



# Christ the King

14<sup>th</sup> December 2016

## Message from the Principal:

It has been an exceptionally busy year that has seen many opportunities for our children to experience 'new' and 'interesting' things from: school field trips; the Term 1 ERO visit; theatre productions, Catholic Schools and Feast day celebrations; class Masses; sporting events; science week; KIDSCAN involvement; the cultural showcase; cross-grouping; the shade and art projects.

We do sincerely hope you are fully satisfied with the educational programmes at our school and the care we provide.

Thank you for your support throughout the year and your loyalty to the Christ the King Catholic School Community.

## School Reports

School reports have been sent home with children today.

ALL learners at CTK are to be commended for their great progress and achievement this year.

These reports give a summary of learning since the mid-year reports you will have received at the end of Term 2.

## Class Parties/ Christmas Mufti

THURSDAY 15<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER

We have set Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> December aside for class parties.

The children are encouraged to wear Christmas Mufti or summer clothing to school.

We will have lunch at the earlier time of 12.30pm.

Please ensure your child brings a small sharing plate – no fizzy drinks are to be brought to school.



## School Leavers

To those who are leaving at the end of the 2016 school year, we thank you all for the wonderful contributions you have made to our school:

*Until we meet again may God hold you in the palm of his hands...*

All Years 6 boys and Year 8 girls

Year 6 girls

Tina T, Taylar W and Thelma L

Staff

Rm8 /Release Teacher - **Janet Ashe**  
(end of fixed-term contract)

Part-time NE teacher - **Tina McKenna**  
(end of fixed-term contract)

Reading Recovery - **Bernadette Stoddard** (resignation)

Part-time teacher - **Emma Chan**  
(maternity)

Learning Assistant - **Laura Cahill**  
(end of fixed-term contract)

Learning Assistant - **Maria D'Souza**  
(end of fixed-term contract)

## Last Day of Term 4 - 2016

**\* EARLY CLOSE \***

School closes at **noon** on **Friday 16<sup>th</sup> of December** – Please arrange for children to be collected at this time.





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## CTK GIVING TREE

Until the very last day of school 2016... we will be collecting little gifts and (non-perishable) Christmas grocery 'treats' to donate to a local charity.

Please collect a gift tag from the Christmas tree in the office and label it with the appropriate gender/age, or drop your grocery item into the box next to the tree.

We understand that many families are struggling this time of year, so -

**FOR THOSE WHO CAN, PLEASE GIVE!**



### Annual Awards:

Congratulations to all recipients of certificates and special awards at last week's Celebration of Learning ceremony.

This was a most special occasion and it was wonderful to see so many proud parents and family members turn-out to support the children.

### IMPORTANT DATES:

Reports Distributed	Wed 14 <sup>th</sup> Dec	3pm
Christmas Liturgy	Friday 16 <sup>th</sup>	11.15am
<b>LAST DAY OF TERM 4 - School Closes</b>	<b>Friday 16<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>12 noon</b>
<b>School Holidays</b>		
<b>12noon Friday 16<sup>th</sup> Dec – 8.50am Tues 31<sup>st</sup> Jan</b>		
School Office Open	Wed 25 <sup>th</sup> Jan	10am–2pm
(Stationery Packs and School Uniform purchases)	Thurs 26 <sup>th</sup> Jan	
	Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> Jan	
Auckland Anniversary (public holiday)	Mon 30 <sup>th</sup> Jan	School closed
2017 School Year Begins	Tues 31 <sup>st</sup> Jan	8.50am

### Likely 2017 Class / Room Scenarios:

Year level	Classroom	Teacher
Years 0 / 1	Room 6	Mrs Margaret Whyburd (new)
Years 1 / 2	Room 1	Ms Ratumabuca
Year 3	Room 4	Mrs Driver
Years 4 / 5	Room 3	Ms Hannah
Years 5 / 6	Room 2	Mr Hadnett
Years 7 / 8	Room 5	Ms Goodier/ Mr Tyrell

