

## School Calendar 2018

- 21-25 Sep Yoga in Schools - contribution to \$6 cost per student met by payment of student Activity Contribution
- 26 Sep Curriculum in Action session 3: 2.15 - 3 pm. This event, a Learning Celebration, will give whānau the opportunity to see the students' Wellbeing inquiry outcomes, and will incorporate classroom tours.
- 26 Sep World Character Day: Youthtown will visit school to run some team building type games with a focus on the three strengths - Courage **te maia**, Teamwork **mahi tahi**, and Perseverance **te manawanui**
- 28 Sep Whole School Learning Celebration - we'd love you to join us in the school Hall at 9.05 am. All music students will be performing.
- 28 Sep Jump rope at Christchurch East School
- 28 Sep Term 3 ends at 3 pm
- 15 Oct Term 4 starts
- 15-26 Oct Calendar/diary/notebook orders to be placed at the school Office; student artwork will be displayed in classrooms for prior viewing
- 19 Oct Whole School Learning Celebration - we'd love you to join us in the school Hall at 9.05 am.
- 22 Oct Labour Day - school holiday
- 25 Oct Board meeting at 8 am
- 26 Oct Calendar orders close - all cash and cheques to the school Office
- 6-7 Nov Smart City Tūranga library event - small group attending
- 8 Nov HPV vaccination for Team Kauri - tbc - consent required
- 9 Nov Whole School Learning Celebration - we'd love you to join us in the school Hall at 9.05 am.
- 14 Nov Eastern Zone Athletics competition - for those qualifying
- 16 Nov Show Day - school holiday
- 22 Nov Board meeting at 8 am
- 5 Dec Canterbury Athletics in Ashburton for those qualifying
- 6 Dec Board meeting at 8 am
- 7 Dec Whole School Learning Celebration - we'd love you to join us in the school Hall at 9.05 am.
- 13 Dec Final day of 2018 school year

### Lost Property

We are displaying Lost Property on the verandah this week. Please ask your child to check it out, and collect any of their clothing. Unclaimed clothing at the end of term will be donated to charity.

### Enrolments for 2019

If you have younger siblings due to start school in 2019, please contact Carol in the Office before the end of this term. Similarly, if you know of other families with young children, please ask them to contact us soon.

### Sunhats for Term 4 and Term 1

A reminder that your child will need a **named** sunhat to remain at school next term.

### Vision/Purpose Statement

A Vibrant Inspirational Learning Community  
in the Heart of the City

#### Our Values

Excellence	Equity	Integrity	Sense of Community
Te Hiranga	Te Ririte	Ngākau Pono	Nohonga Tahitanga

#### Strategic Goals

- Teaching and Learning** - To provide great teaching and learning opportunities with strong links to our curriculum and the wider community
- Relationships** - To be characterised by positive relationships within and beyond the school, based on our school values and restorative approach
- Environment** - To work towards site development, meeting the current and future needs of students, staff, parents and community

Kia ora, everyone

What an amazing term we have had at Christchurch East School. This week we have had the **Mindful Movers** team visiting, teaching our students positive ways in which to calm their brain. Today we are celebrating **World Character Day**, and opening up our kura to the community to learn of, and celebrate, our Inquiry work this term.



Finally, on Friday we have our Whole School Learning Celebration and a **Jump Rope**



event to finish of the the term. And I can assure you that next term is shaping up to be even better!

If you are looking for something to do during the holidays with your children, note 12 October on your calendar and get down to the opening of **Tūranga**, the new central library - another great resource right on our doorstep.



One of my highlights of this term has been working with our **Student Council**. They are an amazing group of ākonga who have big plans for how they can positively impact on our school for students and staff. I am looking forward to seeing what they do next term.

As Term 3 comes to an end, we farewell some staff members who are leaving.

Our Deputy Principal, **Sally Kent**, will be on maternity for two terms; we wish her well for her new arrival. **Ms Bronwyn Takle** will be filling in for Sally as the Acting Deputy Principal for two terms. **Donna-Marie Mathews** is also leaving at the end of the term, and we wish her all the best for her upcoming wedding early next year. **Mrs Sonia Cushing** has won the position of Team Leader in Team Koru, and **Miss Diandra Francis** will take over in Room 2 until the end of the year. **Helen Houghton** is leaving her relief teaching position in Team Kauri at the end of term to pursue ventures outside of education. Fortunately, **Mr Nick Loughnan** is able to pick up these relief days to ensure only minimal impact on students.

Road safety is an on-going concern for our busy inner-city school. In the interest of student safety, we look forward to the support of our local community constable and **Christchurch City Council parking enforcement** next term.

Thank you all for your continued support of our **Vibrant and Inspirational School in the HEART of the City**.

We wish you a safe and restful break with your tamariki.

Ngā mihi - Mike, Principal



## Community notices

Further information may be available from the school Office or on the Hall noticeboard. We anticipate that all community groups advertising in this newsletter will be following best practice guidelines.

**ABC Salisbury Street:** Early childhood education in our safe, nurturing spaces. Enrol by November 2018 and receive 50% off fee for 2 months. Phone (03) 379 3570.

**Tots to Teens online magazine:** visit <https://issue1809c.totstoteens.co.nz>

**The Regional Public Transport Plan** public consultation opened on Monday, and will run until Sunday 14 October. Have your say at: <https://haveyoursay.ecan.govt.nz/connect-canterbury/>

**Alright? Amble:** on Sunday 7 October, 10 30 am - 2 30 pm. Meet at the Botanical Gardens Visitor Centre on Rolleston Avenue. Rain day: 14 October 2018.

**Christchurch School of Music Open Day:** Open Day on Saturday 29 September from 9 am - 1 pm at 62 Ferry Road, to come and see for yourself. You can have a look around at instruments being taught and view and hear the ensembles rehearsing. Try out all the different instruments to see what you'd like to play. Limited parking.

**Linwood Village Market:** First market of the season: Saturday 6 Oct, cnr Worcester Street & Stanmore Road, 9 am to 1 pm.

**Vegan Expo** at Horncastle Arena, Addington, on Sunday 28 October 28 from 10 am - 4 30 pm. Eftpos and plenty of free parking will be available. Kids free (12 and under), adults \$5 if bought online now ([veganexpo.co.nz](http://veganexpo.co.nz)) or \$6 on the door. More info: [veganexpo.org.nz](http://veganexpo.org.nz)

**The Breeze Walking Festival:** 29 Sept to 14 Oct 2018. Back by popular demand are the exciting and interactive walks designed specifically for pre-schoolers and children: the Gruffalo Explorers, Pukeko Stomp and the ever muddy Going on a Bear Hunt, as well as many other family friendly walks. <https://ccc.govt.nz/cwp.govt.nz/news-and-events/whats-on/?programme=7>

**Great School Holiday Knitting Workshops for Children:** Knit World will be teaching school age children to knit pet blankets on Mon 1 Oct at 1 - 3 pm, at Knit World, 189 Peterborough Street. Cost: \$20.00 includes yarn, needles, lesson, Learn to Knit leaflet and instructions to make a pet blanket. Bookings essential. Tel: (03) 379 2300

**Learn to swim and coaching:** at AquaGym, 459 Cashel St. Phone: (03) 381 0299. Book now for October Holidays and Term 4 2018. [info@aquagym.co.nz](mailto:info@aquagym.co.nz)

**Active Kids holiday programme:** registrations are now open: Phone: (03) 373 5060, e-mail [activekids@sportcanterbury.org.nz](mailto:activekids@sportcanterbury.org.nz) of visit [www.sportcanterbury.org.nz](http://www.sportcanterbury.org.nz)

**Pirates holiday programme** with Papanui Youth Development Trust: for Years 1 - 6, on 1 - 5 October in Papanui. Phone Jeremy: 027 279 3802.

**Act2 Drama Group:** audition call for Beauty and the Beast on Saturday 13 October from 10 am. To book an audition, call or text Fay on 021 043 1108.

## News from Team Kauri ...



In this past week, Team Kauri students have been lucky enough to be able to take part in the Mindful Movers programme. We have learnt strategies to deal with emotions, and how to use mindfulness to help us relax. Take a look at our photos; we all really enjoyed ourselves. Thanks to Mrs Kent for organising it for us.

Also a huge congratulations to all the students who celebrated receiving an award for Learning Links this term. A big thank you to Subway Barbadoes for contributing certificates and vouchers for our Learning Links prizes in Week 8 of this term. Remember to complete your Learning Links for our big celebration next term!



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**News alert: Learning Links Celebration in Term 4 ... How is your child working towards their Learning Links goals?**