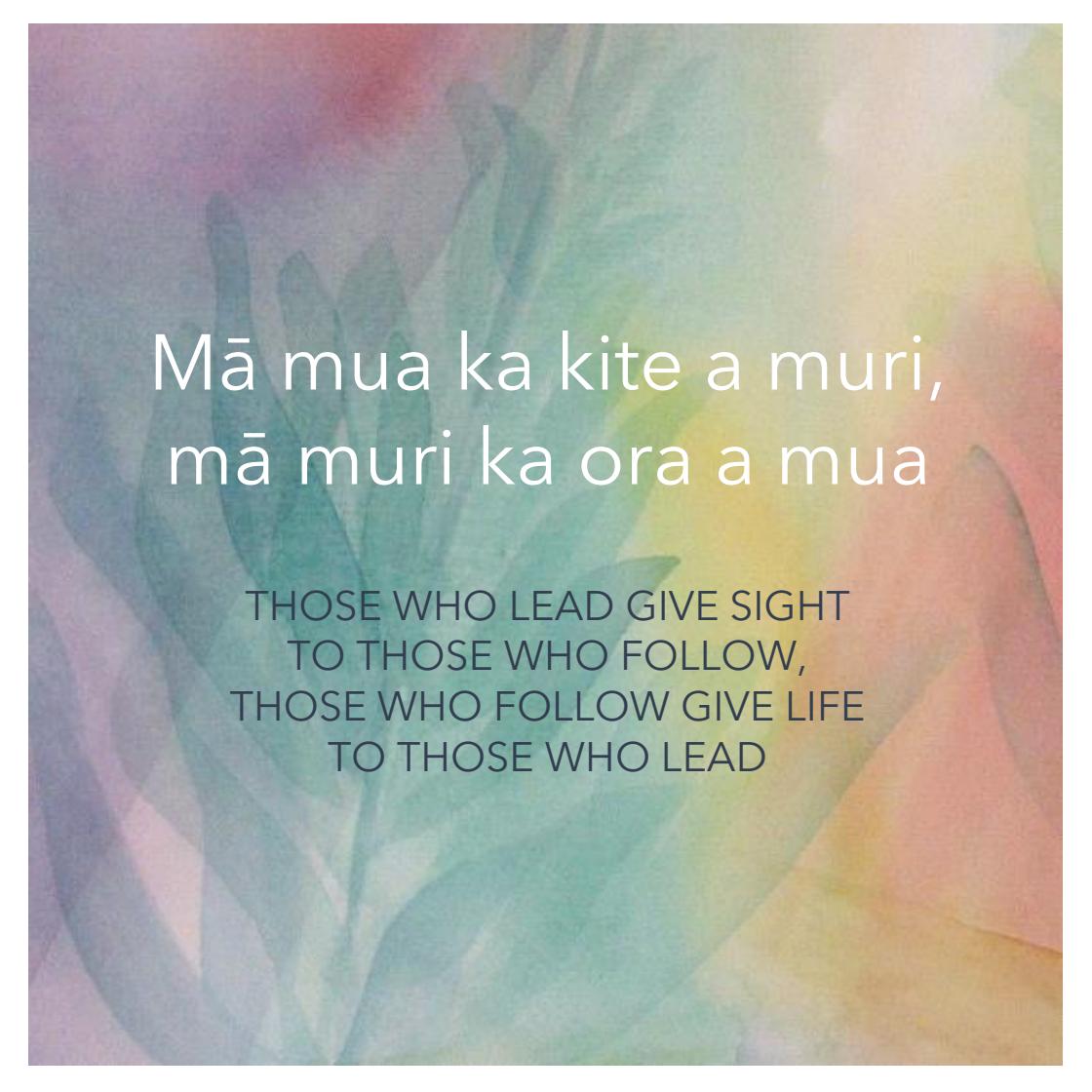




Our Steiner Future...



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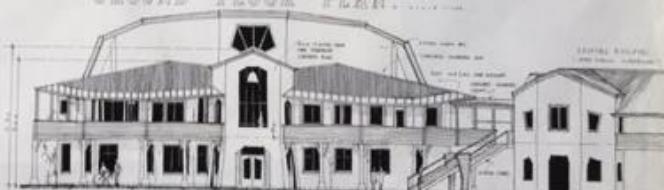
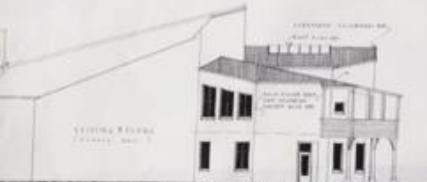
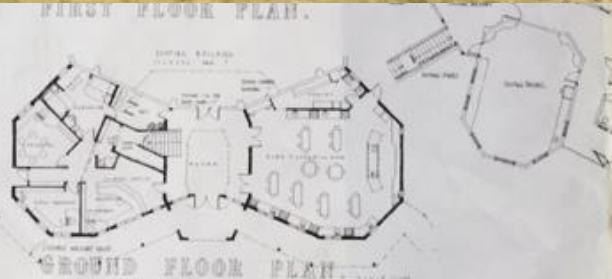
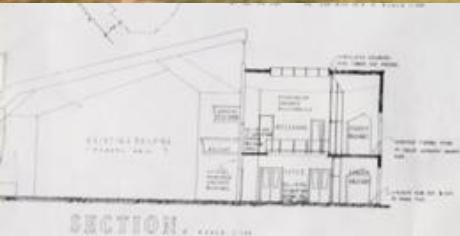
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TO THOSE WHO FOLLOW,
THOSE WHO FOLLOW GIVE LIFE
TO THOSE WHO LEAD

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**You are a part of
Christchurch Rudolf
Steiner School's
exciting future...**



FIRST FLOOR PLAN.



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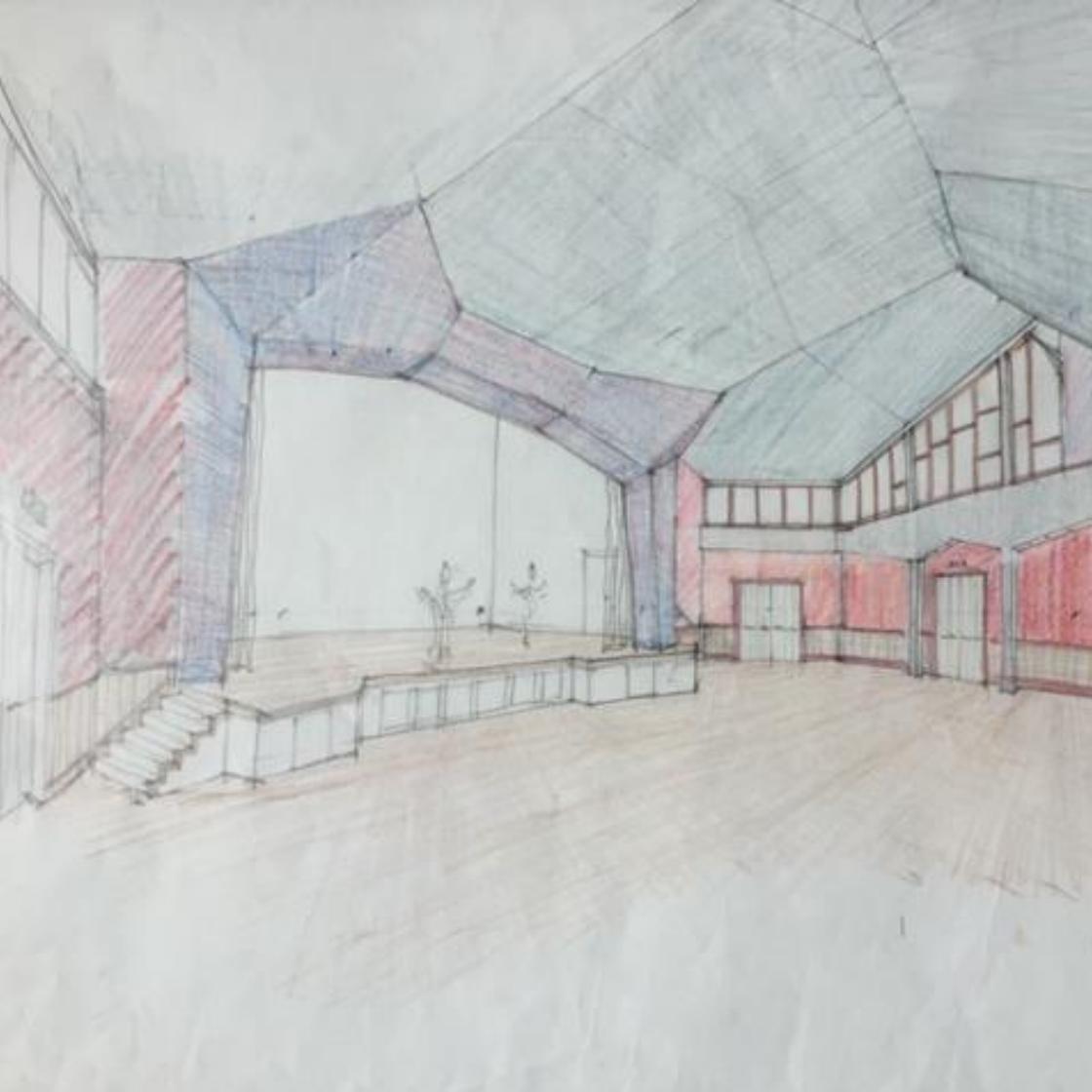
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Generations ago, our community had a vision that aspired to create and nurture a Steiner education in Christchurch.

This vision included purchasing a larger amount of land than the current site, which was the original plan for the school.

Today it is our privilege to share with you that the Proprietors Trust have, decades later, successfully purchased 275 Fifield Terrace, currently occupied by the Helios Medical Centre.

We would like to share with you how this journey began and why you are so important to its fruition.



The purchase of this land brings us back full circle, because in 1981 the founding members of our school intended to secure 275 Fifield Terrace (Helios Medical Centre grounds), so that we had the space to create a Steiner holistic education for children.

However, at the time, even with a dedicated drive to raise funds, we were unable to purchase the complete site. A member of our anthroposophical community bought the leftover land and built up a child centred anthroposophical medical practice.

10 years ago, prior to the earthquakes, we were about to embark upon a different building programme that could accommodate our expanding Steiner education on our existing grounds. Sadly, the earthquakes halted all further progress in this area.



Fast track to today, the Proprietors have now been able to turn the school's original vision into a reality.

Everybody who has attended this school past and present has helped make this purchase possible. When you pay your Proprietors' Contribution, the majority goes to the running costs of the school, like Special Character teacher's wages, but a small portion is set aside to put towards capital development so that we can prepare for the needs of the future.

The vision of past generations of school community members (and their constancy in payment to the Proprietors Contribution over time) and, equally, future generation's commitment will see an exciting plan rolled out for use of this space.

So, you may want to know what we are going to do with this newly acquired land and space. There are three phases to move through, those being:

FIRST PHASE

Income will be generated by the rent from the Helios Medical Centre

SECOND PHASE

Use of existing buildings as extra teaching and learning spaces, and Steiner community spaces

THIRD PHASE

New school building project/s

Our school has recently held community and staff workshops to engage, and listen to, our community's ideas and thoughts moving forward with the vision of our school.

As guardians of the Special Character at our school, we are honoured to be making this vision a reality and, equally, we are genuinely committed to growing connections with you all, so that you get to know us better and can understand what our role is in your child's school.

As Proprietors, we look forward to keeping you updated on important Trust happenings and developments within our school.



Who we are and what we do..

The Proprietor is an incorporated body established in 1989 and registered with the Charities Commission. It is the legal entity that owns and is responsible, for the school land and buildings and is therefore referred to as the Proprietor. It is also the guardian of the Special Character.

What is our Special Character?

The 'Special Character' aim of our Steiner education is that your child can develop a feeling for the freedom and integrity of other people, a sense of security in life with the ability to contribute socially and participate in democratic co-operation and develop a deep interest in the world and needs of others.

The Trust is a voluntary board, who meets monthly and whose members are people committed to Steiner education and its anthroposophical background.

Members of the Proprietor

Alan Cummins (chairperson) - a teacher in Technology

Justin Barton - a parent with children in Lower School

Rachel Conway - a parent with children in Kindergarten & Lower School

Martin Gastinger - a former teacher in Upper School

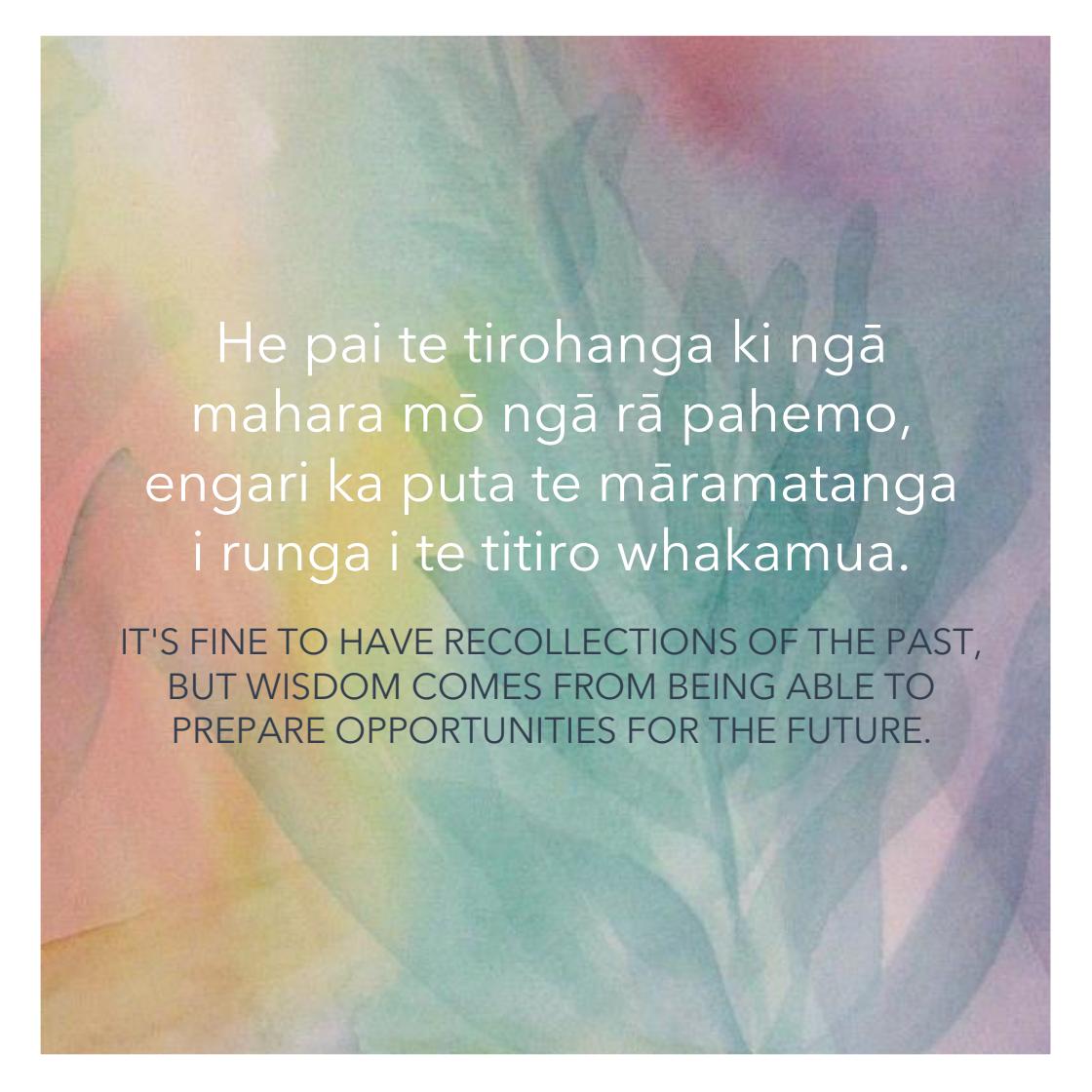
Sarah Morgan - a parent with children in Lower School

Stephen Proctor - a former teacher in Lower School

Frances Ritchie - a former Kindergarten teacher

John Suggate - a former teacher in Upper School





He pai te tirohanga ki ngā
mahara mō ngā rā pahemo,
engari ka puta te māramatanga
i runga i te titiro whakamua.

IT'S FINE TO HAVE RECOLLECTIONS OF THE PAST,
BUT WISDOM COMES FROM BEING ABLE TO
PREPARE OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE FUTURE.



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