



Week 4 Term 4

6th November 2019

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School Facebook www.facebook.com/groups/stmarysschoolwanganui
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On Tuesday night I had the privilege of attending Cullinane College's Prize giving.

I have attended these each year and it is always great to see our past St Mary's Students walking up on stage to receive their awards.

However, on this night I came away with a new sense of excitement and I must congratulate Justin Harper and his team of staff who prepare these students so well for the future. The calibre of your students have inspired me! The genuine faith, authenticity and commitment to being the best they can be absolutely shone through.

I came away from this evening with such a strong sense that our world is great hands with the young people coming through Cullinane College.

Have a great week!

Jacqui Luxton

COURAGE

Māia

Be on your guard; stand firm in the faith; be people of courage, be strong (1 Chron 16:13)



In Term 4 we are focusing on the Gospel Value of **Courage**.

We would love you to take the time to talk about and reinforce each aspect of our ICIC Gospel Values with your child.

This week we look at **Taking a Stand**... there are 5 skills that we can work towards.

Taking a Stand

Walk away & speak up when it is wrong.

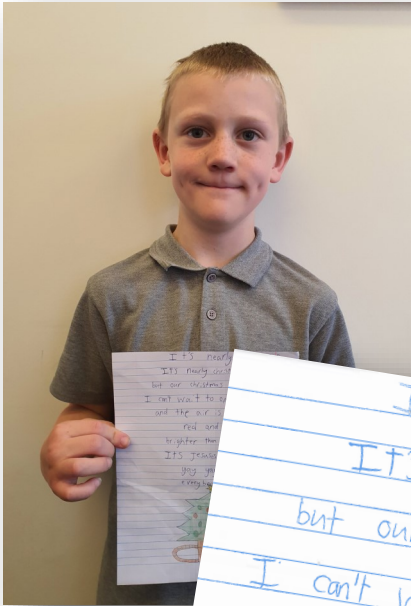
Find help for someone who is doing the wrong thing.

Do the right thing even if it is difficult.

Challenge others when you know it is wrong.

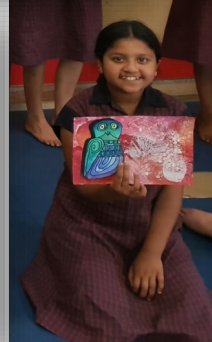
Being proud of your identity.





I t's nearly christmas
IT'S nearly christmas get ready
but our christmas tree isn't steady.
I can't wait to open a present
and the air is reary pleasant.
red and green
brighter than you've ever seen.
IT'S Jesus's birthday
yay yay yay
everybody shout hooray.





**Thanks for sharing
your art at assembly
Room 7!
Beautiful!**

Sunblock...

Teachers give students sunblock before each break.

If you do not want your child using the school sunblock please let us know. Please inform us of your alternative sunblock plan.



Please remember to name your child's uniform...

Name it, name it and name it again...

Vivid marker, fancy labels, twink pens, sewn in initials...

We have 260 of everything and it gets hard to return uniform if it is left behind at break.





End of Year Dates

25th November: Orientation Day Cullinane College

28th November: Cullinane College Scholarship Exams

29th November: Tough Kids

5th December: Big Day Out

9th December: Year 8 Graduation Dinner 6pm

10th December: Water Day

11th December: Prize Giving 6.30pm

13th December: School closes 12pm



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Plumber Dan

DUCK RACE
9 November
\$10 per ticket

Tickets are limited and available from:

- Whanganui River Traders Market, Saturday mornings,
- Plumber Dan's 176 Victoria Ave Whanganui
- Footloose shoes 90 Victoria Ave Whanganui
- *jigsaw whanganui* 236 Victoria Ave, ph 06 345 1636
- on-line at www.jigsawwhanganui.org.nz

Ducks float off at 11 am from Dublin Street Bridge.

1st prize \$1000 sponsored by Plumber Dan

2nd Prize \$500 sponsored by Green Pastures Camp and
Rees Engineering

3rd Prize \$250 sponsored by Spooner, Hood and Redpath

FASTEST KID ON THE BLOCK



WHO WILL BE THE FASTEST KID ON THE BLOCK?

- THURSDAY 31ST OCTOBER – THURSDAY 14TH NOVEMBER 2019
- AGE GROUPS: UNDER 9'S, UNDER 11'S, UNDER 14'S
- RACE DISTANCE: UNDER 9'S : 60M, UNDER 11'S & 14'S : 80M
- BOYS AND GIRLS RACES
- WINNERS RECEIVE CERTIFICATE AND PRIZE
- FASTEST KIDS WILL RUN AT THE 2020 COOKS CLASSIC ON SATURDAY 18TH JANUARY REPRESENTING THEIR AREA
- REGISTER @ WWW.SPORTWHANGANUI.CO.NZ



FASTEST KID ON THE BLOCK

- HEATS WILL BE RUN IN 8 DIFFERENT AREAS AS LISTED BELOW
- UNDER 9'S : 60 M RACE
- UNDER 11'S & 14'S : 80 M RACE
- HEATS WILL INCLUDE THREE AGE GROUPS: UNDER 9'S, UNDER 11'S UNDER 14'S
- WINNERS WILL RECEIVE A CERTIFICATE AND SMALL PRIZE
- WINNERS WILL REPRESENT THEIR AREA IN A FINALS RACE HELD AT THE COOKS CLASSIC ON SATURDAY JANUARY 18TH 2020

WESTERN

- INCLUDES ST JOHNS HILL , WESTMERE , WAVERLEY
- THURSDAY 31ST OCTOBER
ST JOHNS HILL SCHOOL – 3:30PM

EASTERN

- INCLUDES DURIE HILL , PUTIKI , UPOKONGARO, WHANGANUI EAST
- MONDAY 4TH NOVEMBER
DURIE HILL SCHOOL – 3:30PM

CENTRAL

- INCLUDES CENTRAL CITY , ARAMOHO
- THURSDAY 7TH NOVEMBER
PEAT PARK – 3:30PM

SPRINGVALE

- INCLUDES GONVILLE , TAWHERO, SPRINGVALE
- MONDAY 11TH NOVEMBER
SPRINGVALE PARK – 3:30PM

CASTLECLIFF

- INCLUDES CASTLECLIFF , MOSSTON AND SURROUNDING AREAS
- THURSDAY 14TH NOVEMBER
LONDON PARK – 3:30PM

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT JODIE BRUNGER : 0211448944 : JODIE@SPORTWHANGANUI.CO.NZ

WE ARE COLLECTING BREAD TAGS FOR SOUTH AFRICA

These bread tags are bought by a recycling company and the money is used to buy wheelchairs for the needy in South Africa.

This is our service teams international focus. We are wanting to start the collecting here and encourage every school to take up the call. So get all your family members on board. It stops them from getting in our landfills and helps keep NZ clean too!

**POP THEM INTO THE
JAR OF YOUR HOUSE
TO WIN POINTS**



PIC-COLLAJE



Wanganui Harrier Club

We all want our kids to lead happy, healthy lives, and we know that keeping fit is pivotal to this. At Wanganui Harrier Club, we want to encourage everyone to experience the enjoyment of exercising through running or walking.

In order to help us achieve this goal, we would like to introduce our 'Wanganui Harrier Club Kids Marathon' programme.

This programme requires children to run/walk an accumulated total of 41km anytime from 1 September to 13 December, 2019. Children can run/walk 500m or 1000m (1km) per session. Then, on Saturday 14 December, children compete in the McDonald's 1.2km Fun-Run-Athon at the Pak'nSave Whanganui 3 Bridges Marathon, thus completing their own 42.2km marathon. Each child who completes the programme will receive their own Kids Marathon medal.








This programme is open to all children aged 13 and under. The only cost involved is the \$5 race entry fee.

If you would like to sign your school up for the 'Wanganui Harrier Club Kids Marathon' or would like to know more about it, please contact Margaret on wanganuiharrierclub@gmail.com

Enclosed is a WHC Kids Marathon Progress Chart. Please photocopy these and give them out to any interested students.

Wanganui Harrier Club Kids Marathon

1 September - 13 December 2019

									
7	8	9				33	34	35	
6		10	20	21	22	32		36	
5		11	19		23	31		37	
4		12	18		24	30		38	
3		13	17		25	29		39	
2		14	15	16	26	27	28	40	
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1. Enter the McDonald's 1.2km Fun-Run-Athon at www.whanganuihreebridges.co.nz
2. Run or walk a total of 41km over the next few months, marking your efforts on this chart (one section = 500m)
3. Ask an adult to email Margaret at wanganuiharrierclub@gmail.com when this chart is complete
4. Run your final 1.2km on Saturday 14th December at the Pak'nSave Whanganui 3 Bridges Marathon and receive a WHC Kids Marathon medal for your efforts



McDonald's[®] FUN-RUN-ATHON SATURDAY 14TH DEC 2019

13 YEAR-OLDS AND UNDER
RUN 1.2KM OF THE PAK'NSAVE WHANGANUI 3 BRIDGES MARATHON



EVENTS OPEN TO RUNNERS AND WALKERS

GO TO: www.whanganuithreebridges.co.nz



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THE RUNWAY MILE 2019

NOW ON
Sunday 17 November 2019

Whanganui Airport

Venue opens at 9.00am

Five Races - the first commencing at 9.30am



**Spot prizes - Team and family group
concessions available (for Event 5).**

**The Airport Control Tower Cab will be
open to the public from 10.00 am - visitors welcome.**

**Entry Forms are available at I-Site Whanganui, South Beach Café,
River City Press and Sport Whanganui (Springvale Park) or may be downloaded
from the Sport Whanganui Website www.sportwhanganui.co.nz**

The Wanganui Airport Control Tower Restoration Group



**COMING
SOON**

November

Friday 8th:

- Gifted and Talented
- Mass at Cullinane Rooms 10 and 11

Week 5 Term 4

Tuesday 12th:

- Year 7 & 8 Athletics Day

Wednesday 13th:

- Year 7 & 8 Technology
- Rotary Readers
- Kapahaka

Thursday 14th:

- World Stack up Day

Friday 15th:

- Gifted and Talented
- Mass at Cullinane Rooms 8 and 9

Week 6 Term 4

Monday 18th:

- Year 4, 5 and 6 Athletics

Wednesday 20th:

- Year 7 & 8 Technology
- Rotary Readers
- Kapahaka
- Intermediate Inter-School Athletics
- Assembly Room 5

Thursday 21st:

- Tabloid Give it a Go - JLC, Rooms 3, 4, 5
- Ukulele Group performing at Broadview Rest Home

Friday 22nd:

- JLC visiting Owlcatraz
- Gifted and Talented
- Mass at Cullinane Rooms 4 and 5

Week 7 Term 4

Monday 25th:

- Vision and Hearing Screening
- Orientation Day for Year 8's enrolled at Cullinane

Tuesday 26th:

- Contributing Athletics Day

Wednesday 27th:

- Rooms 4, 5 and 6 going to Te Manawa in Palmerston North
- Year 7 & 8 Technology