



CHURTON PARK SCHOOL

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Term 4 Week 9

9th December 2020

Year 6's Corner – te iwi tahi tatou – we are one family...

Dear Parents and Guardians

Tyler: As Year 6 Student Councillors we would like to say thank you on behalf of all the Year 6's who are leaving Churton Park School this year.

Kate: We are saying thank you to all the amazing teachers for teaching us over our six years and helping us grow and learn so much while we have been students here.

Tyler: We are thankful for the new buildings because, even though it is taking a while, it is well worth the wait.

Kate: We are thankful to all the parent helpers who helped us on trips and sporting events because without them, we wouldn't be able to go on all the cool trips and have the awesome experiences we had. It's not just the parents who helped on trips though, it's also all the parents who have helped us in between like with Road Patrol, sports coaching and attending meetings to learn about our school.

Tyler: We are thankful for all the other students at this amazing school who have helped us along the way. They have taught us a lot of things including the true value of friendship and teamwork.

Kate: Thank you to the Home and School association for fundraising for our school and making cool events like family fun nights and the school disco. Your hard work meant we have been able to buy some wonderful resources to help our learning as well.

Tyler: We are thankful to the Board of Trustees for approving things like camp so that we can do EOTC (education outside the classroom) and have a really fun time. We thank them for working with Mr. Stanley to make decisions for our school.

Kate: All the Year 6's will be very sad to be leaving CPS. We've had the most wonderful time at this school. Thank you to everyone who has been part of our journey.

Tyler: Lastly, we want to thank our parents who have supported us on this amazing journey. They have given us their advice, guided us when we needed it and shared their wisdom with us. We are very lucky that we are now prepared for Year 7. Thank you everyone for an amazing time at the awesome school.

Tyler Naughton and Kate Cooper
Student Councillors of Year 6



YEAR 6 LEAVERS GRADUATION
THURSDAY 10th DECEMBER 7- 8.30pm
AT NEWLANDS INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL HALL.
PLEASE BRING A PLATE OF FOOD TO SHARE FOR SUPPER.
Students to be there by 6.45pm in tidy dress.

Last day of Term 4 is Tuesday 15th December at 12.30pm

Wellington City Mission Pack the Bus

Thank you for all your kind donations. What a great way to spread good wishes and happiness to others. You have all made so many Christmas' more special than they might have been after this challenging year.



Road Patrol helpers

We thank the one parent who has volunteered for Road Patrol duty for Term 1 2021. We still need four more parents to cover the other four afternoons of the week. Easy but essential job to ensure our students can safely cross the road. All the job entails is being present at 2.55pm one afternoon per week to ensure the Road Patrols are on task. The job usually ends at approximately 3.15pm. If you can't do every week but would be able to job share with another parent we would love to hear from you. Please email mareeg@churtonpark.school.nz
Many thanks for your consideration.

School Choir In Action This Friday Evening

Our school choir will be performing this Friday evening, 11th December, at the Churton Park Christmas Carols at Amesbury School from 6.30pm. Thank you to Tania Horton for all her work getting the choir ready.



Swimming

All children will take part in a swimming programme during term 1 2021. We will be sending permission forms and further information regarding costs home when school returns next year.

CHINESE NEW YEAR 2021

Early in Term 1 we would like to celebrate Chinese New Year at school. Chinese New Year begins on Friday 12 February 2021 and we would like to celebrate it on Monday 15 February. It would be great to have parents involved in various activities like crafts, food or performances.



If you would like to be involved or are able to offer a hand on the day, could you please email us before the end of the term. We will then contact you in late January and we will organise a meeting to plan this celebration.

Our emails are lizm@churtonpark.school.nz, mareeg@churtonpark.school.nz

Chromebooks for Year 4 2021

Our ICT technicians need to install a management console to any **new** Chromebooks before they can be used at school. This console allows teachers to monitor and provide students with work.

Dates for installation:

Wednesday 27th, Thursday 28th and Friday 29th of January. Please drop the Chromebooks into the office between 9 am - 12 pm. It is important **both the bag and Chromebook are labelled with your child's name**. A label maker is perfect for this job if you have one.

They can be picked up from the office from 9 am on 2 February or your child can collect on the first day of school.

<https://www.churtonpark.school.nz/our-school/byod/>

Could you please fill in the survey below to help us plan for next year?

<https://forms.gle/Rkg1z4WZaENhxVoMA>



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When I grow up I want to be a...

Anisha - Primary School Teacher, Tane - Zoologist, Enesh - Work for SpaceX, Aadarsh - White Hat Hacker (Hacks Hackers), Yuvin - Professional Cricket Player, Mya - Primary School Teacher, Fernando - Cartoonist, Lauren - Chicken Farmer, Jayden - Swim and carry on my Dad's computer job, Yenul - Lawyer, Joseph - Artist, Zavier - Actor, Aurora - Teacher/Flight Attendant, Keeley - Paediatrician, Sara - Architect & Interior Designer, Dylan - Volcanologist, Emma - Veterinarian, Charlotte - Olympic Swimmer, Sophie - Professional Dancer - Royal NZ Ballet, Niyumi - Playground Tester, Michael - Meteorologist, Orion - Cricketer, Eilidh - Detective, Mitchell - Lego Master, Luke - Footballer, Alex - Professional Guitarist, Thomas - Cricket Player, Mr Sim - Youtuber, Zain - Animator, Conor - McDonalds, Jeshna - Cook, Sienna - Photographer, Arya - Doctor, Kyra - Interior designer for treehouses, Zitong - Fashion Designer, Sofia - Artist, Jack - Cricket Player, Katelyn - Influencer, Erin - Salon Owner, Vanessa - Doctor, Pranavi - Designer, Christina - Piano Teacher, Mio - Netballer, Ethan - Youtuber, Ahana - Violinist, Anderson - Football player, Olivia - Electronic fixer, Azzy - Football player, Henry - Programmer, Aden - Youtuber, Genevye - Accountant, Courtney Jane - Interior Decorator, Anushka - Artist, Brooke - Horse Trainer, Ridthwan - Youtuber, Panshul - Pilot, Brendon - Zoologist, Sophie - Interior Designer, Ash - Zoologist, Campbell - Rugby Player, Sofia D - Entymologist, Livy - Farmer, Abi - Teacher, Tasha - Clothes Designer, Evie - Property Investor, Eva - Chef, Priscilla - Cabin Crew, Belle - Physiotherapist, Corin - Writer, Claire - Builder, Matthew - Designer, Jacob - Architect, Kate - Theatre Director, Tyler - Zoologist.



We want to take this opportunity to thank each of you, and your families, for your contribution to Churton Park School life. We wish you all the very best as you pursue your dreams.





PARKING!!!! PARKING!!!! PARKING!!!!

This is an urgent message and plea to all parents/caregivers who are picking students up from school. The congestion and inconsideration of many drivers has meant irate neighbours, danger to other drivers and significant hazards for our students.

You must not double park under any circumstances, stop on yellow lines or block driveways of neighbours properties in Churton Drive, Dormar Place & Cranwell Street. If you cannot find an immediate park please drive up or down the road and find a park elsewhere. Students are fit and healthy and can spot your car from afar and are quite capable of walking to vehicles. Sometimes delaying your pick up time till 3.10pm could mean you get a much closer park and gives students time to get down the driveway. Please make sure you cross the road at the pedestrian crossing.

Headlice

Once again there are numerous cases of headlice in the school. Please check your child's hair on a regular basis and treat immediately. The local chemist is available to advise on the correct products to use. School holidays are a great time to get on top of this.



LOST PROPERTY



We have a large container of lost property in the office foyer which needs to go to its rightful home by the end of the term. Please come and look and see if your child has lost anything or send your child to check for themselves. There are lovely raincoats, jackets, sweatshirts etc that if not claimed will go to the charity shop in the holidays. As items have not been named we cannot return them to their rightful owner. Your help would be much appreciated.



**The school office will open again on Wednesday 27th January.
We look forward to welcoming all our returning students and families on the
3rd February next year.**

**MERI KIRIHIMETE – NGA MIHI O TE TAU HOU
HAVE A WONDERFUL HOLIDAY EVERYONE.**

It has been a pleasure having you as part of our school family this year.

Term 1 2021 begins – Wednesday 3rd February 9am

**THANK YOU TO THESE BUSINESSES WHO SUPPORT OUR
SCHOOL NEWSLETTER – PLEASE SUPPORT THEM AND
LET THEM KNOW YOUR BUSINESS HAS COME FROM THIS
NEWSLETTER.**



Whakatauki: Ma whero ma pango ka oti ai te mahi - with red and black the work will be complete