



CHURTON PARK SCHOOL

Newsletter No. 7

Term 1 Week 7

15th March 2023

Admin Corner – te iwi tahi tatou – we are one family...

Empowering Connected Lifelong Learners

- **Teachers Strike – School will be closed to all students on Thursday 16th March** while teachers take strike action. Thank you for your support.
- **Communications** – *For clarity and transparency I think it's important for me to share my expectations for teachers regarding communication and emails. I expect teachers to be checking or responding to emails between 8 am and 5 pm on weekdays. Considering teachers are fully engaged in teaching between 9 am and 3 pm a response time of up to 48 hours can be expected. I want our teachers to spend as much time as they can on their core role of educating your children. Also, please remember to communicate with our teacher in a respectful way, we are all working together in a partnership for the benefit of your children.*
Matt Stanley Principal
- **Mihi Whakatau** – Coming up on Tuesday 21st March. Invitations have been sent home to our new families.
- **Family Fun Night** – The new date for the Family Fun Night will be Friday 24th March 5-7pm. Let's hope the weather holds for next Friday 24th March so we can have Family Fun Night. There will be pizza, drinks, lollies, a bouncy castle and the magic man himself with his ice cream truck. Cash only, and if you'd like to support the year 6 students camp fundraising, there's also a sausage sizzle.
- **Learning Conferences – 28th & 29th March 3.15pm – 7.15pm** – to book your interview time visit www.schoolinterviews.co.nz and enter the code: **zbdex**.
- **Road Patrol Help** – We are still looking for volunteers to help with road patrol on Thursday afternoons. Please contact mareeg@churtonpark.school.nz for more information or to volunteer.
- **Saturday Netball** - Year 3,4,5 and 6 students who would like to play Saturday netball this winter for CPS - registrations need to be in to Mrs Goodall by Friday 17th March so teams can be registered.
- **Scholastic Book orders** – orders close 22nd March. To order and pay for books visit mybookclub.scholastic.co.nz.
- **Swimming Sports** - Year 4-6 students who would like to enter the CPS Swimming Sports, entries are due to Mrs G by Friday 24th March. See your teacher for an entry form if you need a new one.
- **Year 5 & Year 6 Kiwi Competitions** – Entry forms were sent home last week. Entries close **Thursday 6th April**. Please make payments to the school bank account ASB 123223-0105516-00 with your child's name & Kiwi comp in the reference.
- **End of Term 1 – Thursday 6th April**