

# The Aubert Oracle



### **Message from our Tumuaki**

**FRIDAY 3RD JUNE 2022** 

Tena koutou katoa whānau. Nau mai, haere mai ki te Hata Meri Hōhepa - te Kura Katorika o Papamoa.

At Suzanne Aubert, we believe that learning requires a partnership between ākonga (learner), whānau (family) and kaiako (teacher). This learning relationship is key to creating pathways to ensure our tamariki make progress, achieve success and grow in their sense of identity. In our kura, we are blessed to have a positive partnership with our school families which is evident this term through a number of opportunities for our school to connect with whānau and community. Our PTFA are a key part of the partnership and have demonstrated this through the recent Movie Night fundraisers which were a great success. We are really looking forward to upcoming events this term which will be additional opportunities to further strengthen our whānau and community links:

- Suzanne Aubert Birthday Mass and celebration on Sunday 19th June (8:30am)
- Schoolwide Matariki Disco on Thursday 23rd June (5:30pm)
- Matariki Celebration of Learning and Hangi on Thursday 7th July (11am)

We look forward to seeing you all there to celebrate and strengthen the learning relationship at Suzanne Aubert.

Please enjoy this pānui of updates and recent highlights from our kura. Naā mihi nui

Anthony Mills (Principal - Tumuaki)



### **SPEAK UP - STAND TOGETHER**

Kōrero Mai, Kōrero Atu, Mauri Tū, Mauri Ora - Speak Up, Stand Together, and spread kindness. This was the message for our recent Pink Shirt Day celebration on Friday 20th May. Our tamariki dressed up with pink accessories and pink shirts to raise awareness of this important cause. Suzanne Aubert was a woman who showed compassion, mercy and kindness to all those she met regardless of their beliefs, culture, ability or status. What a special role model she is for our learners in celebrating diversity and difference.







### THE AUBERT KID AWARDS

Congratulations to our latest Aubert Kid Award recipients: Amandine Aubry, Aviana Vergara, Emily Golledge, Lilly McGill, Carter Luatua, and Prisha Bhasin (absent). These learners have recently demonstrated our 7 C's in their learning and friendships: Christlike, Curious. Compassionate, Collaborative, Creative, Connected and Courageous. We look forward to our Aubert Kids joining the staff for their shared morning tea this week. Kia kaha tamariki!

### Haere Rā Emila and Tori

Sadly, we farewelled Emilia and Tori Roberts at our Celebration Hui in week 3. The Roberts whanau have relocated to Taupō and will be sadly missed by our Suzanne Aubert whānau. We wish Emilia and Tori all the best in their new adventure at St Patricks Catholic School. They are very privileged as their Nana has just been appointed as the new Principal!



On Sunday 19th June, we will be celebrating Suzanne Aubert's 187th Birthday with a School and Parish Mass onsite at school at 8:30am. This will be the first Mass we have celebrated as a community in 2022 so it is a special occasion! Our learners will be leading the readings, prayers and music and Mass will be followed by a shared morning tea and Birthday celebration. Please put this in your diary. We look forward to seeing you there!

**Suzanne Aubert Birthday School Mass** 

What: Suzanne Aubert Birthday School and Parish Mass

When: Sunday 19th June 2022 (beginning week 8)

Time: 8:30am start

Where: Kawakawa Hub - Suzanne Aubert Catholic

School



### PTFA FUNDRAISER **MOVIE NIGHT**

A huge thank you to everyone who attended and supported our Top Gun movie night fundraisers last week and this week at Tivoli cinemas. It was a success and a wonderful great opportunity to connect as community!

Thank Kedian you to Amber (Chairperson) and the PTFA team for all their organisation and preparation. It is much appreciated. Thanks also to those who supported this fundraiser through donating raffle prizes. All proceeds from movie sales and raffles will go towards our senior playground.



### **SPORTS UPDATE**

### **Basketball**

Our Suzanne Aubert Small Blacks are in to their third week of games for the season. The team is off to a great start and are having lots of fun along the way.





### **Netball**

Our year 5 / 6 Netball team, SACS Magic will start their season with grading games on Saturday 11th June.

- 8.30am v Omanu Pulse
- 9.30am v Brookfield School Magic
- 10.30 v St Marys Force
- 11.30 v GVS United'
- 12.30 v STM All Stars







### **Rippa Rugby World Cup**

Last week our Year 3-4 and Year 5-6 teams competed in the Rippa Rugby World Cup in Arataki. Our school was representing Wales and we played against other schools from the Mount, Papamoa and Te Puke. Our tamariki demonstrated great commitment, courage and skill and showed that they can work well as a team. Thanks to our parents who supported with coaching and managing.





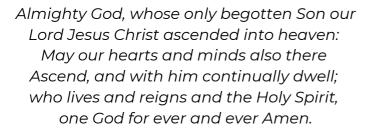
### **Key Dates - Term 2**

- Queen's Birthday: Monday 6th June (school is closed)
- Kahui Ako TOD: Tuesday 7th June (No School)
- Papamoa Cluster Cross Country: Tuesday 7th June
- Suzanne Aubert School Cross Country: Friday 10th June (at school)
- Teacher Only Day: Friday 17th June (school is closed)
- Suzanne Aubert Birthday School & Parish Mass: Sunday 19th June (8.30am)
- Matariki Disco: Thursday 23rd June (5:30pm at school)
- Matariki: Friday 24 June (school is closed)
- Matariki Celebration of Learning: Thursday 7th July (11am at school)
- Last Day of Term 2: Friday 8th July
- Learning Conferences: Term 3 Tuesday 26th July (1-6pm) and Wednesday 27th July (3-6pm). Please note these have now been shifted from the original date.

### **Special Catholic Character**

A Message from our Director of Religious Studies





This week we celebrate the Ascension and begin the wind down of the celebrations of Easter. In the Catholic faith, Ascension Sunday traditionally falls 40 days after Easter on a Thursday. In New Zealand we move the feast to the Sunday and this year it was celebrated on the 29th May. The Ascension marks Jesus going to heaven after spending the last 40 days with the disciples teaching them how to be the Church. It is a holy day of obligation. Jesus ascended into heaven, while Mary was assumed into heaven. The simple difference here is that Jesus ascended on his own abilities, and Mary was brought up. When Jesus ascended into heaven, he told the apostles to wait on the Holy Spirit to come upon them. They stayed and prayed for 9 days until Pentecost Sunday, making the first novena.

A novena is a prayer prayed for 9 days and the concept is based on this time between the Ascension and Pentecost. The ascension of Jesus is the 2nd Glorious mystery of the Rosary.





### **Blanket and Winter Warmers**

Blanket and Winter warmers: Thank you so much for your continued generous support for the Blanket drive. We will continue for this term and we encourage any gifts of new or pre-loved blankets and winter warmers to be dropped in at the office. They will be greatly appreciated!





# All Saints by the Sea Parish Masses

We warmly invite you to attend weekend Parish Masses. Please see times below:

### Saturday:

5:30pm (St Patrick's Te Puke)

### Sunday:

10am and 5:30pm (St Thomas More)

### **Explore at Home: Prayer and Witness Challenge**

In this week's prayer and witness challenge we explore the Ascension and Pentecost

### **Pray**

# Come Holy Spirit Fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love. Send forth your spirit and they shall be created. And you shall renew the face of the Earth.



### Listen/Watch

Watch this simple telling of Easter and the Ascension

And this retelling on Pentecost

These two events create the birth of the Church as this is what gave the disciples the tools and Faith to teach Jesus' message to others.



### **Create and Share**

Watch this <u>video</u> and see if you can create the Dove and fire craft for Pentecost.



### **School Policies and Procedures**

Policies and procedures are important foundation documents to guide governance, management and operations of a school. At Suzanne Aubert, we use SchoolDocs as a portal to host these policies & procedures. Our school policies and procedures are available for all to view. They can be accessed via School Docs:

- 1) Click on the link to School Docs here
- 2) Search for Suzanne Aubert
- 3) Enter the username: suzanneaubert
- 4) Enter the password: empower
- 5) Use the left hand menu or search bar to locate the policies of interest

### **Policy Review**

Policies currently under review this term are:

- Health Care
- Behaviour Management



# Aubert Authors!

### Matariki Cinquain Poem by Rainer Jager (Year 6)

Matariki Stellar, Luminous Shimmering, gleaming, glittering Beaming like gold bars Pleiades



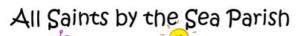
### <u>Happiness</u> by Aria North (Year 1)

Happiness is riding roller skates.

Happiness is having fun.

Happiness is loving your family.







Meets together in the Parish Centre of St Thomas More Church, 17 Gloucester Rd, Mt Maunganui At 9.30am until 11.30am

Telephone: Ally 0276786798 for further details

## JUNIOR TOUGH GUY AND GAL CHALLENGE EXTREME OFF ROAD RUNNING EVENT

The Junior Tough Guy and Gal Challenge will be held at Bay Park on Tuesday 14th June. If your child likes to get dirty, physical and have a whole lot of fun, then this offroad event is for them. The course consists of spiders web net climbing, crawling under barbed wire, tunnels, hurdles, climbing frames and mud, mud and more mud! For more information or to sign your child up, please click on the link here. Please note, places are limited, so enter early to avoid disappointment.

### **A Snapshot of Suzanne Aubert Life**

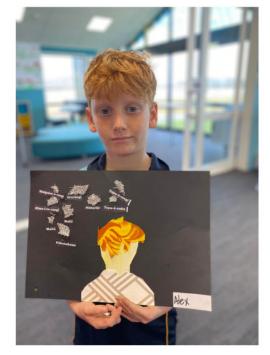


















### 7 WEEK **CHALLENGE**

### **PRIMAL** STRENGTH & CONDITIONING

# WHAT'S **YOUR HARD?**

**Starts: Monday 16th May** Finishes: Saturday 2nd July







### **TEAM KELLY**<sup>©</sup>

### Kelly & Kyra Ormsby

### Suzanne Aubert Catholic School Sponsorship

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Our two daughters have both been through St Thomas More School, with one now at Mount Intermediate and the other at Mount College. Having been involved with the STM PTFA during our 8 years at the school, and now being involved with the Mt Intermediate PSG, we totally understand the work that goes into school fundraising.

To help out we would like to offer the following to all families and friends of Suzanne Aubert Catholic School.

List and sell your home with Team KellyO from EVES and we will donate \$1000 to the Suzanne Aubert Catholic School PTFA to help towards fundraising! \*

And if we help you purchase a home we will donate \$500.

\*This offer applies to families of the school as well as friends of the families as long as they mention they are associated with Suzanne Aubert Catholic School.

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