



SAINT BERNADETTE'S SCHOOL

Loving our learning, Living our faith, Knowing our God

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Dear Parents and Caregivers,

8 May 2019

School Trustee elections.

Nomination forms have been posted to everyone eligible to nominate and vote in the Parent Trustee election process. If you are thinking about standing or know someone who would be great, make sure you get the nomination form back to Annette in our school office by **Friday 24th May**. As a school parent you can nominate yourself or someone else.

SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTIONS



We need 5 parent elected trustees on our Board.

- If 5 eligible nominations come in they will be the Trustees.
- If more than 5 nominations come in there will be a vote.
- If less than 5 nominations come in we will have to look to appoint people to the vacant positions. This is the least desirable option as we believe that parent trustees should be elected by parents.

Some things you might not know about being a trustee:

- As a trustee you are never on your own in the work of being a trustee. You are part of a team.
- It is good to have a variety of voices and view points on the Board.
- Trustees are elected for a three year term.
- Trustees get an allowance paid for each meeting they attend.

Being a Trustee is an important way to contribute to your child's school. If you are interested in becoming a trustee feel free to talk to me or any current trustee about the role.

Reading Together



Invitations for Reading Together have gone out to parents and caregivers of Year 1 and 2 students who have not previously completed it.

Having said that - everyone is welcome. If you would like some learning and support with how to help with reading and learning at home please join us.

The session will be from 6pm - 7pm on Thursdays.

- 16th May,
- 30th May,
- 6th June,
- 27th June.



We know these 4 sessions will have a positive impact on your child's learning and achievement.

Childcare is provided for all of the sessions.

We would love to see you there.

Room 2 Class Mass

Celebrating Mothers' Day and Mary is tomorrow at 9am in Room 2. Everyone is welcome.

We would love you to come and celebrate with us.



*Happy Mother's Day to
all the mums in our
School Community!*



Important dates for Term 2 2019

Thursday 9th May	Room 2 Class Mass - Mothers' Day	9am in Room 2
	Kiwihoops - Basketball	Rooms 1 - 5
Friday 10th May	Culture group practice	
	Assembly - Room 3	2.30pm in the Hall
Monday 13th May	Sacred Heart College Principal and students visiting with Year 8 girls	
Thursday 16th May	Kiwihoops - Basketball	Rooms 1 - 5
	Reading Together - Session 1	6pm - 7pm in Staffroom
Friday 17th May	School Cross Country	
	Culture group practice	
	Jump Jam	2.30pm
Tuesday 21st May	Board of Trustees meeting	7pm in Staffroom
Thursday 23rd May	Kiwihoops - Basketball	Rooms 1 - 5
Friday 24th May	Culture group practice	
	Confirmation children meeting with Barbara	
	Assembly - Room 2	2.30pm in the Hall
	Nominations for the Board of Trustees close	
Tuesday 28th May	Catholic Schools Day	
	School Prayers - Room 1	8.50am in the Hall
	Catholic Schools Day sharing	2.30pm in the Hall
Wednesday 29th May	Sacred Heart College Open morning for our Year 8s	9am - 10am
Thursday 30th May	Kiwihoops - Basketball	Rooms 1 - 5
	Room 3 Class Mass - the Ascension	9am in Room 3
	Reading Together - Session 2	6pm - 7pm in Staffroom
Friday 31st May	Culture group practice	
	Confirmation children meeting with Barbara	
	Jump Jam	2.30pm
Monday 3rd June	Queen's Birthday holiday	School closed

Important dates for Term 2 2019

Wednesday 5th June	Year 4-8 Zone Cross Country	
Thursday 6th June	Kiwihoops - Basketball	Rooms 1 - 5
	Room 1 Class Mass - Pentecost	9am in Room 1
	Reading Together - Session 3	6pm - 7pm in Staffroom
Friday 7th June	Culture group practice	
	Assembly - Room 1	2.30pm in the Hall
	Voting for Trustee election closes	
Tuesday 11th June	Confirmation Practice at St Michael's Church in Taita	6pm
Thursday 13th June	Kiwihoops - Basketball	Rooms 1 - 5
Friday 14th June	Culture group practice	
	Jump Jam	2.30pm
Tuesday 18th June	Interzone Cross Country	
	Confirmation at St Michael's Church in Taita	6pm
Thursday 20th June	Kiwihoops - Basketball	Rooms 1 - 5
Friday 21st June	Culture group practice	
	Assembly - Room 6	2.30pm in the Hall
Tuesday 25th June	First Board of Trustees meeting for the new Board	7pm in Staffroom
Thursday 27th June	Reading Together - Session 4	6pm - 7pm in Staffroom
Friday 28th June	Culture group practice	
	Jump Jam	2.30pm
Tuesday 2nd July	Culture Group rehearsal for Hutt Fest.	
Thursday 4th July	Kiwihoops - Basketball	Rooms 1 - 5
	Culture group perform at Hutt Fest	6pm at Walter Nash Centre
Friday 5th July	Last day of Term 2	School finishes at 3pm
Monday 22nd July	Term 3 begins	School starts at 8.50am