

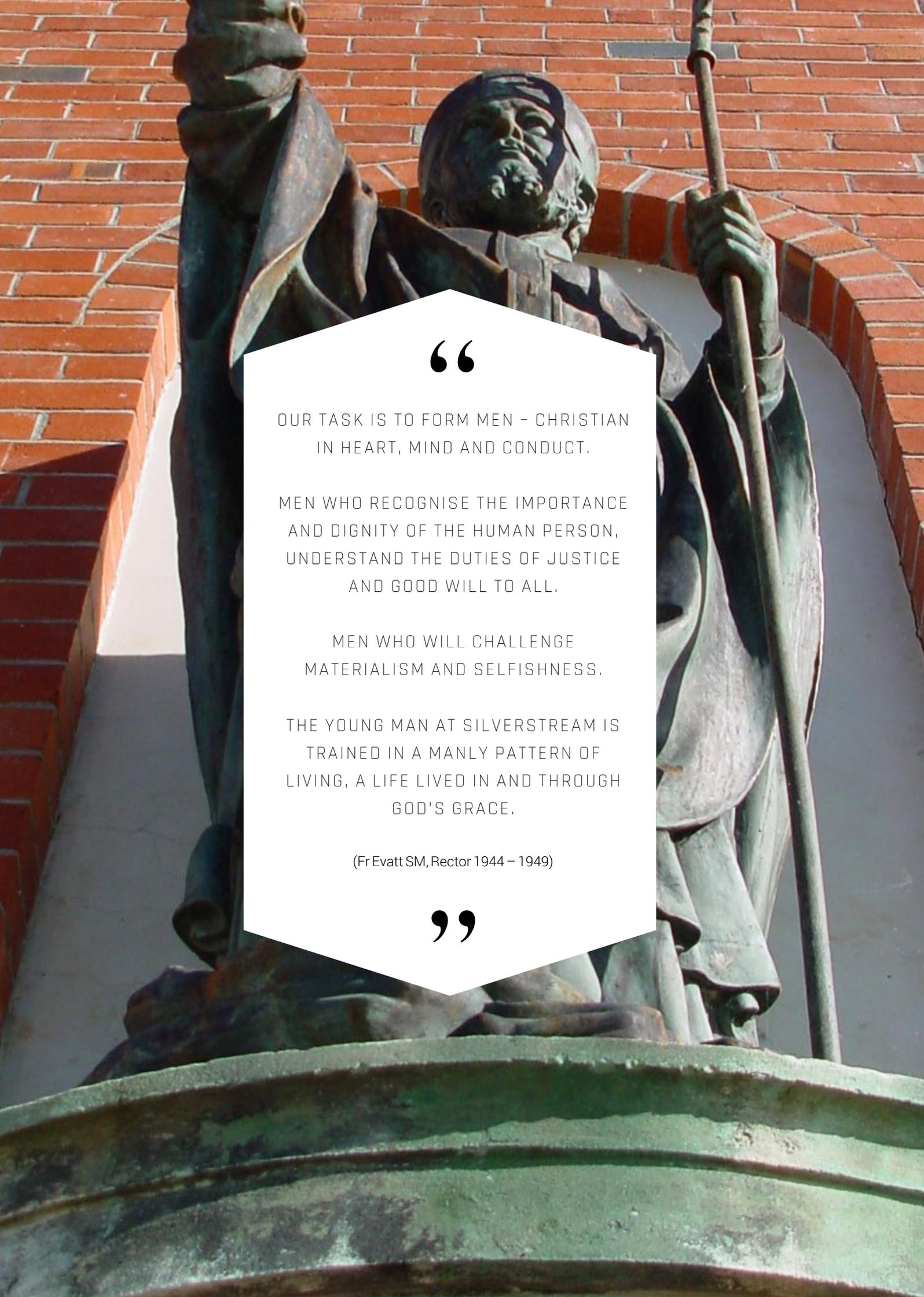


THE STREAMER

ST PATRICK'S COLLEGE SILVERSTREAM FOUNDATION NEWSLETTER

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OUR TASK IS TO FORM MEN – CHRISTIAN
IN HEART, MIND AND CONDUCT.

MEN WHO RECOGNISE THE IMPORTANCE
AND DIGNITY OF THE HUMAN PERSON,
UNDERSTAND THE DUTIES OF JUSTICE
AND GOOD WILL TO ALL.

MEN WHO WILL CHALLENGE
MATERIALISM AND SELFISHNESS.

THE YOUNG MAN AT SILVERSTREAM IS
TRAINED IN A MANLY PATTERN OF
LIVING, A LIFE LIVED IN AND THROUGH
GOD'S GRACE.

(Fr Evatt SM, Rector 1944 – 1949)

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EDITOR'S NOTE

Kia Ora,

Welcome to the latest edition of The Streamer. My name is Nicole de la Mare, the new Foundation Manager at St Patrick's College Silverstream. I am excited to be a part of the reinvigoration of the Silverstream Foundation, working alongside our Foundation Liaison Officer Mike O'Leary.

There have been some wonderful things going on here at Stream as we work to strengthen and reconnect with our Foundation community. One of our major projects is the "Silverstream Way", a walkway around our chapel which will be lined with commemorative bricks and beautiful stainless steel bollards. This walkway will provide a wonderful way for Alumni, staff and current families to leave a permanent mark on the College that means so much to so many of us. Find out more in the flyer at the end of this publication!

We are also proud to announce that our first annual Foundation Fundraising and Community Dinner will be held on the evening of St Patrick's Day 2018, Saturday 17 March. It will be wonderful to extend our existing St Patrick's Day celebrations to include an event where all members of our extended community come together as one. This is set to be a wonderful evening, full of entertainment and I encourage you to mark this date in your calendars! More information on tickets for this event will be forthcoming.

We also strongly encourage you to connect with us on Facebook and LinkedIn, where we regularly post Alumni updates, archival photos and a variety of current College news.

I hope that you enjoy this new publication and I wish you all a wonderful and warm holiday season, surrounded by the ones you love.

- Nicole de la Mare, Foundation Manager



Mike O'Leary has been connecting with all alumni of the College as the Foundation Liaison Officer.

Please make contact with Mike for any information that you require of your Alma Mater.

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About Nicole de la Mare Foundation Manager

I have been working in Schools and non-profit organisations for almost a decade, including several years at Marist College Boy's School in Canberra. I have worked and consulted across the spectrum of marketing, development and communications activities in a variety of educational and philanthropic environments.

I particularly love working in schools, as I passionately believe in the power of a good education and enjoy working in an environment where my work is able to help communities grow and flourish.

The Silverstream community has been warm, welcoming and full of positivity. I am very excited about the initiatives we are working on for the Foundation and have identified a plethora of areas for advancement into the future.

I strongly believe that the re-establishment of the Stream Foundation will prove to be an incredibly positive step forward for the College.

I have been meeting with many different stakeholders within the Stream community over the past few weeks. If you wish, please feel free to contact me to organise a catchup in person! I'd be happy to discuss any of our Foundation activities.

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SILVERSTREAM WELCOMES A NEW RECTOR FOR 2018

Our current Rector Gerard Tully announced his resignation earlier this year. Since then, the board of Trustees, supported by the Board of Proprietors has undertaken a nationwide search for Mr Tully's successor.

The process has taken considerable time and involved the efforts and input of staff and students as well as the full Board of Trustees.

One candidate stood out during the recruitment process and we are delighted to be able to announce that Mr Grahame Duffy will be the College's new Rector, commencing in Term 1 of 2018.

Some of you may know Mr Duffy from his more recent work at Hutt International Boys' School where he was principal for over ten years.

Prior to this time, Mr Duffy was the Head of Physical Education and then Deputy Rector here at St Patrick's College Silverstream before moving on to be Rector of St Patrick's College Wellington.

Mr Duffy joins our College after taking a brief break from teaching and we are very excited to welcome him into our community.

The Board of Trustees and Board of Proprietors have been working with Mr Duffy to establish plans for 2018 and to transfer as much knowledge as we can from Mr Tully in his final term at the College.

- Katrina Mannix
Chair, Board of Trustees

STREAM SNAPSHOTS

*Stay up to date with
some recent College News*



Deputy Rector Jeanette Duffy (1996-99) & (2005-2017) has been recently appointed as the Principal of St Oran's College in Lower Hutt.



The new Deputy Rector at Stream is Mrs Katie Rawles. She has been Head of Music for 15 years at Wellington College, and this year a Teaching Fellow at Victoria University

INSTALLATION AND UNVEILING OF NEW POU



On Friday 1 September staff, students and members of our community attended the unveiling ceremony of a pou representing the Ngati Tama chief Te Kaeaea who came from Taranaki to Wellington around 1824. The pou was carved by local carver Ihaia Puketapu from a Tawa trunk recovered from the Tararua range. On one side Te Kaeaea looks towards Taranaki and on the other he looks over the land in the Hutt where he lived as an old chief with fellow Ngati Tama. The pou was commissioned by the Friends of the Mawaihakona Stream and is located near the tennis courts which was the site of a former Ngati Tama pa.

The pou is a great addition to the school grounds and provides a lasting reminder of local history, the interactions of local iwi and the coming together of Maori and Pakeha cultures. We are thankful to all who were involved in the project, particularly Bart Hogan who was the driving force behind it all.

MASS OF THE ASSUMPTION

After three months of learning and reflection, sixteen students received the Sacraments of Confirmation and First Holy Communion at Mass on the Feast of the Assumption. Four of the sixteen also received the Sacrament of Baptism. The ceremonies - Mass for the Junior School, and then mass for the Senior School - were very moving and had an obvious impact on the students at each ceremony.



Laying on of Hands - part of the Sacrament of Confirmation.



Top row: Toby Crosby, Mason Wildon, Shaydon Sutherland, George Karaitiane, Ryan Jennings, Luca Garica-Hernandes Front Row: Jack Miller, Daniel Masoe, Kahutia Whaanga-Davies, Fr John Walls SM, Jacob Nixon, Luke Bidois

2017 WELLINGTON ARCHITECTURE AWARDS

The 2017 Wellington Architecture Awards were announced at Amokura Gallery, Te Papa Tongarewa, on the evening of Wednesday 17 May, with 24 awards handed out to a wide range of successful projects. We were very excited to learn that the College's Chapel won an Enduring Architecture award. The citation is given below.

**Saint Patrick's College Chapel,
Silverstream (1975) by William
Pearson, Architect**

This rigorous and formal work is both dramatic and welcoming. The solidity of the chapel volume, imprinted with symbols, grounds the building while the extending arms of the external cloister and aisle embrace it. The considered control of movement and sightlines concludes in the chapel space, which is perfectly fit for the end of the journey. The figure of Christ floats on the windows behind the lectern and superimposes itself on the cross in the courtyard beyond. This a symphony of tightly thought out and dignified architecture that reflects the designer's deep understanding of movement, liturgy and international works of similar calibre.



Enduring Architecture winner: Saint Patrick's College Chapel, Silverstream (1975) by William Pearson, Architect. Image: Rob Pearson



The completion of the strengthening of the parapets, with copper flashings.



The poplar trees on the lower field along the Mawaihakona stream (the Silverstream) have been thinned.



Cardinal John Dew visits the College and celebrates mass during Thursday 23 March Tutor time

STREAM SNAPSHOTS



Congratulations to the Stream 1st XV, who won the WellTec Championships for 2017!



Congratulations to the boys and teachers who participated in Hoops for Hope, which raised over \$6000 for The Young Neighbours Trust

JUST A FEW OF OUR MANY WINNING TEAMS IN 2018



Under 80's Rugby



4th XI Football



Senior B
Basketball



Senior Division 5
Basketball

OLD BOYS' NEWS

*Alumni achievements,
updates, meetups and news*

1996 Gillette Cup 1st XI Cricket Reunion



Leighton Morgan, Blair Cording, Eddie Binns, Johnny McNamee, Tim Lewis, Steve Gellatly, Kevin Laws, Mike O'Leary (Manager)
Sunnal Isaac, Sam McNamee (Vic Capt), Finbar Boyle (Capt), Gerard Troy, Clint Coulson absent Gerard Bajema (Coach)

The team came together to celebrate the twenty year reunion in December 2016 with a game against an invitation team on the College's No 1 pitch.

A very enjoyable reunion was held with players coming from as far away as England, Canada and Australia to attend. Special thanks to Finbar Boyle and Sam McNamee for co-ordinating this event.



Spiro Zavos (1951-55) Staff (1963-66) and wife Judy with the family were taken on a tour of College today. This year, Spiro retired as the Rugby reporter for the Sydney Morning Herald.



Be sure to visit our Facebook page for photos and videos from a variety of meetup events.

We have some great videos from this meetup of Wairarapa Old Boys recalling their favourite Silverstream memories.

We have been posting these on our Facebook page as a part of our Throwback Thursday series!



IN MEMORIAM

Remembering and honoring the lives of Streamers

AMPUTCH, ROBERT MARK

Streamer from 1947-48
Died 22 February 2017, Auckland



ANDREWS, IAN LESLIE

Streamer from 1952 - 56
Died 29 July 2017, Age 79, Auckland

BEALE, HUMPHREY DAVID

Streamer from 1941-44
Died 13 January 2017, Age 90 Auckland

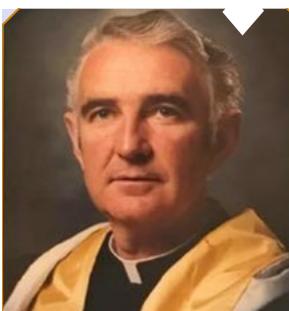


BECKETT, NOEL WILLIAM

Streamer from 1958-61
Died 29 October 2017, Auckland

BLISS, FREDERICK
REVEREND FATHER

SM (1951-54) Rector (1974-80)
Died 15 Feb 2017, Age 79, Upper Hutt



BROSNAHAN, MATTHEW JAMES

(BOP 2010-12)
Died 24 Jan 2017, Age 52, Upper Hutt



DILLON, RAYMOND GEORGE

Streamer in 1966
Died 27 Feb 2017, Age 68, Christchurch

DOWNEY, GARTH JOHN

Streamer from 1946-48
Died 21 September 2017, Age 87,
Auckland

EGGLETON, PAUL ANTHONY
(TERRY)

Streamer from 1984-88
Died 16 February 2017, Age 46 Dannvirke

FITZPATRICK, TERENCE JOHN
REVEREND FATHER

SM 1948-49
Died 28 May 2017, Age 90, Auckland

GLASGOW, PAUL DOUGLAS

Streamer from 1968-71
Died 13 April 2017, Silverstream

GOODMAN, PATRICK LEDGER SIR

Streamer from 1946-48
Died 9 September 2017, Motueka



IWIKAU, TAMA BOYD VINCENT
(BOYD)

Streamer from 1942-47
Died 1 September 2017, Fielding

LE LIEVRE EUGENE DE L'LSLE
(FROG)

Streamer from 1942-45
Died 30 September 2017, Edgcumbe

OAKLEY, DAVID WILLIAM GEORGE

Streamer from 1949-51
Died 14 September 2017, Age 83,
Auckland

O'DEA, JOHN DAMIEN

Streamer from 1971-75
Died 14 February 2017, Age 57, Hawera

O'DONOGHUE, KEVIN
REVEREND FATHER

SM (1941-43)
Died 31 July 2017, Age 91, Upper Hutt



POWELL, TREVOR JOSEPH

Streamer from 1936-37
Died 4 June 2017, Age 96, Hawera

ROWNEY, ANDREW PETER

Staff from 1997-2005
Died 28 September 2017, Age 70, Upper
Hutt

MARRIAGES

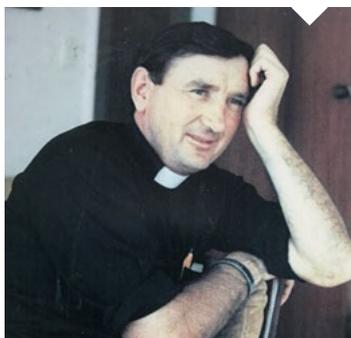
SINCLAIR, ROY EDWARD

Streamer from 1941-45
Died 16 August, Age 90, Lower Hutt



STACHURSKI, RAYMUND JAMES REVEREND FATHER

Streamer from 1948-52
Died 8 February 2017, Upper Hutt



TOWNSEND, JARRED KEVIN

Streamer from 2006-2010
Died 8 October 2017, Lower Hutt

WELLS, LAWRENCE ARTHUR (LAURIE)

Streamer from 1948-49
Died 20 June 2017, Age 82, Whangamata

WATSON, MICHAEL HAYES

Streamer from 1948 - 51
Died 26 August 2017, Age 83, Napier



Bede Cope (1996-00) married
Mireille Hakkenbury in June 2016
Tuscany, Italy



Ollie O'Leary (1997-2001) married
Lydia Marriner in Upper Hutt



Eugene Winterburn (1989-93) married Jodie Alexander at
Silverstream College, with photos taken on the grounds.

Owen Hough (1995-99)
m Victoria May in Upper Hutt

Bevan Judge (1999-03)
m Susie Matthews in Wellington

Aaron Jones (1994-98)
m Carmel Twohig in Ireland

Matthew McGavin (1998-02)
m Susie Wharton in Martinborough

Damon Taylor (1992-96)
m Emma Barker in Arrowtown

Euge Winterburn (1989-93)
m Jodie Schrader Silverstream

STREAMERS OUT AND ABOUT

Queen's birthday Honours



John Roy-Wojciechowski (1947-51)

John received his award as Member of New Zealand Order of Merit for his services to the Polish community and philanthropy.



Ants Howie (1969-73)

Brigadier Ants ONZM received the New Zealand Distinguished Service Decoration for services to the New Zealand Defence Force.



Brendan Duffy (1968-72)

Brendan received his award as Office of New Zealand Order of Merit (ONZM) for his services to Local government



Matt Lord (1991-95)

Matt is now dairy farming on the family farm at Ohwango in the King Country.



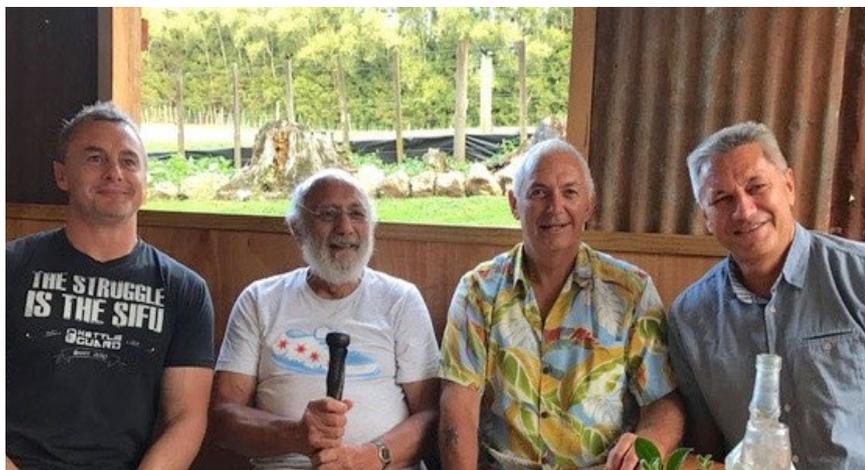
Bill Steen (1958-59)

Bill returns to pay his college a visit after 58 years



Brian Frederikson (1950-53)

Brian attended the 1st XV v St Bedes traditional rugby match recently in Christchurch



There was a family gathering on the occasion of Wairehu Hikaka's (1951) 80th birthday with his son Simon (1982) and nephews Peter (1968) and Greg (1972). The celebration was held on Sunday 2 April at The Falls Restaurant, Waihi
L-R Simon, Wairehu, Peter and Greg.



Graeme Brittenden (1950-53)

Graeme and his wife Jenny took a tour of the College to reminisce of his time as a boarder from Gisborne while over from Brisbane.

STREAMER STORIES

Featuring Old Boy's memories

THE SINKER STRIKE By Bill Orange 1941-44

1942 was my second year as a boarder at St Patrick's College, Silverstream. World War 2 was going badly in the Pacific and Darwin had just been raided by Japanese bombers. Trentham Camp, along the road, was a hive of activity with soldiers in training, and the Home Guard was at full strength. Slit trenches had been dug under the totara trees around the College grounds and the blackout was enforced strictly.

Food was rationed with most imported essentials, (clothing, tea and sugar), and locally produced food for export to Great Britain, (meat and butter), were sold only by exchange for Government issued ration coupons. Workers were manpowered to essential jobs to assist the war effort.

It was in the midst of these extraordinary times that the Sinker Strike took place. But first, let me describe the workings of a boarding college dining room. The large room was filled with rows of tables each seating eight boys. One boy at each table was either a Prefect or a Table Prefect, whose responsibility was the smooth running of the table. He cut the slab of butter into eight equal parts and arranged the runner for the day whose responsibility was to collect the bowls of food from the kitchen slides, deliver them to his table, and later return the empty plates to the slides.

The Table Prefect then dished the food from the bowl to the eight plates. Supervising the meal was one of the College priests. The kitchen was staffed by about three manpowered women who at that time changed frequently, because as far as they were concerned Silverstream was a bit far away from the action.

The standard of cooking and presentation of the meals had deteriorated gradually. I believe the senior boys had discussed this, as one dinnertime they decided that enough was enough. The Sinker, or suet pudding was considered unfit for eating and a strike was called. Nobody went up to the slides to collect the bowls until the Prefects were instructed to by the supervisor.

The bowls of semi-cooked pudding swimming in a watery-greasy liquid arrived at the tables but the Prefects would not dish it out for the rest of the table until instructed to. Nobody attempted to eat it, returning it to the scrap bowl. The supervisor was powerless, and I suspect may have been in on the deal. After all, the priests had the same cooks preparing their meals.

The message got through. Army cooks from Trentham arrived the next day and took over the running of the kitchen. The standard improved out of sight. The best porridge I had at college was cooked by the Army cooks.



Cuff Links:

These cuff links are available @ \$40 or \$45 Including P & P.



Scarves

These traditional woolen scarves available at \$30 or \$35 including P & P.

2018 REUNIONS

The Foundation is more than happy to help coordinate year group reunions.

Please let the Foundation know if you are keen to set the wheels in motion for the intakes of: 1958, 68, 78 88, 98 for 2018.



Stream First XV & Old Boys' rugby meetup



Old Boy Bill English dropped by to watch the game



Sam Moore (1992-96) and Tui Hunt (1992-97)



John Dalgety (1970-74) and Peter Biggs (1970-74)



Blair Heffernan (1995-98) and Brad Tatuahi (1996-2000)



Paul Nixon (1990-94), Manuel Dalton (1990 -93), Johnnie McDonald (1990-94) and Glen Nixon (1993-97)



Paul Roe (1963-67), Luke Mannix and Tim Mannix (1982-86)



The Old Boys' match proved to be a very competitive game.

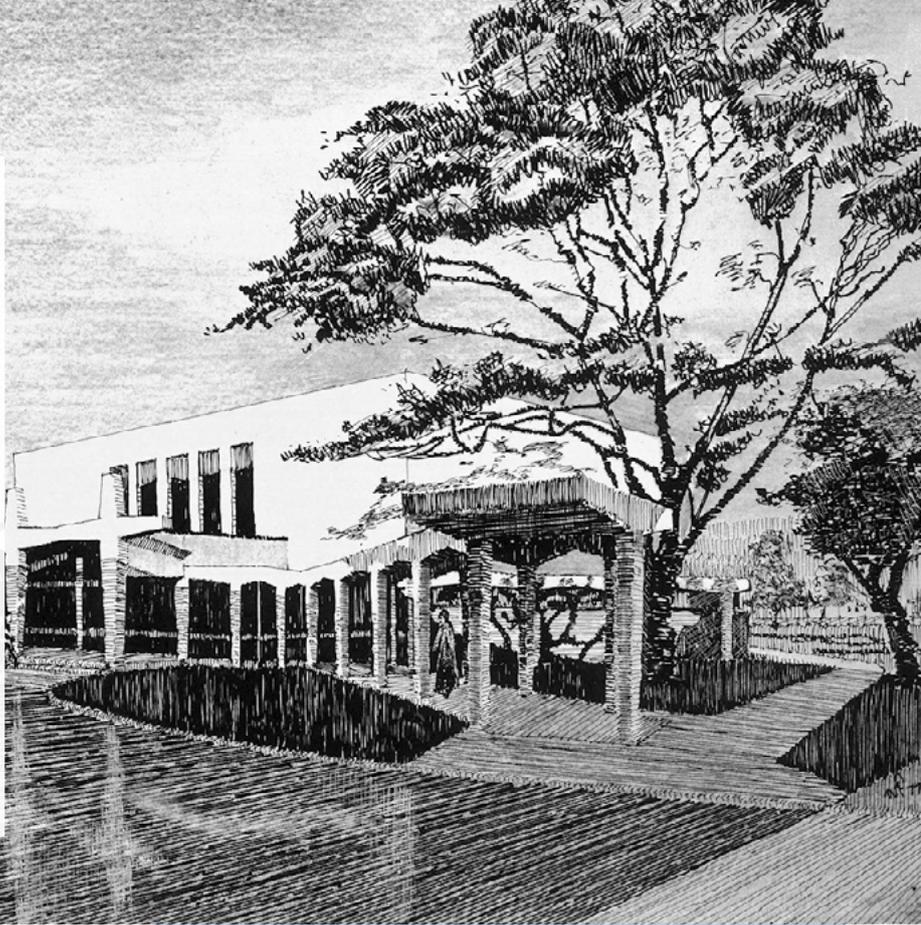


Fr Brian Wysocki (1945-50), Mark Lichtenberg (1972-76) and Roger Wasson (1964-68)



"THE SILVERSTREAM WAY" IS A COMMEMORATIVE MEMORY WALKWAY, CELEBRATING AND HONOURING THE MANY PEOPLE WHO HAVE CONTRIBUTED TO OUR SILVERSTREAM COMMUNITY THROUGHOUT THE COLLEGE'S HISTORY.

ST PATRICK'S COLLEGE SILVERSTREAM INVITES YOU TO MAKE YOUR MARK ON OUR COLLEGE BY MAKING A DONATION AND INSCRIBING A COMMEMORATIVE BRICK OR BOLLARD.



THE SILVERSTREAM WAY

St Patrick's College Silverstream is a very special place to so many in our community. It has helped shape the hearts & minds of thousands of young men and their families.

We are now providing the opportunity for everyone to leave a lasting imprint on the school we all love to call home. Next year we will begin installing the "Silverstream Way". This will constitute a walkway around our chapel, lined with commemorative bricks and beautiful stainless steel bollards. This walkway will provide a wonderful way for Alumni, staff and current families to leave a permanent mark on the College that means so much to so many of us.

Proceeds raised will go towards the Capital Works Fund, assisting us with important maintenance, renovations and project completion around the Silverstream campus, and the Leadership Fund, helping to implement projects and activities to foster and grow the leadership skills of Silverstream students.

Leave your mark – buy a personalized brick or bollard today and become part of the Silverstream legacy.

- Honour your child/children
- Celebrate academic achievement and leadership
- Highlight athletic accomplishments
- Show your school and class spirit – Class of 20XX
- Dedicate a brick to a loved one or special teacher
- Share a special quote

To order, please fill out the contact form on the other side of this flyer, or direct any questions to delamaren@stream.school.nz or 027 485 6074



ST PATRICKS COLLEGE SILVERSTREAM



COMMEMORATIVE BRICK

- \$200 Donation per brick
- Inscription constitutes two lines of 16 letters and spaces per line.
- Bricks are engraved with sand blasted obsidian glass, a quality engraving that looks stunning and will stand the test of time.



COMMEMORATIVE BOLLARD

- \$2,500 Donation per bollard
- Quality stainless steel construction will stand the test of time.
- The slanted top of the bollard can be engraved with customised images and inscriptions of a much longer length.

Please note that images above are for illustrative purposes only - the final product may differ slightly in appearance due to the nature of manufacturing.



SAVE THE DATE

For a special celebration

THE 1ST ANNUAL
SILVERSTREAM FOUNDATION
FUNDRAISING DINNER

St Patrick's Day
Saturday 17 March 2018

STAY TUNED FOR MORE DETAILS