



NEWSLETTER 6 · FRIDAY 28TH APRIL 2023

# CHERTSEY SCHOOL

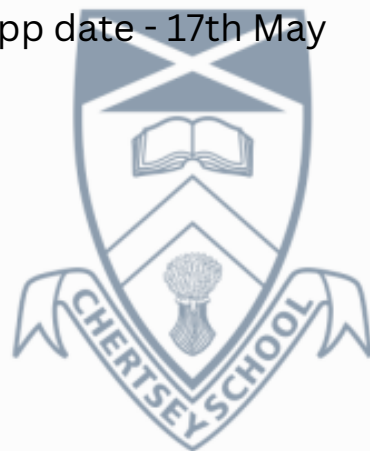
## FROM THE PRINCIPAL...

Welcome back to another term at Chertsey School. Our tamariki are excited to be back at school and have had a fantastic start to the term. We have an exciting plan for Social Science and Science centered around Matariki as our Theme. We will also be implementing the new Aotearoa Histories Curriculum this term. There is lots to look forward to, as you can see below we will finish with our annual Matariki Whānau Celebration. E tū Chertsey School! Lets get ready for a super fun, engaging term.

**Ngā mihi nui, Ms Claire.**

## Important Dates

- **Wednesday 26th April** - Students first day back at school for Term 2
- **Monday 1st May** - Room 3 EPro8 Challenge at school
- **Saturday 6th May** - King Charles 111 Coronation
- **Sunday 7th May** - Home & School Fundraiser @ Chertsey Motorcross
- **Friday 5th May** - Home and School AGM - All Welcome!
- **Mon 8th - Fri 12 May** - Whole School Swimming at EA Networks.
- **Wednesday 10th May** - Room 3 Music Festival Practice in Ashburton.
- **Sunday 14th May** - Mother's Day & **Home and School Fundraiser**
- **Tuesday 16th May** - Cross Country @ Chertsey School (pp date - 17th May)
- **Thursday 18th May** - **BOT MEETING 6PM**
- **Friday 19th May** - **ASSEMBLY**
- **Thursday 25th May** - Rippa Tournament Room 3
- **Friday 2nd June** - **Staff Only Day - No School**
- **Monday 5th June** - **King's Birthday - No School**
- **Friday 9th June** - **ASSEMBLY**
- **13th -15th June** - Music Festival
- **21st & 22nd June** - IEP Meetings
- **Saturday 24th June** - MATARIKI MIDWINTER DANCE
- **Thursday 29th June** - Chertsey School Whanau Matariki Celebration & **ASSEMBLY**
- **Friday 30th June** - Last day of Term 2 & Reports Home





# IMPORTANT NOTICES

- **Pool Closure-** The swimming pool is now closed for all users until Term 4. All pool keys must be returned to the school office.
- **School uniforms-** If your child was sent home in a spare school uniform, please return all items to school. We are running very low on spare uniforms at school. Any small uniform items that you no longer need are much appreciated.
- **Swimming -** The whole school will be swimming at EA Networks from Monday to Friday in Week 3. We do not need parents helpers for this and the children will travel by bus. Children will need their swimming bag with togs and towel. They will also need their drink bottle and a morning tea snack packed in a small snap lock bag. The bus will leave school at 10.30am and will return around 12.30pm
- **Newsletters and Assemblies-** After several meetings with staff, we have decided to change the frequency of our newsletters and assemblies to every three weeks rather every fortnight. The purpose of this change is to be able to give more time to the quality of our celebrations.
- **HOME & SCHOOL - ATTENTION ALL PARENTS AND CAREGIVERS:**  
PLEASE SUPPORT OUR HOME & SCHOOL GROUP WITH THE FOLLOWING FUNDRAISING OPPORTUNITIES:

We are selling hot chips at the **Chertsey Motorcross** event on **Sunday 7th May**. This is a fundraiser for all Chertsey students. We need more helpers to be able to do this. Shifts are only 1 & 1/2 hours and children can come along and help, or watch the Motorcross. There are 3 shifts. 9.30am-11am, 11am-12.30pm and 12.30pm-2.00pm. Please put your name on home and school messenger group post or ring/txt **Kat on 027 507 9957 if you can help.**

We are also doing the straw clean up after the **Ashburton Street Sprints** on the evening of **Sunday 14th May** and need 5-7 more helpers for this.