

# Sonrise Christian School NEWSLETTER 6



Dear Parents

Tena Koutou Katoa



We are just about in countdown mode before we finish off the school year. We have exactly three weeks to go and still so much to do. Teachers have completed all the assessments and are just about ready to report to you on your child's progress and achievement next week. The week after our years 5 – 10 will be travelling to Mystery Creek in Hamilton for their big camp which occurs every other year. Mrs Sadlier has been doing lots behind the scenes to get everything ready for camp. Some of you have missed out on the camp meeting but another one has been scheduled for tomorrow (Thursday 21 November) at 5:15pm. The junior school will be participating in an Adventure Week while the rest of the school is away. Mr. Russell and Mrs. Potini are in the process of sorting out their program and they will keep you informed of the activities for the week.

Thank You to the parents who will be coming to camp to help out. This year I will be attending camp to be the cook and to make sure they are well fed. Please keep our school in your prayers for these excursions to go well and pray for God's protection on all of us. For some students it is their first school camp and some have not been away from home.

E te Atua e manaaki ki a koutou katoa,  
Wendy Gabriel  
Tumuaki

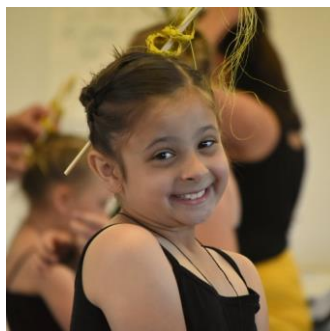
## SUNHATS

In Term 4, school sunhats are compulsory. We are still seeing the majority of students not having a school hat.

## LOST UNIFORM ITEMS

We have lots of unidentified uniform items. Selina (teacher aide) had spent a lot of time washing it all, folding it and placed it in a box in the school office. If you are missing any items, please pop in at the office and have a look.

Turanga Schools Maori Festival  
A&P Showgrounds  
**Friday 22 November, 2019**  
**10:15am - (Juniors), 10:30am - (Seniors)**  
**NGA WAHINE (ONLY)** - we would like you at school at **8:00am to do hair and put in your hair piece.** PLEASE BE ON TIME...  
**Photos 9:30am**  
**Depart Sonrise 10:00am**  
**Performing 10:15am and 10:30am**  
**NGA TANE (ONLY)** - you may be at school at the normal time.



## What's on?

### School Kapa Haka Photos

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> November  
9:30am

### Turanga Schools Kapa Haka Festival

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10:30am Seniors

### School Photos

Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> November

### Parent Teacher Interviews

Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> November  
Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> November  
Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> November  
3:00pm - 5:45pm

### Parent/Helpers Lunch

Friday 29<sup>th</sup> November  
Sonrise school library  
12:00pm - 1:30pm

### Camp & Adventure Week

Mon 2 – Fri 6 December

### End of Year Prizegiving

Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> December  
5:30pm

### End of Term (MUFTI DAY)

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> December  
1:30pm

### Staff/BOT & Leavers dinner

Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> December  
The Vines  
6:00pm

## DEVOTIONAL THOUGHT

*The light of God  
surrounds me, the love  
of God protects me,  
the presence of God  
watches over me.  
Where I am, God  
watches over me.  
Wherever I am, God is.*

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**Sonrise interschool  
junior athletics**  
Congratulations:  
Madison Packer,  
Ezra Brown and  
Jesse Logue

#### HOUSE POINTS

RED	344
BLUE	178
GREEN	391
GOLD	365

#### Principal's Award

**Arno de Jager**

Trying his very best in all learning tasks  
and working well with others.

#### Te Whare Aroha

**Ana Batisaresare:** Remaining on task when things are busy.

**Xavier Carmichael:** Remaining on task when things are busy.

**Elizabeth White:** Enthusiasm in Reading and homework.

#### Te Whare Tu Tangata

**Neena Jairam:** Awesome dance skills at Athletics Day.

**Satriani Sadlier-Ratahi:** Showing super strength in the Tug-O-War.

**Juan de Jager:** 100% in Athletics; especially the sponge relay.

#### Te Whare Hiranga

**Natalia Mahani:** Consistently high effort and motivation in Maths and Social Science.

#### Te Whare Rongopai

**Olivia Viljoen:** Excellent perseverance in Mathematics, good ideas in Writing.

**Joshua Levy:** Great results in testing, excellent team work in P.E.

#### Te Whare Manaakitanga

**Te Ratu Walker:** Stepping up as Kaea for the kapa haka group.

**Nia O'Leary:** Welcome, it's like you've always been here.



#### Player of the Day Award:

Jordis Leathart

Next week is the  
final round...

#### PARENT/TEACHER INTERVIEWS

Please book your interview online if you had not done so yet. Thank you to the many parents who had scheduled their appointments. Interviews start on **Tuesday 26 November to Thursday 28 November from 3.00PM-5:45pm.**

#### PARENT/HELPERS LUNCH

Every year Sonrise provides a lunch for all our parent helpers and volunteers. This is our way of showing our gratitude as we cannot participate in activities and events without your support. We would love to have you come and share a fantastic **lunch with our staff at 12:15pm in the school library.**

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