

CHERTSEY SCHOOL Newsletter 4 • Friday 4th April 2025





Principal's Message

Kia ora Chertsey whānau,

A huge thank you to everyone who donated towards *Kai for Kids* on our last mufti day. Your generosity helps support an incredible organisation that has provided our tamariki with jackets, shoes, kai, and nit treatment.

We have another **Mufti Day & Car Wash Fundraiser coming up on Friday, 11th April**, from **9:00 am.** Bring your car along for a wash and make a donation to support this exceptional cause!

Last week, our **Rippa Rugby team** competed in the Subway Qualifying Tournament, making their coach, Whaea Nin, incredibly proud. They gave it their all and showed outstanding teamwork and support for each other in every game—ka mau te wehi! We also held our **School Triathlon** last Thursday, and we were absolutely blown away by every student who participated. It was inspiring to see their determination, whether they were racing for a place or simply pushing themselves to the finish line. Ka pai to all our triathletes!

At our last assembly, we celebrated our tamariki who have demonstrated fantastic attendance. Special awards were given to students who have achieved **95% or higher attendance**, with an extra special recognition for **11 students** who have maintained **100% attendance** so far this year. Attendance is key to student success, and we appreciate whānau prioritising school days and planning family trips during the holidays rather than term time.

Lastly, a reminder to book your **Learning Conferences on Hero for Monday, 7th April**, **and Tuesday, 8th April**. This is a great opportunity to connect with your child's teacher, hear how they have settled into their classroom, and discuss their learning goals for the year.

Ngā mihi, **Claire Maria Principal, Chertsey School**



Friday 4th April	Newsletter 4 Home and School AGM 6.30pm@ Chertsey Cafe - All Welcome
Monday 7 th April	Parent/Teacher/Student Conferences 3.15pm - 7pm
Tuesday 8 th April	Parent/Teacher/Student Conferences 3.15pm - 4.30pm
Thursday 10th April	GRIP Leadership conference for student leaders
Friday 11th April	Last Day Term 1 Mufti day & Car wash for Kidscan
Term 2	
Monday 28th April	Term 2 Begins
Tuesday 6th May	Cross Country at Chertsey School - 11am start
Friday 9th May	Cross Country Postponement Date
12th - 16th May	Swimming Week @EA Networks
Wed 21st May	Board Meeting 5.30pm
Friday 23rd May	Cross Country Zones
Monday 2nd June	King's Birthday - No School
Friday 20th June	Matariki - No School
Wednesday 25th June	Board Meeting 5.30pm
Friday 27th June	Last Day of Term 2



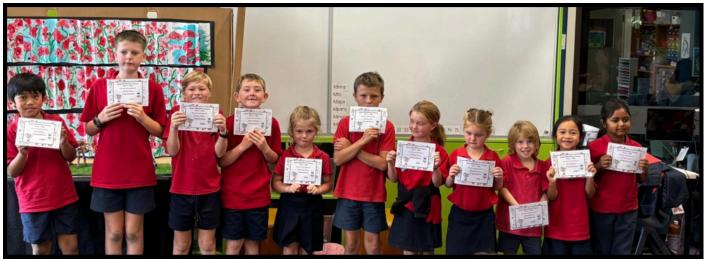


Congratulations to the following students who have 100% attendance this term. Cooper, Elliott, Isaac, Dom, Eli, Kate, Sara, Emily, Bernard, Ben McKenzie & Saif



Congratulations to the following students who have >95% attendance this term.

Airom, Huntley, Hunter, Marty, Piper, Jackson, Brooklyn, Hayley, James, Airah & Krisha





Congratulations to the following students who were placed in the 5 & 6 year old Triathlon Kate 1st place, Kayden 2nd place, Eli 3rd place



Congratulations to the following students who were placed in the 6 & 7 year old Triathlon Bernard 1st place, Marty 2nd place, Brooklyn 3rd place





Congratulations to the following students who were placed in the 8 & 9 year old Triathlon Hunter 1st place, Ben 2nd place, Sara 3rd place



Congratulations to the following students who were placed in the 9 - 12 year old Triathlon

Jackson 1st place, Huntley 2nd place, Ruby 3rd place





Chertsey School were very fortunate to have Sign Language and Deaf Culture lessons from Julie at Sign Equity. We were very impressed at how engaged our tamariki were and how much they have learned. Please ask them to show you at home













CHERTSEY SCHOOL WUFTI DAY & CAR WASH FRIDAY 11TH APRIL 2025

Make any donation and get your car washed at Chertsey School

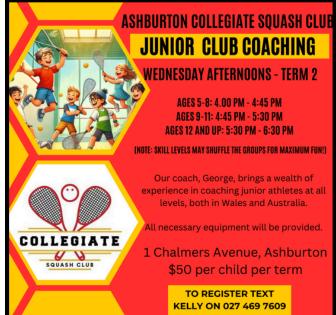
8.30 AM - 2.30 PM

BACK GATE - ALEXANDER ST

KidsCà'n

All proceeds will go to KidsCan who provide clothing, food and health products to Chertsey School and children all over NZ.









Community NOTES



Tuesday 15 April 10:30am-11:30am



Turn your next road trip into a game by creating your very own Road Trip Bingo card.

Join in the fun as we play together and win prizes!

Free \$

No booking required.



Limited to 50 places, book online at ashburtonlibrary.co.nz

EASTER PHOTO **BOOTH CRAFT** Hop into the library and take a wacky Easter photo

CRAZY TOWN MASCOTS

Every town needs its own mascot! Get loopy and create your one of your own out of recycled materials - the crazier, the better!

S Free No booking required.



Thursday 24 April

10:30am-11:30am

ANZAC SOLDIER SILHOUETTES

Create a beautiful sunrise silhouette picture of an ANZAC soldier using dyes.

Free

ashburtonlibrary.co.nz



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No booking required.



Thank you to those members of the community that have contributed to our school through Fuel for Schools and <u>Fern NZ</u>. The funding from this initiative means that our school can redeem from a range of sports, technology, literacy, music and vegepod packages which will be hand delivered by our local Rural Sales Manager.

Our school has been nominated by these local businesses/farms that receives bulk fuel deliveries from Fern. For every 100 litres of bulk fuel they purchase, 50 cents is donated to our school.

Thank you from Chertsey School!

- GF & AJ Biggs
- Hewson Farms (NZ) Ltd Potato Sheds
- Hewson Farms (NZ) Ltd
- Greenline Ag Limited
- NZSF Canterbury Farms -Kotare Petrol
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