

# ST ANNE'S

CATHOLIC SCHOOL

**14 DECEMBER 2017**

Tētahi tau mīharo!!!

It has flown by but it has been great.

We have achieved so much as a school and I am so proud of what we are doing and where we are going. While schools around us might have cool new buildings, we have cool students, staff and community. I know what I would prefer!!!!

The school culture is so positive and enjoyable, the word is getting around with a huge amount of enrolments. Don't worry, we do have a limit so will never get too huge. I suggest as a family sharing activity around Christmas would be to go onto our Facebook page and scroll through our year with grandparents and have the students talk all about the exciting things we are doing.

Here are some highlights for those hiding the devices over the holidays (a good idea really):

- We appointed Clara Mapley as a permanent teacher in our school, she has been amazing as a classroom teacher, team player and infusing music into our school.
- Our special character was reviewed and the feedback was overwhelmingly positive (on our website)
- Our staff have worked hard in their own learning with the 'Better Start programme' in the junior rooms, Accelerating Learning in Literacy (ALL) programme in the senior rooms, te reo Māori development school wide (including all staff), Catholic spirituality development and storytelling development. No wonder we are a little tired!!!!
- We are boys and girls Koru Games Champions in Volleyball (South Island Champs for year 7/8)
- We are mixed Canterbury Champions in year 5/6 for Volleyball
- Our scooter track was revealed
- The interiors of all classes were tidied up
- We had a music teacher in for a term
- We had a Samoan teacher (Aneta) in for a term and a half - even I went to lessons
- Room 4 won the Predator Free grant
- We owned Kapahaka

But most of all you just need to look around at the children and the staff. We are a happy school and a supportive school.

To the St Anne's community, I thank you all for all of your support this year. We honestly do all we do with the greater good in mind and your trust and support is very much appreciated.

To our Samoan community, e momoli atu la'u fa'afetai tele i ainga Samoa o loo aoo'nga o latou alo ma fanau i le aonga a Katoliko o St Anne's. Fa'afetai i lo outou langolangoina o a'u o le pule aonga aemaise o fanau Aonga. Fa'amoemoe o le a tatou ngalulue fa'atasi aua se lumana'i manuia o lenei aonga. Soifua ma ia manuia,

Dallas (Pule Aonga a St Anne's.)

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Thank you to our BOT, they have been busy this year but they are a great team. They have a lot to read and think about and they really have the school at heart.

Thank you to the PFA, the core group work so hard and we really appreciate it. The Fun Day was a great example of their awesome work. We also appreciate those that can help at events.

Thank you to the parish and Fr Dan. We have enjoyed another year working together.

To the staff, thank you for a great year, you are fantastic. And to the students, thank you for your kind hearts, have a great holiday. God bless you all.

**2018?** Some teasers!

We are super excited about next year with great ideas already decided but I can't say too much. We have purchased 40 Chromebooks so with our existing 20 we will have 1:1 next year for all Year 5-8 students. Don't worry, they won't be on them 24/7 as they are a tool, but it will be great to have reliable new Chromebooks on hand for all. Juniors will have as much ICT as needed as well with iPads, laptops and tablets as we are on an ICT contract. We are fully supportive of the core learning in the junior school and know the positive and negative effects 'screens' can have but we will be using them wisely and well. You will find out more soon.

We We also have plans to increase our trips without impacting on your finances over the next two years. And we will have a great time learning (staff and students).

***Meri Kirihimete me ng mihi o te tau hou!***

God Bless



Dallas Wichman  
Principal



Christmas is nearly upon us.  
At the birth of Jesus the shepherds received light  
from the baby Jesus and  
were transformed into shining witnesses  
of Jesus' birth in Bethlehem.  
Experiencing the light and joy that  
Christmas brings,  
let us too, be witnesses to Christ's mission  
to spread the word of God and  
peace in our world.  
Happy and safe holidays everyone!

# From The Board of Trustees

Greetings to all,

The 2017 school year is at an end with the Christmas holidays fast approaching for some well deserved rest, relaxation and celebration.

It has been a year of colourful changes here at St Anne's. We have had the church hall and bike sheds painted, new front fence and gates, new basketball hoops and we're looking forward to some more colour in the school next year (but we'll save this exciting news for later). Our school roll keeps growing and growing which is a sign we must be on the right track in the community as a great school to come to. A special thanks to Mr Wichman for all your hard work in achieving this outcome.

We are fortunate to have very passionate and professional staff, who give so much more than what is expected to the school and our children. I would like to thank them for all of their efforts over the year. I would like to acknowledge our support staff who do their utmost for the children here. Thank you to Father Dan and Sisters Kathleen and Claire who works tirelessly across our parish and with the school, you are always a welcome presence in the school. A big THANK YOU to the Parents & Friends committee for your ongoing support with fundraising activities and various events that we all enjoy, like the new basket ball hoops, end of year fun day, raffles, running the Pie Day Friday store, helping with swimming and school outings, plus so much more!

To my fellow board members, thank you for all the hard work and commitment you give to the school, it is really appreciated.

To our graduating students, congratulations on your achievements! I know that your teachers and parents will be very proud of you all. I hope you have enjoyed your time at St Anne's and I am sure that you will leave with fond memories of your time here with many friends gained. We wish you all the very best in the next stage of your education as you leave to attend high school.

On behalf of the School Board I would like to wish you all a safe and peaceful Christmas, and we look forward to the 2018 year!

Regards

***Evan Taylor***

BOT Chair



# From The Parents & Friends Assn (PFA)

Hello, Kia ora, Talofa, Namaste, Kamusta

For this year's fundraising activities we have organized the Easter and Christmas raffles, glow in the dark disco, cheese rolls (all handmade by PFA and helpers) , and the quiz night. With these efforts we have been able to purchase new basketball hoops, the bench seat made by students at technology, contribute towards swimming and some school trip costs , and hold our annual END OF YEAR FUN DAY. (A free day of entertainment and food for our students and their families) With any remaining money we hope to purchase more sports equipment.

I would like to give a special thank you to our team of parents on the committee for volunteering their time to help fundraise for our children, we couldn't have done it without you all. To those who have helped out for our larger events even though meetings are not possible to attend we thank you. All help, big or small is appreciated - it all adds up.

We always look forward to welcoming new members. If you're interested, please join us for our Annual General Meeting (AGM) on Tuesday 27 February at 7pm in our school library. There is no obligation to stay, if you're unsure please come have a chat to me or see our principal Mr Wichman. Alternatively we have an email address for all suggestions or queries [pfa@stannes.co.nz](mailto:pfa@stannes.co.nz)

*On behalf of your school's PFA committee, I'd like to wish you  
all a very Merry Christmas, and a happy holiday!  
See you all in the New Year :)*

*Jasmine Clarke*  
PFA chair



## Confirmed Term Dates 2018

School will commence: **9.00am : Tuesday 30 January, 2018**

Term 1	Tues 30 Jan	-	Fr 13 April
Term 2	Mon 30 Apr	-	Fri 6 July
Term 3	Mon 23 July	-	Fri 28 Sept
Term 4	Mon 15 Oct	-	Fri 14 Dec

# Class Lists for 2018

Please note : With our increasing roll, your child may move classes at some point in the year.  
We will work hard to ensure this is smooth and seamless.

## Cathy French

Tai	Palepoi
Benjamin	Tolra
Stephen	Saunderson
Lauchlan	Chatterton
Mela	Carroll
Kalista	Maaya
Deakyn	Armstrong
Scarlett	Bailey
Niko	Parker
Shyla-Lilly	Prakash
Elsie	Taylor
Dylan	Walsh
Milly	Walker

## Marian Jones

Sadie	Forrester
Eric	Loto
Eve	Solodi
Luis	Bonot
Lilly May	Gibbons
Abby	Baliguat
Charm	Delfin
Harper	Smith
Anaina	Bijo
Shammie	Batangas
Philip-Aidel	Verallo
Ashlee	Tait
Liam	O'Leary
Krish	Chettri
RyDAH	Armstrong
Cooper	Orchard
Nevaeh	Cowan
Miguel	De Lara Lund
Filimaua	Tanoai
George	Tobin
Brooke	Vanderpyl
Willow	Cherry
Kaitlyn	Thompson
Isabelle	Mahoney

## Clara Mapley

Lily	Morrison-Radford
Anthony	De Oliveira
Jeremy	Swain
Mac	Bowden
Alice	Munday
Pippa	Barr-Jones
Zak	Walker
Lucas	Bonot
Yvaine	Betito
Alexander	King-Edghill
Willow	Haines
Mackenzie	Smith
Zshavana	Lal
Laurah	Vili-Umaga
Dominic	Tanoai
Sophia	Lopez
Benjamin	Franklin
Keyarn	Prakash
Henry	Swain
Alyster	Justiniano
Abryse	Baliguat
Zhyren	Mangaoil
Ruby	Swain
Letisha	Sinafoa
Theresa	Vergara
Mathew	Palma



**Before and after  
school care**

[www.kidsbase.co.nz](http://www.kidsbase.co.nz)

# Class Lists for 2018

## Josh Halkett

Aidan-Jeremiah	Aileone
Rangiatea	Solomon
Joejerry	Loto Uili
Leilani	Palepoi
Sophia	Su'a
Brooklyn	Bailey
Emanuel	Dela Cruz
Hugo	Taylor
David	Mautofiga
Luke	Lovell
Sawyer	Orchard
Sarah	Barnes
Chloe	Palmer
Izaiah	Gomez
Austin	Cherry
Donna	Enosa
Atalaita	Aileone
Riantiti	Sulu
Jasinta	Tanoai
Joshua	Franklin
Olliver	Hollis
Allyssa	Sison
Hollie	Parker
David	Ballon
Nathaniel	Panganiban
Lola	Edlin
Taylan	Prakash
Rachel	Tauanu'u
Marshall	Forrester
Cobey	Fowlds

## Judi Parker

Nico	Solodi
Shiloh	Trigg
Maximillian	Pickard
Noah	Witchall
Paige	Bradbrook
Oscar	Taylor
Tylah	Harrison
Sabrina	Lopez
Charlotte	Pender
Charlotte	Letufuga
Jayde	Tippett
Ben	Sanft-Nafoitua
Ema	McLaughlin
Rosemary	Palma
Samantha	Bonot
James	Evans
Levi	Letufuga
Brayden	Batson
Tina	Tia Tia
WhunnDaa	Taia-Gempton
Leroy	Cherry
Benjamin	Levy
Salu	Loto
Dionne	Gualiza
Amy	Brown
Noella	Lene



# STATIONERY LIST 2018

Rooms 2, 3, 4 & 5 - Please purchase stationery requirements before school starts for 2018. All items are available from Officemax.

Miss French, Mrs Jones and Miss Mapley's classes will also require the following items to be purchased from school in the new year:

Home Reading Journal \$5

Homework Pouch \$5

**All items must be named please.**

## Miss French

Stationery will be available from the class teacher

## Mrs Jones

Clever Kiwi Company -

1 x Fun Doing Maths Book 1

1 x Reading Workbook

1 x Activity Book

2 x li5 exercise book

2 x whiteboard markers (blue or black)

2 x Amos 35g glue sticks

1 x highlighter pen

## Miss Mapley

4x IWB or 1B5

1x Warwick A4 Exercise Book or 1B8

2x OfficeMax The Really Useful Big Book, un-ruled

340x240mm, 30 leaves, 60 Pgs

2x Clever Kiwi Reading Workbook

2x Clever Kiwi Fun Doing Maths Book 2

1x 3B1

1x Clear file 20pg

1x Journal Bag Large Hook & Loop 330x360mm

Pack of Colouring Pencils

1 Eraser

1x 30cm ruler

4x Amos 35g glue sticks

1x pencil sharpener

3x HB pencils

2x red pens

5x black pens

3x black whiteboard markers

## MR Halkett

6 x Black Pens

1 x Green Highlighter

4 x whiteboard markers (Blue or black)

2 x 1B8

2 x OfficeMax The Really Useful Big Book

3 x HB Pencils

1 x 3B1

2 x Clever Kiwi Reading Workbook

Pack of Colouring pencils or Plastic Crayons

1 x rubber

1 x 30cm ruler

2 x 1B5

2 x Clever Kiwi Maths Book 2

4 x Amos 35g glue sticks

1 x compass

1 x pencils sharpener

3 x red pens

1 x protractor

1 x Journal Bag Large Hook & Loop 330x360mm

## Mrs Parker

6 x Blue Pens

2 x Red Pens

4 x Pencils

Eraser

30mm Ruler

Protractor

Compass

Pack of Coloured Pencils

2 x Amos 35g Glue sticks

Scissors

2 x Whiteboard Markers (Blue or Black)





*Stella Maris*  
Catholic Parish of Ferrymead

## MASS TIMES and PARISH TIMETABLE FOR CHRISTMAS and NEW YEAR 2017 - 2018

**NOTE; ALL MASSES FOR DECEMBER UP UNTIL CHRISTMAS  
WILL BE AT THE NORMAL TIMES**

**THE FOLLOWING EVENTS ARE ADDITIONAL:**

### **Anointing**

**Anointing is offered at all weekday Masses  
from 5 - 22 December**

### **Normal Mass Times**

**Sat, 23 Dec**

**6.00pm** - Vigil Mass  
at St Anne's, Woolston

**Sun, 24 Dec**

**8.30am** - Sunday Mass  
at Our Lady Star of the Sea, Sumner

**10.30am** - Sunday Mass  
at St Anne's, Woolston

### **Christmas Masses**

**Sun, 24 Dec**

**6.00pm - Woolston  
Family Vigil Mass Outdoors**  
in St Anne's School Grounds

**6.00pm -Diamond Harbour**  
Christmas Carols; followed by

**6.30pm - Christmas Mass**  
at St Andrew's, Diamond Harbour

**8.30pm - Sumner**  
Christmas Carols; followed by  
**9.00pm - Christmas Mass**  
at Our Lady Star of the Sea, Sumner

**Mon, 25 Dec**

**9.00am - Christmas Day Mass**  
at St Anne's, Woolston

### **Weekday Masses:**

**Tue, 26 Dec:** **9.15am Mass**  
at St Joseph the Worker, Lyttelton

**Wed, 27 Dec:** **9.15am Mass**  
at St Anne's, Woolston

**Thu, 28 Dec:** **9.15am Mass**  
at Our Lady Star of the Sea, Sumner

**Fri, 29 Dec:** **Noon**  
at St Anne's, Woolston

### **Weekend Masses:**

**Sat, 30 Dec:** **6.00pm**  
Vigil Mass at St Anne's, Woolston

**Sun, 31 Dec:** **8.30am**  
at Our Lady Star of the Sea, Sumner

**Sun, 31 Dec:** **10.30am**  
at St Anne's, Woolston

### **New Year Masses**

**Sun, 31 Dec**  
**11.00pm**

**New Year's Eve:**  
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament  
and silent prayer at St Anne's Church,  
followed by **Midnight Mass**

**Mon, 01 Jan**  
**9.00am**

**New Year's Day:**  
Mass at St Anne's, Woolston

### **Weekday Masses as normal:**

**Tuesday, 02 January to Friday, 05 January**

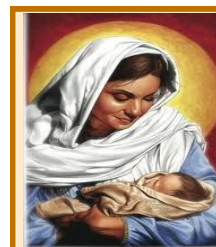
### **Weekend Masses:**

**Sat, 06 Jan:** **6.00pm**  
Vigil Mass at St Anne's, Woolston

**Sun, 07 Jan:** **8.30am**  
at Our Lady Star of the Sea, Sumner

**Sun, 07 Jan:** **10.30am**  
at St Anne's, Woolston

**Sun, 07 Jan:** **5.30pm**  
St Andrew's, Diamond Harbour



**Wishing you  
all a blessed and peaceful  
Christmas**