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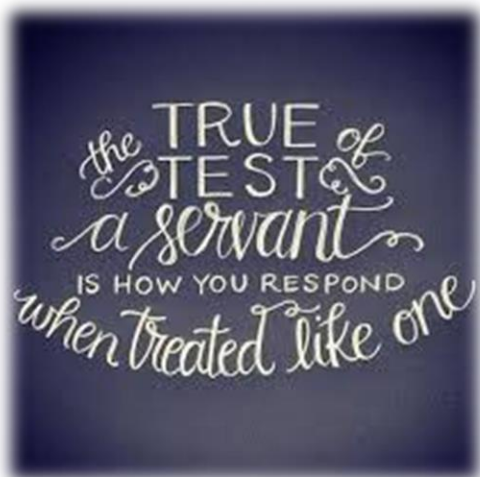


## NEWSLETTER 2/2018

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22 February 2018



Dear Parents and Caregivers,

We are looking forward to the Gala on Saturday, 17 March. It promises to be a fun packed day full of activities and bargains galore! Please refer to the Gala Newsletter for details of donations and how to help out on the day.

The PCS Board of Governors are still actively seeking someone to spearhead the Hall development fundraising campaign. In the meantime, thank you to those who have made donations, in particular the family that generously donated \$500 this week!

The PCS Board of Governors would also like to inform the community that at last night's meeting, Ian Cummings stepped down as Chairperson of the Board and Daniel Oliver was appointed to the role. I would like to personally thank Ian for his hard work and support. I am thrilled that he will remain on the Board as a valued member. I am delighted that his successor is also an outstanding man of God and I look forward to working with Daniel in this capacity.

As you will be aware I am currently working on developing an After School Programme to support our families. At this stage, the goal is to open the programme in Term 2. Please let Jacqui know if you think you might use the service.

Well done to the House Captains for organising House Chants this week. House Spirit is buoyant at PCS and we look forward to a year of competition.

Yours in Christ

Clare Humber, Principal

### Term Dates 2018

Term 1: 23 Jan to 13 April  
Term 2: 30 April to 29 Jun  
Term 3: 23 July to 28 Sept  
Term 4: 15 Oct to 07 Dec

## 1. IMPORTANT DATES FOR TERM 1, 2018

<b>19 February</b>	<b>20</b> Years 1-6 Jellybeans Music  Years 7 & 8 Kiwisport Football	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b> Newsletter 2/2018	<b>23</b> Gala - Mufti  Year 1-6 Kiwisport Football – during PE lessons
<b>26</b>	<b>27</b> Years 1-6 Jellybeans Music  Years 7 & 8 Kiwisport Football	<b>28</b>	<b>1 March</b> Year 6 & below North Group	<b>2</b> Year 1-6 Kiwisport Football – during PE lessons
<b>5</b>	<b>6</b> Years 1-6 Jellybeans Music  Years 7 & 8 Kiwisport Football  Year 7 & 8 North Group	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b> Newsletter 3/2018	<b>9</b> Heart of Worship – Mufti Day & Iceblocks  Year 1-6 Kiwisport Football – during PE lessons  Year 6 & below Franklin Swimming
<b>12</b>	<b>13</b> Years 1-6 Jellybeans Music  Years 7 & 8 Kiwisport Football  Year 7 & 8 Franklin Swimming	<b>14</b> ACS Touch Rugby	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b> Year 1-6 Kiwisport Football – during PE lessons
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<b>2 April</b> <b>Easter Monday</b>	<b>3</b> <b>Easter Tuesday</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b> Newsletter 5/2018  Interzone Swimming	<b>6</b> Year 1-6 Kiwisport Football – during PE lessons  Year 10-13 Internal Exams
<b>9</b> Year 9-13 Internal Exams	<b>10</b> Year 7-13 Internal Exams  Years 1-6 Jellybeans Music	<b>11</b> Year 7-13 Internal Exams	<b>12</b> Year 7-13 Internal Exams	<b>13</b> Lego Mufti  <b>LAST DAY</b> <b>School</b> <b>closes @</b> <b>1:10pm</b>

## 2. GALA 2018 – SATURDAY, 17 MARCH

Our Gala is just around the corner, Saturday, 17 March. We are changing a few things up for 2018 and want to raise a record \$20,000! Meagan Vorster is leading the team. It's not too late to get on board to help with organizing the Gala. Got people, behind-the-scenes skills or enthusiasm? Are you free on a few Mondays ahead of the gala to attend meetings? If you're not able to attend the meetings we'd love any support you can offer in the background. Contact [meagan.vorster@acgedu.com](mailto:meagan.vorster@acgedu.com) or the school if you are able to help in any way.

The Gala committee have set up a link that you can go to, to sign up to help on a stall. Many hands make light work, please consider what time you are able to help. As the roster fills up we will keep you informed what other areas still need help. The link is <http://bit.ly/2sOyb5l>

## 3. 2018 SECONDARY SCHOLARSHIPS FOR MAORI STUDENTS

Please refer to the attached 2018 Secondary Flyer outlining various scholarships that students of Maori descent may be applicable for. Also attached to the newsletter is the application form for anyone interested in applying.

## 4. FULTON TRIATHLON

We have just over 80 spaces left in this year's Franklin Primary Schools Triathlon held at Clarks Beach. Available for children 8 years through to 12 years old, to swim, bike and run. All participants will receive a medal, certificate and a goodie bag on the day. Register online now at <http://www.fultonswimschool.co.nz/triathlon/>

## 5. ADS & NOTICES



**Parenting Helpline**

get support, advice and practical strategies

we can help with any of your parenting concerns

**Call 0800 568 856**  
9am - 9pm Monday to Sunday

[www.parenthelp.org.nz](http://www.parenthelp.org.nz)

Parent Help  
For Parents and Family Support

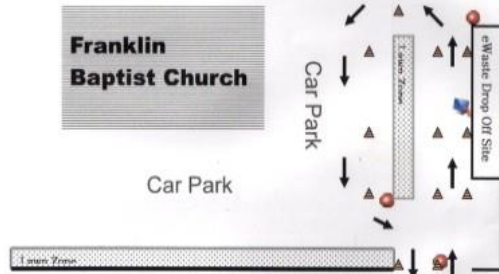
PCS would like to thank Animal Stuff and Takanini Feeds for sponsoring some vouchers for our Gala, Saturday, 17 March.





# Electronic Waste Drop Off Day

**24<sup>th</sup> February 2018 Saturday 9am-3pm**  
Carpark at Franklin Baptist Church  
(128-144 Victoria St West, Pukekohe)



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**Drop Off your unwanted Electronic / Electrical Products / Equipment on this Drive-Thru Event!**  
*Staff will unload everything for your convenience.*

**IMPORTANT :** Dropping off e-waste is allowed only on the event day. You cannot drop off e-waste prior/after the event day at this site. CCTV is operating 24/7.

Large quantity drop-offs require a pre-arrangement with our organiser on any working day. (Tel. 09 580 2603)

## Items Accepted Free of Charge

Computers, Laptops, Tablet PCs, Mainframe Circuit Boards, PDA Servers, Routers, Modems, Ovens, Switch Stoves, Microwaves, Hifi Stereo Amps, Players (Video, DVD, CD, Tape, Record), Cameras, Mobile Phones, Car Batteries, Drills, Wiring & Cabling, Electricals, etc.

## Charged Items (Please check our website for more information.)

**\$2-8** for Household Batteries for Half-Full of Yogurt / Ice Cream Container  
**\$5** for LCD/LED TVs      **\$15** for CRT TVs or CRT monitors  
**\$10** for Dishwashers/Washing Machines/Dryers  
**\$20** for any Fridge/Freezers, Photocopiers

\*Please understand charges above are for sharing the recycling cost.  
\*Eftpos and Change available on site.

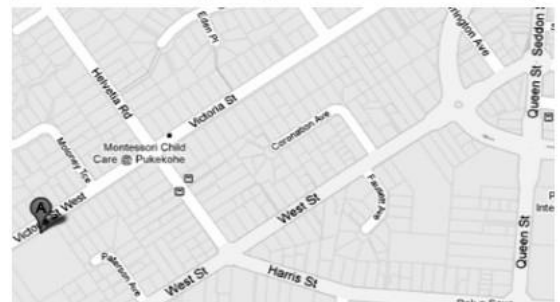
## Items NOT Accepted

Other hazardous waste ( e.g. oil, paint, garden & general chemical) TV Cabinets, Medical Devices, Furniture (Plastic/Wooden), Glass

**Visit our website and find out about us more!**

[www.ewaste.org.nz](http://www.ewaste.org.nz)

You can book e-waste disposal pick-ups at your convenient time. Help us keep New Zealand clean!



- **Yakety Yak – Rhythm in the Square**

10<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup> March – Pukekohe Town Square 11am – 1pm

Bring the family! Support local musicians and entertainers at this fun, free and family friendly event in the square.

## 6. VERSE FOR THE WEEK: Philippians 2:1-4

So if there is any encouragement in Christ, any comfort from love, any participation in the Spirit, any affection and sympathy, complete my joy by being of the same mind, having the same love, being in full accord and of one mind. Do nothing from rivalry or conceit, but in humility count others more significant than yourselves. Let each of you look not only to his own interests, but also to the interests of others.

Yours in Christ

Clare Humber, Principal

