

## **15 DECEMBER 2016**

This has been a great year for our school. So many successes and things to be proud. We have introduced our model of the student we want to leave our school as.

- A child who is determined and doesn't give up when things get difficult. They believe they can achieve what they need to. (GRIT)
- A child who lives their faith through what they do. They show love, care, forgiveness and compassion yet also fight for justice! (Gospel values)
- A child who knows what they are learning, how they learn best and what they can do to learn
  more. Who has more ownership in the partnership of learning. (Regulated learner)
- A child who is creative and looks for solutions (Innovative/initiative)
- A child who can learn with others and be an effective group member (Team player)

Our students are working towards this and you should see how close they are by their reports.

We have had record enrolments this year. Everyone I have shown around the school has commented on the friendliness of our students and staff. I have purposely spent longer than most Principals in the classrooms when showing visitors around so that they notice how amazing we are. I also believe this is the case due to our outstanding staff. The words 'bare minimum' do not exist here and I am so proud of this. Apart from the great teaching (as if this is not enough) they also add value in kapahaka, choirs, leading professional development, enviro groups, leading our special character, orchestrating our support staff and learning, appraising and supporting staff. We are also lucky to have wonderful support staff working alongside our teachers. Everyone contributes to these important jobs and we thank them for everything they do.

Following the Trustee elections, we have a mix of enthusiastic new members alongside a number of dedicated existing members which ensures continuity. It is reassuring to know that they all have the students' best interests at heart. We thank them for all the 'behind the scenes' work they do.

Our PFA blow me away. They are so dedicated to helping the school and did a phenomenal job introducing a school spring fair this year. It was an amazing day! Their fundraising efforts this year reduced the cost of swimming to parents by half of what it would have been; purchased the slide; ran a disco; and are currently funding a scooter area and hopefully basketball hoops. A great group for parents to be involved with. You are amazing!

We say goodbye to Sarah Lean-Massey and wish her all the best for her new position at Rawhiti School. Sarah has done a great job in Room 4 this year and her 'Saints & Singers' have been a great asset to the school. We thank Sarah for sharing her talents with us.

To those parents who have said to me about how busy and full on our school programme is, spare a moment for Shelley. Every change, development or event that happens (see Facebook for the continual line of learning opportunities) she has helped organise, get quotes, get permission, collated something, applied for something or just simply had to put up with me bouncing 1001 ideas off her. Thank you to her.

2017 promises to be as exciting. We are having some work done over the holidays so when you come back our school should look great and be more inviting than ever. Our Year 7/8's will again be in the Mission Centre with Mrs Parker; Year 5/6's will have both the current Room 3 and 4 classrooms with Mr Halkett; and Years 1, 2, 3/4's will be next to each other in the junior block with Miss French, Mrs Jones and Miss Mapley respectively. All decisions on classes have been carefully considered and made with the best interests of all students. 2018 may see teachers shuffle again but we will look at that next year. We have one new staff member coming on board and many exciting opportunities planned for 2017. Bring it on!

I apologise for this, my final message for the year, being long and seemingly over the top with positivity, but really, I am just so excited about this school, its students and families, community and staff. I/We are truly blessed.

Remember, the best present this Christmas is presence. Be there, smile, enjoy and look after one another.

**God Bless** 

Dallas Wichman Principal



# From The Board of Trustees

Greetings, Tena koutou, Talofa lava, Kamusta.

Earlier this year I was voted in with great honour as your Chairperson on the St Anne's Catholic School Board of Trustees.

So it is my pleasure to introduce myself. My name is Evan Taylor, I am a happy 40 something, married and full time Product Manager for a local electrical tool importer.

My wife Sarah and I have three sons who attend St Anne's (Charlie, Oscar and Hugo) and one daughter (Elsie) who is currently in preschool and will start at St Anne's in 2017. I have a busy life but always make room for the kids and their activities.

This is my first time on a School Board and I have learned so much about our lovely school, teachers, parish and community. Our school has had a wonderful year with much that has happened, and will soon happen, such as the introduction of our very successful first School Spring Fair fundraiser, Scooter area (soon anyway), the appointment of Josh Halkett to a permanent teaching position, rubbish-less lunches, and also the introduction of class attendance at Parish Masses to the surprise and delight of all. Plus, we now have Kidsbase for before and after school care!

On behalf of the Board of Trustees, I'd like to thank all the teachers and staff that help make this a great school with an awesome friendly learning environment.

Thanks to the Parents and Friends Association for all their help and support which is enormously welcomed! Without their support we would not be able to fast track some of the cool events they help assist with.

A special thanks to Fr Dan and the parish, for helping with the students RE and class Masses throughout the year.

Thank you to all the students and especially our seniors who are graduating. Your teachers and parents must be very proud of you. May you all enjoy your next adventures at high school.

On behalf of your schools Board of Trustees, I'd like to wish everyone a very Merry Christmas and a safe and happy holiday!



Take care. **Evan Taylor**BOT Chair

# From The Parents 4 Friends Assn

What a year for the PFA!! We've had a busy year organising fundraising activities for everyone including: The Easter Raffles, St Patrick's Day Mufti and sausage sizzle, bacon fundraiser, Winter Wonderland disco, Spring Fair, quiz night and various other mufti days, all of which have contributed towards the scooter park currently being constructed by 'Canterbury Diggers'. I am so excited to see it (hopefully) completed for the start of school next year.

I would like to thank all the committee members, especially our treasurer, Penny and secretary, Sharyn for volunteering their time to help fundraise for our students and helping me ease into my new role as chairperson.

I am really enjoying the role of chairperson and hope to make a positive impact on student and school life and I am looking forward to what the next year brings. We're always looking for new members to join us, so, if you're interested, please join us for our AGM on Tuesday 28 February 2017 at 7pm in the staffroom. There is no obligation to join but you may like to find out what we are all about.

Have a Merry Christmas and we hope to see you next year!

Many thanks

Jasmine Clarke

PFA chair

# Farewell Assembly

You are invited to our Farewell Assembly tomorrow, Friday 16 December. It will be led by Rooms 3 and 4, and will be in the hall tomorrow, @ 11.00am. School will finish for the year at the conclusion of the assembly at approximately 12noon. Please remember to make arrangements for your children to be picked up by 12.10pm or for them to go to Kidsbase.

# confirmed Term Dates 2017

School will commence: 9.00am : Tuesday 31 January, 2017

Term 1 Tues 31 Jan - Thurs 13 April

Term 2 Mon 1 May - Fri 7 July

Term 3 Mon 24 July - Fri 29 Sept

Term 4 Mon 16 Oct - Fri 15 Dec

# Stella Maris Catholic Parish of Ferrymead

Mass Times and Parish Timetable for Christmas and New Year

### **Mass of Anointing**

7, 14 & 21 Dec Wednesday Masses at 9.00am

9, 16 & 23 Dec Friday Masses at Noon

at St Anne's Church, Woolston

8, 15 & 22 Dec Thursday Masses at 9.00am

at Our Lady Star of the Sea,

Sumner

Sun, 04 Dec Mass at 5.30pm

at DH Community Church

Sun, 18 Dec Mass at 5.30pm

at St Joseph the Worker, Lyttelton

**Rite II Reconciliation Service** 

**Sun, 04 Dec** After 5.30pm Mass (individual Rec)

at DH Community Church

**Thu, 08 Dec** 7.00pm

at Our Lady Star of the Sea, Sumner

**Fri, 09 Dec** 7.00pm

at St Anne's, Woolston

**Sun, 18 Dec** After 5.30pm Mass (individual Rec)

at St Joseph the Worker, Lyttelton

**Christmas Masses** 

Sat, 24 Dec Christmas Eve:

5.30pm Woolston

Christmas Carols; followed by

**6.00pm** Christmas Family Mass

at St Anne's Church

6.00pm Diamond Harbour

Christmas Carols; followed by

6.30pm Christmas Mass

at DH Community Church

8.30pm Sumner

Christmas Carols; followed by

9.00pm Christmas Mass

at OLSOS Catholic Centre

**Sun, 25 Dec** 9.00am

**Christmas Day Mass** 

at St Anne's Church, Woolston

**New Year Masses** 

Sat, 31 Dec New Year's Eve:

**11.00pm** Exposition of the Blessed

Sacrament and silent prayer at St Anne's Church followed by

**Midnight Mass** 

Sun, 01 Jan New Year's Day:

8.30am Sumner

Mass at Our Lady Star of the

Sea

10.30am Woolston

Mass at St Anne's Church,

Woolston

5.30pm Diamond Harbour

Mass at DH Community Church

January 2017 (Normal Mass Times Resume)

Weekend Masses:

6.00pm Woolston

Saturday Vigil Mass at St Anne's

8.30am Sumner

Sunday Mass at OLSOS

10.30am Woolston

Sunday Mass at St Anne's

5.30pm Diamond Harbour

1st Sunday of the month only

at DH Community Church

5.30pm Lyttelton

3rd Sunday of the month only at Parish House, 21 Exeter Street

**Weekday Masses:** 

9.15am Tuesdays

Lyttelton Parish House, 21 Exeter St

9.15am Wednesdays

St Anne's Church, Woolston

9.15am Thursdays

at Our Lady Star of the Sea, Sumner

Noon Fridays

at St Anne's Church, Woolston



Wishing you all a blessed and peaceful Christmas

# Class Lists for 2016

### **Room 1— Cathy French**

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Eric	Loto
Lilly	Gibbons
Charm	Delfin
Harper	Smith
Ashlee	Tait
Liam	O'Leary
Krish	Chettri
Cooper	Orchard
Rydah	Armstrong
Aidel	Ramoso-Verallo
Miguel	De Lara Lund
Filimaua	Tanoai
George	Tobin

### **Room 2—Marian Jones**

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Sophia	Lopez
Dominic	Tanoai
Laurah	Vili-Umaga
Zshavana	Lal
Mackenzie	Smith
Willow	Haines
Noah	Graham
Yvaine	Betito
Alexander	King-Edghill
Zak	Walker
Pippa	Barr-Jones
Alice	Munday
Mac	Bowden
Jeremy	Swain
Lily	Morrison-Radford

#### **Room 3—Clara Mapley**

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Izaiah	Gomez
Chloe	Palmer
Sarah	Barnes
Sawyer	Orchard
Luke	Lovell
David	Mautofiga
Hugo	Taylor
Emanuel	Dela Cruz
Brooklyn	Bailey
Sophia	Su'a
Leilani	Palepoi
Joejerry	Loto Uili
Rangiatea	Solomon
Theresa	Lemana
Aidan-Jeremiah	Aileone
Mathew	Palma
Theresa	Vergara
Letisha	Sinafoa
Ruby	Swain
Zhyren	Mangaoil
Alyster	Justiniano
Henry	Swain
Keyarn	Prakash
Benjamin	Franklin



# BEFORE SCHOOL AND AFTERSCHOOL

#### ENROLMENTS ARE OPEN NOW!!!!!

Visit www.kidsbase.co.nz for full enrolment details and forms or pick up an enrolment pack from the St Anne's School office

Our fun and friendly programmes are loaded with lots of games, activities and equipment to ensure that all the children who attend Kidsbase programmes want to keep coming back.

Before School 7:30am - 8:30am (\$10) & Afterschool 3:00pm - 6:00pm (\$17)

Please be aware that the website says \$20 but St Anne's has a reduced rate of \$17.

All Kidsbase programmes are Child Youth and Family approved which means that WINZ subsidies are available to assist with the programme costs. This can bring the overall cost down to as low as \$2 for the afterschool session and \$5 for the before school session.

For more information and enrolment details please contact, Ph: 03 354 2906, email accounts@kidsbase.co.nz or visit

www.kidsbase.co.nz



# Class Lists for 2017

Room 4 - Josh Halkett

ROOM 4	- Josii Haikett
Levi	Moase
Shiloh	Trigg
Maximillian	Pickard
Noah	Witchall
Paige	Bradbrook
Oscar	Taylor
Tylah	Harrison
Sabrina	Lopez
Charlotte	Pender
Charlotte	Letufuga
Austin	Cherry
Rebecka	Demonteverde
Atalaita	Aileone
Riantiti	Sulu
Jasinta	Tanoai
Tito	Ripley
Joshua	Franklin
Olliver	Hollis
Allyssa	Sison
Hollie	Parker
David	Ballon
Nathaniel	Panganiban
Lola	Edlin
Taylan	Prakash
Rachel	Tauanu'u
Theresse	Buan
Cobey	Fowlds
Ava	Filipo

Room 5 - Judi Parker

Jayde	Tippett
Rafael	Dela Cruz
TJ	Enosa
Charlie	Taylor
Elizabeth	Swain
Talia	Edlin
Ruby	Lum
Chloe	Harrison
Samoaotearoa	Fido
Anna-Naina	Aileone
Joyce	Aaifou
Ben	Sanft-Nafoitoa
Ema	McLaughlin
Ema Rosemary	McLaughlin Palma
Rosemary	Palma
Rosemary James	Palma Evans
Rosemary James Levi	Palma Evans Letufuga
Rosemary James Levi Brayden	Palma Evans Letufuga Batson
Rosemary James Levi Brayden Tina	Palma Evans Letufuga Batson Tia Tia
Rosemary James Levi Brayden Tina WhunnDaa	Palma Evans Letufuga Batson Tia Tia Taia-Gempton
Rosemary James Levi Brayden Tina WhunnDaa Leroy	Palma Evans Letufuga Batson Tia Tia Taia-Gempton Cherry
Rosemary James Levi Brayden Tina WhunnDaa Leroy Benjamin	Palma Evans Letufuga Batson Tia Tia Taia-Gempton Cherry Levy
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# STATIONERY LIST 2017

Rooms 2, 3, 4 & 5 - Please purchase stationery requirements before school starts for 2017.

## All items must be named please.

#### Room | Miss French

Stationery will be available from the class teacher

#### Room 2-Mrs Jones

- 2 x 1A8 Poetry, RE
- 1 Clever Kiwi Fun Doing Maths Book 1
- 2 Clever Kiwi Reading Workbook
- 2 Black Whiteboard Markers
- 1 highlighter
- 2 large Glue Sticks (Amos brand is good)
- 1 x 1I5—writing

Home Reading Journal \$4.50 (purchased from school office)

## Room 3 Miss Mapley

- 4 x IWB or 1B5
- 1 x Warwick A4 Exercise Book or 1B8
- 2 x OfficeMax The Really Useful Big Book, Unruled, 340x240mm, 30 Leaves, 60 Pgs
- 2 x Clever Kiwi Reading Workbook
- 2 x Clever Kiwi Fun Doing Maths Book 2
- 1 x 3B1

Colouring pencils or Jovi Plastic Crayons

- 1 eraser
- 1 x 30cm ruler
- 4 x 35g glue sticks
- 1 x compass
- 1 x protractor
- 2 pencil sharpeners
- 3 x HB pencils
- 2 red pens
- 5 black pens
- 3 x Black whiteboard markers

#### Room 4—Mr Halkett

- 4 x IWB or 1B5
- 1 x Warwick A4 Exercise Book or 1B8
- 2 x OfficeMax The Really Useful Big Book, Unruled, 340x240mm, 30 Leaves, 60 Pgs
- 2 x Clever Kiwi Reading Workbook
- 2 x Clever Kiwi Fun Doing Maths Book 2
- 1 x 3B1

Colouring pencils or Jovi Plastic Crayons

- 1 eraser
- 1 x 30cm ruler
- 4 x 35g glue sticks
- 1 x compass
- 1 x protractor
- 2 pencil sharpeners
- 3 x HB pencils
- 2 red pens
- 5 black pens
- 3 x Black whiteboard markers

#### Room 5—Mrs Parker

- 1 x Clever Kiwi Reading Workbook
- 1 x Clear file 20 Page
- 5 x 1B5
- 1 x 1A8
- 2 x E5 Quad
- 4 pencils
- 4 blue pens
- 4 red pens
- 2 whiteboard markers
- 1 x 30cm ruler
- 1 x protractor
- 1 x compass
- 1 x pen drive
- 1 x eraser
- 2 large gluesticks
- Coloured pencils
- 1 pair scissors
- Scientific Calculator