Together we strive to become confident, creative, life long learners who follow Christ

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

Wednesday 11 June 2014

A huge thank you to those who managed to attend our working bee at school on Saturday. We had a requirement to replenish woodchips on the school playground area and got this done as well as a number of other things. We appreciate the different ways our school families support us from sports coaching to transport and numerous other things.

With winter right upon us, it’s worth mentioning that we still have 4 bags of bone dry mixed pine and manuka firewood downstairs in the basement. Please let me know if you are interested in buying one or more bags ($15 per bag).

Arrivederci (Italian farewell)

Richard Duffy

‘BLACK OUT’ FRIDAY

To show our support for the All Blacks this weekend, we invite all children, teachers and parents to dress in black this Friday!

We are also hoping to have a game of Rippa Rugby during the day.

St Mary’s Kaikorai is ‘Dunedin’s best kept secret!’

Catholic Education Review Team 2013
Dates for your Diaries

Assembly
All Blacks Sausage Sizzle
First Friday Mass
Assembly
Last day of term 2
First day of term 3
Sausage Sizzle @Mitre10 Mega

Assembly Friday 13 June@2:30 pm
Saturday 14 June
Friday 4 July@9:30 am
First Friday Nass Friday 4 July@9:30 am
Friday 4 July
Monday 21 July
Saturday 12 October

Wanted!!! Needed!!!!
Keep collecting those coloured plastic lids from milk, cream, juice bottles. We appreciate them all.
The container is in Jacque's office.
We are intending to create some pieces of art to brighten up our playground.
We need lots!!!!

Sickness/Illness
We have had a number of children away with illness over the last couple of weeks. Just a reminder; if your child has vomited or been vomiting or had diarrhoea, it is advised by the Health Department that they stay away from school for 24 hours. If they have been unfortunate enough to have had both (vomiting & diarrhoea) at the same time the 48 hours away from school is the recommendation.

PTFA Sausage Sizzle
All Blacks vs England

This Saturday (14th June) our PTFA has a stand on Anzac Avenue and will be selling sausages before and after the match.
If you are able to assist, could you please contact Holly.

We are looking for the use of a gazebo (or some type of similar covering) as shelter incase we require shelter from rain or drizzle on the night.

A huge thank you to Hellers for providing 500 sausages for this event.
Sacrament of Confirmation

Please keep Xavier, Dakoda, April, Janivah, Chloe, Aayliyah and Victoria in your prayers as they begin to prepare for Confirmation.

Please remember that the next Confirmation lesson is this Saturday (14th June) during mass at St Mary’s Church. Bring your green workbooks please.

Sports Draw

Last Week
The Year 5&6 Strikers played against BVA Sticks. They had a close and exciting game, but unfortunately lost.
Player of the day was Nicholas (St Brigids)

The Year 3&4 Storm played against St Clair 1. They had a tough game and fought hard. The player of the day was Guin Wilson for fantastic defence.

Draw for Wednesday 11 June (today)
Year 3&4 Storm v Opoho White - 5.20pm at Queens High School, Ground 2
Year 5&6 Strikers v St Leonards Supersticks - 5.20pm at McMillan Turf, Pav 2

Mini-ball
Draw for this week St Mary’s Magic vs St Francis Xavier Nuggets
Court 5
6.00pm

Player of the day last week was Victoria Fisk

Dear Parents of all mini ball players.
Children need to be at the game 15 mins BEFORE we start, arriving after the game has start isn’t fair on the other players in the team.
Coach Panz and Hayley

Sausage sizzle/Hot Milo Order Form

Name _____________________________

Number of Sausage/s $1.50 each _________________ Hot Milo 50 cents ___________
What’s happening in Room 2?

Last week during Discovery Time we celebrated Pentecost (the Church’s Birthday). We made flame headbands to represent the Holy Spirit coming down from heaven. We also iced cupcakes with red, yellow and orange icing and put a candle on top. At the end of Discovery Time we lit the candles and sang ‘Happy Birthday’ to the Church!

A big thank you to our helpers Linda, Asela and Roz (Ethan’s Nana)

Room 3 News Desk

Reporters: Sarah and Evelyn

Different groups are continuing to take their photos for our podcast movies. The topic is weather and all of our movies will have something to do with this.

Last week in RE we were learning about the Ascension of Jesus and Pentecost.

Some of us have been publishing our writing on the snow we had a couple of Monday’s ago.