



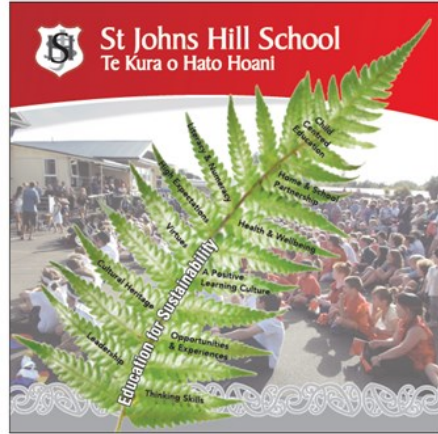
St Johns Hill School
Te Kura o Hato Hoani

MISSION STATEMENT

St Johns Hill School will provide a quality education where children develop respect for themselves, others and the environment and aim for excellence in all endeavours.

VISION

Confident, happy, lifelong learners and caring citizens, who contribute positively to a sustainable world.



Dear Parents/Caregivers/Whanau
Tena Koutou Katoa

What an excellent morning we had today. Thank you to our school family for your support and the help provided to create the Olympic Spirit. The students looked great. Creating positive childhood memories of their school days is really important. I am sure our children will look back at this fun day fondly. The Olympic values align well with our school mission statement and virtues.

Excellence

Giving your best; on the field of play or in life, without measuring yourself with others. Doing all you can to be the best you can be.

Respect

An attitude of caring about people and treating them with dignity. Respect is valuing ourselves and others. We show respect by speaking and acting with courtesy.

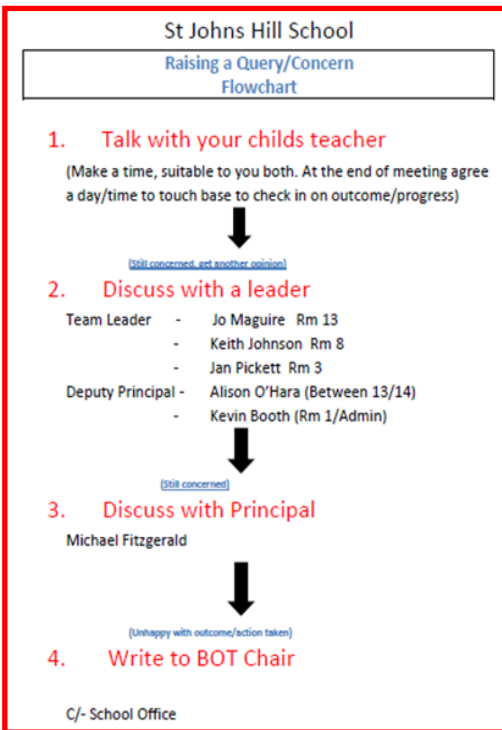
Friendship

Friendship is being a friend. It is taking an interest in other people. It is going out of your way to make others feel welcome. When you are friendly, you happily share your belongings, time, ideas and feelings.

Regards Michael

Incidents between students

In schools, incidents will happen between students. At play and lunch time we have duty teachers across the school and peer mediators to assist these students. We ask our students to seek appropriate help when something happens. Please reinforce with your child what to do. If you are unhappy or concerned, please follow the flowchart below and speak firstly with your child's teacher as they can often quickly and effectively curtail it happening again. Reporting an incident is very different than reporting that your child is being bullied. Being bullied is targeted and repetitive. This is totally unacceptable and if this ever happens I want to know ASAP, with if possible, details of incidents/frequency/who you spoke with etc. We have zero tolerance for bullying, however I have found the term to be inappropriately used to describe an incident between two children. This is quite different to a child being bullied! Thank you for your help with this.



Virtues Awards

What is Detachment?

Detachment is experiencing your feelings without allowing your feelings to control you. It is choosing how you will act in a situation rather than just reacting. With detachment you are free to do only what you choose to do. Detachment is using thinking and feeling together, so you can make smart choices. Well done to the following students who were recently recognised for displaying their virtues.



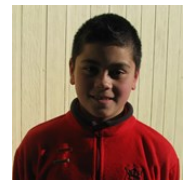
Respect: Blake Smith, Chase Morpeth, Sophie Taylor-Pope, Noah Pa'a, Eli Lovell, Olivia Cox. **Co-operation:** Tianna Jenkinson. **Determination:** Ella Bartlett, Jorge Smith-Hogg. **Detachment:** Hunter Fromont, Elizabeth Adrole, Annabelle Brown, Leith Dorricott. **Tolerance:** Asta Norman, Hans Martin, Haadi Sohail, Leo Wakeling, Bailee Jones.



Respect: Thomas Fitzgerald, Tana Musa, Jansen Pears, Flynn Whittaker. **Determination:** Krishna Lal. **Detachment:** Kate O'Shanassy, Caleb Richardson, Ananthan Saravanapavan. **Courage:** Elle Limpus, Niamh Tighe. **Tolerance:** Connor McDonald, Jack Reid, Mason Bagley, Ryder Grant, Ian Kim.

Celebrating Success

Congratulations to James Hardy who was recently selected for the Under 11 year Wanganui Rugby Team. Well done James.



Academic Achievement and/or Progress

Congratulations to the following students:



Jurek Sosnowski	Autumn Lilley	Isaac Booth-Richards
Top results in the latest Otago Maths Challenge	Excellent research reading, recording and presentation	Brilliant persuasive writing!!
Jayden Fergusson	Amazing recounts full of language features	All round effort and excellence in reading, writing and maths.
Olivia Cox	Great experimentation in her writing . It is accurate and flows to an exciting conclusion.	
Ashton Filleul	Awesome achievement in reading. You have shown determination and dedication during Reading Recovery to make wonderful progress.	
Ben McGregor	Fantastic achievement in Mathematics. Sophie can independently write all the numbers to 100.	
Ivy Lilley	Knowing all her sounds and letter names	
Connor Hovey	An independent writer who is working on word endings	
Sophie Taylor	Academic achievement in all areas due to his curiosity and enthusiasm for learning	
Milly Vivian	Fantastic improvement in word power results	
Amelia Boden-Cave		
Vishvak Atluri		
Charlee Joseph		

Contributing Schools Netball Tournament


On Tuesday our A and B team competed in the Contributing Schools Netball Tournament held at Laird Park. Both teams had great games. The A team played 4 games, won three and lost one. They came 2nd in pool play and 4th overall. The B team came 2nd in pool play.



Term 3 Fundraiser—"Fitizes Pies"

After last years success, we have decided to repeat this fundraiser. Parents thought these pies and products were great quality and value. On one of these busy nights, mixed with spud and vegies, it is a great quick and easy dinner. Thank you for seeing friends, family, neighbours, workmates etc for orders.

- Order forms due back—Friday 2nd September
- Pick up—Friday 16th September, 2.45 → 3.30pm



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EARTH KIDS Education for Sustainability

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Welcome to School

A special welcome to Jude Riordan and Alex Lu who have recently joined our school family. We wish you all the best for your learning at our school.



School Birthday—Olympic Celebration

