

At the District Competition on Wednesday St Joseph's gained three out of the top six placings with Maiesha Sharma 1st and Olivia Cole 2nd winning the Junior Section and Caitlin Lowe 2nd in the Senior Section.

Last Friday the **District Cross Country** was held at Woodlands School and our students gained the following top placings.

8 year Boys - 2nd Kupu John Amoamo
9 year Boys - 1st Nikau Gloyn
9 year Girls - 2nd Maia Taikato
10 year Boys - 1st Ngawai Amoamo
11 year Boys - 2nd Udi Udiya
3rd Mac Andrews

The above along with Caleb O'Neill, Jack O'Neill, Ziaah Loeffen, Jordana Stringer, Sasha Wilson and Rico Taikato who featured in the top ten of their age group will represent Opotiki at the Eastern Bay of Plenty Cross Country Championship on Tuesday.

Parent Interviews are coming up quickly so please find enclosed available appointment times. If you can please fill these out and return to the office as soon as possible.

DELAMERE CUP: We are urgently seeking a Tutor for the Senior Kapa Haka Team. If you have the skills or know of someone who could be interested, could you please contact me as soon as possible. Unless we get a tutor we will not be able to enter this competition at the senior level.

Congratulations to our new **Board of Trustees** – Anna Gedson, Raje Sharma (sitting members), Sarah Abbot, Steven Woods and Rob Short (new Parent Reps), plus Jacqueline Hayes-Kingi and Bobette Rakuraku-Thompson (Proprietors Reps) plus Val Hata (Staff Rep).

Students of the Week:

20 May 2019:

Tyson Johnson, Dontaeva Aramakutu, Liana Clay-Moore, Samantha Woods, Keira Honatana-Tyssen, Manya Munro, Olivia Cole, Kaylee Franklin

27 May 2019:

Sophia-Lorren Patchett, Emily Hyde, Sophia Ruha, Ryan Burgess, Jordana Stringer, Mania Shepherd, Reeko Loeffen

4 June 2019:

Khyla-Marie Borell, Ashton Brown, Hunter Ericksen, Sapphire Cameron, Zuri Gloyn, Karley Richardson, Maria Clay-Moore, Kauri Gerrard, Nikau Hudson, Harley Rakuraku-Thompson, Jake Hargreaves, Caitlin Lowe.

Finally our deepest sympathy to the Gebert family on their loss of Michael, plus the Healey family who lost Noreen after a short illness. Both families have a long association with St Joseph'.

Raewyn Clark
Principal

