GOOD SHEPHERD SCHOOL

* Hello * Kia Ora * Malo e Lelei * Namaste * Cead Mile Failte * Talofa Lava * * Kia Orana * Zdravo * Dzien Dobry * Apa Kabar * Guten Tag * An Nyung Ha Se Yo * * Privet * Kwaziwai * Mabuhay Kayo * Kon Nichi Wa * Hola * Ola * Salaam * Fakalofa Atu

Update Notice, 17 August 2017



Grandparents' Day Celebration

On Friday the 11th of August, the students of Good Shepherd School and their families gathered together to celebrate our grandparents.

We started off the celebrations with a lovely mass in the church, followed by Fr Peter Tipene blessing our new turf and shade sail. When that was over the GSS PTA had organised a scrumptious bake sale and sizzly sausage sizzle. We all enjoyed the delicious treats that the families prepared for us and raised lots of money for our school.

While we were eating we could show our grandparents around our classrooms so they could see what we have been learning. We ended the celebrations with some entertaining performances by the school choir and the junior kapahaka, which were fantastic.

A special thank you to the PTA and teachers who put the day together. What a wonderful celebration of the amazing Good Shepherd School Grandparents.

Rose Tooman and Siena Hannay Student Journalists



Good Shepherd School 2017 Speech Competition Results

YEAR 1

1st Benjamin Maddox 2nd Elizabeth Harkison-Merrick 3rd Vincent Gatt

YEAR 3

1ST Pippa McHardy 2nd Miranda Flexman 3rd Zara Peterson

YEAR 5

1ST Elijah Betonio 2nd Molly France 3rd Francesca Booy

YEAR 4

YEAR 2

1st Maia Doran

2nd Kalo Sundin

3rd Sienna McLeod

1st Jemima Lipscombe 2nd Mia Growden 3rd Seini Berwick

YEAR 6

1st Aston Growden 2nd Brianna Gregan 3rd Ella Barnao

Overall Winner and GSS representative at the 2017 Zone Speech Competition: Elijah Betonio

Good Shepherd Awards

This week we congratulate **Sabine Andrews** from Room 4 and **Nathaniel Taufa** from Room 6 for winning the Good Shepherd Awards. Thank you Sabine and Nathaniel for being such great role models for our values of care, respect and honesty.



Stop chaos at the school gate

Never stop on yellow lines or double-park around the school. Parking like this can block the view of children and motorists.

Park safe and protect our children.



APPA Primary Schools' Music Festival Tuesday 14th November 2017

Tickets for the festival on Tuesday 14 November 2017 may be purchased through the school office. Adult \$15 Senior Citizen \$10 Child \$10 (Pre-school to under 16 years)

Please return your order sheet and payment by **24th August 2017** (cheques to be made out to GSS).

Late orders will not be accepted. There will be limited door sales at the Town Hall on the night, however if you want to be seated with the school group you will need to order tickets through the school.

GSS Fair 2017

Please check out the latest information on the Fair newsletter emailed out earlier today.

Enrolments at Good Shepherd School

We are currently processing our enrolments for 2018. We appreciate your efforts in letting us know about siblings who are coming up for enrolment at Good Shepherd and ask that you encourage any family and friends who are thinking about enrolling their children at our school to let our office know as soon as possible.

Resilience

Resilience is the ability to bounce back from a setback.

Why is emotional resilience important?

Children need to cope with everyday feelings, both positive and negative, such as excitement, anticipation, frustration, and disappointment. All children experience stressful times in their lives, like preparing for tests or competitions. Some children have very upsetting things happen to them, such as parents separating, or death in the family. It is important for children to learn how to deal with such experiences.

Room 4 School Assembly tomorrow at 2.15pm. All welcome.

Fair Corner

Good Shepherd School Fair 11th November 2017

Mufti day Friday 25th August

Please bring along a jolly jar for the school fair (or a gold coin donation). Jolly jars can contain anything that kids love - stickers, tattoos, cars, rubber balls, crayons, markers, toys, lego, hair ties, plastic toys, toy insects and animals etc. Pretty much anything that a child would love a jar of! Please no perishable items.





MOUNT ALBERT GRAMMAR SCHOOL FINE ART SHOW

A visual feast of more than 1000 paintings, prints, glass, ceramics, sculptures and photographs.

Gala Evening Friday 18 August 6.30pm to 10pm Tickets \$45 per person from www.iticket.co.nz

Free admission all weekend Saturday 19 August 10am to 6pm Sunday 20 August 10am to 3pm FW Gamble Hall, Mount Albert Grammar School Alberton Ave, Mount Albert

www.magsartshow.co.nz





ASSESSING LEARNING NEEDS AND DYSLEXIA KIDSLINK & MAUNGAWHAU SCHOOL have brought together

2 great speakers with many years experience working in the "Assessment & Dyslexia" fields

GUEST PRESENTERS:

JUDITH ALEXANDER - SPELD NZ - ASSESSOR

CHERONE WILSON - LICENSED FACILITATOR IN THE DAVIS DYSLEXIA CORRECTION® PROGRAMME -POSITIVELY DYSLEXIC

Wednesday 30th August Maungawhau School 7^{pm} - 9^{pm} (Trade Tables 6:15 -7^{pm})

Tea/Coffee provided

TICKETS MUST BE BOOKED Book Online: kidslink.co.nz/events Phone: KidsLink 09 959 0531 earning Behaviour Physical Needs Extra-Curricular Childcard



There is still time to enrol your child in a Catholic Co-educational College.

Marcellin College

(617 Mt Albert Road, Royal Oak) is still accepting enrolments for 2018 in Years 7 and 9. Enrolments close at the end of September. Have a look at our website www.marcellin.school.nz or phone 625 6509 for more information.

St Therese School 436 Mt Albert Road Mt Roskill

Enquiries welcome for boys and girls enrolment for Years 7 & 8.

Please phone 620 9441 for further information and to arrange a school visit.

www.sainttherese.school.nz