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## **4<sup>th</sup> April 2016 Newsletter No 10**

### **Welcome to Term 1 - Week 10**

**Kia ora**

#### **Room 5:**

We have been working very hard and are fortunate to secure an excellent replacement for Linda Keepa in the Year 7 & 8 class. Mr Paul Keogh will be taking over in Term 2. He is a very experienced teacher having worked in several leadership positions. He has heard many positive things about our school and is looking forward to joining us.

Linda Keepa's farewell will be held early Term 2. Details to be advised next week.

#### **Chocolate Sales:**

The senior students are busily selling chocolates as a fundraiser for camp. Please support them in their venture. If your child requires more chocolates to sell throughout the holidays please make sure they see Mrs Gray this week so she can make sure we have enough boxes to meet the demand. At this stage the proposed camp dates are the 13th - 16th September.

**God Bless**

**Kristine Osburn**



*Reminder special assembly 2.00pm on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> April for Linda Keepa. All welcome.*

### **Rubbish:**

Over the term we have collected a pile of rubbish in terms of tree branches, stones, boxes etc. This rubbish is sitting beside the gear sheds and certainly looks pretty awful. Is there anyone out there who could bring a trailer to school and assist us with disposing of this rubbish. If you are able to please contact the school office. Thank you for your support.

### **Vinnies End of Term Afternoon:**

On Thursday 7th April (between 3-4pm) the Vinnies Youth Group and Mr Cleaver will come together to reflect on the work they have undertaken this term and to enjoy a few games. Please make sure that the permission slip for this is signed prior to the event. Thank you.

### **Pet for a Weekend:**

Pet for a weekend! - Would you like to look after the Room 1 Guinea Pigs for the weekend? Everything is provided; food, bedding, and cages. A great experience for all children. Please come and see the office to organise a weekend that suits you.

### **Take a Kid Fishing Day:**

Te Aroha Angling club is running "Take a kid fishing" day this year. This will be on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> April (1st Wednesday of the holidays). This is for all Year 6,7 and 8 students. Anyone interested will need to fill in one of the associated disclaimer forms from the office and return it to school no later than lunch time on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> April.

### **Portfolios:**

As the term draws to an end can you also ensure that any portfolios taken at goal setting night have been returned to your child's class teacher or to the office. Thank you.

### **Epilepsy Donation:**



The Vinnies Youth Group has worked hard last week with a car wash that was well supported and they hosted a mufti day. This was all to raise funds for the Epilepsy Foundation. We are excited to announce that \$195 was raised and this will be sent to the organisation. Thank you

## Congratulations: Term 1 Week 9



Zxy – All round effort and commitment  
Chae Min – Excellent homework  
Brooke – Consistently good effort in homework  
Lousie – Working diligently in math  
Copper – Super effort at writing  
Anthony – Happy birthday 6 year old  
Liam – Happy birthday 6 year old  
Alikia – Happy birthday 6 year old  
Bella – Beginning of independent writing  
Vinsen – Thinking of an idea and writing it down  
Zxy – Independent focus on achieving goals - maths  
Ciara – Demonstrating the Olympic values of joy of effort, fair play and respect of others  
Millah O Great maths skills  
Melaia – Role model of the week.

### Special

New Polar Fleece at a great price \$35.00

Old Logo

All Sizes.

### Dates to Remember:

Final School Mass for Term 1: 12th April

Michael Mangin Concert: 10th May

Catholic Schools Day: 16th May

Sacred Heart Open Day: 18th May

Young Leaders Day: 23rd May

### EGG-CELLENT EGGS

## EGG CUSTARD!

Custard is a good choice if you're having dessert.

- 1 cup milk
- 1 egg
- 1 tsp honey
- 1/4 tsp vanilla essence

Whisk all ingredients together. Stir over a very low heat until the custard coats the back of a spoon. Serve hot or cold with fruit.



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## STORING EGGS

Health authorities recommend storing eggs in their carton in the refrigerator.

This keeps them fresh so they last longer.



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Te Aroha  
Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> April  
9am Mass

Altar Servers:  
Declan, Tevita & Heni



### Michael Mangan visits St Joseph's:

Early next term our school will be hosting international children's singer and song writer, Michael Mangan. At St Joseph's we use a lot of his music in our school Masses and liturgies. We will have some of the local Catholic schools joining us for a concert in our hall. The concert will be on Tuesday 10th May at 11.25am and goes for about an hour. The cost for the concert is \$5 per student. This can be paid to the school office.

### Sacred Heart Open Day:

There is a scheduled Open Day at Sacred Heart on Wednesday the 18th May. If you are interested in going to Sacred Heart to have a look about please go onto their website and check the times and activities for the day. There are 2 sessions available. Please feel free to take your daughter with you.



Rueben the Bear visited the junior classrooms last Thursday. He promotes road safety for children. His key message stop, look, listen, link.

### Te Aroha Junior Hockey Muster

When: Monday 4<sup>th</sup> April 3.30 to 4.30pm

Where: Te Aroha Primary Turf  
Contact: Kim Davey 0274824597

### Manawaru Table Tennis Club

New Season Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> April

Manawaru Hall 7.30pm

New members welcome

Phone 8846758

### ANZAC Day:

This year ANZAC Day falls in the holidays (April 25th ). We always have children assemble at the RSA and complete the march with all the other schools and groups. We carry our school banner and present a wreath at the cenotaph. Children are asked to wear our winter school uniform to this commemoration.

If you intend to be present at the parade please can you complete the form at the end of this newsletter and return it to school so we can select our banner carriers and wreath layers. If possible we would appreciate our leaders being present however we do understand it is holiday time.

Please can you complete the "intention to attend" form at the end of this newsletter so that we have an idea of how many students will be attending.

### ANZAC DAY:

\_\_\_\_\_ will be attending the ANZAC Day Parade.

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