



CHURTON PARK SCHOOL

Newsletter No. 22

Term 3 Week 9

16th September 2020

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

Ngā mihi nui ki a koutou katoa. Greetings to you all. We are celebrating Te Wiki o te Reo Māori this week.

Alert Levels

As you will know, we continue to be at Alert Level 2 until 11.59 pm on Monday 21 September. Our community is continuing to take COVID-19 seriously through using the COVID tracer App, staying away if they are sick, seeking medical advice and getting tested if recommended to do so. Thank you all, for your efforts.

While we are doing the right things, it is important that we continue to pay attention to the right information. Misinformation is designed to create panic, fear and confusion. Check your source. Get the real deal from the [Ministry of Health](#) or [Unite Against COVID-19](#) websites. The Ministry of Education also provides information for schools and early learning services including specific information for [parents and caregivers](#).

Our knowledge of COVID-19 is developing quickly. But misinformation spreads further and faster. Be part of the solution. Don't share posts or stories if you're not sure if they're true or aren't from trusted sources like the Ministry of Health or Unite Against COVID-19 websites.

Term 3

It's hard to believe term 3 is coming to a close and the end of the year will be upon us before we know it. Thank you once again for your continued support during this unusual year. We are noticing that many of the students seem more tired than usual at the end of this term. This is to be expected with such an unprecedented year so far. They are looking forward to the end of term break and a chance to refresh and recharge.

Open Day

Due to still being at Alert level 2, we will reschedule our open day for term 4.

Coffee & Chat

Due to still being at Alert level 2, the Coffee & Chat session scheduled for Monday is now cancelled. The next Coffee & Chat dates are Tuesday 20 October, Wednesday 11 November & Tuesday 1 December.



Āraia te kino and protect yourself, your whānau and your whakapapa.

Ngā mihi

Matt



HEADS UP FOR OUR TEACHER ONLY DAY NEXT TERM

While it seems a long way away now, next term will soon be upon us and this is an important date for you to note now. **TEACHER ONLY DAY** is scheduled for **FRIDAY 23rd October** so the school will not be open that day and you will need to make alternative arrangements for your children.



WELCOME TO OUR CHURTON PARK SCHOOL FAMILY.....



Has turned 5 & joins Team Tui



Joins Blake Team



Year 6 Camp – Parent Information Evening – Tonight!

This will be held on Wednesday 16th September Upstairs in Totara Ridge. We will give you an outline of the programme and answer your questions. The meeting will begin at 6pm. We hope to see you there.

Leanne, Peter, Hannah and Maree

Hillary Team Book Week



Hillary team are so excited to be heading to Level 1 next week and we want you to join us in celebrating. It is perfect timing as we are having book week with a parade on Thursday 24th of September. We have really missed having regular contact with the whanau of our students and are looking forward to seeing you all again.

When: Thursday 24 September from 11.45am – 12.30pm

Full details of the day and the Dress Up Parade are included on the attached flyer.



Disco:

The school disco is coming up on Friday 16th October and will be held at Raroa Intermediate. More details coming home soon.

Pies Update:

Kia ora e te whānau,

Following last week's newsletter we received a bit of feedback that many families would prefer to stick with Centa pies family-sized pie. So, we will - this means pies will be available mid term four, with orders not long after we come back, with final orders in around 23 Oct and delivery in early November. Perfect in the run up to Xmas once we're all tired of juggling end of year stuff and cooking!

Forms will come out the first week of term 4.

I hope you get a break over the holidays. I think we're all a bit tired!!

Nashwa

Term 3 Policy Review

- Learning Support

Please take some time to review this policy. The review will be open until Friday 25 September.

Instructions for reviewers

1. Follow the [link](#)
 - a. Username: churtonpark
 - b. Password: learningforlife
2. Read the policy.
3. Click the red Policy Review icon at the right-hand top corner of the page. A new screen will appear.
4. Select your role (board member or parent/caregiver) from the drop-down list.
5. Enter your name (optional).
6. Submit your ratings and comments.





Team Ngahere

Rooms 3, 4, 6, 7 and 8 have ended their playground Inquiry with constructing 3D models of their playground designs.



Whitby Collegiate Open Day Sunday 20 September 11a.m. to 1p.m.

Whitby Collegiate is the first co-educational, independent school in the Wellington region for Years 7-13. We believe in small classes, big thinking, individual attention and collective responsibility - all focused on helping children be the very best that they can be, in every aspect of their lives. There are easy transport links to school as our buses collect students from the Hutt Valley, Johnsonville, Churton Park, Tawa and Aotea, and connect with the train for students travelling from the Kapiti Coast.

Our Open Day is an opportunity for you to come along and enjoy a tour of our campus. To register for our Open Day visit our website whitbycollegiate.school.nz or call us on 04 234 1070.



KELLY CLUB CHURTON PARK OCT HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

Kelly Club Churton Park Holiday Programmes focus on giving children aged between 5 and 12 the opportunity to do things they enjoy in a safe, supportive and encouraging environment.

This programme are packed with activities to entertain and inspire children. We have some exciting days planned: **Pirate Day, Wheels Day, Safari Day plus trips to Laser Force, Wellington Zoo, Awesome Bounce and we are off the see the Secret Garden Movie!**

Click on the link to see the activity planner - [Kelly Club Churton Park Activity Planner](#)

To enrol www.kellyclub.co.nz, email churtonpark@kellysports.co.nz or ph. 022 010 9972



FOOTBALL MORNING HOLIDAY PROGRAMME (Yrs. 1-6) Wests Rugby Clubrooms, Wilton (all weather indoor surface).

Children aged between 5 and 12 can come along and improve their technique, knowledge and skills. We will focus on the core skills of control, dribbling, passing, tackling and shooting but MOST importantly having as much FUN as possible!

Week 1 - Tues, Wed, Thurs 9.30am-12.30pm, **Week 2** – Tues, Weds, Thurs 9.30am-12.30pm

NETBALL HOLIDAY PROGRAMME – NORTHLAND MEMORIAL HALL (NEW VENUE!)

Come along and grow your child's confidence at the Kelly Sports Netball Holiday Programme.

Years 1-4 - Learn the basic fundamentals of netball in a fun and engaging environment. Learn the key skills and understanding of the game, ball handling, co-ordination, speed and accuracy.

Years 5-8 - For those already playing 7-a-side netball and those wanting to get a head start and advance their technical and tactical knowledge of the game.

We use fun drills and games to develop and challenge young players focusing on the key skill areas for their level of development while also having fun!

Week 2 - Tues, Weds, Thurs 9am-12pm.

For full details and to enrol into our programmes

visit www.kellysports.co.nz email adminwqtn@kellysports.co.nz or call 04 972 7201.

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Netball Results – Saturday 12 th September	
CPS Lightning	Won 7-3
CPS Chargers	Won 12-7
CPS Swifts	Drew 5 all
CPS Bullets	Won 3-2
CPS Cheetahs	Lost 10-1

Miniball Results – 15 th September	
Churton Stars	Lost 32-4

