

## **Overview**

In this document you will find key information for 2022. Please do take the time to read it, think about it, ask questions and pray about it. You will also be able to access this information as a paper copy on the desk in the foyer and our website.

## **Board of Trustees**

Firstly, a huge thank you goes to Shaun Vining who has filled the key portfolios of parent, staff member and Board Chair. He has been outstanding in all of these roles with a servant heart and love of our community.

We welcome new Board members Kat Batstone and Grant McDonald who join the existing Board of JP Arrowsmith, Kiesha Cox, Warren Peat and Simone Bray.

Lastly, a warm welcome to the newly appointed Board Chair, JP Arrowsmith. JP is vastly experienced and passionate about KingsView School. Our Board generously gives of their time and expertise to guide our School into the future. Please pray for wisdom and discernment. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact the above Board Member.

## **Staffing**

We say a fond farewell to Kathryn McKie who moves to a new position at Timaru Christian School. We are so thankful for all you have done for KingsView and wish you all the best in your new role in Christian Education.

2022 will see us welcome back 3 classes in the new year. Our small class sizes will remain with an average of approx. 20 children in each room. Pending new enrolments our structure will be;

New Entrant, Year 1, 2, 3 = 18 children

Year 4, 5 = 21 children

Year 6,7,8 = 23 children

Staffing these classes are Amelia Ferguson (T1), Jordana O'Shea (T2 onwards), Kiesha Cox and Victoria Stevens. We also look forward to the input from Teacher Aides Asami and Cakes, Office Manager Donna and release teacher Annette Dalziel.

## **2022 School dates**

Term 1 Wednesday 2nd February - Thursday 14th April

Term 2 Monday 2nd May - Friday 8th July

Term 3 Monday 25th July - Friday 30th September

Term 4 Monday 17th October - Thursday 15th December

## **2022 Public Holidays**

Waitangi Day - 7 February 2022  
Otago Anniversary - 21 March 2022  
Good Friday - 15 April 2022  
Easter Monday - 18 April 2022  
Anzac Day - 25 April 2022  
Queen's Birthday - 6 June 2022  
Labour Day - 24 October 2022

## **2022 Teacher Only Days**

Term 2 - Friday 3rd June  
Term 3 - TBC  
Term 4 - Friday 18th November

Note: These dates will also be on our website as well as reminders in the weekly newsletter as necessary.

## **CSAQ Update**

The CSAQ is working with the Principal and BoT on probably the most significant refurbishment of the school since it began in 2011. While the work is still being planned and costed, it is considering everything from increasing the number of toilets, good ventilation, new staff/student facilities, through to achieving better flow through the school interior to avoid students having to move between classrooms by walking outside. The final programme of works will be confirmed early in 2022, and is likely to take most of next year, if not more, given the limited windows for construction work. Your attendance dues help make exciting work like the refurbishment possible. Thank you for your ongoing support.

## **PTA /Dream Team**

If this is an area you would like to give your time and expertise in service to KingsView, we'd love to hear from you. The School sees this as an important part of our culture and community in 2022 and beyond. Specifically an involvement in the PTA might include the key roles of;

A) Fundraising for our students and staff to enhance their KingsView experience

B) Friendship events for parents, students and staff to connect and build strong relationships.

Please contact Amos via [principal@kingsview.school.nz](mailto:principal@kingsview.school.nz) to find out more.

### **Prize Giving, Assembly and Devotion**

Prize Giving - Will be held on Wednesday 15th December from 1:30pm - 2:45pm and live streamed. To adhere to the COVID-19 Public Health Order we will be restricting entry to this event. Invitees will be all students, staff and the parents and caregivers of award recipients. For everyone else we will live stream this event, we hope you can join.

Whole School Assembly - each Monday from 12 - 12:35pm is always a special occasion where we demonstrate the School value of Honour through certificates, singing and learning more about our values. This event will be live streamed, we hope you can join us online.

Whole School Devotion - each Wednesday from 8:50 - 9:10am is a great way to start the day. We pray, learn more about God through our School values and sing. This event will be live streamed, we hope you can join us online.

### **Thank you**

Thank you one and all for your ongoing support of KingsView School. All of the above, as well as our wider community and children are excited for what 2022 holds. We know God is good and has special plans for KingsView School in 2022 and beyond.

Blessings,

Amos Pilgrim  
Principal

**Enriching Each Child's Character**  
**Resilience. Integrity. Compassion. Honour.**