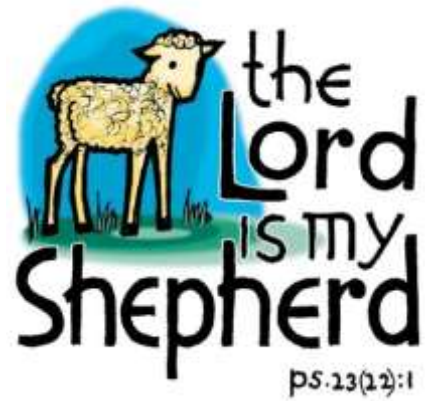


GOOD SHEPHERD SCHOOL

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

Update Notice, 20 June 2019



Important Dates

Coming up Term 2

21 June	Assembly: Room 3/4
24 June-5 July	Matariki
25 June	Artistic Gym Fun Fest (Boys) BOT Meeting (TBC)
26 June	Artistic Gym Fun Fest (Girls) Hearing and Vision in School
28 June	Auckland Girls Chess Championships
29 June	Parish/School Mass
5 July	Mufti Mania Day Assembly: Room 7 Reports home End of Term 2

Please note that some of these dates may change

If your child or children are away from school, please ensure you ring or email the school office before 9am.

**Room 3/4 School Assembly tomorrow,
Friday 21st June at 2.15pm.
All Welcome**

Opening & Blessing of the Fitness Trail

Friday 21st June 2pm

Please join us for the opening and blessing of our new fitness trail which was the focus of the fund raising from the 2017 school fair.

Good Shepherd Awards

This week we congratulate **Sarah Forbes** from Room 6, you are consistently kind and considerate to everyone within the Good Shepherd School community. And, **Ashton Noel Pereira** from Room 3, you demonstrate the Good Shepherd values by being kind and hard working.



Parish School Mass

There will be a Parish School Mass on **Saturday 29th June at 6.00pm** at Good Shepherd Parish. All families are expected to attend with their children in school uniform. All children who are new to Good Shepherd will be formally welcomed.

Reconciliation at Good Shepherd Parish

If your child has made the Sacrament of Reconciliation, Monsignor Bernard Kiely and Father Larry Rustia at Good Shepherd Parish hold weekly confession on **Saturday at 9.30am**. Children and their families are most welcome to attend in order to encourage them to keep this special Sacrament close to their hearts!

Board of Trustees Elections

The new board has now taken office and will meet formally for the first time early next term.

Graeme Twose - Parent trustee
Aaron Delacey - Parent trustee
Mele Kautoke - Parent trustee
Daniel Erickson - Parent trustee
Nicola Maddox - Parent trustee
Msgr Bernard Kiely - Proprietor's trustee
Leonie Lewthwaite - Proprietor's trustee
Stephen Rewcastle - Proprietor's trustee
Bianca Prentice - Proprietor's trustee
Heather McLeod - Staff trustee
Jane Hahn - Principal

Sports Events in Term 2

Week 9 - Gymnastics Festival at Tri-Star

Boys - Tuesday 25 June

Girls - Wednesday 26 June

With all of these events above we need parent help and support for them to go ahead. If you are able to help out in anyway this term please contact Heather McLeod on hmcleod@goodshepherd.school.nz
You don't need to be an expert in a certain sport, help is always available. The amount of parent support does influence how many teams we are able to enter.

Cross Country certificates will be handed out after whole school prayers on Monday 24 June (week 9).

CHESS CLUB NEWS Upcoming Chess Tournaments

The **Auckland Girls Chess Championship** takes place on Friday 28 June. Please get your entries in to the office or Mrs Butcher by tomorrow 21 June. Open to girls in Years 4-6.

Books and Baking Bonanza Wednesday 3 July

Help the Good Shepherd School Council to raise funds to upgrade our prayer areas by bringing in books and baking to sell at our Mini Fair. You can deliver the books that you would like to donate to Room 2 from now until 3 July, and bring some baking to sell on the day. Thank you for your support of the School Council.

PTA PARENTS' MORNING TEA Postponed for this term

The PTA parents' morning tea is a great opportunity to get to know other parents and whānau of Good Shepherd, and to find out a little more about the day to day life of your children while at school. It is also a great way for our pre-schoolers to get to know each other. We have postponed the morning tea from this term to early next term and look forward to seeing you on:

Thursday 1 August at 9am in the staff room

Enrolments at Good Shepherd School

Thank you to all those families who have filled out enrolment forms for siblings of current students. This is also a gentle reminder to do so, if you haven't already done this. We also appreciate the support of our school families in recommending Good Shepherd School to their friends and whānau.

Fruit for Brain Break

Please bring any fruit you can spare to the office for children who have forgotten food for brain break.



Wig Wednesday

Thank you for your support of this great cause.



Enjoying St Mary's orchestra on 'Wig Wednesday'

BOOK WEEK 2019

We had our annual celebration of books and literature last week. Thank you to everybody who contributed to making this a special week that celebrates the joy of reading and the magic of books.

Book Fair-Thank you to everyone who visited this year's Scholastic Book Fair. We earn a commission on every book sale and will be purchasing new books for the library with this money. Many thanks to the parents who helped sell books before and after school. We couldn't do it without you.

Donated Books- We also received a wonderful variety of books that were donated to our library. Thank you! They are being processed and will be available to everyone to check out after they have been issued to the child/family who donated the book.

Activities- Highlights of the week included visits by storyteller Stu Duval and NZ author James Russell. Our library has got the latest books from these authors. Check them out! Clifford the Big Red Dog joined us for the Literary Treasure Hunt.

