



St Anne's Catholic School

Living our faith through our actions

1906 - 2016

discovering our past, living our present, inventing our future

Welcome back everyone!

I hope the students are refreshed after the break from school. We have lots of exciting things coming up this term including a new version of the cross country, Reading Together Programme, Catholic Schools' Day, a disco, trips an open night and much more.

Welcome: Nga mihi nui to our new students Cobey and David (Rm 3) and Eric (Rm 1). We hope you love being part of St Anne's.

Gate: If you are dropping students off or see the gate open after 8.30am, please shut it for us. Thank you for your support.

Uniform: Mainland Uniforms are our preferred uniform supplier and are the **only** supplier of our school polo shirts, sweatshirts, polar fleeces and culottes. Their shop is at 511 Wairakei Rd, Russley and you can also order online by going to their website www.mainlanduniforms.co.nz.

For your convenience we are happy to place the order for you at the school office. Please note that payment with the order is essential and any returns or exchanges cannot be done via the school office.

Landscape Plan: This draft is now for you to read over and submit your thoughts. Please send through to principal@stannes.co.nz or hand this form to the office. The plan is on our website for you to look at if you can't see it at school.

What you like?

What you would like to see added to the plan or considered in the final design?

This is due by Friday. Feel free to email your thoughts and/or use more space. When complete we can form a final plan with stages.

God Bless

Dallas Wichman
Principal

COMING EVENTS

May

- 4 BOT Electoral Roll closes
- 5 Ascension Thursday
- 11 BOT meeting staffroom 7pm
- 12 Reading Together Library 2.30-3pm
- 13 New parents Meeting 9am
School Disco Parish hall 6-8pm
- 15 Pentecost Sunday
- 16 Catholic Schools Day
- 17 PFA meeting 3-4pm
- 19 School Photos
- 24 Cross Country Zones 9-12noon
- 25 Ferrymead Trip Rms 1 & 2
- 26 Reading Together Library 2.30-3pm
- 29 First Holy Communion
- 29-4 June Samoan Language Week

June

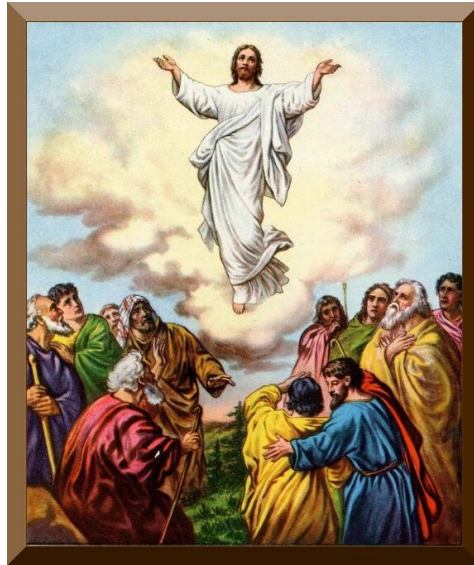
- 12 Mass—Rms 1&2 or 3 10.30am
- 15 BOT meeting staffroom 7pm
- 16 Reading Together Library 2.30-3pm
- 18 Mass— Rm 5 6pm



Special Character

Tomorrow is Ascension Thursday. We celebrate this holy day forty days after Easter. We remember that Jesus went to heaven in glory to be with the Father. Jesus is also still here with us through his Spirit of Love.

Soon we will celebrate Pentecost. This is the day Jesus sent the Holy Spirit to the apostles. We too are to follow Jesus. The Holy Spirit will help us and guide us in all that we do.



Congratulations!

May Birthdays

TJ	Rm5	4 th
Kristyl	Rm5	15 th
Ben	Rm4	16 th
Levi	Rm4	17 th
Nico	Rm4	19 th
Ema	Rm4	21 st
Roan	Rm5	23 rd
Finn	Rm5	25 th
Izaiah	Rm3	29 th

St Thomas of Canterbury College Open Morning

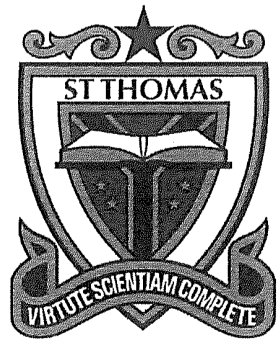
Tuesday 10 May @ 9.00am—11.30am

Meet the staff and students and see the college in action.

Tour of the College: 9.00am—10.15am

Principal and Head Boy welcome: 10.15am

Followed by morning tea.



Hellers Middle Eye Bacon Fundraiser 400gm packs

This term the Parents and Friends Committee have again organised the Hellers Bacon fundraiser. The order form will be attached to the newsletter. Additional forms will be available from the school office.

Bacon is available to order in the following quantities:

1 packet \$8.00

2 packets \$15.00

3 packets \$20.00

The due date for the return of the order form is Wednesday 1st June and the delivery date is Friday 1st July.

The money raised for this fundraiser will go towards the proposed scooter track.

Thank you for your assistance in helping with this fundraiser.

St Anne's Parents and Friends Association





Board of Trustee Elections

Elections will be occurring throughout New Zealand for all schools, and these elections give you the chance to nominate and vote for who you would like to represent you on the Board for the next three years.

The Board consists of 4 Bishops representatives, 5 parent representatives, the principal, and a staff representative.

Nominations are called for the five (5) parent representatives positions .

For the continuing good governance of the school we need trustees who are willing to offer their time and their skills, and who represent the variety of perspectives and experiences that can be found in our school community. You are not required to be an expert, but you do need to be responsible and enthusiastic and be prepared to spend time attending monthly Board meetings (2 hours maximum) and other meetings as necessary, plus training sessions as appropriate, and to take responsibility for getting things done when needed.

You can participate in the election process in any of the following three ways:

1. By nominating someone
2. By being prepared to stand for election (nominate yourself)

'A parents' guide to the role of the board of trustees', is available from the school office or you may wish to contact one of our current board members for further information. They are: Parent Reps - *Rhondda Sullivan, Richard Craig, Wayne Franklin, Maria Cropper, Julian Edlin*, Proprietor/Bishops Reps -*Arlyn Vergara, Trish Fitzgerald, Fr Dan*, Staff Rep -*Judi Parker* and *Dallas Wichman* (Principal)

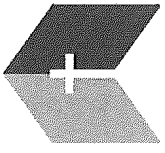
Nomination forms will be posted to eligible voters on our roll this week. The roll is available for viewing at the school office or you can check if you are on it by phoning the school office.

Nominations need to be posted or hand delivered to The Returning Officer c/- the school office before Noon Friday 20 May 2016.

Dates to remember:-

Main roll closes noon on	Wednesday 4 May 2016
Supplementary roll closes noon on	Wednesday 18 May 2016
Nominations close noon on	Friday 20 May 2016
Election day - Close poll closes at noon on	Friday 3 June 2016
Board takes office on	Friday 10 June 2016

**Make a difference.
Become a school trustee.**



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Parents & Friends Association

Fundraiser Order Form

Thank you for supporting St Anne's Parents and Friends Fundraiser.
This year we are selling **Heller's Middle Eye Bacon 400gm packs**
Please have money and order forms into the School Office by Wednesday 1st June 2016
Delivery in 4 Weeks. Pickup date from school Friday 1st July.

Student Name: _____ Class # _____

Name:	Phone:	\$8.00 per Pack Qty	3 for \$20.00 Qty	Total \$

Total Order \$:	
Total Number of Packs:	