



# St John Bosco School

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Principal: Mr Dee Luckin

## TERM DATES

### Term 4

Mon 14 Oct - Fri 13 Dec  
(finish at noon)

### Term 1 - 2020

Wed 29 Jan - Thu 9 Apr

### Term 2 - 2020

Tue 28 Apr - Fri 3 Jul

## EVENTS

### School Mass

Sun 10 November, 9am

### Gingerbread Angels for sale

Tue 12 Nov, lunchtime

### End of Term 4

Fri 13 Dec, 12 noon



## From the Principals Desk...

**Welcome:** We would like to welcome Isabella Allen to room Puriri and her mum Suzie to our St John Bosco School Community.

**Mass Invite:** Our Termly School Mass is this Sunday 10th November. We expect that families will attend. We see attendance at School Mass as a small commitment for being part of a faith Community. If you are unable to attend can you please inform your child's teacher.

We also have sent home today a coloured plastic bag with each family as a part of our termly Foodbank Collection. Heading into Christmas is often a tricky time for families and I know that our support is warmly welcomed by our local Foodbank. See you Sunday.

**Parihaka Day:** We have over the past few days been quite touched and moved through the actions of our community in relation to our Parihaka celebration.

The story of Parihaka is about peaceful resistance. We feel strongly that 5th November is an ideal time to raise the profile of the peaceful resistance to invasion that occurred at Parihaka on 5 November 1881 and enact the values of two great leaders of the past within our community. These values and actions also fit so beautifully with our very own catholic faith and pastoral care. I really encourage you to read and research more about the story of Parihaka.

Thank you for your support in our Parihaka Day Commemorations this year. We were humbled by the koha received for our Hangi and felt highly supported through the turnout to our shared hangi meal.

A special thank you to all the parents who helped prepare our hangi food. Thank you also to the dads that gave their day to cook our hangi - absolutely delicious! Thanks also to our whanau who helped us over the two day period during our rotation activities. Our tamariki had a lot of fun, learnt a lot and are growing in their awareness of historical events that shape the lives of people around us.

I'd also like to thank our staff. Days like this require an extra special energy. To have two of these days in a row and an evening event has been massive for them. I really appreciate their support, generosity and aroha shown over these two days.

We also received a very special Taiaha toanga (Treasure) handed to us by the Trindler family to commemorate our remembrance of Parihaka day. We over the coming weeks will be creating some narrative around our Taiaha and then share this with our community.



**Classes for 2020:** We are currently in the planning stages for class organisation for 2020. If there is anything you think we need to consider prior to confirming classes can you please email, call or pop in and see me over the next two weeks.

**Staffing for 2020:** We will have very minimal changes in staffing for 2020. We have sadly received the resignation of Miss Renee Coffey. Renee who was on a years leave has decided that she needed to move closer to family and a close friend. We again thank Renee for her amazing energy, enthusiasm and commitment to our tamariki. We will really miss Renee's vibes in our community.

We will also farewell Miss Tanisha Perrett who has been an amazing teacher aide and after school care worker and manager. Tanisha has won a teaching position at St Joseph's New Plymouth for 2020. We wish her all the best and will hopefully one day see her back at SJB.

With the resignation of Miss Coffey we have been through an appointment process recently. We are really pleased to announce that Mrs Lisa Haenga will be a permanent staff member in 2020. Lisa has been an amazing fixed term teacher for us in 2019. We look forward to continuing to work with and have Lisa on our staff.

**Organisation for 2020:** With the completion of our main building projects we have after spending some time in the spaces decided that we will have a small move around of classes in 2020. This will see our Junior classes Year 1 and Year 0 move into our current Year 2 / 3 spaces. Our Year 2 children will move into our current Year 1 spaces and Our Year 3 / 4 children will move into the classes which have just been moved on site. We will get our library back and have one spare space for 2020.

**Key Competency for Term 4:** Our key competency that we will be basing a lot of our skills for life teaching around in term 4 is Participating and Contributing.

Following is an overview of some of the attributes or skills we focus on:

Take part in group and class activities / take an active part in a group, class and school activities / participate in school duties (leadership) / be actively involved in our Church Community.

Share ideas with others / share your skills and interests / participate in discussion and openly share ideas with others in class / assign group roles / take responsibility for assigned roles in co-operative groups / work co-operatively towards a common goal.

Look after the school environment / do your part to keep our environment clean and tidy / follow the school recycling processes / treat the environment with care and consideration.

Respond to the needs and feeling of others in a caring way / independently use initiative to respond to others' needs / exhibit the school values of caring by looking after younger children and being a positive role model.

Demonstrate an understanding of appropriate behaviours acceptable in a variety of situations and settings / use good manners at all times.

## YOU ARE INVITED TO...

Saint John Bosco School  
and Parish Mass at  
Our Lady Help of Christians, Fitzroy  
Sunday 10th November 2019  
at 9am

*Year 6 leaving students  
and those preparing for First Reconciliation,  
will receive a special blessing during Mass*



Please join us for coffee / tea and  
light refreshments after mass.  
Thank-you!

Rooms Puriri, Kawakawa, Nikau, Horoeke,  
Karaka, Totara

### Pope Francis Prayer Intention for November

That a spirit of dialogue, encounter, and  
reconciliation emerge in the Middle East, where  
diverse religious communities share their lives  
together.

### Pest Traps

We still have a large number of traps (from NPDC)  
that we were selling last year, as part of the 'Predator  
Free Taranaki Project'. They are safe, easy to use, good  
value and **MUST be sold**.

\$10 each - includes wooden box and trap  
Please see Mr Moorby or email [matt@sjb.school.nz](mailto:matt@sjb.school.nz)

### Class Mass Timetable

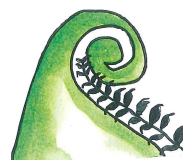
Week 5	<b>Sunday 10th November</b> Wednesday 13th November	<b>SCHOOL MASS</b> Ruma Karaka, Horoeke
Week 6	Wednesday 20th November	Ruma Kauri, Puriri, Koromiko
Week 7	Wednesday 27th November	Ruma Tōtara, Kōwhai, Kawakawa
Week 8	Wednesday 4th December	Ruma Rimu, Pohutukawa, Nīkau
Week 9	Wednesday 11th December	Ruma Karaka, Horoeke

### Christmas Eve Mass 8pm and Christmas morning Mass 9am OLHC

Celebrating the birth of Jesus of Nazareth is a really significant feast day and holy day of obligation. Are there any families who would like to be involved with Christmas morning Mass at OLHC church, Fitzroy? We need families to help with a Welcome, Scripture readings, Prayers of the Faithful, Presentation of the gifts, Ministers of communion and of course singing Christmas Carols. Please contact Fr. Simon if you can help lead these ministries. [simon@catholicparishnp.nz](mailto:simon@catholicparishnp.nz). Thank you.

### Mission Statement

To provide a Catholic environment where children's rights and individual needs are always considered, independence and confidence are fostered and children are challenged to produce their best efforts.





**Devine  
ANGELS**

**TUESDAY 12 NOVEMBER**  
LUNCHTIME AT SJB SCHOOL

**HOMEMADE GINGERBREAD**  
**\$2.00**

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Taranaki Cricket in conjunction with New Zealand Cricket are offering a fantastic programme for 5-8 year old boys and girls.

The Superstar Cricket Academy is a fantastic 6 session fundamental skills programme to start children on the road toward the Black Caps or White Ferns. The cost is \$50 for the programme and your child will also receive fantastic giveaways including a bat, backpack, ball and cap throughout the sessions. For those children doing this programme for a second year the giveaways have changed so that the children will not receive the same kit as last season.



## REGISTRATION FOR THE PROGRAMME

### NEW PLYMOUTH CENTRE

– Register at NPOB Cricket Clubrooms, Western Park, Morley Street, New Plymouth on Friday 25th October from 4.30pm-5pm. The sessions will begin the following Friday 1st November and run on Friday afternoons from 4pm-5pm

### INGLEWOOD CENTRE

– Register at Inglewood Cricket Clubrooms, Karo Park, Inglewood on Friday 1st November from 5pm-6pm. The sessions will begin the following Friday 8th November and run on Friday afternoons from 5.30pm-6.30pm

### STRATFORD CENTRE

– Register at Stratford Cricket Clubrooms, Victoria Park, Stratford on Friday 1st November from 6pm-6.30pm. The sessions will begin the following Friday 8th November and run on Friday afternoons from 5.30pm-6.30pm

### HAWERA CENTRE

– Register at Hawera Cricket Club, Hawera Hub, Hawera on Friday 1st November from 5pm-5.30pm. The sessions will begin the following Friday 8th November and run on Friday afternoons from 5.15pm-6.15pm

REGISTER ONLINE AT [WWW.TARANAKICRICKET.CO.NZ](http://WWW.TARANAKICRICKET.CO.NZ)

### Mothers Playgroup

Mums coffee/playgroup meets at 10am on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month in the St Joseph's church hall. Like the CatholicParishNP facebook page for updates. All welcome for a cuppa while the children play. Contact Michelle for more information 757 3682.

## AN EVENING WITH SOLE MIO

LIFE EDUCATION TARANAKI FUNDRAISER



**Taranaki Symphony Orchestra**  
Te Tira Puoro o Taranaki

## Spring Concert

Adam Jasinski  
Conductor

Jim Scrivener  
Horn

Richard Strauss:  
Horn Concerto No.1  
Beethoven:  
Symphony No.2  
Beethoven:  
Leonora Overture No.3

NPDC

TSB SHOWPLACE

Saturday 16 November 7.30 pm  
Theatre Royal TSB Showplace  
Adults \$25 Students \$5 Fees Apply  
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