

NEWSLETTER 12 · FRIDAY 8TH SEPTEMBER 2023

CHERTSEY SCHOOL

FROM THE PRINCIPAL... Kia Ora e te Whānau/Greetings Chertsey families,

We are coming to the end of another very busy term and Term 4 won't be any slower. We welcome the warmer weather, along with the lighter mornings and evenings.

Congratulations to all our students who were brave enough to stand up in front of the whole school and family members to present their speech. Lots of effort was put in by staff and students to become fluent and confident speakers. We were very proud of Brooklyn, Danielle and David who represented Chertsey School at the Small Schools Speech competition at Mount Hutt College.



Yesterday Chertsey School had the privilege of participating in the Ōpuke Festival of Cultures hosted by Rakaia School. Once again, our tamariki made us very proud. We continue to focus on our goal of everyone participating and this was achieved once again in front of a large audience. Thank you once again to Whaea Nin for teaching and nurturing our students. It was a beautiful sunny day and our tamariki enjoyed performing and watching the other schools celebrate their different cultures. The event was very well organised by our neighbours from Rakaia School.

As we near the end of the term, our team of staff and whānau are very busy preparing for some fun fundraising evenings. All the details are in this newsletter, we appreciate any support you can give.

Ms Claire



Important Dates:

- Monday 11th to Friday 15th September- Te Wiki o Te Reo Māori
- Tuesday 12th & Wednesday 13th September IEPs & Parent/Teacher/Student Conferences.
- Tuesday 12th September New Playground installation begins
- Wednesday 13th September Daffodil Day Mufti Day Gold Coin Donation
- Friday 15th September 2.00pm Assembly (please note the earlier time)
- Friday 15th September 7.00pm Chertsey School Quiz Night at Chertsey Hall
- Monday 18th Friday 22nd September Swimming Lessons at EA Networks
- Tuesday 19th September Ashburton Intermediate Open Night 7pm
- Thursday 21st September MOVIE NIGHT
- Friday 22nd September Last Day of Term 3 Term 4
- Monday 9th October First day of Term 4
- Wednesday 11th October Athletics Day @ Netherby School
- Thursday 12th October School Photos
- Monday 23rd October Labour Day School Closed
- 25th 27th October Room 3 Camp
- Thursday 16th November STAFF ONLY DAY School Closed
- Friday 17th November Canterbury Anniversary Public Holiday
- Friday 1st December Whole School Beach Education trip to South Brighton
- Tuesday 12th December End of Year prizegiving and School BBQ. Reports home.
- Wednesday 13th December Last Day of School for 2023. School finishes at 12.30pm







Farewell to Junaire and whānau

The time has come for Juanaire and her nana Whaea Brenda to move to the Bay of Plenty to where amazing opportunities await them. We are sad to lose such a supportive wonderful student and whānau. Thank you Whaea Brenda and Ruby for all the hard work you put into our school. You have left us in a better place and we are very grateful. All the best for your new adventures. We can't wait to see Junaire on the big screen one day. Here is a short conversation I had with Junaire today. Please join us for a shared morning tea after assembly on Friday 15th at 2.30pm. Assembly will start at 2.00pm What is your best of memory of Chertsey School?

My friends and my teachers.

What will you miss the most about Chertsey School? All my friends

What was your favourite moment at Chertsey School

I really liked playing TBall What are you looking forward to at your new school in the North Island? Making new friends

What advice would you like to leave everyone at Chertsey School?

Be good and be great!



Welcome to Chance and whānau



A very warm welcome to Chance who has made a great start in Ruma Tahi.



Dear whanau,

As Room 3 get closer to our camp to Wellington on 25th - 27th October, we are running out of time to fundraise. We need as much support as possible, especially from our Room 3 parents/caregivers. Thank you to the parents and staff who have taken the initative to set up fundraising events to support Room 3 camp. Here are the current fundraising initiatives:

• Pickling onions and Sheep manure -

How you can help? Share the poster with family and friends, order onions and manure through Liz.

• Friday 15th September 7.00pm - Chertsey School Quiz Night at Chertsey Hall *How you can help?* Share the event poster on FB, get teams of 4 together, share at work, donate mystery bottles, bring a plate of food for supper, help with food on the night, help with clean up.

• **Thursday 21 September** - A Night at the Movies - My Big Fat Greek Weeding 3 (To be promoted in September)

How you can help? Share the poster on FB, tell friends and family, buy tickets.

Lets work together to make this happen for our children.





Find the link to register on the Chertsey School Facebook Page or Contact Liz 027 5373527 littlelize@gmail.com



Invites you to a screening of



Regent Cinema Ashburton Thursday 21st September at 7.30pm

Tickets \$20 each Contact : Kylie Grieve on 021 149 7018 for tickets (ticket payments can be made by cash or into our school camp account : 12-3271-0020509-02)



FUNDRAISING FOR CLASSROOM RESOURSES

150 tickets @ \$25 each

Any questions contact Christine Booth 0272925941

T & Cs: The proceeds of this fundraiser will go towards Classroom resources . Ticket sales will close when all 150 tickets have been sold. Any tickets purchased are nontransferrable and the tickets & prize are non-refundable and cannot be redeemed for cash. Entry open to NZ residents only.

Chertsey School

Senior Room Camp Fundraiser

Pickling Onions

\$5 for 3kg Bag \$10 for 7kg Bag \$15 for 10kg Bag



Sheep Manure

\$8 for 15kg Bag



Contact: Liz Waugh 027 537 3527

IMPORTANT NOTICES

• <u>Chertsey School is looking for new School Board members. - Please contact our</u> <u>school office if you are interested</u>

Why join a school board?

School board members are active leaders in our schools. They have an important role of supporting strong professional leadership and ensuring effective teaching for all students through informed governance.

Parents/caregivers and people in the wider community can be parent representatives. School boards need to represent the diversity of their school communities to ensure a bright future for all our children.

We need more people willing to use their skills and experiences for the benefit of students!

"Board members are entrusted by the community to ensure the success of our schools and a bright future for our children. We need an education system where all children are expected to succeed and one where we all take shared responsibility in ensuring this happens. As a member of a school board you can make things happen - you can make a difference."

- Lorraine Kerr, NZSTA President

• <u>School Hoodies</u> - Follow this link if you would like to purchase a school hoodie. If you select pick up, our staff that live in Rolleston can pick it up for you to save on postage costs.

https://magsports.co.nz/product/chertsey-school-hoodie



OPEN EVENING

We welcome all parents/caregivers and prospective pupils for 2024 to join us on our Open Night on

Tuesday 19 September 2023.

This gives an opportunity to see what our school has to offer as well as the chance to meet the Principal, staff and other members of the school community.

Please meet in the School Hall at 7:00pm to be welcomed.

Hi All,

Tots To Teens Uniform Store is here to stay in Ashburton . We'll continue to stock all your school uniform and dancewear needs.

Currently Tots To Teens Uniform Store's opening hours are:

- Monday Closed
- Tuesday Closed
- Wednesday 11am 4.30pm
 Thursday, 0cm, 5pm
- Thursday 9am 5pm
 Friday 12pm 4pm
- Saturday 10am 1pm.

You may have noticed some changes; we have separated the uniform from the fashion. Fashion is now at Humunculus at the Tancred Street end of the Arcade.

If you have any uniform needs outside of these hours you can call, email or send a message to set up an appointment or buy online at www.totstoteens.nz. Collect in store or you can message us to pick up at Humunculus.

Our hours are subject to change, so keep an eye on our website, Facebook page, Google profile or the store window.

Thank you for supporting local! The Tots to Teens Team Tel: 033077340 Email: totstooteens@hotmail.com



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