



CHURTON PARK SCHOOL

Newsletter No. 27

Term 4 Week 4

4th November 2020

Deputy Principals Corner – te iwi tahi tatou – we are one family...

Kia ora, ni hao, malo e lelei, talofa lava, kia orana, namaste and greetings to everyone.

New structure

As Matt mentioned in the last newsletter the structure of the school is going to look different in 2021. Below is the structure:

Hubs	Classes	Location when building project complete
Hub 1/2	Year 1 3 classes Year 2 2 classes	Kenepuru Stream Punga Grove
Hub 3/4	Year 3/4 6 classes	Totara Ridge
Hub 5/6	Year 5 2 classes Year 6 2 classes	Pukehuia

For those who are unfamiliar with the names of the learning spaces here they are

Kenepuru Stream - Yr 0/1 learning space

Punga Grove - the building that previously was Rm 1-4

Totara Ridge - the new two storied building

Pukehuia - this will be the refurbished Rm 14- 17

Keeping Safe

This term the children will be learning about keeping themselves safe. It is a timely reminder to talk to your children about what they should do if you are late in picking them up.

The Yr 0/1s are released to their parent or caregiver directly. If your child is unable to find you they should return to their teacher or go to the office where someone will help them. If you find a child (not your own) who is unsure of what they are doing regarding pick up please return them to their home teacher.

Some exciting times are ahead for the following people and we send our congratulations to

Ben Glue - Ben and his wife Chelsea are expecting their first child early in 2021

Lynsey Burvill - Lynsey and her husband Mike are expecting their third child early in 2021

Peter Sim - Peter and his fiancée Jo are getting married over the summer break

Such happy times ahead for them all and we wish them the best.

Liz

Coffee and Chat with Matt

The next coffee and chat will be held on Wednesday 11th November at 9 am in the (temporary) staffroom. The last Coffee and Chat for the year is set for Tuesday 1st December. All welcome and look forward to catching up.



Northern Zone Athletics

Congratulations and well done to all the students who represented our school at the Northern Zone competition at Newtown Park on Monday, 2nd November. Thank you to all the parents who came along and cheered everyone on and helped out.

Home & School Association Pie Orders

Many thanks to all the parents who have ordered pies – this year we have sold 344 pies! The pies will be delivered to your child's classroom tomorrow, Thursday 5th November. If you have a large order please make sure you have made arrangements for your child to get them home safely!



 **SCHOOL
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ELECTIONS**

Churton Park School - School Board of Trustees Election – Nominations Close this Friday at 12 Noon

Nominations are open for the election of 3 parent representatives to the board of trustees.

All eligible voters were emailed a nomination form and a notice calling for nominations – you can use this form to nominate yourself or someone in your community.

If you need more nomination forms, contact the school office.

Nominations close at noon on Friday 6th November 2020. You may provide a signed candidate statement and photograph with your nomination.

The electoral roll is held at the school and can be viewed during normal school hours.

As nominations are received, there will be a list of candidates' names kept at the school up until election day, which you can view.

Voting closes at 4pm on 9th December 2020.

Signed Adrienne Hilton

Returning Officer

Out Of Zone Enrolments for 2021 – Close tomorrow

The Board has determined that up to 10 places at Year 1 level are likely to be available for out of zone students next year. The exact number of places will depend on the number of applications received from students who live within the school's home zone.

For students seeking enrolment the deadline for receipt of applications for out of zone places is **5th November**.

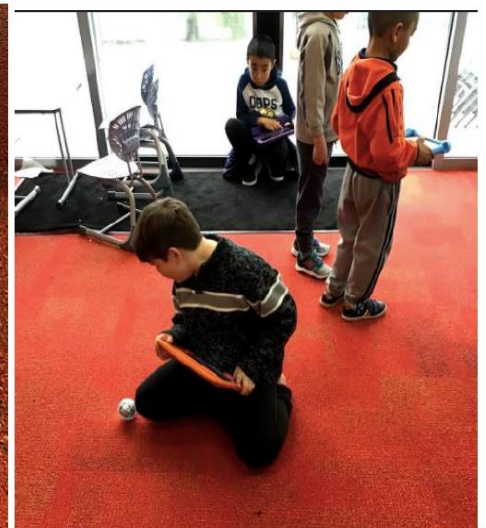
Parents of students who live within the home zone and intend enrolling their child at any time during the next year should notify the school by **5th November** to assist the school to plan appropriately for next year. Students who live in the home zone are entitled to enrol at the school.

If the number of out of zone applications exceeds the number of spaces available, students will be selected by ballot. If a ballot for out of zone places is required, it will be held on **6th November**. Parents will be informed of the outcome of the ballot within three school days of the ballot being held.



Spheros in Team Ngahere

In Team Ngahere we have been learning how to use the spheros. Spheros are small, round robots that we can control using the iPads. We have learnt how to drive them and now we are working on coding them. We will learn how to make them light up, talk and follow instructions.





A REMINDER... In Term 4 all our children need to be wearing sunhats, so if you don't have a school sunhat please purchase one from the school office. They have the letter of the school house your child belongs to on the front, and they cost \$15. **MAKE SURE** you name them, and it's also a great idea to put some elastic across them so they stay on heads - even in the Wellington wind!

Wellington Diving Club turns 30 – Star Wars meets springboard diving at Kilbirnie Pool

Wellington Diving Club is turning 30 and to celebrate we're putting on a spectacular display & show that will be hugely entertaining!

Saturday, 14th November – 11.00am

Free entry **plus** vouchers for all spectators for a free Sunday have-a-go session.

Trial Lessons also available throughout Term4 – Tues, Wed, Thurs (4pm) or Saturday 10.15am. T&C's apply.

For more information please call Barbara on 027 485 8888 or <https://wellingtondiving.org.nz/contact>

Lost Property

If your child is missing any clothing items, please get them to check the Lost Property box which is in the Hall foyer. We have a large number of unnamed items in the box. Any items left at the end of the term will be donated to a local charity.

Secondhand Uniform Event

Drop off used uniforms

Newlands Intermediate and Newlands College uniforms only – clean and in good condition.

Drop off at St Michael's Anglican Church, 196 Newlands Road

- Tuesdays until Dec 15th: 3:30-6pm
- Further dates in Jan TBC

Buy secondhand

Wed 13th and Thurs 14th of Jan
6:30 - 8pm

Items priced at \$5, \$10, \$15.
Cash sales only.

All proceeds will go to the Newlands Foodbank.

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