

# Friday Newsletter



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## Cheese Rolls – What an amazing effort!

Thank you to everyone for supporting this fundraiser. The Home and School Association are so grateful to those who came along on Sunday, and to all of you for purchasing the cheese rolls. It was a very successful venture. The final figures aren't in just yet, but the association can safely say that over \$3000 has been raised from the day for school projects. Thank you so much!



Billy Watson is a Year 5 student at St Bernadette's and today was his last day at the school as his family are moving to Ranfurly. In class this morning Mr Shaw said to the Billy in front of the class that he is one of the most helpful students he has ever taught. If something is needed done, then Billy's is the first one to offer to help. Most of the time he doesn't even need to be asked. Today we invited all the students in the school to seek out Billy in the playground, give him a high-5 and wish him well for the future. Here is Billy in the playground at lunchtime, surrounded by class mates, Luke, Nate, Jacob, Isaac, Sarah and Kairangi.



A very big thank you to the Bendigo Trust for granting St Bernadette's School \$5,000 of the purchase of iPads for the Junior School. The iPads arrived this morning and the children were very excited. Thank you Bendigo Trust.



July 6th  
Term 2  
Week 10  
2018





# Open Day

Sunday 5 August 2.00pm

Kavanagh College Auditorium  
(Entrance off Tennyson Street)



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## Possible Stop Work Action

Parents and caregivers need to be aware that there is a possibility of strike action on the 15<sup>th</sup> of August. It is proposed to be an afternoon strike but the feeling at recent stop work meetings was so strong it may turn into a full day.

Teachers and Principals felt the offer from the government did not address workload issues, extra learning support or ways to stem the growing crisis in recruiting and retaining teachers. The Board of Trustees will provide further information in regards to the strike after the holidays.



We are pleased to advise we are having a holiday programme this July school holidays

**Dates** 18-20 July.

**Confirmed Dates:** 18, 19, 20 July  
(Wed-Fri, second week of school holidays)

**Time:** 9am to 3pm

**Venue:** Edgar Centre

**Cost:** \$110

**Ages:** For children Years 1-8

**Register:** Go to the Dunedin Netball and follow the link.

**Description:** Our holiday programme has been enjoyed by many. Every day is different, and every programme will be different with heaps of netball specific activities, game play and exciting new downtime activities. Our friendly and knowledgeable coaches will enjoy working with your children developing their love of the game.

The St Bernadette's Flyers netball team have made real progress this term. They girls really appreciate the help and guidance from Jackie, Nicole and Mel. On Tuesday the girls celebrated their first win! Wonderful play and teamwork.

Below: Nicole and Mel praise the girls after the game.

Right: Gracie-Lee scores one of the 6 goals she scored in the game!





## Culling Park Holiday Programme

Week 1 Monday 9th - Friday 13th July

Week 2 Monday 16th - Friday 20th July



Fun Football Sessions, Art Materials, Gaming, Movies

Family Discounts available

Full day, mornings or afternoons

Register at

<https://goo.gl/forms/QrHarcs1N9qdvkUf2>

## St Vincent de Paul Society Can you help?



Do you have any blankets and warm clothing you could donate please? We're running low on winter woolies and would appreciate donations of blankets and warm clothing.

Donations can be dropped at our George Street or King Edward Street shops, or to arrange pick-up call 477 0555.

George Mafi is a very proud young man and he came to school this week with some very special items to show his class mates. George, Elani and Susana's uncle Naki plays Super Rugby for the Melbourne Rebels. Not only that, Amanaki Mafi plays international rugby for Japan. Georges' dad, who plays rugby for North Otago, met up with his brother last week and brought George back a scarf, a cap and a top from Uncle Naki. That's pretty cool. What's even more cool is that the Melbourne Rebels are playing the Highlanders at Forsyth Bass Stadium next Saturday the 14th of July at 5.15pm. Who to support? At the time that the newsletter went to press, George was going to support the Rebels for this game, but he is allowed to change his mind! Very best wishes to Uncle Naki from the St Bernadette's community.



# St Bernadette's School ~ Term 3 Calendar

Prayer Assemblies will be added at the end of week one next term.

Some dates are tentative and may change as the term progresses.

WK	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
1	23 July First Day of Term	24	25	26 Class Masses 9.30am Junior Assemblies. Thursdays 2.20pm	27 Prayer Assemblies. 9.15am	28	29
2	30	31 Ariki Cup Cross Country	1 August	2 ↓	3 ↓	4	5
3	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
4	13	14	15 Feast of the Assumption	16	17 Teacher Only Day	18	19 Schools' Mass 9.30am
5	20	21	22 Art Gallery Juniors	23 Art Gallery Juniors	24 Art Gallery Juniors	25	26
6	27	28	29	30	31	1 September	2 Fathers' Day
7	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
8	10 Maori & Pacific Festival (Mon to Thurs)	11	12	13	14	15	16 Schools' Mass 9.30am
9	17	18 Sacrament of Confirmation	19	20	21 Life Ed Mobile Classroom	22	23
10	24 Mercy Day Life Ed Mobile Classroom	25 Life Ed Mobile Classroom	26 Life Ed Mobile Classroom	27	28 Last Day Term 3	29	30



In Room 6 this week we made ice cream. We used plastic bags filled with ice and salt. We put cream, milk and sugar in a bag and shook it up for 5 minutes. Skylah is taking her turn to mix the ingredients. The ice cream tasted yummy.