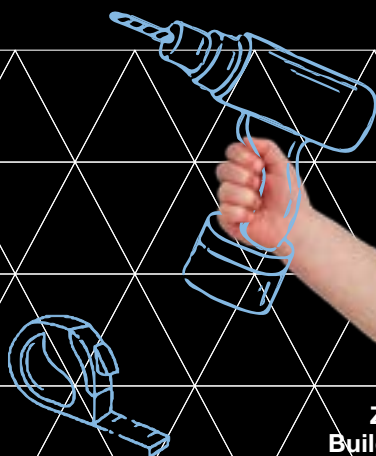


for our

Family Friends & Whānau

of **Churton Park
School** ESTD
1975



Zoe, 5
Builder in
the making



administration.

14th May 2025

Term 2. Week 3.

Principal's Corner - te iwi tahi tatou - we are one family

Empowering Connected Lifelong Learners

Kia ora e te whānau

Pink Shirt Day - This Friday

When: Friday 16th of May

We are encouraging all tamariki to dress up in pink and bring a gold coin donation to support the cause of kindness, inclusion, and standing up against bullying. It's a great opportunity to

have conversations with our tamariki about respect and manaakitanga in our school community.



Matt Stanley

Principal
Churton Park School.

90 Churton Drive

Churton Park

Wellington 6037

Phone 04 478 4282

Contact School



**Welcome
to our new
Ākonga**



Kenepuru Stream

Staff Only Day - Kāhui Ako

We have a **Staff Only Day** on **Tuesday 3rd June**, so school will be closed to all students on this day.

This staff only day is with our local cluster of schools - Kāhui Ako, and all staff will be taking part in learning workshops.

We thank you for your support

School Disco!

Disco time!

When: Thursday the 29th of May

Where: Churton Park School Hall

Year 0-3 4:00pm - 5:00pm

Years 4-6 5:30pm - 6:30pm

Cost: \$10 per child (INCLUDES a 'treat' bag)

Theme: 70's disco

How to pay: We will be trialling a new system called Kindo, where you will fill out the details and make an online payment. Either scan the QR codes on the posters around the school or copy and paste the link below.

<https://shop.kindo.co.nz/app/community-shop/Churton%20Park%20School/>

This year payments will need to be made before Tuesday the 27th of May.



Parent Help Required

If you are available to help out - whether for the **whole event**, during the **junior or senior disco**, or even just for **an hour** - we'd really appreciate it. Please email claudiab@churtonpark.school.nz if you're able to assist.

Thank you for your support!

Road Patrol Supervision



Contact Liz

Thank you to the wonderful parents who have volunteered to help supervise our road patrol teams in the afternoons.

This is a very important part of keeping our tamariki & whānau safe when leaving school at the end of the day.

We are always looking for extra help, if you think you would be available on a casual basis to fill in if any of our parents are unable to make it please let Liz know lizm@churtonpark.school.nz

We appreciate your help.

Churton Park School's 50th Birthday

On Monday 26th May, Churton Park School proudly celebrates its 50th anniversary. To commemorate this special milestone we will be stepping back in time with a fun 1970s dress-up day! All students and staff are encouraged to wear clothing that represents the 70s. We will be holding a parade at lunchtime to showcase the amazing costumes and hosting an open morning.



Original Logo 1975



Logo from the 1990s - 2023



**Churton
Park School** ESTD 1975

Our current logo 2023 -

Term 2 Policy Reviews

Please use the instructions below to give your feedback on our Health, Safety, and Welfare policies

Visit the website <https://churtonpark.schooldocs.co.nz/1893.htm>

1. Enter the username (churtonpark) and password (learningforlife).
2. Follow the link to the relevant policy as listed.
3. Read the policy.
4. Click the Policy Review button at the top right-hand corner of the page.
5. Select the reviewer type "Parent".
6. Enter your name (optional).
7. Submit your ratings and comments.
8. If you don't have internet access, school office staff can provide you with printed copies of the policy and a review form.

Scholastic Book Orders

READ EVERY DAY! READ MORE IN MAY! LUCKY BOOKS ISSUE 3, ORDER IS OPEN TILL THURSDAY 15/5/2025. [To view Issue 3 brochure, click here.](#)

May is National Family Reading Month, and it's all about what we believe in most: helping kids build a love of reading that lasts a lifetime.

This May, we're encouraging families to take the [31-Day Challenge](#). By reading together for just 10 minutes a day, they'll build powerful reading habits for life.

Remember to use their \$5 promo code from Issue 2 before it expires. Families will also receive a \$5 promo code when they place any

LOOP order this Issue, which they can use on Issue 4.

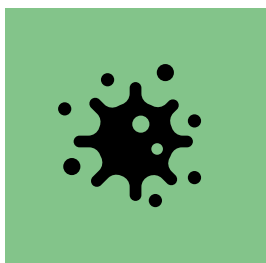
Did you know that every purchase you make on Book Club earns our school 15% of the order value in Scholastic Rewards? We use these to purchase more books and educational resources for the school. Issue 1 has contributed 240 reward points for our school library!

Please use the Book Club Loop Linked Online Ordering & Payment option only by visiting mybookclub.scholastic.co.nz. [Click to find out how Loop orders work.](#)

SCHOLASTIC
Book Clubs



Please remember to advise us of Absences



Please keep us in the loop

This year we must report any absences to the Ministry of Education daily.

This means that if you do not tell us why your child is away they will be marked as truant.

If your child is going to be away from school for any reason - illness, appointments, travel, funerals etc - it is very important that you let the office know, so we can account for all our students.

The office will let the classroom teacher know your child is absent.



Often teachers can be away sick or on a course and do not have access to their emails.

If you receive a text from the school looking for your child, please respond. You are able to report an absence in several ways:

Ways to report an Absence

Call - 04 4784282 ext 1

Text - 0274 295 477

Eml - absence@churtonpark.school.nz

Web - www.churtonpark.school.nz

Northern Zone Cross Country

Yesterday 30 year 4 - 6 students headed over to Grenada North for the Northern Zone cross country event.

Being the biggest Wellington zone, it is always a tough competition. I was so proud of all our students, Churton Park School values were on show all day.

The support shown by the students towards each other before, during and after the races was fantastic and they should all be very proud of their achievements.

We now have five students who made the top ten and will move on to Inter-Zone later this term. This race is against all the top ten runners in the other

Wellington zones.

Good luck - Churton Park School is cheering you on!

Year 4 Girls - 1st - Seren

Year 4 Girls - 6th Anna

Year 5 Girls - 6th Gemma

Year 6 Girls - 10th - Angela

Year 6 Boys - 1st - Jackson

Thank you to Sarah Brown for organising everything and to all the parents who helped with transport & supervision.



Sunhats, T-Shirts & Hoodies

As part of our Sunsmart policy all children at Churton Park School are required to wear a sunhat when they are outside during Terms 1 & 4.

Sunhats can be purchased from NZ Uniforms either online or at their Porirua shop. Please make sure you have a school sunhat for your child. If your child has the old style sunhat they can continue to wear them but if your child still needs a school sunhat, please make sure you have purchased one as soon as possible.

Sunhats, T-shirts & Hoodies can be purchased using this link <https://churtonpark.nzuniforms.com/catalog/uniform-1107113.htm>

Order your items now



Order Here

Is your child turning 5 in 2025 or 2026 ?



Help us to plan ahead

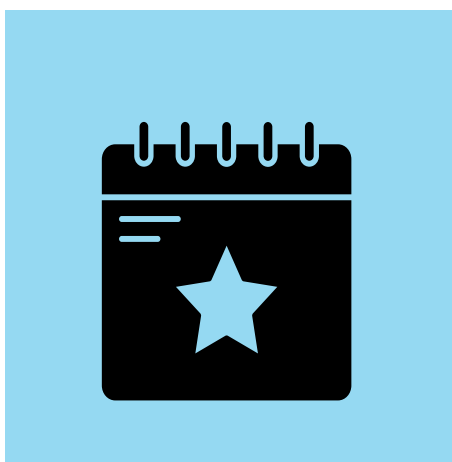
To help with our planning for the rest of this year and next year please let the school office know if the following things apply to you:

- Live In-Zone and have a new entrant child who turns 5 in 2025 or 2026 and you are yet to pre-enrol with the school office
- If you live In-Zone but have a child attending another school but intend to enrol at Churton Park School in 2025 or 2026
- If you live Out-of-Zone with a child enrolled at Churton Park School and have a child turning 5 in 2025 or 2026
- If you have a friend, family member or neighbour that does not receive these news

letters but may fall into one of the above categories, please ask them to contact the school as soon as possible by either dropping in to the office, by phone 04 478 4282, email office@churtonpark.school.nz with their child's name, date of birth and your address or by completing an online enrolment form on our website www.churtonpark.school.nz This information is crucial as we plan for the future.

Contact School

Upcoming Events & Reminders for Your Calendar:



- Friday 16th May - Pink Shirt Day

- Tuesday 20th May - Junior Cross Country (pp 27th May)
- Tuesday 20th May - Friday 23rd May - Year 6 Camp @ YMCA Kaitoke Outdoor Education Centre
- Monday 26th May - CPS 50th Birthday
- Thursday 29th May - School Disco - Yr 0-3 4 - 5pm, Yr 4-6 5.30 - 6.30pm
- Monday 2nd June - King's Birthday
- Tuesday 3rd June - Staff Only Day - Kāhui Ako
- Friday 20th June - Matariki
- Friday 27th June - End of Term 2

Contact School

Visit Website

School times and Signing In or Out

01



**Arrive by
8:50 am**

Please have your bag hung, ready to start

02



**Home time
3:00 pm**

It's home-time or after school care-time

School Hours -

Children can arrive at school from 8.30am and should be at school by 8.50am so they have time to put their bags away and get settled ready for school to begin at 9am. If your child arrives after 9am or you are collecting your child for any reason before 3pm they must sign in or out on the iPad at the office.

Save time order lunches online



Lunchonline.co.nz

School Lunches can be purchased online at Lunchonline.co.nz, Families: Take the hassle out of your morning rush and order a school lunch with us. Find out how by scanning the QR Code seen left. Our menu's consist of products from suppliers in our vicinity including, sushi, bakery foods, fusion foods. Lunches are delivered to the school office for your child to collect at lunchtime.

Our KellyClub Before/After school-care programme

Time to join the club:

At Kelly Club Churton Park, we provide quality before - and after-school and holiday programme care. Our programmes are packed with fun activities including cooking, discovery, sports, arts and crafts. We also offer flexible payment plans and same-day booking and cancellations. Visit www.kellyclub.co.nz for bookings and any further information. Click the link below.

KellyClub



Our Values

At CPS we believe and practise the following values daily at school

Manaakitanga
- Respect

Eke Panuku
- Success

Hauora
- Wellbeing

Pou
manawaora
- Resilience

Ngahau
Fun



A FUN PROGRAMME
THAT KIDS **LOVE!**

TEACHER ONLY DAY! **BEACH DAY!** **TUES 3 JUNE 2025**

**OSCAR
PROGRAMME
SUBSIDIES
AVAILABLE!**

*Conditions apply

CHURTON PARK SCHOOL

We've got an amazing programme planned including baking, crafts, games and more!
Book online now for our fun-filled one day holiday programme. See you there!!

Full Day: \$59

7:30am - 6:00pm

School Day: \$47

8:45am - 6:00pm

Half Day: \$39

7:30am - 12:30pm/12:30pm - 6:00pm

Contact: Jemma Pickworth

Phone: 022 010 9972

Email: churtonpark@kellyclub.co.nz

Facebook: @KellyClubChutonPark

BOOK ONLINE NOW AT www.kellyclub.co.nz

THEME: Peacekeepers!

Term 2 Week 4, 19th May 2025

Weekly Activities Plan
Kelly Club Churton Park

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
7:00 - 8:15 am	Flag Making & Structured Free Time	Target Practice & Structured Free Time	Finger Painting & Structured Free Time	Keepers Banner & Structured Free Time	Homemade Pikelets & Structured Free Time
8:15 - 8:30 am	Game: Kiwis & Kangaroos	Game: Kid's Yoga	Game: Balloon Tag	Game: Limbo	Game: Team Challenges
3:00 - 3:10 pm	Sign In & Free Time	Sign In & Free Time	Sign In & Free Time	Sign In & Free Time	Sign In & Free Time
3:10 - 3:30 pm	Intro & Afternoon Tea Garlic Bread & Fruit	Intro & Afternoon Tea Popcorn & Fruit	Intro & Afternoon Tea Tomato Pasta & Fruit	Intro & Afternoon Tea Crackers & Cheese & Fruit	Intro & Afternoon Tea Noodles & Fruit
3:30 - 3:45 pm	Game: Human Paper Scissors Rock	Game: Duck Duck Goose	Game: Toilet Tag	Game: Follow the Sergeant	Game: Cat & Mouse Tag
SENIORS 3:45 - 4:30 pm	DISCOVERY Build a House of Cards	SPORT Island Hopping	COOKING Camo Cupcakes	CRAFT Dove Finger Painting	GAME Riot Control
					
JUNIORS 3:45 - 4:30 pm	SPORT Island Hopping	CRAFT Tie dye Paper Plates	COOKING Camo Cupcakes	GAME Hula Hoop Balance	DISCOVERY Build a House of Cards
					
4:30 - 4:35 pm	Tidy Up	Tidy Up	Tidy Up	Tidy Up	Tidy Up
4:35 - 4:50 pm	Snack Time	Snack Time	Snack Time	Snack Time	Snack Time
4:50 - 5:15 pm	Homework & Quiet Time	Homework & Quiet Time	Homework & Quiet Time	Homework & Quiet Time	Homework & Quiet Time
5:15 - 6:00 pm	Game: Concentration & Projects	Game: Dance Comp & Projects	Game: Doggy Doggy & Projects	Game: Flee Chase & Projects	Game: Foot Volleyball & Projects

Our Public Notices Section.1

AWESOME AUTUMN SPORTS

TERM 2 2025

CHURTON PARK SCHOOL

Wednesday's 3.05pm-4.05pm for 8 weeks

www.kellysports.co.nz



Hockey



Football



Netball



Rippa Rugby

Sessions start Weds 7 May

Contact: adminwqtn@kellysports.co.nz

**NZ
ART
SHOW.**

KING'S BIRTHDAY LONG WEEKEND

30 MAY – 1 JUNE

TSB ARENA | WELLINGTON



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EXCEPTIONAL ART SINCE 2004

Our Public Notices Section. 2

Goodtime Music Academy

Make some Noise!!!

Get ready to ignite your child's musical passion! Goodtime Music Academy teaches at Churton Park Primary School and is offering award-winning in-school music lessons. Say goodbye to post-school commutes! Dive into the world of music in a vibrant group setting with the following instrument lesson: Drums, Guitar, Keyboard, Ukulele, or our

'Intro to Music' course. But the excitement doesn't stop there! Your child will have the chance to shine in our thrilling concerts. Act fast, as spots are limited. Enrol now at www.goodtimemusicacademy.co.nz/learn-at-school or call us at 04 568 2237. Your child's moment in the limelight awaits



Big Energy? Then Big-Air is for You!

BIGAIR GYMSPORTS & CHEERLEADING

Ready to flip, tumble, and soar? Bigair Gym is the ultimate destination for kids who want to learn cool skills, achieve and build unstoppable confidence! Whether it's cartwheels, flips, tramp tricks, or parkour, Bigair Gyms action packed classes combine fun, fitness, and focus, in a safe, supportive space.

Classes to Help Your Child Shine:

Crashmat Kids Sessions (walking-4 years) – Great for little ones to become familiar with the gym.

Pocket Rockets Gym Classes (3-4 years) – Start building coordination and confidence early!

Gravity Busters Gym Classes (5+ years) – Learn the fundamentals of gymnastics and tumbling.

Team Extreme Gym Classes (Advanced) – Take your skills to the next level!

Free Running (5+ years) – Parkour + flips = epic agility and body control.

Trampoline (5+ years) – Boost spatial awareness and acrobatic abilities.

Recreational Cheerleading (5+ years) – Strength, flexibility, performance—Cheer style!

Tumbling (5+ years) – Learn walkovers, handsprings & aerials—perfect for Cheerleaders and Dancers wanting to boost flexibility and stage skills.

Hurry – Book Online Now for Term 2 Before Spaces Run Out

at www.bigairgym.co.nz! Don't miss out on the chance to help your child grow, achieve, learn, and have fun at Bigair Gym!

Contact us at: Bigair Gym
Tawa: ph. 232 3508, e. office@bigairgym.co.nz at 10b Surrey Street, Tawa.

Email Big Air Gym

Book online for Term 2

Gym Classes at Big Air Gym

W. www.bigairgym.co.nz

C. 04 232 3508,

E. office@bigairgym.co.nz

A. 10b Surrey Street, Tawa.

Public Notices Section. 3

Easyswim Swim School – LEARN TO SWIM!

Easyswim runs lessons for babies through to adults out of six school pools around Wellington. Locations include Plimmerton, Tawa, Johnsonville, Rewa Rewa, Khandallah and Newtown School Pools. Birthday Party bookings are also available.

For more information call 234 7946 or email book@easyswim.co.nz



Does your child like to sing, dance, act and perform?

Would you like your child to build more confidence and make more friends?



Performing arts classes led by a London West End performer!

After school and weekend classes in Aotea, Johnsonville, Karori, Newtown, Lower Hutt, and Upper Hutt!

Two-week trials available.

For more information, please call

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TedX speaker

Jo Robertson

presents

Parenting in the Digital Era



Practical solutions to protect kids from online harm | For parents of kids 4-13+

Join us for an essential session on creating a safe online experience for your child. Led by Jo Robertson, you'll explore the online world that kids navigate today, identifying potential risks and strategies for addressing them.

The workshop will cover harmful content, exploitation, popular apps and filters. Evidence based and expert led, you'll leave with strategies on how to prevent and respond to harm, to keep your child safe.

Jo Robertson is a therapist holding a Master of Science in Medicine, specializing in the effects of online sexual content. Jo has years of experience delivering sexual health education to professionals, parents, caregivers, and young people. Jo has presented a TEDx talk, and continues to speak globally on topics related to youth, sexual culture, and media influences.

Thursday 22 May

Meow Nui, Vivian St, 7.30pm

Limited tickets – selling fast
Book now at MeowNui.com

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