

28th May 2025

Term 2. Week 5.

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

Empowering Connected Lifelong Learners



Kia ora e te whānau

Staff Only Day



A reminder that we have a Staff Only Day with our Kahui Ako, on Tuesday 3rd June and school will be closed to all students. All our staff will be taking part in learning workshops. Thank you for your support.



Matt Stanley

Principal Churton Park School.

90 Churton Drive	
Churton Park	
Wellington 6037	
Phone 04 478 4282	





School Disco!

School Disco - Thursday 29th May - tomorrow!



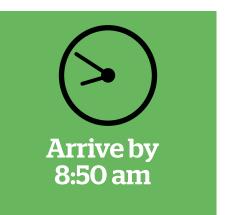
CPS 1970s Disco reminders: Tickets to boogie on down will be issued during class on disco day. Bring this ticket to the disco.

BYO drink bottle. For safety reasons children will not be allowed to use outside drinking fountains. <u>Disco arrivals:</u> Children must enter via the main hall entrance. Disco departures: Caregivers must enter via the main entrance and depart via the first exit on the left in the hall. Children will not be allowed to exit without their caregiver. Follow the signage and helpers. Catch you on the flip side!

Lateness

As we continue our term, I want to highlight the <u>importance</u> <u>of arriving at school on time</u> <u>each day</u>. When students arrive late, even by a few minutes, it can disrupt their own learning, the flow of the classroom, and the learning of their classmates. They may miss crucial instructions, important introductions to lessons, and valuable time for

settling in and preparing for the day ahead. This can lead to feelings of being rushed, anxious, and potentially struggling to catch up. Please help us ensure students arrive on time, ready to learn. If you require some support with this, please contact the school.



Birthday Celebrations



Thank you to all the whanau moustaches and tie dye who braved the wind & rain on Monday to help celebrate our 50th birthday. Our House Captains enjoyed sharing our school with you on their guided tours.

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It was a step back in time to see velvet jackets, wide ties, flared trousers, fringed vests, head bands, kaftans, brightly patterned dresses, a lot of brown & burnt orange shirts, large

tops. At lunchtime the tamariki had fun in the hall parading in their costumes. It was certainly a fun day for everyone!



Visiting Author & Illustrator

On Monday our ākonga were lucky to have a visit from the award winning author & illustrator Steve Mushin. Steve is passionate about his projects to save the planet by bringing the forest ecosystem to the cities. Steve presented and shared his passion with our tamariki and the children took

part in workshops to inspire them to be brave, to take risks, to think outside the box and be creative and resourceful.

Thank you Steve for sharing your work with our kura.



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.

Parking Around The School Gates

The signs at the front of the school have changed to make this area a **PICK UP / DROP OFF ZONE** and the area across the road opposite house numbers 92 to 98 Churton Drive have changed to a **P5**. Both areas operate between 8am - 9am and 2.30pm to 3.30pm school days only.

The **Pick Up / Drop Off zone is a 2 minute stopping area and drivers must stay in their car**. The **P5 zone** across the road allows parents to park and walk their children up to the road crossing. These changes are to keep the traffic outside the school moving.

The Council and the Police are monitoring these areas and infringement notices are being issued. These are the new parking fines currently being used by Police and Parking Enforcement.

- Broken Yellow Lines \$100
- Footpath \$70
- Mobility Parking \$750
- A Time restriction less than 30 minutes now \$20

If you are collecting your child from either the Dormar Place or Cranwell Street entrances please remember not to park or wait on yellow lines and make sure your vehicle is not blocking our neighbours driveways. These streets become very narrow with cars parked on both sides of the road and become a hazard for everyone.

Please respect the road rules and our neighbours.





Please remember to advise us of Absences





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 - <u>absence@churtonpark.school.nz</u>

Web - www.churtonpark.school.nz

Scholastic Book Orders

READ EVERY DAY! READ MORE IN MAY! LUCKY BOOKS ISSUE 4 ORDER IS OPEN TILL FRIDAY 06/6/2025. <u>To view Issue 4 brochure, click here</u>.

Share how you Read Every Day in May and go into the draw to WIN \$1000 to spend on books or donate to a Children's Charity. Entries close on 31/5/2025.

Remember to use the \$5 promo code from Issue 3 before it expires. Every Book Club LOOP order earns a \$5 promo code to spend on the next Issue. 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 3 has contributed 322 reward points for our school library!

Please use the Book Club Loop Linked Online Ordering & Payment option only by visiting <u>mybook-</u> <u>club.scholastic.co.nz</u>. <u>Click to find</u> <u>out how Loop orders work</u>,





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 <u>https://</u> churtonpark.nzuniforms.com/catalog/ uniform-1107113.htmx

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 turn-ing 5 in 2025 or 2026
- If you have a friend, family member or neighbour that does not recieve these news

letters but may fall into one of the above catergories, 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:



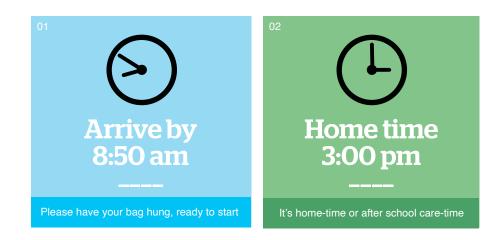
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- Monday 2nd June King's Birthday
- Tuesday 3rd June Staff Only Day - Kāhui Ako
- Friday 20th June Matariki Holiday
- Tuesday 24th June School Reports emailed out
- Thursday 26th June -Newlands Intermediate Open Evening, Newlands Intermediate 6.30pm

- Friday 27th June End of Term 2, 3pm
- Monday 14th July Term 3 begins, 9am
- Monday 4th August -Rāroa Intermediate Parent Information Evening, Rāroa Intermediate 6pm

Contact School

School times and Signing In or Out



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

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: Staff Choice

Term 2 Week 6, 2nd June 2025

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Our Public Notices Section.1





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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 <u>www.goodtimemusicacademy.co.nz/learn-atschool</u> 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 <u>www.bigairgym.co.nz</u>! 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. <u>office@</u> <u>bigairgym.co.nz</u> at 10b Surrey Street, Tawa.



Book online for Term 2

Gym Classes at Big Air Gym

- W. <u>www.bigairgym.co.nz</u>
- 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?



Performing arts classes led by a London West End performer!

After school and weekend classes in Aatea, Johnsonville, Kerori, Newtown, Jower Hutt, and Upper Hutt

woweek trials available.



www.spotlightperformingarts.co.nz



Public Notices Section. 4

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Raroa Normal Intermediate CRAFT BEER AND QUIZ NIGHT TICKETS SELLING NOW

THURSDAY 12 JUNE

Răroa Intermediate Hall. Doors open at 6pm. Quiz event starts 7pm.

Food platters available for purchase. EFTPOS onsite. R18 Event. Tickets \$20pp or purchase a table of 8 for \$150. Purchase tickets via KINDO.

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