

Also see
letter to
Police Commissioner

ST ANN'S SPECIAL SCHOOL

KEY CHRONOLOGY OF EVENTS/CORRESPONDENCE
from
JULY 2001 TO MARCH 2002

Date	Event/Item of Correspondence
21 August, 1991	Police went to Brian Perkins flat at Dover Gardens
Uncertain August Date	Police notified Claude Hamam re Brian Perkins. Claude Hamam said Brian Perkins had notified St Anne's that he had had accident and would be absent for a time. He did not ever reappear at the school.
2 September 1991	File note by Paul Morrissy of the conversation with Claude Hamam re Brian Perkins matter
25 September 1991	Paul Morrissy's Queensland notes of conversation with Claude Hamam
10 September 1993	Police went to Brian Perkins residence in Hackham West as part of Operation Deny. Perkins was arrested
21 October 1993	On this date or some time shortly after Perkins skipped bail and went to Queensland.
Tuesday 24 July, 2001	LJ [REDACTED] met with Allan Dooley and Jane Swift re concerns about her [REDACTED] [REDACTED] attended as the support person for LJ [REDACTED]
Wednesday 25 July, 2001	Memo from Allan Dooley to Fr David Cappo detailing LJ [REDACTED] complaint and background information.
Monday 6 August, 2001	Allan Dooley emailed Karen Mole re background information and briefing re meeting with Archbishop Wilson, Fr David Cappo, Allan Dooley, Jane Swift, Pauline Verity and the following personnel from CCI, Liam McCarthy, Laurie Rolls, Karen Mole and Patrick Monaghan.
Monday 6 August, 2001	Memo from Allan Dooley to Archbishop Wilson and Fr David Cappo: briefing re alleged abuse.
Monday 13 August, 2001	Allan Dooley and Tony Fuller met with Claude Hamam and his solicitor, Susan Litchfield. Joan Haren was present as Claude's support person.
Wednesday 15 August, 2001	Allan Dooley and Jane Swift had further meeting with LJ [REDACTED] regarding other families who might come forward.
Tuesday 21 August, 2001	Allan Dooley had conversation with Paul Morrissy, Chair of Board of Special Schools Inc. in 1991.
Tuesday 21 August, 2001	Archbishop Wilson and Allan Dooley met with staff of St Ann's at St Ann's.
Monday 27 August, 2001	Email from Sr Loreto O'Connor, Principal of St Ann's Special School, re students who were likely to have been at risk from Brian Perkins.
29 August, 2001	Jane Swift met with [REDACTED], teacher of the senior class at St Ann's in 1991 from which students who were allegedly abused came.

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30 August, 2001	Further email from Sr Loreo O'Connor to Jane Swift re: staff who may wish to speak to Jane
31 August, 2001	Jane Swift met with Martin Aartsen, Senior Teacher at St Ann's, and previous Deputy Principal
3 September, 2001	Briefing Memo from Allan Dooley to Pauline Verity
12 September, 2001	Jane Swift met with REDACTED, ESO, who worked with Brian Perkins at St Ann's.
????	Jane Swift and Allan Dooley met with NO and NM re complaint of alleged sexual abuse of their son MU.
30 October 2001	Allan chaired a meeting for parents (LL and LK, LO, LJ and LI) with Wally Conte and Greg Ramm both from SA Police. Jane Swift and Pauline Verity were also attended.
31 October 2001	Allan Dooley and Jane Swift met with LK re complaint of alleged sexual abuse concerning her son LB.
14 November 2001 (Reply?)	Letter received by Allan Dooley from LR and LS re Brian Perkins and related matters.
27 November 2001	Letter sent from Allan Dooley to the Hon Malcolm Buckby, Minister for Education and Children's Services requesting extradition of Brian Perkins.
29 November 2001	Jane Swift and Claude Hamam attend Police Evidence Section to view photos seized by police from Brian Perkins on 10 th September 1993. Claude identified LB. Wally Conte was in attendance
10 December 2001	Letter received from Lea Stevens MP, Member for Elizabeth.
11 December 2001	Allan Dooley and Jane Swift meet with Karen Rogers and Linda Clifford from Parent Advocacy.
13 December 2001	St Ann's Task Force met. In attendance were Archbishop Wilson, Fr David Cappo, Kathy McEvoy, Sr Clare Condon, Pauline Verity, Allan Dooley, Sr Loreto O'Connor, Jane Swift and Matt Abraham.
17 December 2001 (copy of my reply?)	Letter sent from Archbishop Wilson to the Hon Malcolm Buckby, Minister for Education and Children's Services.
21 December 2001 Meeting with Parent Advocacy?	Jane Swift, Sr Loreto O'Connor and Martin Aartsen attend Police Evidence Section to view photos seized from Brian Perkins in September 1993 to see if any St Ann's students could be identified. Peter Rodney from the Child Exploitation and Investigation Unit in attendance. MJ and ME identified by Martin Aartsen.
21 January 2002	Interview with Claude Hamam by Tony Fuller. Also present were Allan Dooley, Jane Swift, REDACTED and Susan Litchfield, Claude's solicitor.
23 January 2002	Reply sent from Allan Dooley to Lea Stevens
12 February, 2002	Memo from Allan Dooley to Archbishop Wilson re conversation with Karen Rogers concerning parent meeting on the 4 th February attended by the police.
18 February 2002	Allan Dooley sent draft Terms of Reference for an enquiry to Archbishop Wilson * letter sent re complaints from Parent Advocacy.

* Meeting with Parents - David Cappo + Helen
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21 February 2002	Briefing notes from Allan Dooley to Chris Rann and Joan Atkinson.
21 March 2002	Media coverage of alleged sexual abuse begins.

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