

# St Brigid's School Newsletter



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Term 2 – Week 10

Dear Parents / Caregivers,

## Matariki Evening

**Thank you to everyone that was able to attend our Matariki Evening last night and help to make it a special St Brigid's Whānau celebration!**



## ST BRIGID'S HOUSE GROUPS:

Congratulations to **Aubert House** and **de Paul House** who were our overall House winners for Term 2!

Your special House lunch will be held in Week 1 next term.

## Sports News

**Hockey Results:** We won. P.O.D. Student from another school

**Kiwi Hoops** We lost. P.O.D. Jack Blick

**Netball** We lost. P.O.D. Student from another school.

# The GOLDEN TICKET

Just a reminder that our Golden Ticket recipients for the second half of this term will have their special lunch in Week 2 next term.

### What's on this week?

Friday 30 <sup>th</sup> June	Last day of Term 2
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### What's on next Term?

#### TERM 3

Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> July	First day of Term 3
Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> July	School Swimming starts and continues every Thursday for all of Term 3.
Tuesday 25 <sup>th</sup> July	PTA Meeting 7pm
Wednesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> August	Board Meeting 6pm
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> September	Last day of Term 3

What's Happening at Mercy Parish...

### Miha Māori

The next Māori Mass will be celebrated at 4.30pm on Sunday the 9<sup>th</sup> of July at St Patrick's, South Dunedin.



### Contact Details

Please contact the office if your contact details have changed recently as we are aware that some phone numbers, emails and addresses may not be current.

## Mercy Parish- St Patrick's

**Soup and Buns**  
Starting back for winter  
every Thursday  
3pm—6pm.  
In the church foyer



## **NAU MAI, HAERE MAI – WELCOME – Mrs Kennedy!**

**On the first day of term, Monday 17<sup>th</sup> July, at 9.30am St Brigid's will be welcoming our new principal to our school. Parents and associated members of our wonderful school community are most welcome to join us in the hall for this important occasion.**

## **Swimming**

Thank you to everyone that volunteered to help with our school swimming! Helpers information is being sent home today.

Swimming will start in Week 1 next (Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> July) next term.

Every Thursday, tamariki will wear their sports uniforms and will need to bring their swimming gear; togs, towel and goggles in a bag large enough to hold their uniform and shoes while they swim.

It is the expectation that if children are at school then they will be expected to swim. Please check over the school holidays that your child's uniform is clearly labelled as this minimises confusion and mix-ups in the changing rooms.

## **Term 2 EOTC Contributions:**

Invoices were sent home yesterday asking for contributions towards the school's Education Outside the Classroom activities. We are very grateful and reliant on these payments. Thank you to those who have already contributed! There are also some outstanding stationery payments from Term 1. We would greatly appreciate if you could please pay these as soon as possible. We are happy for you to set up a regular payment plan if that is easier. Please pay these into the Board of Trustees – School Account 06 0942 0045 712 00 and include your child's / family name and reason for payment e.g. stationery, EOTC, etc.

## R.E. Comment...



Mid Winter Holidays. The word holiday comes from the words Holy Day and was originally a religious day to rest and celebrate a significant day in the church as, Christmas day or Easter Sunday. It was a day of recreation. So let's hope that in today's world that the original meaning is still very relevant and these Holidays can be a time of rest, joy and recreation for all. We pray that all may have an opportunity to holiday and relax. That all have the vision to make this a priority at these special holy times in life.

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## OPEN DAY



**Starts 12 noon Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> July**

Meet at the Trinity Catholic College Auditorium  
(Entry off Tennyson Street)



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If you are unable to attend, we are very happy to organise a personalised tour at a time that suits!

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## PTA NEWS

**Next Meeting:** Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> July at 7pm. All welcome.

## BOARD NEWS

**Next Meeting:** Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> August

### School Bank Account Details

#### Board of Trustees - School Account:

06 0942 0045712 00

(For stationery payments, sports fees, EOTC & Copier contributions etc)

#### PTA – Fundraising Account:

06-0901-0797125-00

(For fundraising, uniform shop, lunch orders etc)

**Please reference your child's name and reason for payment (e.g. stationery / pizza / etc.) when paying online.**