

for our

Family Friends & Whānau

of **Churton Park
School** ESTD
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newsletter.

26th August 2026

Term 3. Week 6

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

Empowering Connected Lifelong Learners

Kia ora e te whānau

Curriculum Refresh Day

On Friday, our staff participated in a Ministry of Education Maths Professional Learning Development (PLD) day. It focused on mathematical processes, probability, and effective communication in maths.

Thank you for making alternative arrangements for your children so our teaching team could engage in this valuable professional growth.



Matt Stanley

Principal of
Churton Park School.

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Winter Illness

We have officially reached the halfway point of the term. While it is wonderful to see our students so engaged in their learning, winter illnesses are currently hitting our community hard.

We fully support regular attendance, but we kindly ask that you keep your child home if they are showing signs of illness. Staying home allows them to rest and recover while preventing the spread of germs to classmates and staff. Please note that reliever cover is extremely limited at present, making staff wellness especially critical.

We know it can sometimes be difficult to decide whether a child is well enough to attend. Health New Zealand and the Ministry of Education have provided helpful guidance to assist parents:

[How to decide if a child is well enough to be at school or early learning – Ministry of Education](#)

If your child is going to be absent, remember to inform the school office as soon as possible.

Scholastic Lucky Book Club Issue 6

Issue 6, out now! It is packed with value

Order closing date Friday 04 September 2026 - [Peek inside Issue 6 click here](#)

\$5 discount code to redeem on our next Issue of Book Club.

Issue 5's reward points help expand our library collection by 27 new books, and give readers more choices. Thank you for your support!

Our school earns 15% of the order value in Scholastic Rewards for us to purchase more library books and educational resources. 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](#),

Welcome
to our new
Ākonga



Kenepuru Stream



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Daffodil Day 2026 - Get Your Yellow On!



Did you know that the daffodil represents hope? This August, Churton Park, is proud to support the Cancer Society's **Daffodil Day** to help look after Kiwi families dealing with cancer. We want to show our students that when a community works together, we can make a massive difference!

What we are doing: We are holding a **Bright Yellow Dress-Up Day**

When: Friday 28th August

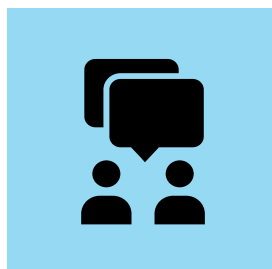
How to join in: Please send your child with a **yellow clothing item**, (their favourite yellow clothes), **wild hats**, or **fun accessories** on the day.

Please send a **gold coin donation** with your child to hand to their classroom teacher in the morning.

If you would prefer to donate online directly to our school's fundraising page, you can do so here: <https://www.daffodilday.org.nz/lynsey-burvill-team>

Thank you for your incredible generosity and for helping our tamariki make a real difference!

Learning Celebrations - Bookings Now Open In Hero



It is the time of the year when we celebrate the learning your child or children have done. Our Learning Celebrations are coming up and will be held on

Wednesday 2nd September- 3.15pm - 7.15pm
and

Thursday 3rd September - 3.15pm - 7.15pm

This is an opportunity for whānau, teachers and ākonga to come together to celebrate the learning and achievements that have been happening. It is a chance for your child to share what they have done and what they are proud of.

Bookings are now open in the Hero app.

Health, Safety & Wellbeing

Online GP care now free for ākonga 13 and under

With health services experiencing high demand, online GP care is an option for accessing care and the service is now free for all ākonga up to, and including, the age of 13.

Appointments usually take place through a video app or a phone call and the service can prescribe medicine and send prescriptions to your nearest pharmacy.

To learn more visit Online GP care: [Online GP care – Health New Zealand](#)

You can also find out more here: [Care options for you and your whānau](#) [PDF, 498 KB]

Stories from Pukehuia

Why we must conserve the Arctic!

We should all work together to protect the Arctic, before it's too late! The polar bears and the Arctic foxes who live there need urgent help from us to survive, in addition the world's climate needs the Arctic.

We need to conserve the Arctic because it's the habitat of lots of endangered animals. Can you imagine those poor Arctic foxes struggling to survive? Or those lovely bears stuck hoping someone could come and rescue them? Due to us polluting and producing smoke from factories, the animals are getting sick and unhealthy because of us!

We need to act NOW! To prevent damage, such as oil spills and global warming! Animals such as polar bears are going extinct because of our melting ice caps and storms. The food web is unbalanced too, so to stop them from getting extinct we need to take care of these animals!

Protecting the Arctic requires a lot of people. The most important thing is that we need to work together, it's our responsibility. The Arctic's changing climate affects all of us because it changes the water cycle. Therefore, we need to do whatever it takes to help the Arctic. Imagine if every single person on the planet just did one thing to save the Arctic!

So please! Help save the Arctic for good! Everyone should save this big frozen wasteland!

Benadee Room 15

We have been working on persuasive writing, in response to our class novel, *The Last Bear* by Hannah Gold. Check out this amazing example by Benadee.

Our class has been designing some costumes for our Showcase!

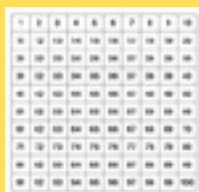


Rāwhiti are working hard, preparing for Showcase. We have been learning dances, songs, and how to work together to pull a performance together. We have been creating art to represent our theme of 'Pylons' and we are working on making adverts for our Showcase!



Ella . a dance educator from RNZB, came and taught us some choreography from their retelling of 'The Bomb', a book by Sasha Cotter.

It's going to be a great Showcase, make sure you come and check it out in Week 10!



Maths in Action



Mathswell Competition

Our Year 6 Mathswell team competed at Victoria University last week. Congratulations to the team for their great problem-solving, achieving 5th place in the Year 5/6 category.



Maths Week

"We had many challenges during Maths Week, including guessing the number of Lego pieces in a jar, building a number wall, and taking photos of maths around our school."



Special mention to Jeff, Ansley, Skylar, Oliver, Jocelyn, Ethan, Moka, Evelyn, L'ene, Elena, Aashi, Mahaia, Ayuni, Arielle, Diya, Vihaan, Ameek, Ella, Charlie, Ayan, Yolanda, Thea, Simran, Ari. We hope you enjoyed your hot chocolate!

Touch Rugby - Term 4 2026

If your child is interested in playing Touch Rugby for Churton Park School in Term 4 please register using the link below. The grades are Year 1/2, Year 3/4 and Year 5/6.

Games are played at Alex Moore Park in Johnsonville on Monday afternoons. The Term 4 module is 6 weeks long from 2nd November to 7th December 2026. Game times are between 3.30-6.00pm with the younger grades starting first followed by the older grades.

There is a cost for all players and this will be confirmed once players are registered and we finalise the teams.

All teams need a coach and manager so parent support is required.

Registrations close at 3pm on Friday 25th September. If you have any questions please contact Tracey Young on traceydyoung@gmail.com.

[Touch Registration Form](#)



Minipolo/Waterpolo - Term 4 2026



We are looking to see if there is any interest for Year 3-6 students to play Mini Polo/Water Polo in Term 4 of this year. Students must be confident in the water and be a competent swimmer.

Games will be played at the Wellington Regional Aquatic Centre in Kilbirnie on Friday afternoons. Games consist of two 10 minute halves, 6 children play at a time (1 goalie and 5 outfield players). There will be a cost to pay for team entry into the league and then a pool entry cost each week. Cost will be advised once we determine if we have enough interest to make a team. The shallowest depth of the pool is 1.2m deep.

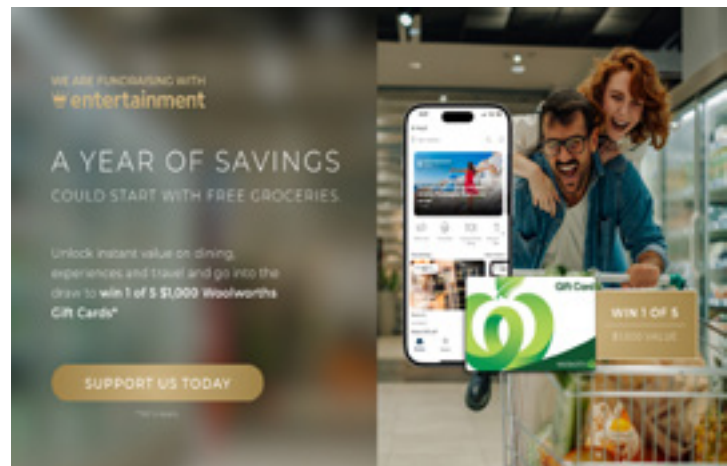
If your child is interested please complete this form.

[Waterpolo Registration Form](#)

Home & School Association Update

Fundraising Activities

Entertainment Memberships



Support our school and be in to win!

Purchase an Entertainment Membership and enjoy hundreds of discounts on dining, shopping, travel and more, while helping raise valuable funds for our school. For a limited time (1 – 31 July 2026), every new membership purchased will go into the draw to **win 1 of 5 Woolworths Gift Cards valued at \$1,000 each.**

To purchase visit [Entertainment](#), select join now and enter Churton Park School in the fundraiser box when you complete payment. Thank you for your support!

Internet Health & Wellbeing Presentation

We are selling tickets to this incredible presentation. Our school has 35 tickets to sell and a waitlist if our tickets are sold out. To order your tickets please complete this google form, we will add the amount due to your Hero account when tickets are confirmed. [John Parsons Tickets](#)



Are you a parent/guardian concerned about how your child uses the internet or mobile phone?

Cybercrime is a very real issue facing families in NZ, but there are easy practical steps to reduce the risk. **Te Remu o Tarikākā Cluster** invites you to a presentation on the issues associated with the inappropriate use of computers, mobile phones and the internet.

INTERNET HEALTH AND WELLBEING PRESENTATION

WITH JOHN PARSONS www.facebook.com/johnparsonss2e

New Zealand's leading authority on Safeguarding children online.

John is a published author and signed copies of his book **Keeping Your Children Safe Online** will be available on the day.

Venue: Cochran Hall (Cashmere Avenue School)

Date: Thursday 3rd of September

Start Time: 6:30pm

Cost: \$5 per ticket – please register through your school

www.citizen21.co.nz

Safeguarding children and adults online



TOPICS COVERED

Online grooming.
Sexting.
Cyber bullying.
Learning to repel & report.
Future proofing for employment.
Screen time.
Sleep.
Families that eat together heal together.

Educating young people to understand the value of identity is the first step to using ICT safely and ethically

Educating young people to respect and protect friends and family identity is the second step



Lost Property Mountain

Have you visited our hall foyer lately? We currently have a huge mountain of lost property waiting to be claimed! From cozy winter jackets to new sweatshirts, there are dozens of lonely items missing their owners.

Please pop by the hall foyer this week to check if any of your child's missing belongings are in the pile.

Help Us Help You:

Label Everything: Please write your child's full name clearly on all clothing tags.

Quick Returns: Labelled items never stay lost; we return them to classrooms.

Regular Sorts: Unlabelled items left at the end of term will be donated.

Thank you for helping us clear the clutter and get your gear back home!



School Donations

Thank you to the families who have made donations to our school.

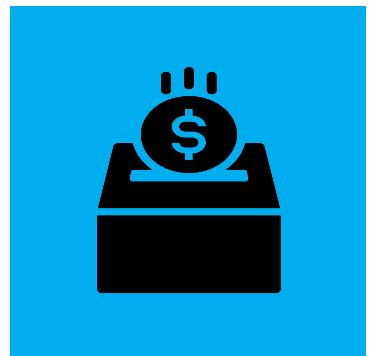
All donations are voluntary and qualify for a tax rebate. Receipts can be downloaded from Hero on your computer.

Because of our Equity Index Number (this replaced the decile system), the Ministry does not fund us fully and we rely

on fundraising and donations to run the school.

Donation information can be found on our website <https://www.churtonpark.school.nz/our-communication/school-donations/>

We thank you for your support. We now have EftPos available for payments in the office.



Football Rules Reminder

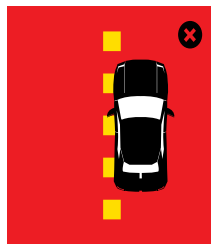
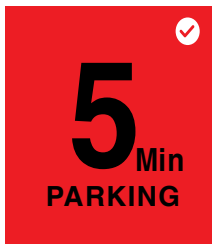
Fair play and fun are taking center stage on our school field & turf.

Students and staff recently collaborated to design a set of football rules, ensuring every match is safe, inclusive, and fair for players of all skill levels.

By agreeing on these guidelines together, our school community has created an environment where sportsmanship comes first and everyone gets a chance to shine. We love seeing our students show respect, teamwork, and integrity during every game.



Keeping Our Streets Safe and Accessible



Every week we remind everyone about the traffic around our school gates, we ask you to observe the road rules & signs so we can keep our tamariki safe arriving at school and getting home. Every week we get emails & phone calls from parents & neighbours complaining about people leaving their cars or waiting too long in the drop-off zone, waiting or parking on yellow lines, performing u-turns and stopping their cars

in the middle of the road to pick-up or drop-off their children or parking over neighbours driveways. We have been in touch with the Council & Police and all three of our school entrances will be randomly monitored and infringement notices will be issued if you are not following the rules. We are sure that nobody wants to pay a fine or waste valuable resources - there is an easy way to avoid further action - let's all follow the rules!

Churton Drive

The area directly at the front of the school is a **Pick-Up / Drop-Off Zone**.

This means you can not park your car in this area from **8am - 9am & 2.45pm - 3.30pm, drivers must not leave the vehicle**.

If your child has not come out in the allotted time, please move off and let others pick up their children. By the time you have gone around the block your child will be there waiting for you. If you would like to park your car and go to your child's class to collect your child, please use the parking space on the opposite side of the road where there is a **5 minute parking area** or park

further up the road and walk back to school.

Please do not park or wait on yellow lines or over our neighbours driveways (or in their driveways without their permission)!

We are doing our best to take care of your children safely so please do not be offended if you are asked by staff or our road patrol parents to move your vehicle.



Cranwell Street & Dormar Place

Cranwell Street and Dormar Place are very narrow at the ends where the school gates are located. The council have painted yellow lines around the cul-de-sac and these have been there for several years now.

Yellow lines mean you cannot for any reason stop or wait in this area. When cars are stopped on the yellow lines waiting for children this stops children having a clear view of the road to cross safely, stops cars being able to turn without reversing and

stops cars being able to leave the area safely.

Please do not park or wait on the yellow lines or over driveways, and remember that you must park your vehicle 1 metre from the end of a driveway.

ST BRIGID'S KAPA HAKA FESTIVAL

WHERE: NEWLANDS COLLEGE

WHEN: SATURDAY 19TH SEPTEMBER 2026

FESTIVAL STARTS WITH A PŌWHIRI AT
8.00AM

SAUSAGE SIZZLES, BAKE SALES, RAFFLES
AND MORE ON THE DAY

GOLD COIN ENTRY
CASH-ONLY EVENT



HOSTED BY

NGAIO SCHOOL

SOAR TO NEW HEIGHTS



**Cashmere
Avenue School**
Marae Roa o Khandallah

Is your child turning 5 in 2026 or 2027?



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:

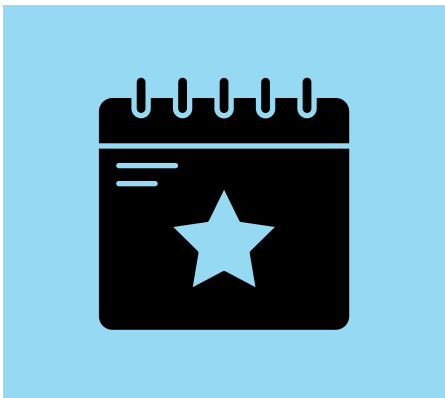
- Live In-Zone and have a new entrant child who turns 5 in 2026 and you are yet to pre-enrol with the school office
- If you live In-Zone but have a child attending another school but intend to enrol at Churton Park School in 2026
- If you live Out-of-Zone with a child enrolled at Churton Park School and have a child turning 5 in 2026 or 2027
- If you have a friend, family member or neighbour that does not receive these newsletters 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:



- Fri 28 August - Mihi Whakatau for our new whānau

- Fri 28 August - Daffodil Day
- Thur 3 September - Internet Health & Wellbeing Presentation - 6.30pm
Cashmere Ave School - Tickets \$5
- Learning Celebrations - Wed 2 & Thur 3 Sept, 3.15pm - 7.15pm
- Tue 8 September - Futsal tournament
- Sat 19 September - St Brigid's Kapa Haka Festival
- Tue 22 & Wed 23 Sept - Showcase - details to follow

- Fri 25 September - Touch Rugby Term 4 registrations close
- **Fri 25 September - End of Term 3**
- Mon 12 October - Start of Term 4
- Tue 20 October - school Athletics Day
- Mon 26 October - Labour Day holiday
- Tue 27 Oct - Staff Only Day
- Mon 2 Nov - Northern Zone Athletics

Contact School

Visit Website

Rāroa Normal Intermediate School

RĀROA NORMAL INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL
TE KURA WAENGA O RĀROA

EXPERIENCE THE VERY BEST OF EDUCATION FOR THE MIDDLE YEARS

Rāroa Normal Intermediate offers a high-quality learning environment within a supportive community, providing diverse opportunities in sports, arts, and leadership that help students build confidence, develop independence, and thrive both now and in their future education.

ENROL NOW FOR 2027

www.raroa.school.nz

Out of zone applications close 31 August 2026

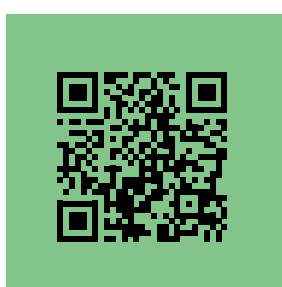


Finalist 2026

Save time order lunches online - new name, same suppliers

EZLunch.co.nz

School Lunches can be purchased online at ezlunch.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



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KELLY CLUB CHURTON PARK UPDATE

What's been happening...

Last week was full of fun with our **Kelly Club Rocks!** theme! The children enjoyed activities such as **Rock Cakes**, creating a **Kelly Club banner**, "Which Kid Is It?" and **Kelly Club Stars**.



What's happening in the Holidays!



THEME: Father's Day!

Term 3 Week 7, 31st August, 2024

Weekly Activities Plan
 Kelly Club - churton park

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
7:00 - 8:15 am	Paper Plane Camp & Structured Free Time	Card Making & Structured Free Time	Cap Towers & Structured Free Time	Dad's Trumpet & Structured Free Time	Homemade Cookies & Structured Free Time
8:15 - 8:30 am	Game: Simon Says	Game: Needle Tag	Game: Rab the Nest	Game: Staff Choice	Game: Wacky Relays
3:00 - 3:10 pm	Sign In & Structured Free Time	Sign In & Structured Free Time	Sign In & Structured Free Time	Sign In & Structured Free Time	Sign In & Structured Free Time
3:10 - 3:30 pm	Intro & Afternoon Tea Samosas & Fruit	Intro & Afternoon Tea Vege Dip Platter & Fruit	Intro & Afternoon Tea Mac & Cheese & Fruit	Intro & Afternoon Tea Samosas & Fruit	Intro & Afternoon Tea Homemade Cookies & Fruit
3:30 - 3:45 pm	Game: Frozen Tag	Game: All on One Side	Game: Midnight	Game: Seaweed	Game: Turkey Tag
3:45 - 4:30 pm	SPORT Dad's Ball Down	COOKING Dad's Burgers	CRAFT Kite Making	GAME Pin The Tie On Dad	DISCOVERY What's Missing?
4:30 - 4:35 pm	Tidy Up	Tidy Up	Tidy Up	Tidy Up	Tidy Up
4:35 - 4:50 pm	Snack Time Popcorn	Snack Time Baking	Snack Time Dried Fruit	Snack Time Croackers	Snack Time Vege Chips
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: Bam Bam Bam & Projects	Game: Catch the Dragon Tail & Projects	Game: Caterpillar Race & Projects	Game: Cloud Hopping & Projects	Game: Coin Rugby & Projects

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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: Bom Bom Bom & Projects	Game: Catch the Dragon Tail & Projects	Game: Caterpillar Race & Projects	Game: Cloud Hopping & Projects	Game: Coin Rugby & Projects



KELLY CLUB

SEPT/OCT 2026 HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

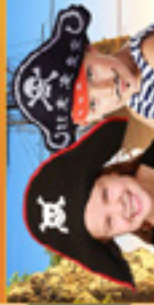
CHURTON PARK SCHOOL

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PROGRAMME
SUBSIDIES
AVAILABLE!

*Conditions apply

WEEK 1

Mon 28 Sep



ARRR ME HEARTIES!

Climb aboard and start the long voyage across the seven seas. Will you be a pirate on the ship or a mermaid under the water?

Tues 29 Sep



SECRET AGENT

Bring your detective skills to Kelly Club today. We are going to be putting your brain to the test with clues and clever obstacle courses! Can you solve the mysterious case?

Wed 30 Sep



TE PAPA MUSEUM

Join us for an awesome trip day to Te Papa Museum. Please bring lunch, drink bottle, jacket and shoes.

Extra \$12 for the day

Thurs 1 Oct



RACE THE CLOCK!

The name of the game today is speed. See what you can achieve in just 60 seconds with our wacky win in a minute challenges. Book in quick, the clock is ticking!

Fri 2 Oct



KIWIANA DAY

Celebrate who we are and all things New Zealand! Gumboots, Pavlova, Rugby, Ki o Rahi and more!

WEEK 2

Mon 5 Oct



A TRIP TO THE ISLANDS

Put on your flower lei as we take an imaginary trip around the islands. There is so much to see and explore!

Tues 6 Oct



WHEELS DAY

Bring your bikes, scooters or other wheels for races, obstacle courses and relays and then see what else you can make move. Please remember your helmet!

Wed 7 Oct



MINI GOLF

Join us for an awesome trip day to WellyPutt Mini Golf. Will you score a Hole in One? Please bring lunch, drink bottle, jacket and shoes.

Extra \$20 for the day

Thurs 8 Oct



CHILD VS WILD

Have you got what it takes to survive in the wild? Come and learn some tips and tricks at Kelly Club to have fun in the outdoors.

Fri 9 Oct



FUN-TASTIC FRIDAY

Get ready for silly games, crazy challenges, and non-stop fun! Step into our wacky world and let the adventures begin.

Pricing:

FULL WEEK: \$290

7:30am - 6:00pm

FULL DAY: \$61

7:30am - 6:00pm

HALF DAY: \$40

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

SCHOOL DAY: \$49

8:45am - 3:15pm

EVENT DAY: Extra \$12-\$20

(Not Included in Full Week)

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BOOK NOW AT

kellyclub.co.nz/churton-park

Further information:

www.kellyclub.co.nz/hp4info





HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

Mon 28 Sep – Fri 9 Oct

Join us for a fun-filled School Holiday Programme! Solve the mystery on our Secret Agent Day! Enjoy crafts, cooking activities, awesome games & Much more!

Some activities may need to be swapped for other exciting ones! Go online to check out a full, up-to-date timetable for your school.

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**Conditions apply*

BOOK ONLINE NOW AT
www.kellyclub.co.nz

SEPT/OCT 2026 HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

CHURTON PARK SCHOOL

A timetable and full programme information is available online or at the programme venue.

Who can attend: Children aged 5-13 yrs

General Information: We believe in giving children opportunities to do the things they love and enjoy in a supportive and encouraging environment. Our friendly staff are passionate about working with children. They are provided with training on behaviour management techniques, first aid and activity planning/delivery.

What do you need to bring: Shoes and appropriate clothing, jacket or sweatshirt, hat, drink bottle and food for morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea.

Payment details: Payment is required before the holiday programme begins. An invoice will be issued when a completed booking is received. All payment details will be included on the invoice.

Work and Income OSCAR Subsidy: Parents/caregivers that meet certain criteria will be able to access a WINZ subsidy to help cover the cost of our programme. For more information visit www.workandincome.govt.nz.

Please note: Every care will be taken to ensure the safety of your child/ren and their property. However, organisers of Kelly Club accept no liability for any injury sustained to your child/ren or any loss or damage to his/her property whilst at a programme. If your child/ren are collected late after the conclusion of the programme you will be charged \$20 per 15 minutes or part thereof.

Prices & Session Times:

Full Week: \$290 **Full Day:** \$61 **Event Day:** Extra \$12-\$20
7:30am – 6:00pm 7:30am – 6:00pm (Not Included in Full Week)

School Day: \$49 **Half Day:** \$40
8:45am – 3:15pm 7:30am – 12:30pm or 12:30pm – 6:00pm

Website: kellyclub.co.nz/churton-park

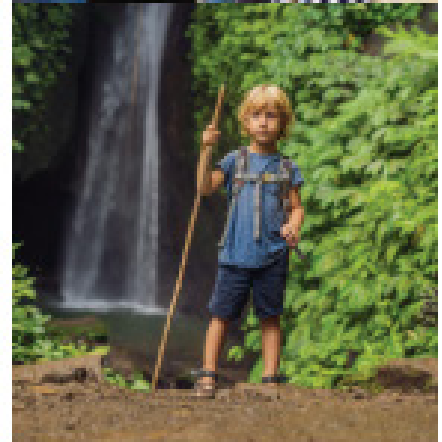
Contact: Angela Saju

Email: churtonpark@kellyclub.co.nz

Phone: 022 010 9972

Facebook: @KellyClubChurtonPark

Address: 90 Churton Drive, Churton Park



BOOK ONLINE NOW AT www.kellyclub.co.nz

Public Notices Section. 1

Murray Kitching Painting Ltd

**We will donate \$250 to Churton Park School for every house paint booked with us.
Just mention this ad.**

Murray Kitching Painting Ltd has been helping property owners and businesses transform their properties with quality painting and decorating services for 21 years.

Looking for a trusted local painter?

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Murray and his team of 3 are known for their professional workmanship, reliability, and attention to detail. Whether it's one room or a complete interior/exterior repaint, every job is completed with care & pride.

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021 276 7050



*Specialist in paint stripping and painting of old character homes, both interior & exterior

www.murraykitching.co.nz



WARM UP WINTER SPORTS

Term 3 Multi Sports Programme



CHURTON PK SCHOOL, STARTS WEDS 29TH JULY
WEDS FOR 8 WEEKS 3:05PM – 4:05PM

- ATHLETICS
- FOOTBALL
- TURBO TOUCH
- CRICKET

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WARM UP WINTER SPORTS

Our Winter Multi Sports Programme keeps your child active with a variety of sports (Cricket, Football, Turbo Touch, Athletics) helping them build skills, boost confidence and have fun during the colder months.

The sessions start On Wednesday 29 July 2026 and run for 8 weeks.

Go to www.kellysports.co.nz to enrol.



SUMMER SERIES

2026 SERIES 2027



FOOTBALL	NETBALL
5-A-SIDE	Samuel Marsden School & Karori Normal School
Jan Galloway Park, Wilton	
	

TEAM ENROLLMENTS NOW OPEN

T4 Fridays 16 Oct - 11 Dec 2026

T1 Fridays 29 Jan - 19 Mar 2027

REGISTER YOUR TEAM

> KELLYSPORTS.CO.NZ/FOOTBALL2026

> KELLYSPORTS.CO.NZ/NETBALL2026

1 summerseries@kellysports.co.nz

2 021 972 728

3 @KellySportsWellington

Public Notices Section. 2



**FRIDAY FUN FOOTBALL
TEAM COMPETITION**

**STARTS FRI 28 AUG, THE GREEN ROOM,
IAN GALLOWAY PARK, WILTON 4-6pm**

5-7 yr olds, 4-A-SIDE, \$250.00 FOR 5 WEEKS

GET YOUR TEAMS TOGETHER!! 

Kelly Sports

Come and join our experienced football coach Merrick for some:

FRIDAY FUN FOOTY in the GREENROOM,
WESTS RUGBY CLUBROOMS at Ian Galloway
Park, Wilton.

4 A-SIDE INDOOR FOOTBALL: AIMED AT 5-7
YR OLDS

MORE TOUCHES, MORE GOALS & MORE
CONFIDENCE!!

At Kelly Sports we focus on creating fun
programmes for kids that lead to greater skill
development.

4 A-SIDE FRIDAY FUN FOOTBALL

Dates: Fridays 28th August-25th Sept (last 5
weeks of term 3)

Times: 4-6pm

DURATION 2x13min halves (1min half time)

COST \$250 per team for the 5 weeks.

Never rained off.

On field coaching from the refs.

A perfect lead into the Summer Series Football
starting in Term 4

Homestay Families Required

Onslow College International is looking for families willing to host international students. This is a great opportunity for you and your whānau to learn about different cultures, and to offer our international students the opportunity to learn about Aotearoa, our culture, and to improve their English Language skills.

We need whānau who:

- Live in and around Wellington with close access to transport routes

- Are able to provide a warm home with a separate bedroom(s), bed, desk and storage

- A caring and supportive home environment where our students will thrive.

We offer competitive rates, \$380* per week (*\$410 in 2027), paid fortnightly.

Please sign up [here](#), or email homestay@onslow.school.nz if you would like to find out more.



INTERNATIONAL HOMESTAY

Now recruiting for Long Term and
Short Term Homestays



WOULD YOU LIKE TO HOST AN INTERNATIONAL STUDENT IN YOUR HOME?

We need whānau who:

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*\$410 per week in 2027

Interested? Have questions?

Please email homestay@onslow.school.nz

Our Public Notices Section. 3



Flutter

11-13th September
BATS theatre

QR code

PAYPA BATS takirua

TAHI 9-19 SEPTEMBER 2026
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DO YOU WANT TO TRY BMX RACING?

Keen to develop your riding skills?
Looking for a fun & family friendly club?
Come on down to our very own international-level track at Ian Galloway Park

SEASON OPENER SUNDAY 13TH SEPTEMBER 2026
(Train Off postponement date = 20th September)

HAVE A GO 9.30AM - 12 NOON
Club bikes, helmets and gloves available to have a go (FREE to participate)

GATES... anyone can
Join in the gates, open to all riders from 15am

SQORZ GATE WARS 11AM - 12 NOON
One hour to set your fastest gate time. Prizes available! Transponder REQUIRED.

RACING from 12.30pm
Everyone welcome! **SQORZ GATE WARS & RACING \$5**

TRAINING Thursday evenings (during daylight savings)

CLUB DAY Sunday mornings

Note: Please sign in at the Container upon arrival.

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TŪMANAKO! Children's Art
Works for a Peaceful World 2026

Kōtahi te kākano whakaaro,
he nui ngā hua o te rākau houhou rongo
One seed of thought grows the forest of peace

Artwork submission by 27 July Exhibition on 14 August
More info & registration: www.sginz.org/tumanako

We are excited to share with you our annual Tūmanako! Hope! Children's Art Exhibit is ready for viewing starting 15 August, Saturday. We have awesome art created by tamariki in Wellington. Here are the details:

TŪMANAKO! HOPE! Children's art. Works for a peaceful world

Where: Waitohi hub, lower ground Johnsonville library

When: 15 August - 6 September. (during library hours)

This is the 11th year of running Tūmanako - Children's Art. Works for a Peaceful World ...

This year's theme is: Kōtahi te kākano whakaaro, he nui ngā hua o te rākau houhou rongo : One seed of thought grows the forest of peace...

Organised by SGINZ, this is a community event encouraging young ones (under 18) to express their creativity and share their aspirations for a peaceful, inclusive, and nuclear-free world...

Come on down to Waitohi and spend some time viewing the art.

The exhibition is open to the public and free to attend.

Public Notices Section. 4

LEARN MUSIC IN-SCHOOL!!!

LEARN: Guitar, Ukulele, Drums, Keyboard – or try them all in our Intro to Music class (Y1–2)**
GROUP LESSONS: Up to 5 students, with personalised teaching & fun with mates.
INTERACTIVE WORKBOOKS: Created by our musicians for easy at-home practice.

\$225 PER TERM*
YOU'LL LEARN ON OUR MUSIC BUS OR IN A SCHOOL SPACE
VISIT: WWW.GTMA.CO.NZ

**DID YOU KNOW YOUR KIDS CAN LEARN
MUSIC HERE DURING THE
SCHOOL DAY !?!**



**Goodtime
MUSIC ACADEMY**

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Helping Kids Discover What They Can Achieve

At Bigair Gym, children don't just learn gymnastics—they develop confidence, resilience, coordination, focus, and life skills that benefit them at school, in sport, and beyond.

With fun, structured classes for every age and ability, every child has the opportunity to learn new skills, achieve goals, and experience the pride that comes with success.

Find the Perfect Class;

Crashmat Kids (Walking–4 yrs) A fun introduction to movement, coordination & gymnastics.

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Cheerleading (5+ yrs) Tumbling, dance, stunts, jumps, routines & teamwork.
Tumbling (5+ yrs) Learn walkovers, handsprings, flips & more.

Give your child the opportunity to learn, achieve, and thrive at Bigair Gym.

Book online today at www.bigairgym.co.nz — classes available at Tawa, Owhiro Bay & Kapiti.

Email Big Air Gym

Book online for Term 3

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C. 04 232 3508,

E. office@bigairgym.co.nz

A. 10b Surrey Street, Tawa.

Public Notices Section. 5



Brownies
is your place to explore!

From outdoor adventures to crafts, challenges, teamwork and badges - every week experience something new.

Let's try it together!

 Girl Guiding
New Zealand

Brownies

Exciting news!

Spaces are available in the local area for 7 - 9 ½ year old girls to be part of Girl Guiding.

- Newlands Brownies meet on Tuesdays, 6.00pm - 7.30pm at the Newlands Community Centre
- Ohariu Brownies meet on Wednesdays, 6.15pm - 7.45pm at the Churton Park School Hall, 90 Churton Drive, Churton Park.
- Johnsonville Brownies meet on Thursdays, 5.00pm - 6.30pm at the Johnsonville Guide Hall, 87 Broderick Rd, Johnsonville

If you know a girl who would love to get outdoors, learn new skills, be active in the community, challenge themselves, and make new friends, then get in touch!

Fill out the enquiry form on the GGNZ website at <https://girlguidingnz.org.nz/find-a-unit/> (scroll down to the form) and indicate which unit you'd like to try.

We'll invite you along for a free visit to see what you think.

Collective[©]



**CHURTON PARK
OPEN MIC
NIGHT**

Come and share
your stories
and talents

Saturday, 12th September at 4pm
Churton Park Community Centre

To book a slot email Hannah at hannahp1190@gmail.com

All ages welcome – Free entry!

Another community event
proudly sponsored by

TEAM
CHURTON

**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
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HOLIDAY WRITING WORKSHOP

Learn the **secrets** of writing
great stories
from an
award-winning
author

- 3 day writing camp for ages 9-14
- 1 day workshop for ages 7-10

Meet your presenter:

Maria Gill

The award-winning author of books including 'Epic NZ Adventurers' and 'A Flame in the Dark'.



"I loved meeting other young authors and learning awesome techniques that will help my writing."
Gabriella (14)

"It made writing easier for me and explained aspects of stories I didn't really understand."
Anna (12)



Andy Griffiths says...

"I wish this camp had been around when I was a young writer!"



Where: Crofton Downs Primary School
Chartwell Drive, Crofton Downs, Wellington, 6035
When: 29 Sep to 1 Oct 2026

Register now at:
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Public Notices Section. 7



Wellington Puppetry Festival

Vogelmorn Bowling Club
18 - 20 September 2026

FREE Junk Puppet Carnival:
Roving puppets, Junk Puppet making, Games, Music, Cafe and more

Saturday Evening Cabaret:
"Pea Soup and Puppets for Peace"
Commissioned work, Dinner, Stand-up Puppets, and more
• Student/CSC discounts

Ticketed Shows:
Throughout the weekend
\$12 for all ages

Workshops for Adults:
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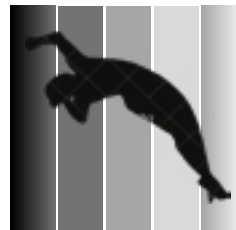
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WELLINGTON SCHOOL DIVING CHAMPS

19TH SEPTEMBER 2026
WELLINGTON REGIONAL AQUATIC CENTRE



WHO IS IT FOR?

Anyone who attends Primary, Intermediate, or Secondary School in the Wellington Region. No diving experience needed!

FREE LEARN-TO-DIVE SESSIONS:

There will be **free** learn-to-dive training sessions held on Tuesdays (4pm-5pm) and Saturdays (11am-12pm) from the 25th August till the event. (Pool entry not included)

SIGN UP HERE!



CATEGORIES:

- PRIMARY (AGE 6+)
- INTERMEDIATE
- NOVICE HIGH SCHOOL
- COMPETITIVE HIGH SCHOOL

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