



# ASHGROVE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

## “GROWING TOGETHER FOR SUCCESS”

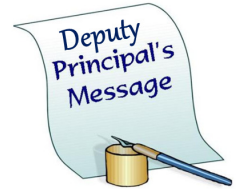
*Mission Statement: “To provide a quality education in a positive environment which encourages learning for life”*

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Dear All

Thank you to Tipu and Pihinga teachers who had Learning Conferences on Monday and Wednesday this week for students who received a progress or anniversary report. We hope our reports and the learning conferences are valuable and informative for you.



I had the pleasure of attending the Kids for Kids performance at Horncastle Arena on Wednesday evening. Well done to our Year 2 - 5 students who performed fantastically at this fun and vibrant event.

The Year 7 & 8 students who attended Koru Games this week displayed excellent behaviour, outstanding fair-play and achieved some great results.

Last week the second successful Art Soiree was held at school. It was wonderful to see so many students performing and entertaining the audience. Special thanks to the teachers who have trained, coached and supported these students.

Have you heard about *Star Drop*?

When our students are displaying the Ashgrove Values of Service, Trust, Attitude, Respect or Responsibility they may receive a Star Award. Students keep their Star Awards and then they can

exchange them for a reward within their hub / team. Teachers record the number of Star Awards each student receives. Each week all the Star Awards are collected and a student from each hub / team is selected to play Star Drop in Assembly.



Kia Ora to the students involved in the Wānanga on Saturday.

Ngā mihi  
Sue Monson  
Deputy Principal



**Pihinga Team**  
Celeste, Quincey, Ruby,  
Saskia



**Tipu Team**  
Rosa, Mannix, Emma,  
Luke



**Rata Team**  
Jess, Sophie, Rebecca,  
Piper



**Kowhai Team**  
Luke, Millie, Sophie,  
Zoe



**Turepo / Allenvale Team**  
Ashlin, Jessica, India  
Lily

## OUT OF ZONE ENROLMENTS

The board has determined that ten places are available for out of zone students for 2018 at the **New Entrant level**.

For families seeking enrolment, the deadline for receipt of applications for out of zone places is **Monday 16<sup>th</sup> October 2017**.

Parents of students who live within the home zone and intend enrolling their child at any time during 2018 should notify the school by 16<sup>th</sup> October 2017 to assist the school to plan appropriately for next year.

Applications can be made by filling in an Application for Enrolment form available at the school office.

If the number of out of zone applications exceeds the number of places available, students will be selected by ballot. If a ballot for out of zone places is required, it will be held on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> October 2017. Parents will be informed of the outcome of the ballot within three school days if a ballot is held.

Board of Trustees  
Ashgrove School

## ASHGROVE SCHOOL IS A SUN SAFE SCHOOL

Sunhats are compulsory for Terms 1 and 4. Please make sure your child has a Navy brimmed sunhat from the beginning of Term 4. Please make sure it **CLEARLY** named.



**2018**  
**Out of Zone**  
**Enrolments**  
**close**

## ASHGROVE SCHOOL BOARD OF TRUSTEES BLOG

If you would like updates on the buildings, playground etc please visit the Board of Trustees blog

<http://ashgrovebot.blogspot.co.nz/>

**JUST FOUR WEEKS UNTIL OUR 50<sup>TH</sup> JUBILEE CELEBRATION!!!**

It is great to see some of the students involved in class work reflecting on the past. Tipu team have looked at school in the past, games that were played, how lessons were delivered in the “old” days, and visited Ferrymead.

The Turepo team have focussed on comparisons - past, present, future: what life was like 50 years ago, what life is like now and predictions about what school and life will be like in 50 years time. They have also visited Sparks Museum, and students have investigated topics of their own choice - school life, toys, technology, sports, make up, meals.

For the children the Jubilee weekend kicks off with the Whole School Celebration Assembly at 2.00pm on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October. Thank you to those supporting their children’s involvement in the Saturday activities on 21<sup>st</sup> October.

## Please remember to support the sponsors for our 50<sup>TH</sup> Jubilee CELEBRATION

We are very grateful to the following sponsors for supporting the coming 50<sup>th</sup> Jubilee Celebration of Ashgrove School.

1. Ray White Real Estate - Marijke Sheppard
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9. Rangiora Lodge Motels - Max & Sally Bateup
10. Williams / McKenzie Lawyers – Tania McKenzie
11. Millbrook Kitchens - Andrew & Poppy Silcock
12. Gulliver & Tyler Ltd – Phillip Seal
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14. The Plough Hotel



*Remember the Jubilee weekend is for anyone connected with the school, currently or in the past: students, staff, BOT, PTA, parents of students. A chance to catch up with old school mates, teachers, neighbours, family and friends in some relaxed social settings. Also a chance to see the huge changes in our school’s buildings, grounds and learning resources since the last celebration 25 years ago!*

**PURCHASE TICKETS NOW**

Please go to the web site <http://www.ashgrovejubilee.com> and purchase tickets to the functions; or fill in a registration form at the school office to purchase tickets. Tell others to enrol now. Programme details are on the website.

*Alan Malpass (Jubilee Committee)*

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# NORTH CANTERBURY ADHD PARENT/GRANDPARENT/CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP

If you have a child with ADHD and live in North Canterbury then please join us for our first meeting to discuss setting up a support network for North Canterbury.

## THE DETAILS

**What is it?** A parent/grandparent/caregiver support group

**Who is it for?** Parents/caregivers of children/young people with Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder

**When is it?** Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> September 6.30 till 7.30 pm

**Where is it?** Community Room, Amberley School, Lawcock Road, Amberley

**How much does it cost?** There is no charge to attend

## PLEASE RSVP

Please RSVP to either;

North Canterbury School Based Mental Health Liaison

[Michelle.Cole@cdhb.health.nz](mailto:Michelle.Cole@cdhb.health.nz)

027 229 0249

Or

Convenor for Christchurch ADHD Group

[Kaye.Wolland@cdhb.health.nz](mailto:Kaye.Wolland@cdhb.health.nz)

027 839 4722

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# PTA COMMUNITY NEWSBOARD



## **TUESDAY 3 OCTOBER 10AM -12PM** **LEGO FUN!** Ashgrove School Hall

Come along and support Ashgrove School PTA with this amazing opportunity involving LOTS of LEGO!

\$5.50 per child for 2 hours of LEGO madness. Suitable for ALL ages!

Please note: Children under 5 must be actively supervised & all children must have a supervising adult present. Recommended ratio 1 adult to 4 children

Volunteers also needed – all volunteers go into a draw to win small Lego prize!

Limited tickets: pre purchase by Kindo before 27 September or email [emmadaly@ashgrove.school.nz](mailto:emmadaly@ashgrove.school.nz)



**Over 100kgs of LEGO!**

**Remote controlled LEGO vehicles to race.**

**Tree Building Zone**

**Star Wars and City Themed LEGO**

**DUPLO & DUPLO trains**

**Small sales items available**

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# ASHGROVE SCHOOL CALENDAR

## 25<sup>th</sup> September – 24<sup>th</sup> November 2017

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>25<sup>th</sup> September</b> Nth Canty Kapahaka Celebration midday Parent Consultation Hui	<b>26<sup>th</sup> September</b> Mahuri Kowhai Swimming Yr8 Girls Self Defence	<b>27<sup>th</sup> September</b> Tipu Celebration Assembly	<b>28<sup>th</sup> September</b> Pihinga Swimming Mahuri Celebration Assembly Kawahaka attend Rakahuri Festival performing 12noon	<b>29<sup>th</sup> September</b> HPV Vaccination Last Day Term 3
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> October</b> HOLIDAYS	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> October</b> HOLIDAYS PTA Lego Day	<b>4<sup>th</sup> October</b> HOLIDAYS	<b>5<sup>th</sup> October</b> HOLIDAYS	<b>6<sup>th</sup> October</b> HOLIDAYS
<b>9<sup>th</sup> October</b> HOLIDAYS	<b>10<sup>th</sup> October</b> HOLIDAYS	<b>11<sup>th</sup> October</b> HOLIDAYS	<b>12<sup>th</sup> October</b> HOLIDAYS	<b>13<sup>th</sup> October</b> HOLIDAYS
<b>16<sup>th</sup> October</b> First day of Term 4	<b>17<sup>th</sup> October</b> Turepo Swimming	<b>18<sup>th</sup> October</b> Yr8 Family Planning	<b>19<sup>th</sup> October</b>	<b>20<sup>th</sup> October</b> Subway Lunches Turepo Swimming  <b>Weekend</b> 50 <sup>th</sup> Jubilee Celebrations
<b>23<sup>rd</sup> October</b> LABOUR DAY	<b>24<sup>th</sup> October</b> Turepo Swimming	<b>25<sup>th</sup> October</b> HPV Vaccination	<b>26<sup>th</sup> October</b>	<b>27<sup>th</sup> October</b> Turepo Swimming Ashgrove Athletics
<b>30<sup>th</sup> October</b> Ashgrove Athletics Postponement day	<b>31<sup>st</sup> October</b> Turepo Swimming Year 8 Orientation day at Rangiora High School	<b>1<sup>st</sup> November</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> November</b>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> November</b> Mufti Day Turepo Swimming Year 4 Big Day Out
<b>6<sup>th</sup> November</b>	<b>7<sup>th</sup> November</b> Rakahuri Athletics Day Turepo Swimming	<b>8<sup>th</sup> November</b> Rakahuri Athletics Postponement day	<b>9<sup>th</sup> November</b>	<b>10<sup>th</sup> November</b> Subway Lunches Turepo Swimming
<b>13<sup>th</sup> November</b>	<b>14<sup>th</sup> November</b> Turepo Swimming	<b>15<sup>th</sup> November</b>	<b>16<sup>th</sup> November</b> TEACHER ONLY DAY	<b>17<sup>th</sup> November</b> SHOW DAY
<b>20<sup>th</sup> November</b> Turepo Team sailing all week	<b>21<sup>st</sup> November</b> Turepo Swimming	<b>22<sup>nd</sup> November</b>	<b>23<sup>rd</sup> November</b> Yr 6 Puberty Parents Meeting	<b>24<sup>th</sup> November</b> Turepo Swimming

### 2017 SCHOOL TERMS

Term 4 16<sup>th</sup> October – 15<sup>th</sup> December 2017

### 2018 SCHOOL TERMS

Term 1 29<sup>th</sup> January – 13<sup>th</sup> April 2018

Term 2 30<sup>th</sup> April – 6<sup>th</sup> July 2018

Term 3 23<sup>rd</sup> July – 28<sup>th</sup> September 2018

Term 4 15<sup>th</sup> October – 17<sup>th</sup> December 2018

### ASHGROVE SCHOOL POLICIES AND PROCEDURES



Ashgrove School Policies and Procedures are available to all Ashgrove Parents/Caregivers to view on the school website. Please go to

<http://ashgrove schooldocs.co.nz>

The username is **ashgrove** and the password is **ashgrove**