



MARIST COLLEGE

Catholic School for Girls, Years 7 to 13

Term 3 - Number 4
Friday, 19 August 2022

From the Principal

Board of Trustee Elections

School Boards are essential as they provide the governance to shape a school's strategic direction and measure and report on strategic targets. They work with school management and the school community to ensure that all students receive the best education possible. Every three years, schools across New Zealand hold elections for the Board of Trustees. Being part of the Board is entirely voluntary and is a commitment of time and service to the school. I encourage you all to take the time to vote.

Board of Trustee Elections 2022 Candidate Statements

[Here](#) we introduce our full list of current and new candidate nominees standing for re-election and election to the Marist College Board of Trustees.

Voting closes **14th September 2022**

PTFA Quiz Night

Thank you to everyone who has purchased tickets to the PTFA Quiz Night this Saturday. For those of you still wanting to purchase a ticket, there are still plenty available – it'll be a fun night.

For anyone that can't make it along but would still like to support the fundraiser, you are able to place absentee bids on any of the items in the fantastic catalogue attached. There are a wide range of experiences, treats, homewares, sporting items, and baches up for grabs.

Making an absentee bid is easy – just email the following to Gerard Thompson (gerardt@barker.co.nz) and one of the PTFA members will bid on your behalf on the evening:

- The catalogue number of the item(s) you want to bid on;
- Your maximum bid(s) for the item(s); and
- Your contact name, email and phone number

It's just like doing an auto-bid on Trade Me – give it a go!

Congratulations

Congratulations to all of our winter sports teams whose seasons have finished this week. Although the rain over the last few weeks hasn't been ideal for sport, it has been fantastic to hear how fierce, fair, and committed our teams have been. Well done.

Te Aroha o te Atua

Raechele Taulu, Principal

Pictured below are Current Board of Trustees in action planning the Strategic Direction of the College.



Oonagh Turner, current Board Member with Stephen Dallow, current Board Chair.



Sela Alo and Tracy Beuth, current Board Members, Princya Karumalil, Student Representative, and Makerita Tagomoa-Papali'i, Staff Representative.



Dorothy Shumack, Board Secretary, Gerard Thompson and Anjana Paul, current Board Members.



KEY DATES

Term 3 2022

Week 5 (A)

- 22 Mo Accord Day - no students**
- 23 Tu Dance Competition - Dance NZ Made, Trusts Arena
Hui 6:00pm Staffroom
- 24 We Assembly/VJM/Sports Leader
Y13 AUT Course Assistance 1:30pm
Y9 & 10 Mathex comp 7pm
- 25 Th 7M Mass
Y11/12/13 Drama Trip
ASB Waterfront Theatre
10:15am - 2:00pm
Y7 & 8 Mathex comp 7pm
- 26 Fr Assembly/Social Action
Y10 Reading Mentors at Marist Primary, B1 + 15min
Rotation 3 - 7

Week 6 (B)

- Aug 29 - 2 Tournament Week
- 29 Mo BOT Meeting 6:00pm
Y12/13 Drama - Auckland Theatre Company Workshop
- 31 We Visual Arts Showcase from 4:00pm, Gym**
- Sep 1 Th 10T Mass
Senior Maori & Pasifika Mentoring 3:20 - 4:30pm P102
Y13 Course Assistance Uni of Auckland 1:30pm
Y8 Friendships factor presentation P5, P206/7
- 2 Fr Assembly/House Leaders
Rotation 4 - 1
- 4 Su Father's Day
- 3 - 9 AIMS Games, Tauranga

Upcoming Events:

- 9 Fr Y10 OED Biking Trip, Woodhill
- 11 - 17 Te Wiki o Te Reo Māori
- 12 Mo Sports Photos, Gym
- 12 Tu NCEA Y10 - 12 Options Evening 6:30 - 7:30pm
Kid's Sing (tbc)
- 14 We Singing Cup 6:00pm, Atrium
- 15 Th Fono 6:00 - 8:00pm
- 19 - 23 Senior Exams
- 19 Mo PTFA Meeting 7:00pm
- 25 - 26 Y13 PE Camp

A more detailed school calendar is available on our website or school app
<http://www.maristcollege.school.nz/WebSpace/927/>



KATTI

On Tuesday, six Year 13 Māori students attended Kei a Tātou te Ihi (KATTI). It gave us the chance to meet other Year 13 Māori students in the Auckland Central region. We looked at the opportunities we have as Māori taura and were able to ask Māori University students about their experience.

There were representatives from Universities and Polytechnics which gave us an opportunity to ask questions and to prepare ourselves for future endeavours. The program was motivational and worthwhile. They also served a mean kai! Thank you to the KATTI team!

Nga mihi, *Ata Marie Kerrison*



Poporazzi Pasifika Youth Short Film Competition

<https://www.facebook.com/PoporazziProductions/>

Collaborating with other students and learning more about our culture through the medium of film making has really helped me to deepen my understanding.

This competition has helped me to use film making as a way to tell my story and also to try something new. Knowing what I know now, I feel better prepared for next year's competition. Bring it on!

Grace Lemana

The overall competition I enjoyed. I loved watching all the films even though I didn't win anything, I am very proud that I turned in my film, called 'PALUSAMI' within the time we were given. It gave me the experience of being a filmmaker and inspired me to make it a career choice. I enjoyed working with others in Marist.

The red carpet awards night itself was very enjoyable to attend. I am very grateful for the experience, and I am already planning for next year's film. None of this experience would be possible without Mrs Tagomoa-Papali'i. She was the one who introduced the competition to us and helped us with things we needed for to make our films. For her, we are grateful.

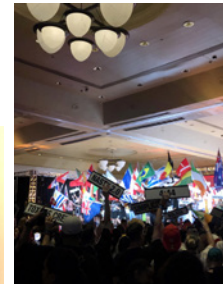
Stella-Marie Wulf-Meafua

Hip Hop International Dance World Championships

A massive congratulations to Isabella Caballero and Fidellis Lili-Amiomio who, alongside their crew Yung ID, won silver in the Junior Varsity MegaCrew division at the Hip Hop World Championships held in Phoenix, Arizona in the USA last week. It was a tough competition with twenty crews from all around the world competing in their division.

It was great to see Fidellis and Isabella competing and representing New Zealand on the world stage as part of their two crews, Yung ID and Masque. We are very proud of the level of dedication and hard work that these two students have put into reaching this awesome achievement.

Ms Kristie Finlay



Caritas Challenge 2022

The Caritas Challenge is an annual event in which people from the Caritas Champs group demonstrate their solidarity for those who are living in injustice, and poverty so that we may be able to support them and experience what it is like to be in their shoes. This year we decided to build shelters using tents. This was held on Friday 12th of August.

The girls were split into two teams and we had various mini competitions and challenges; some being which group was the fastest to build the tent, testing the stability of the tent and challenges that built team work. This helped the girls experience what it was like for those less fortunate than us to live in such shelters.

It was an amazing experience and we were so glad to see everyone smiling and actively being involved on such a great day. A big thank you to everyone who came and actively participated in the challenge, and we hope to see more of you girls joining next year for this awesome cause!!!

Nicole Yoon and Zoisha Byramji



Gateway Retail Success

The Covid pandemic has heavily impacted the retail sector, both in many ways, including people's shopping habits and disruptions to the supply chains for retailers stock and merchandise. These changes have led to fewer retailers hosting students for work experience. However, during the July holidays four Year 12 students were able to complete Retail Gateway programmes, two students at Farmers New Lynn, and two at Warehouse Stationery St Lukes, with training provider Service IQ.

In these programmes, students attend the workplace 9am-3pm on weekdays during the school holidays and complete many regular retail tasks, especially shelf stocking and merchandising, as well as checking pricing, creating displays, returning unsold goods to correct locations, and assisting customers with enquiries. They complete theory unit standards relating to communication, teamwork, personal presentation, retail skills, and preventing theft and fraud, earning a total of 23 credits in Unit Standards towards NCEA Level 2.

Students must adhere to store uniform and procedural policies, including health and safety and conduct expectations. This experience gives students the confidence to apply for paid part time jobs when they are ready to do so.

I found it really rewarding in the end, having done two weeks' worth of retail and being thrown in the deep end. I found that when it finished, I was proud of myself. **Isobel Hill**



I thoroughly enjoyed the retail Gateway course because I got to learn very valuable information while also having the opportunity to gain real life experience in retail.

Anoushka Paul

My Gateway experience was a great way to learn the basics of retail. I participated in fun tasks such as helping customers, opening and flattening boxes, and stocking shelves.

Greer Huddleston



Careers Update

University Open Days:

Open days give the opportunity to view the campus, hear talks about different types of courses available and what you can do with different degrees, speak to individual representatives about particular programmes at the faculty displays. Highly recommended for Year 12 and 13, students and parents.

- **Tuesday 23 August** – Unitec online open evening, 6 - 8pm [Register to attend](#)
- **Friday 26 August** – Victoria University open day 8am-3pm. *Please remember to let the school office know if your daughter will be attending the open day and won't be at school..*
- **Saturday 27 August** – University of Auckland open day 8:30am - 3:30pm [Register, map, programme](#)
- **Saturday 27 August** – AUT open day at the city campus, 9am-3pm [Register, programme](#)
- **Saturday 3 September** – Massey University, Albany Campus Open Day 9am - 3pm [Register, details](#)
- **Saturday 3 September** – Unitec Open Day, Mt Albert and Waitakere Campuses, 9.30am-1.30pm [Register to attend](#)
- **Friday 9 September** – University of Canterbury Open Day – it is a good idea for Year 12 interested to attend this year as the open day is close to the accommodation deadline. [Register, details](#)
- **Saturday 10 September** – Manukau Institute of Technology open day, 10am-1pm [Register](#)

Upcoming Info Sessions:

- **Getting Women into Trades event, 31st August 2022, 3 - 7pm.** Vodafone Events Centre, 770 Great South Road, Manukau 2104. Find out more about: The benefits of becoming an apprentice; The different trades and their career pathways; How to get started in your trade; What scholarships and financial assistance there are for your study. Tickets (free) are available [here on Eventfinder](#).
- **Radiation Therapy – offered by Otago University**, but studied in Wellington. Students interested are encouraged to tour a Cancer Centre to learn about what is involved in this field. Tours available **Wednesday 24 August** or **Thursday 15 September** at 7pm at Auckland Hospital. [Details and book to attend](#)
- **Māori students interested in studying at Otago University for a career in Health** – online session on **1 September** at 4pm. [Register](#)

For more information about upcoming careers events or to subscribe to the careers newsletter, go to:
<https://maristcollege.careerwise.school/>



AUCKLAND
CENTRAL
CATHOLIC
KĀHUI AKO

MĀORI MASS

2PM SATURDAY
3RD OF SEPTEMBER
CHRIST THE KING CHURCH



School Charges

This is a friendly reminder to those who pay per term - Term 3 charges are now due, please arrange for payment to be made.

By now all charges relating to Term 1 & 2 should be fully paid. The account should be fully paid by the 31st of October 2022. We ask that you review your payment plan, and if necessary adjust this accordingly.

If you wish to discuss the account, your payment plan, or meet with our Principal, please contact our Accounts Administrator, Veronica Yates
v.yates@maristcollege.school.nz.

The physio clinic is OPEN!

With Tournament week and AIMS Games fast approaching, now is the perfect time to get your injuries seen to and arrange braces to play in.

Book your appointments here: <https://miriamsphysio.setmore.com>

The clinic is also open before school and at
Break 1, every day, no appointment necessary.

Any questions? Contact m.margison@maristcollege.school.nz



Charlie Aitken, 8R has just completed her bag project, and what a lovely applied decoration she has given it!



Whanau Hui

Tuesday 23rd August 2022
6pm, Staffroom

New Fono Date:
15th September



6 - 8pm

More details
to follow

Sports Charges

We require immediate payment for any remaining sports charges, please check your daughter's account and if any sports charges remain arrange for payment.

We are unable to use your automatic payment, unless an arrangement has been made with our Accounts Administrator, Veronica Yates
v.yates@maristcollege.school.nz

Reminder: Sibling Enrolments for 2023

There are limited spaces available in Years 7, 8, 9 and all senior levels.

If you have a daughter who you would like to enrol for 2023,
please complete the [enrolment application online](#) as soon possible.



VISUAL
ART
SHOW
CASE

MARIST COLLEGE PRESENTS

2022

VISUAL ART SHOWCASE

WEDNESDAY 31 AUGUST FROM 4PM IN THE GYM



WILLY RUSSELL'S **BLOOD** Brothers



Book, Music and Lyrics by Willy Russell
By arrangement with Origin™ Theatrical on behalf of Samuel French LTD

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OPENDAY



25th Sept 2022
10:30 - 1:30pm

**TRY BMX
FOR FREE**

TIMETABLE

10:30	Sign-in, Gear Up, Ride
12:00	Racing Demo
12:30	Jumping Demo
1:30	Lolly Scramble

ON THE DAY

Canteen will be running with Burgers, Chips, Drinks, Slushies & Gluten Free options.

WHAT TO BRING

A Bike: BMX, Balance, Mountain, they are all welcome. Protection: Long Pants, Long Top, Shoes, Gloves & Helmet.

Limited Race Bikes & Full Face Helmets are available for use on the day.

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Calling Students wanting to make a difference gain qualifications needed for national search and rescue and emergency response-volunteer or career

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- Gain confidence and leadership skills
- Earn Duke of Edinburgh Bronze, Silver and Gold along the way



YSAR is the youth training organisation to Search and Rescue and Emergency management organisations



Applications close 30th September

You must be 14 years old at 1 February

For more info and application forms: www.YSAR.org.nz

Safe speed limits around schools



**30 km/h is the new speed
limit on roads around
your local school**

Safe speed limits save lives

For more on street limit changes on roads near schools visit AT.govt.nz/schoolspeedlimits

