



Jireh School Newsletter

15 June 2017

Dear Jireh Parents

Vision Statement: Christ –centred, confident, connected, contributing long life learners

Every school has a vision statement, a statement that clearly states the valued outcomes of their students. The vision for Jireh students or graduates is that they may be Christ-centred, confident, connected, contributing, long life learners who embody the Christian special character of the school.

As a special character school our vision for our students is distinctive. Teachers endeavour to embed these outcomes in their teaching and learning. We want our students to understand each outcome but more importantly to live them out at school, in their community and in the world. Our desire is to see our students become change agents for Christ.

Teaching our school vision requires our community, both parents and teachers to model, encourage and equip our students to share in the vision. Our aim is for students to see the purpose, to be passionate and determined to achieve these outcomes. I firmly believe that if Jireh students believe they can be all these things in the vision statement, they will be successful servant leaders who can make a difference in the world using their God-given abilities, their intellect and skills.

For the remainder of the year, teachers will be embedding our school vision, unpacking each outcome so that students understand what it is and what it looks like in action. Together we can all strive

to encourage students to be;

- ◇ Christ-centred
- ◇ Confident
- ◇ Connected
- ◇ Contributing
- ◇ Life long learners

I have attached the Jireh school outcomes. We welcome your input as Parents, family and whanau. Please tell us next to each outcome what you would like to see for your child. I have put one example. Please drop these in the drop box.

Our school motto:

“But in your hearts revere Christ as Lord. Always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have. But do this with gentleness and respect”¹ Peter 3:15

Yours in partnership,
Maliah Tato



Learning and Working Together



Pohutukawa's Korero...



Pohutukawa has loved learning alongside the chicks this term. We were very lucky to watch them hatch and grow. We have fed them, patted them, sketched them and written about them. We miss having them in the class. Miss Borlase does not miss their smell!

Enrolments

If you know of anyone who is considering enrolling their child at Jireh School, please encourage them to complete the application process as soon as possible. Any younger siblings of current students need to be enrolled urgently!

Jireh School Parents Association Fundraiser

Thank you to all those who have returned money and unsold bags. If you have not yet returned your money and bags, PLEASE can you return by **TOMORROW** (Friday 16th June) as the campaign needs to be finalised and prizes worked out.

School Holiday Camps

Carey Park Christian Camp runs OSCAR funded kid's camps every school holidays.

Registrations may be for the whole week or just for a day. For children aged 8-13 years; Week 1—10 to 14 LOST IN TIME
Week 2—17 to 21 July L.SPY

Please visit www.onebigadventure.org.nz or call 09 837 0494 for more information.

Term 2: 1 May to 7 July

16 June—Maths Day

20 June—ACS Soccer
(22 June—rain date)

4 July—7.30pm Parents Meeting

7 July - Pet Day / Mufti Day /
Reports Issued

Term 3:

24 July to 29 September

24 July—TEACHER ONLY DAY

4 August—Dance Sport (1) and weekly
for 5 weeks for Year 5 and Year 6

9 August—Art Workshop

15 August—7.30pm Parents Meeting

4-8 September— Wai Care Visit

13 September— Arataki Trip Year 5-6

14 September— Arataki Trip Year 3-5

15 September— Grandparents Day

25 September— Parent/Teacher
Interviews

26 September— ACS Cross Country /
7.30pm Parents Meeting

29 September— MUFTI Day/End of
Term

School Office Hours:

Mondays to Fridays term time only:
8.30am—3.30pm.

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We are learning to play soccer.

We can throw the ball from over our heads, kick the ball really high and dribble the ball.



Young Engineers creating.....

