

## St Mark's School Newsletter

Term 3 Week 1 24 July 2019

Kiaora and welcome back to term 3.

I hope you all had a relaxing and enjoyable two week break. We have had a great start back at school with students excited to see their friends again. Averil is away in Europe this week. She will be back next week.

There have been some significant events occur in the break.

Congratulations to Miss Steans who is now engaged to be married! Her fiance, Tony, proposed in the middle of running a marathon. I know that everyone in our St Mark's whanau wishes Katrina and Tony the happiness they deserve.

Jackson P is a champion! Jackson placed first in the NZ Highland Dancing Championships in the 10 - 14 year age group. Well done on such a fantastic achievement.

Next time you are in the hall you will see evidence of the amazing work done by Mr Gordon and his team of community volunteers over the holidays. The set for the senior production is coming along so well. Many thanks to the families who generously gave up their time and skill to contribute.

I wish to extend an invitation to everyone to attend our Eucharist Service in the hall on Friday 2 August (changed from this Friday due to Zone Winter Tournament) with Reverend Ben from 9am. Students should wear formal uniform that day.

Blessing to all, Adrian Acting Principal

## **Upcoming Events**

26 July	Winter Tournament - Yr 5-8
29 Jul	Toetoe Art Gallery trip
13 Aug	Yr 5-6 Ski trip
20 Aug	Yr 7-8 Ski trip
14-16 Aug	Yr 6 Cycle Safety

