

Kia ora Parents, Caregivers, Whanau and Students

Thank you to all of our parents and caregivers who have ensured that their child has returned to school and is turning up ready to learning by 8.30am each morning. Your support around this has reinforced the importance of education for your child.

At school, our biggest focus has been getting our students back in to school routines and re-engaging them in their learning. Students have been focusing on their individual needs and goals in reading, writing and mathematics this term. This has been a real priority for classroom teachers.

During the first five weeks of this term. the Let's Siva team were training a boys group and a group of girls to be the leaders of Let's Siva, as they introduce it to our syndicates and begin doing it as a school-wide challenge. For the next five weeks (Wednesday's) the Let's Siva team and our OIS leaders will be teaching all syndicates the hip hop dance moves. To date, this has been a lot of fun. We are looking forward to an end of term dance off between syndicates.

On Tuesday, we were very fortunate to be able to provide the opportunity for 40 students and 5 adults to attend the Inside Dali Exhibition and a behind the scenes careers based tour of Spark Arena, Auckland City. The adults and students got to experience one of the most amazing artists works on display and also appreciate the wide range of roles and responsibilities linked to running the Spark Arena. We are very thankful to Suzy Cato and her team for providing this for our community.

Thank you to all the parents, caregivers and students who joined the OIS Community 'Student Support and Wellbeing' zoom session on Tuesday evening. Special thanks to the OIS student support team and outside providers that gave up their personal time to share how they are making a difference for our school and the wider community. At OIS we are committed to ensuring that we provide adequate support and variety of programmes to help our students deal with the emotional, physical and mental stresses that they a facing in their daily lives. We have learnt over time that this is always changing, and the impact of COVID-19 has once again changed the landscape.

On Thursday, the Under 55kg and Open rugby boys participated in the South West Zone Rugby Tournament held at Aorere Park, Mangere. The boys participated very well and displayed good sportsmanship throughout the day. While we haven't received the official placing s yet, we believe that both teams finished 4th in their pool play, but not sure on their overall placement for each grade.

As you can see, OIS continues to be a busy place with lots of things happening.

Thank you for all your support to date.

OIS Leadership Team

Brent, Grace and Lorraine

# **2023 McAuley High School**

Applications for Year 9 in 2023 for preference students only will be closing soon. Enrolment packs can be collected from the school office or downloaded from our website,

mcauleyhigh.school.nz.

Please phone the school if you would like one posted to you.

# **2023 College Enrolments**

NOW is the time for Year 8
students to start enrolling.
Kings College Pasifika Advance
Secondary Otahuhu College
Mc Auley High School Auckland
Girls Grammar De La Salle College
One Tree Hill College Edge Water
College Mt Albert Grammar

Have a look at their school website / Enrolments for 2023

# **Calendar of Events**

Monday 20 June

Photo Life

Tuesday 21 June

**Trees For Survival -R9** 

#### Wednesday 22 June

Art Therapy Let's Siva

Friday 24 June Matariki Holiday

## Tuesday 28 June

Interzone Y8 Girls Soccer Champs

Board Meeting 5.30pm - 7.30pm

## Wednesday 29 June

Art Therapy Let's Siva Warriors Wahine Toa

## Thursday 30 June

**Careers Expo** 

# Friday 31 June

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### Monday 4 July

Maritime Museum Trip

#### **Tuesday 5 July**

Maritime Museum Trip South West Zone Girls Hockey

# Wednesday 6 July

Art Therapy Let's Siva Warriors Wahine Toa

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# Thursday 7 July

South West Zone Boys Hockey

### Friday 8 July 2022

Last Day of Term 2



**Uniform/ Stationary Shop hours: (8.30am-9.30am)**