

Week 9, Term 4 - 12th December 2024

SOUTHWELL NEWSLETTER



From the Headmaster

Dear Parents, Caregivers and members of the community,

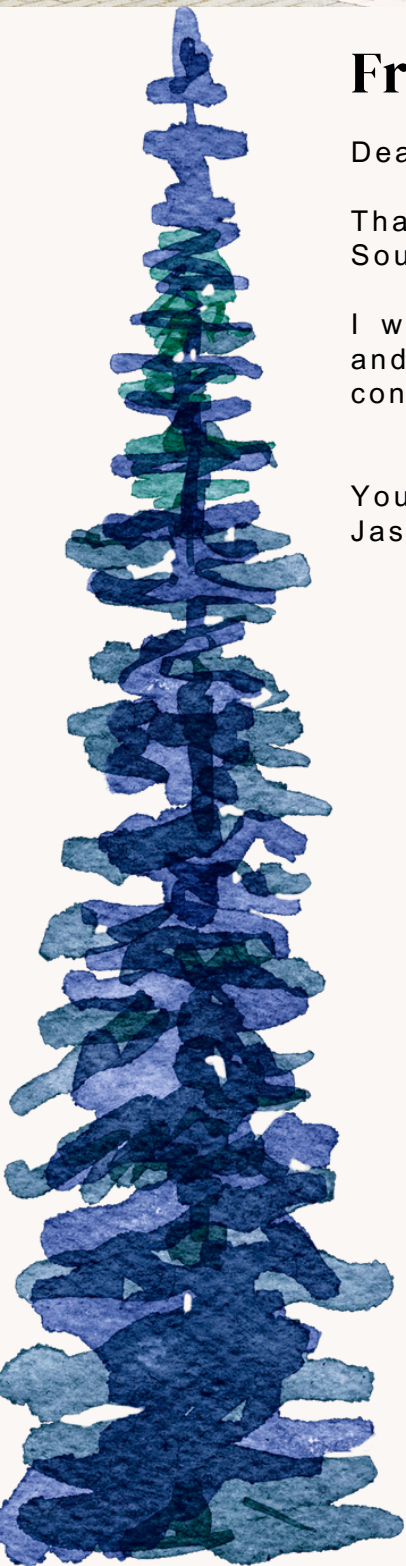
Thank you for your tremendous support across all areas of Southwell life through 2024.

I wish our leaving students and families well into the future, and everyone in our community all the best as this year concludes, and into the 2025 new year.

Yours sincerely
Jason Speedy



**Congratulations to Canterbury
Winners of the King Memorial House Competition
2024**



Junior & Senior Prize Giving Snapshots



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Our final Whole School Assembly was a special morning thanking Mr & Mrs Speedy for their outstanding leadership and commitment to Southwell over the past 8 years. Salutes, hats thrown, clapping and fun was had celebrating these wonderful people.



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Year 0-2 Nativity Snapshots

Year 8 Fun Day Snapshots



TikTok Family Safety Toolkit

TikTok | Netsafe

All You Need to Know About TikTok

- TikTok is one of the fastest growing social media apps. It's a platform for creating, sharing and discovering short videos – and many young people love it! From new dance crazes to funny clips to animal videos, TikTok can inspire creativity and bring joy.
- But it's important that parents and whānau help their tamariki navigate TikTok safely. Today we're sharing the Netsafe TikTok Family Safety Toolkit so you can help guide your whānau to a fun and safe digital experience.

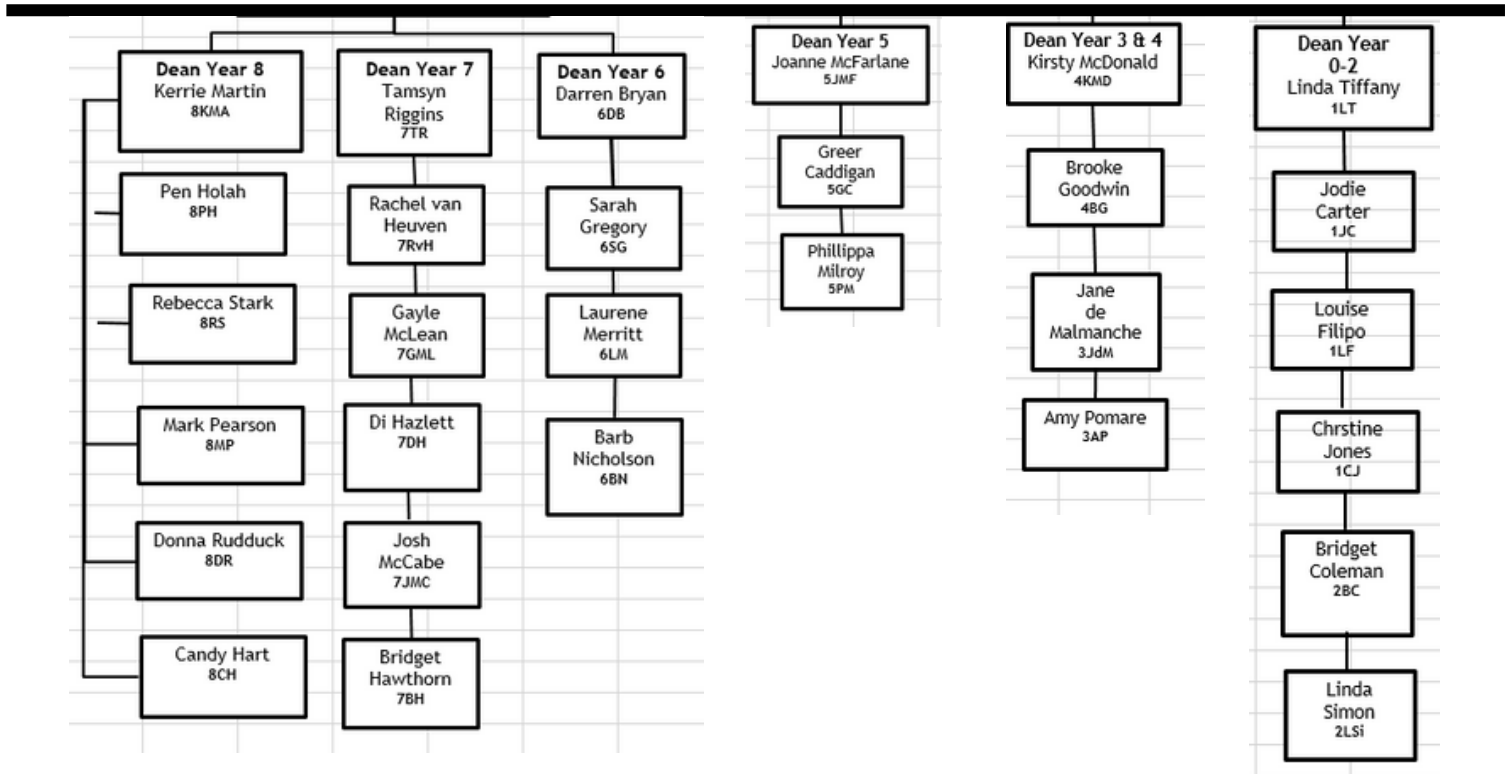
Link: <https://netsafe.org.nz/tiktokfamilysafetytoolkit>

Year 3 Musical Showcase Snapshots



2025 Southwell School Teaching Matrix

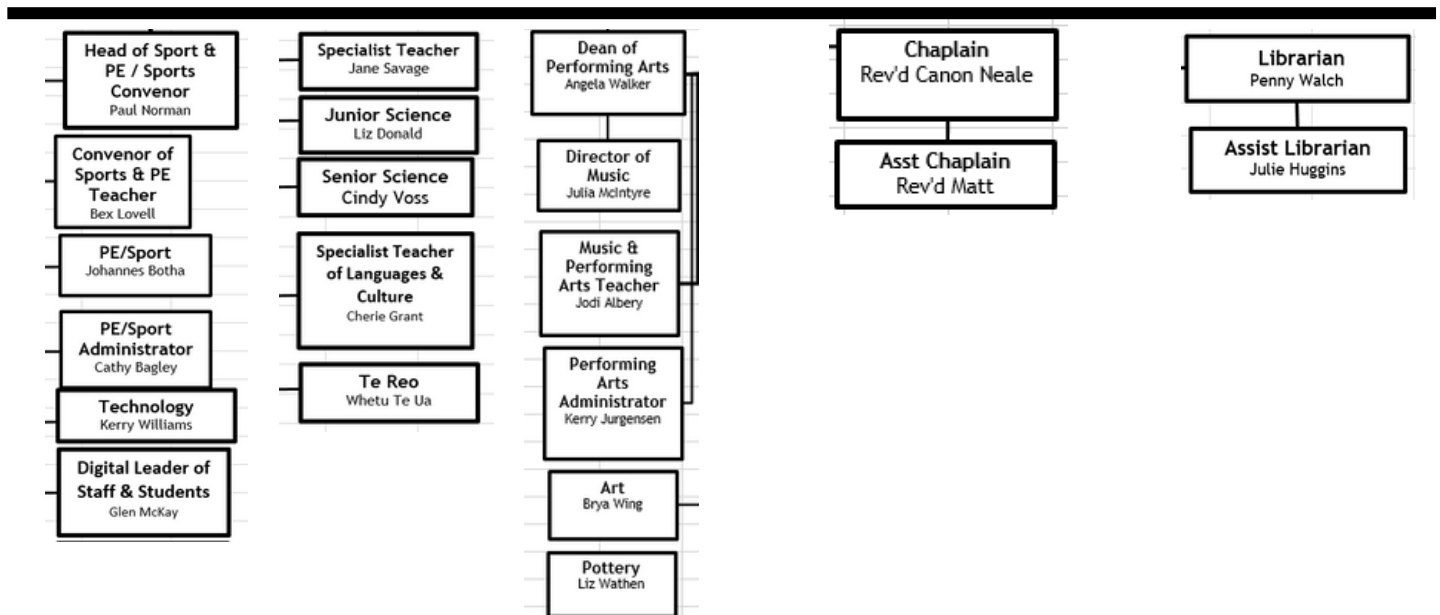
2025 Home Room Teachers



Specialist Teachers

Christian Ed

Library





CAMP

Calling all Year 8 2025 Parents & Caregivers

Please remember to complete the link to the OPC form in the camp parent letter. HERE is the link to the form.



From the Uniform Shop
uniform@southwell.school.nz

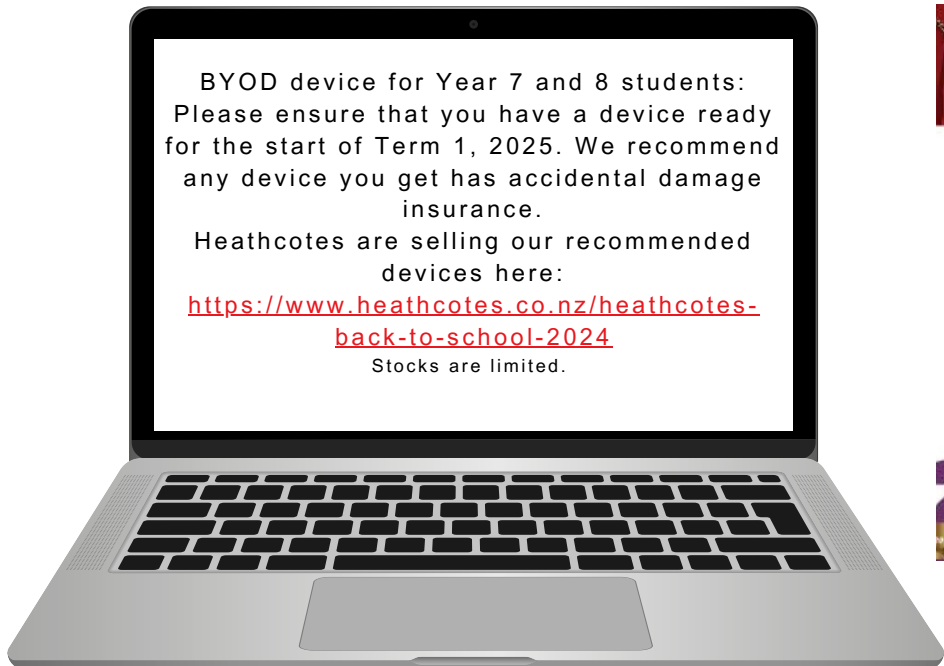
Holiday Hours

The Uniform Shop will close for the year on Wednesday 11th December and reopen on Tuesday 28th January 2025.

The shop will be open to all returning students on Tuesday 28th January and Wednesday 29th January, 9am-4p, and resume normal hours on Thursday 30th January.

Loan Uniforms

As we are nearing the end of term, we have lots of outstanding loan returns. Please check your children's uniform at home for any items that have been borrowed from the Uniform Shop. We ask that you wash and return any loan items ASAP. Thank you.



BYOD device for Year 7 and 8 students:
Please ensure that you have a device ready for the start of Term 1, 2025. We recommend any device you get has accidental damage insurance.

Heathcotes are selling our recommended devices here:

<https://www.heathcotes.co.nz/heathcotes-back-to-school-2024>

Stocks are limited.



Artz on Show School Holiday Performing Arts Workshop

This is a fun yet educational week for students aged 5 - 15 years.

Students participate in a range of performing arts classes, concluding the week with a performance!

20th - 24th January 2025, 9am - 4pm daily

Held at Southwell School,
200 Peachgrove Road, Claudelands

View our website; www.artzonshow.co.nz
or contact Hayley on either
artz@artzonshow.co.nz or 09 294 7129



Old Boy's Memory from the 1980's

"One day I forgot to wear my tie to school. I was in standard two (Y4) I think, and I thought I was going to be expelled. I thought the whole world was finished!! My big brother in Form 2 (Year 8) gave me his and I have always been thankful to him for that."