RAT). People with COVID-19 must continue to self-isolate for seven days.

You will be aware that the Government has announced 26 September 2022 as the Queen Elizabeth II Memorial Day. This will mean that schools will be closed for instruction that day. New Zealand will mark the passing of Queen Elizabeth II with a one-off public holiday on Monday 26 September 2022. This means that our school will be closed on this day.

Our School App (School Apps NZ) is no longer used as a form of notification. We have reduced our communication lines down to HERO and also SeeSaw. We realise that there have been a few changes over the past years and with covid restrictions it has been tough to connect with whanau. Now restrictions have gone we will be working hard to ensure everyone is up to speed with HERO and SeeSaw.

**New Plymouth Cross Country:** Congratulations to the following children who have been selected to run in the combined New Plymouth Schools Cross Country:

Villa Parker, Amelia Gilmour, Niamh Carr, Soana Sisifa, Nesta Dombroski, Shae Collins, Maxx O'Callaghan, Dylan Croot, Max Gardner, Billie Stenning, Keira Siffleet, Indie Pretty-Taylor, Rex Byelich, Silito Sisifa, Joshua Issac, Archie Mckinnon, Abel Tariau, Arabella Thomson, Anyah Pelletier Morales, Isabella Buchboeck, Lennon Taylor, Sam Smiley, Asher Pretty-Taylor, Caleb Asi, Ben Haenga, Kayden Shaw, Grayson Herlihy and Cooper Topping.

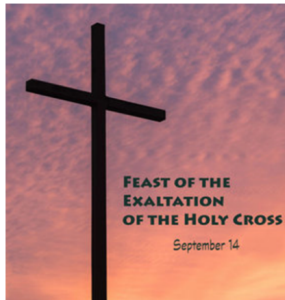
## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AT SJB

### THE POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION SEPTEMBER 2022: *Abolition of the Death Penalty*

We pray that the death penalty, which attacks the dignity of the human person, may be legally abolished in every country

#### First Holy Communion

We have 23 students who will receive the Blessed Sacrament of Eucharist this month. Please pray for them as they begin this next step in their faith journey.



#### Exaltation of the Cross or Feast of the Holy Cross 14th September

The feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross celebrates two historical events: the discovery of the True Cross by Saint Helena, the mother of emperor Constantine, in 320 under the temple of Venus in Jerusalem, and the dedication in 335 of the basilica and shrine built on Calvary by Constantine, which marks the site of the Crucifixion.

More than anything else though, it is a celebration and commemoration of God's great work: Jesus' Death and Resurrection at Easter

#### This week in New Zealand's History

This week in New Zealand's History we remember New Zealand's first woman MP elected in 1933. The Labour Party's Elizabeth McCombs became New Zealand's first female Member of Parliament. Almost exactly 40 years after women got to vote in New Zealand, (the first country in the world to give women a vote). Wow we have come a very long way.

*Let us thank God for the courage and fortitude of those women who fought for a right that many of us take for granted today.*



### SACRAMENT

HAKARAMETA



*I see the Sacredness of God in people and in all things.*



#### School Mass

We are excited to be able to have a school lead Mass on **Sunday 25th September at 10:30am at OLHC**. We hope you will be able to join us.

Hospitality (cup of tea and fellowship) after mass has resumed. Therefore we will provide morning tea after school mass as well.

**Reminder: Food bank collection at every weekend mass. If you are unable to come to school mass, please leave any food bank donations in the school office. Thank you**

#### Class Mass

Attending Mass is important for supporting the RE program in classrooms. We invite and encourage you to attend these Masses where possible.

Week 9	Wednesday 21st Sept	Karaka / Rimu
	<b>Sunday 25th Sept</b>	<b>School Mass 10:30 am OLHC</b>
Week 10	Wednesday 28th Sept	Kawakawa, Koromiko, Puriri

### Our School Core Values

Love

Resilience

Co-operation

Service





Kia Ora Whanau,

### Have you heard about our Calendar Art?

In celebration of our Art Inquiry Learning during Term 3, we would like to offer you the unique opportunity to purchase your child's artistic masterpiece in the form of a 2023 calendar.

You also have the opportunity to purchase affordable Cards, Diaries, Mouse Mats and Sketch Pads. If you would prefer to upload your own personal individual or family photo - this is also an option.

These make unique Christmas gifts for family and friends and are perfect for posting overseas.

Samples of these products can be viewed in the school office.

Each product is made from your own child's artwork.

Your child's teacher will share their artwork with you via Seesaw in the next coming weeks.

#### Prices are as follows:

Calendar - \$12

Greeting Cards - \$12

Sketch Pad - \$14

Diary - \$16

Mouse mat - \$15

### Follow these instructions to place your order online:

1/. Go to [www.kidsartworks.com](http://www.kidsartworks.com)

2/. Use the Entrance Code: KZ1589

3/. Enter your child's room & name when prompted.

(Please note you can order for family members in different classes by selecting 'Change Student'.)

The ordering is open until Friday 21st October 2022 (Week 1 Term 4)

Payment can be made over the website via credit card or account2account.

The small proceeds we make as a school from our 'Calendar Art' will be used to bless [The Sisters of Our Lady of the Missions](#), the wonderful founding order of our school.

If you have any questions please contact the school office.

Ph (06) 758 3165 or email [office@sjb.school.nz](mailto:office@sjb.school.nz)

Thank you for your support.

Ngā mihi nui

SJB Staff



## Have your child's own picture made into unique products!

**Calendars**  
High quality laminated A4 print of your Child's Artwork or Photo. Wire bound to a 12-Month tear off calendar. Includes public holidays & school terms.

**Cards**  
Display your Child's Artwork or Photo on a pack of 8 cards. Artist's name and age are printed on the reverse of Art products. Includes envelopes.

**Diaries**  
Hard cover print of your Child's Artwork or Photo. A5 size (148 x 210mm). Wire bound. Artist's name and age printed on the inside cover. Includes week view and year planner.

**Mouse Mats**  
Your child's Artwork or Photo print, heated on to a high quality neoprene mouse mat.

**Sketch Pads**  
Front cover features your child's Artwork or Photo. Wire Bound with 50 x A5 sized pages of blank art paper. Protected with plastic covers front and back.

- ★ Treasured keepsakes
- ★ Perfect Christmas presents for friends and family
- ★ Order as many items as you wish from the same picture

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Posters made by room  
Koromiko



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## The Mick Curry Football and Futsal School YOUTH AND JUNIOR FUTSAL LEAGUES

The MCFS Futsal Leagues are back for Term 4 2022 and Term 1 2023.

The hugely successful Youth and Junior competitive and social futsal leagues will return at New Plymouth Boys High School Gymnasium.

For more information or to register a team and put your skills to the test against the best youth and junior futsal players in Taranaki,

Email Mick Curry: [mickcurry@hotmail.com](mailto:mickcurry@hotmail.com)

### MONDAY FUTSAL YOUTH LEAGUE

Dates:  
17<sup>th</sup> October to 5<sup>th</sup> December, 2022  
13<sup>th</sup> February to 27<sup>th</sup> March, 2023

Times:  
3:30pm to 9:30pm

Ages:  
Years 9 to 13

Cost \$300 per Team

### FRIDAY FUTSAL JUNIOR LEAGUE

Dates:  
21<sup>st</sup> October to 2nd December, 2022  
17<sup>th</sup> February to 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2023

Times:  
4:00pm to 8:00pm

Ages:  
Years 3 to 8

Cost \$300 per Team

## Waiwaka Tennis Club Open Day - 25th September

For anyone interested in playing social or interclub tennis this summer, Waiwaka Tennis Club on Chilman Street is holding an open day on Sunday 25th September from 10.00am - 1pm. The club will have the BBQ on, with social tennis for adults and the coaches playing games with the kids. Rackets can be borrowed from the club. There will be the opportunity to find out more about club memberships and sign up. Junior membership includes complimentary coaching. Waiwaka is a family-friendly club and welcomes all abilities/levels. [waiwakatennis@gmail.com](mailto:waiwakatennis@gmail.com)

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**KELLY CLUB**  
**HOLIDAY PROGRAMME**  
 Mon 3 – Fri 14 October

Join us for a fun-filled School Holiday Programme including a Kiwiana day, craft and cooking activities, awesome games & MUCH MORE!

**OSCAR PROGRAMME SUBSIDIES AVAILABLE!**  
\*Conditions apply

Some activities may need to be swapped for other exciting ones! Go online to check out a full, up-to-date timetable for your venue.

**BOOK ONLINE NOW AT**  
[www.kellyclub.co.nz](http://www.kellyclub.co.nz)

Please see the details about our Kelly Club Holiday programme.

The weblink you will need to use to register is:

[kellyclub.co.nz/sjb](http://kellyclub.co.nz/sjb)

Scroll to the bottom of the page and you'll see a button to register for the holiday programme.

Chat to Dee if you need more details.

## OCTOBER 2022 HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

ST JOHN BOSCO SCHOOL

A timetable and full programme information is available online or at the programme venue.

**Who can attend:** Children aged 5-13 yrs

**General Information:** We believe in giving children opportunities to do the things they love and enjoy in a supportive and encouraging environment. Our friendly staff are passionate about working with children. They are provided with training on behaviour management techniques, first aid and activity planning/delivery.

**What do you need to bring:** Shoes and appropriate clothing, jacket or sweatshirt, hat, drink bottle and food for morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea.

**Payment details:** Payment is required before the holiday programme begins. An invoice will be issued when a completed booking is received. All payment details will be included on the invoice.

**Work and Income OSCAR Subsidy:** Parents/caregivers that meet certain criteria will be able to access a WINZ subsidy to help cover the cost of our programme. For more information visit [www.workandincome.govt.nz](http://www.workandincome.govt.nz).

**Please note:** Every care will be taken to ensure the safety of your child/ren and their property. However, organisers of Kelly Club accept no liability for any injury sustained to your child/ren or any loss or damage to his/her property whilst at a programme. If your child/ren are collected late after the conclusion of the programme you will be charged \$20 per 15 minutes or part thereof.

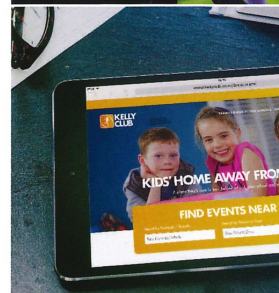
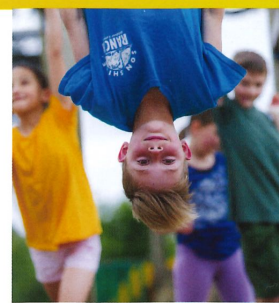
### Prices & Session Times:

**Full Week:** \$212 **Full Day:** \$46  
 7:30am-5:30pm 7:30am-5:30pm

**School Day:** \$36 **Event Day:** Extra \$18  
 8:30am-3pm (Included in Full Week)

**Website:** [kellyclub.co.nz/sjb](http://kellyclub.co.nz/sjb)  
**Contact:** Programme Coordinator  
**Email:** [sjb@kellyclub.co.nz](mailto:sjb@kellyclub.co.nz)  
**Phone:** 021 648 074  
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