



Newsletter 10 Term 2 *Date 4 July 2018*

Focus for the Week

Mark 5:21-24, 35-43
Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday's Gospel story, written by Mark, is given to us as Good News to nourish our faith in Jesus, and that through our faith we know that Jesus is Life. When we choose to live and act in faith, we will have life in heaven one day. Mark reveals to us in his Gospel, that Jesus has power over death. What Jesus does for Jairus' daughter, he will also do for us at the end of time. We will be raised up to live with Him forever if we believe and trust in God.

Values Focus

Value Focus: RESILIENCE – Week 10

When all is said and done, our ability to be resilient rests on our capacity to remain positive in the face of challenge, difficulty, failure, and distraction. A positive attitude means we can see through problems to solutions more often. Knocking the “t” off can't allows us to aim towards the achievement of our goals every time even if we don't get there at first. What we can learn by not succeeding first time makes us richer people for the experience.

“People are like stained-glass windows. They sparkle and shine when the sun is out, but when the darkness sets in, their beauty is revealed only if there is a light from within.” Elizabeth Kubler-Ross

Māori Language Phrase

Whengua tō ihu.
Blow your nose.

Principal's Reflection

I would like to thank and congratulate all our Teachers and Teacher Aides on the wonderful teaching and learning opportunities provided our children this term. Our term's theme “Great Minds”, begun with each classroom visiting the museum to see the ‘Archimedes Eureka Exhibition’. This provided a catalyst for creative, inspiring, and engaging learning this term. This learning has been shared at our Gold Card Assembly, our LC1, 2 and 3 Assembly, and Team 4 will share their inventions tomorrow. Concluding our term has been Leadership week. During this week, our senior students have been able to put all their leadership training into action with an exciting array of activities planned each day for our whole school. Congratulations to all students on your learning and staff for your work this term.

Principal Appraisal

As part of my Annual Appraisal, each parent will receive a link to a parent survey. Parents are invited to respond to this survey which will provide feedback and support for my ongoing professional growth. An email with a survey will be sent out tomorrow. I thank you in advance for your time and input.



Matariki *photo from Room10*



As part of LC1, 2 and 3 end of Term Assembly, Room 10 shared their poetry and art work about Matariki. Their work was stunning.



Farewell to Martha

This week we farewell our much loved International Students Co-ordinator and Family Worker, "Martha". Martha has been at our school for the past 14 years. During this time she has grown our International Student area and played a key role in supporting our students and families in need. Martha created our school '**Welfare Fund**'. This is funded by the Second Hand Uniform Shop, fundraising projects run by the senior students, and donations from our Catholic community.

On behalf of our students, staff and families, I wish to thank Martha for the huge contribution she has made to Marian Catholic School during her time here. All our prayers and best wishes are with Martha as she leaves us to spend more time with her grandchildren.

As a tribute to Martha we are holding a **Green Mufti Day** on Friday for a gold coin donation. All donations will be given to the Welfare fund.

Farewell to Mrs Barb Lockett

Congratulations to Mrs Barb Lockett on winning a permanent teaching position at Hamilton West School. We have loved having you teaching our New Entrants in Room 5. You have given them a wonderful start to their schooling. Our prayers and best wishes are with you as you begin your new permanent position.

Music House Marian Mid-Year Concert

On Monday, we had the Music House Mid-Year concert. These two concerts were outstanding and so very entertaining as the students performed chosen songs. We have so many incredibly talented students (and parents) within our school. We are fortunate to have Sam Trenwith and Andrew Gould work with our children.



Looking forward to next year, we are negotiating with the Music House Tutors to

share their talent and expertise with groups of students across the school. These programmes will be additional to the current privately funded music lessons.



Ngā mihi nui

Debra White
PRINCIPAL

Welcome

We welcome into our school community the following students and their families; Sharon Jojo (Rm5) and Ruby Bates (Rm4)

School Photos

A reminder to order your photos before 22 July to get free delivery.



Sir Peter Blake Trust – Young Leader

The **Sir Peter Blake Trust Young Leader Award** is a national level award that is presented to one great student leader in our school each year.



There are many wonderful leaders in Team 4 who were nominated.

Congratulations to TREMAINE STRONGMAN who was awarded 2018 Young Leader, a most deserving recipient and a wonderful person.

Picture here of Tremaine and Toni Mills with medals and certificates

Team 4 - Invitation

YOU ARE INVITED....

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TO VIEW TEAM 4'S INNOVATION CREATIONS!

WHEN: THURSDAY THE 5TH OF JULY FROM 2- 3PM

WHERE: GSEC BUILDING AT MARIAN CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Let's celebrate our students' creativity around their invention ideas that are based on solving a problem in our world (big or small).

The poster is blue with red brain icons in the corners and a red head icon with a white circle inside at the bottom. The text is in white and yellow.

Yr 5/6 EPro8

Congratulations to all of our Year 5 & 6 participants in this year's EPro8 competition.

Caleb Lowe
Kristian Bates
William McMurray

Benedict Doohan
William Macfie
Daniel Fassler
Marco Villegas
Alec Fraser-Jones
Elisa-May Pisciarelli
Kaylin Fong
Georgia Nelson
Sophie-Rose Bailey
Jayne McPhillips

We were eventually placed 6th in the semi-finals - no mean feat out of a starting pool of over 150 teams in the Waikato district!



We developed our teamwork skills, learnt lots of new science and engineering concepts and had loads of fun.



Roll on next year - we have keen beans ready to take up the challenge again.

PTFA Notices:

Donut Orders are now closed. These arrive at the school on Friday 6 July. Make sure you take them home.

Pie Orders: Orders and Money must be at the office by Thursday (tomorrow - Final date). Delivery is Thurs 26 July.

Earrings: Check out the earrings on display in the school office. \$10.00 a pair. Only while stocks last.

Entertainment Book: Available at the office. \$65.00 each.

Protein Bars: \$25.00 per box. Available at the school office.

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Health Tip for the Week



To Register online (or download a Registration Form) visit www.dove.org.nz. For further information contact Shona Williams 07 543 0101 or email shonawilliams58@gmail.com

Sausage Sizzle:

This Friday - \$2.00 each

Sport Notices to Follow

Public Notices

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Ph: 027 209 8323 or drop off at the school office.
Email: giveakidablanket@outlook.com"

Ballet Lessons at school: Sandy offers ballet lessons in the Whare on Monday and Tuesday afternoons. If you would like to give it a try enrol at davey_sandy@yahoo.com or 02102442259

Piano Lessons at School: If you are interested in learning the Piano, please email Lauren laurengrout@hotmail.com

Come away to be refreshed, renewed & restored – Dove Retreat 27-29 July.

Dove Catholic Fellowship for Women National team is delighted to invite all women to a retreat weekend with special guest speakers Wilma Conroy and Anne Claessens.

Theme: "Harvest" Come and enjoy your personal harvest

Venue: Willow Park Christian Camp, Eastern Beach, Auckland



Marian Catholic School Sports Notice Wednesday 4th July 2018

HOCKEY

Friday 6th July

Saints United 1 st XI	vs King Country Dev	@ 5.40pm	@ GHC 2
Saints United 2 nd XI	vs Maeroa 2 nd XI	@ 5.30pm	@ Dio
Saints United 3 rd XI	vs Te Awamutu Int Tornadoes	@ 6.30pm	@ Fraser

Saturday 7th July

Marian Strikers	vs Te Totara Shooters	@ 11.15am	@ GHC1 HA
Marian All Stars	vs Endeavour Silversticks	@ 11.15am	@ GHC2 HC
Marian Rebels	vs Ngahinapouri Strikers	@ 10.00am	@ GHC1 QB
Marian Thunder	vs Ngahinapouri All Stars	@ 8.30am	@ GHC1 QD

Draws are available at www.waikatohockey.org.nz



NETBALL

Wednesday 4th July

Marian Magic	vs tbc	@ 4.00pm	@ Crt tbc
Marian Ferns	vs tbc	@ 4.00pm	@ Crt tbc

Thursday 5th July

Marian Pulse	vs TMM Toki	@ 4.00pm	@ Crt 8
Marian Mystics	vs Hukanui Stars	@ 5.30pm	@ Crt 12

Saturday 7th July

Unfortunately the draw for was not available at time of publication

Draws are available at www.netballhamilton.org.nz



BASKETBALL

Wednesday 4th July

Marian Eagles	vs Aberdeen Knights	@ 4.00pm	@ YMCA Ct 1
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Friday 6th July

Unfortunately, the draw for Marian Ospreys was not available

Draws, when available, are at www.waikatobasketball.co.nz



WATER POLO and FLIPPER BALL

Due to Waterworld being unavailable, there will be no Water Polo or Flipper Ball competitions in Term 3. Water Polo will be played in Term 4, starting on Sunday 28th October. Flipper Ball will also start in Term 4, date to be confirmed. I will provide more information next term.

If any players of skill who would like to be upskilled and challenged and strive for higher honours, then Waikato Water Polo will run a program on Sundays in term 3 for those players. Please contact me for more information.

WANTED

Yr 7 and 8 students wanting to play Basketball in Term 3, please see Jardine McIntyre or email jmintyre@marian.school.nz to register



**Sports Photos will be held on
Friday 27th July**

Melissa Nelson
Marian School Sports Coordinator
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