



# ST ORAN'S WEEKLY

Friday 7 June

Kia ora e te whānau

And suddenly we are in June! With King's Birthday Weekend and our teacher only day, Friday has arrived even more quickly than usual this week.

A notable feature of this short week is the sight of Year 6 students and their families touring the school after their interview with Ms Gibbs. It can be quite confronting for our Year 13s who would tell you that they remember their interview day clearly, and suddenly they are young women and in their final months here at St Oran's! We want to acknowledge and praise our Year 8 tour guides who represent us so well.



Yesterday our Year 12 & 13 Business Studies students had to showcase their entrepreneurial skills and present their business pitches to a panel of judges. Mrs Kumar tells us that the teams were incredibly professional and demonstrated exceptional creativity, innovation, and business acumen. Each pitch really highlighted our students' ability to identify market opportunities, develop strategic plans, and present their ideas with confidence. We are proud of their outstanding efforts and insightful approaches, marking the event as a significant success and a testament to the potential of these young business leaders.

Right now, our 2024 Junior House Swimming Sports are in full swing this afternoon down here at Huia Pool. Our thanks to Mr Ewens who organised the event and to our Year 10s who are leading their Houses. Lots of energy, fun and swimming pool noise! You will have tired tamariki this evening.



Finally, this time last week I wrote from the Ngā Manu Kōrero competition and we published before the results were announced. If you haven't already seen through our Facebook page, we are thrilled to share that Trelise won the Junior English speaking category. She now goes on to represent the Wairarapa Lower Hutt region at the national competition in Auckland. Ka rawe Trelise!

Wishing you all and your whānau a restful weekend ahead. Mā te wā, Cindy

Birthday Wishes this week to:

- Anya E
- Erika K
- Lucia G
- Willow BC
- Annalise F
- Hanna G
- Nicole S
- Hannah S
- Liang D
- Ellie J



Congratulations 2024 Sports Reps!

Wellington Hockey

- Sarah D
- Jada R
- Scarlett B

Wellington Volleyball

- Hayley N

Netball Hutt Valley

- Paige H
- Maddie O
- Rosie M
- Sinama L
- Krista HB
- Rebecca B
- Aniela M
- Georgia B
- Mia B
- Seini L
- Sophie H
- Ava B
- Rachel P
- Mikayla A

Badminton H. Valley

- Hayley N
- Sienna B
- Shivani S
- Vishali R