



# ASHHURST SCHOOL

## EKE TAUMATA



NEWSLETTER 2024

TERM 1

## Week 9

### Kia ora e te whānau,

We head into Easter break after a fabulous week at our kura!

We started the week with a great assembly, and it was wonderful to get the certificates out to the tamariki who placed in the top 3 for the school triathlon and the Principal awards for the fortnight. A common theme highlighted in these certificates was **Perseverance**. Perseverance is a vital attribute that equips our children with the strength to face challenges, overcome setbacks, and achieve their goals. By instilling perseverance in children, we empower them to navigate life's obstacles with resilience, one of our school values. Our children have had many opportunities to show perseverance both inside and outside the classroom, and the growth we see over the year is so pleasing.

### Garden Club

What a fabulous time our tamariki had planting a māori medicinal garden at the Ashhurst Health Centre last Thursday. These students were selected from our children who attend both the junior and senior garden clubs held at the school and driven by Chrisana Love. We have been super lucky to have the grandparents of one of our garden club members approach me, offering to make a very generous contribution to the garden club. We are very grateful for this, and over the coming months, you will see a greenhouse in our garden area to allow for year-round growing.

### Elite Ki o Rahi

What an amazing day we had yesterday with the privilege of hosting the Elite Sport Ki o Rahi tournament. This is a new event to the Elite Sport calendar, and being able to host this event was very special. A massive thank you to Mike, Whaea Becs, Pā James and Richard for the mahi that went in behind the scenes preparing the event and also to Pā Reece for stepping in and supporting on the day with refereeing. Our Students were amazing ambassadors for our school and competed in a tough final, eventually going down to Lakeview School 10-7. Also, a massive ngā mihi to Chris and Jayden from Best Care Whakapai Hauora for their support with reffing, coaching, and administration throughout the day. Also, a big thank you to Layla from St Peters for refereeing at

our event and we wish her good luck for her inclusion as a referee in the secondary school Ki o Rahi nationals. This is a fabulous achievement.



It was also great to see classes popping out and supporting our team. Thank you for the supportive atmosphere. The feedback from other schools regarding our school and students made us incredibly proud.

### Swimming Sports

Today, we ran the swimming sports for the Tararua and Whārite students. Seeing the students having fun and competing in competitive or non-competitive events was great. From here, we will enter a team into the Northern Cluster event scheduled for 11th April.

### Easter Break

This is a reminder to whānau that we have an Easter break this weekend. School will be closed Friday, March 29th, Monday, April 1st, and Tuesday, April 2nd. We look forward to seeing you all back for learning on Wednesday, April 3rd. Please also note that Friday, April 12th, is a teachers-only day.

Nāku iti noa, na

Karyn Giles  
Deputy Principal



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## Notices

### Ashhurst School Calendar & Term Dates 2024

#### Term 1

**Tuesday 30 January - Friday 12 April**  
Thursday 28 March - Senior Swimming Sports  
Friday 29th March - Good Friday  
Monday 1st April - Easter Monday  
Tuesday 2nd April - Easter Tuesday - school closed  
Friday 12th April - Teacher Only Day

#### Term 2

**Monday 29 April - Friday 5 July**  
Monday 3rd June - King's Birthday  
Friday 28th June - Matariki  
Friday 5th July - Teacher Only Day

#### Term 3

**Monday 22 July - Friday 27 September**  
Friday 27th September - Teacher Only Day

#### Term 4

**Monday 14 October - Friday 20 December**  
Monday 28 October - Labour Day

*There will be two additional days in 2024. These will be between the 27th of May to the 7th of June and October 21st to the 15th of November.*



### Congratulations to the following students who were presented with Certificates this week

- Room 1 .....Maya, Adrielle
- Room 2 .....Kalden, Cohen
- Room 3 .....Jayden, Eshar
- Room 4 .....Usher, Nikita
- Room 7 .....Maia, Holly
- Room 8 .....Aaleeyah, Honey
- Room 9 .....Te Atarangi, Heta
- Room 10 .....Luke, Aila-May
- Room 11 .....Albie, Seth
- Room 12 .....Max, Hunter
- Room 13 .....Christopher, Tenley
- Room 14 .....Mila, Kaison
- Room 15 .....Ellie, Harry
- Room 16 .....Ava, Tom
- Room 17 .....Jackson, Levi
- Room 18 .....Imogen, Aleks
- Room 19 .....McKenna, Colton
- Room 20 .....Hamish
- Room 21 .....Niamh, Violet
- Room 22 .....Ihaka, Mia

- Head Boy Certificate .....Tate
- Head Girl Certificate .....Ilythia
- DH Boy Certificate .....Layla



**A reminder school is closed Tuesday 2nd April. See you all on Wednesday 3rd April.**



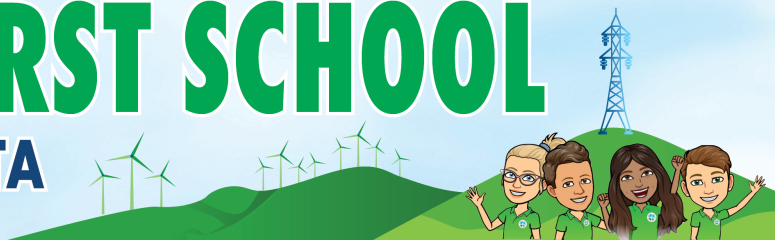
Epic Music Academy is celebrating O-Week!

O-week, or Open Week, is when the music room will be open for anyone to come and try out instruments and give them a go. The tutors will be in the music room during lunchtime on Thursday the 4th of April for you to experience and explore musical instruments and answer any questions you may have!



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### Kelly Club – Term 1, Week 10

 <b>THEME: Kids Choice</b> Term 1 Week 10, 3rd April 2024		Weekly Activities Plan Kelly Club Ashhurst			
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
7:00 - 8:15 am			Kids Choice & Structured Free Time	Kids Choice & Structured Free Time	Origami & Structured Free Time
8:15 - 8:30 am			Game: Ball Tag	Game: Mouthfull	Game: Kids Choice
3:00 - 3:10 pm			Sign In & Structured Free Time	Sign In & Structured Free Time	Sign In & Structured Free Time
3:10 - 3:30 pm			Intro & Afternoon Tea American Hotdogs & Fruit	Intro & Afternoon Tea Doritos & Salsa & Fruit	Intro & Afternoon Tea Chocolate Cake & Fruit
3:30 - 3:45 pm			Game: Rippa Rugby	Game: Hockey Showdown	Game: Soccer/Football
3:45 - 4:30 pm			<b>COOKING</b> Create A Smoothie 	<b>CRAFT</b> Wizards Wands 	<b>GAME</b> Balloon Volleyball 
4:30 - 4:35 pm			Tidy Up	Tidy Up	Tidy Up
4:50 - 5:15 pm			Homework & Quiet Time	Homework & Quiet Time	Homework & Quiet Time
5:15 - 6:00 pm			Game: Seaweed & Projects	Game: Sardines & Projects	Game: Kids Choice & Projects

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Order ezlunch for delivery dates 25 March - 12 April 2024 to enter the draw!

Every order goes in the draw for a chance to win. Four chances per order. Winner will be drawn on Friday 14 April 2024 and will be notified by phone or email. No correspondence will be entered into. T&C's apply.

Login to [mykindo.co.nz](http://mykindo.co.nz) to order.





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**BOUNCE ACADEMY**

*Get Basketball ready these holidays!*

**23 & 24 APRIL**  
9am - 3pm

Here at Bounce Academy, our holiday programmes focus on skillsets, fundamentals, games and team skills for boys and girls aged 5 - 12 years old.

**REGISTER NOW**

www.bounceacademy.nz

**Includes: HOLIDAY CAMP TEE!**

**\$50 for YR 1 & 2 (23 APR ONLY)**  
**\$80 for Yr 3 - 8 (BOTH DAYS)**

# EASTER EGG HUNT

**SATURDAY 30TH MARCH**  
3PM-4PM • \$5 ENTRY

**GAMES, PRIZES, MUSIC, COMPETITIONS**

Find out more:  
Splashhurst Community Pool  
97 Stamford St, Ashhurst 4810  
Ph: 08 350 0849  
www.cemc.co.nz/splashhurst

**SPLASHHURST** COMMUNITY POOL

**PALMY**

# TRUE Hoops

## APRIL BASKETBALL CAMPS

- 2-Day Camp
- Advanced Camp
- Little's Camp

April 15th - 17th

**HEAD TO TRUEHOOPS.NZ TO REGISTER**

The CR Law season of

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# Matilda

THE MUSICAL

BOOK DENNIS KELLY MUSIC & LYRICS TIM MINCHIN

**APRIL 12<sup>th</sup> - 27<sup>th</sup> 2024**

PALMERSTON NORTH

GET TICKETS NOW FROM **TICKETEX**

CR Law Cooper Ripley Lawyers

ACT THREE PRODUCTIONS

**PALMY BID**

# EASTER EGG HUNTS

**30 MARCH 2024**

**10.00 AM - 2.00 PM**

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REGISTER TO COMPETE!  
HOT CROSS BUN  
EATING COMPETITION

FEATURING LIVE MUSIC  
EGG HUNTS  
FACEPAINTING  
GAMES & ACTIVITIES  
BEST DRESSED PRIZES

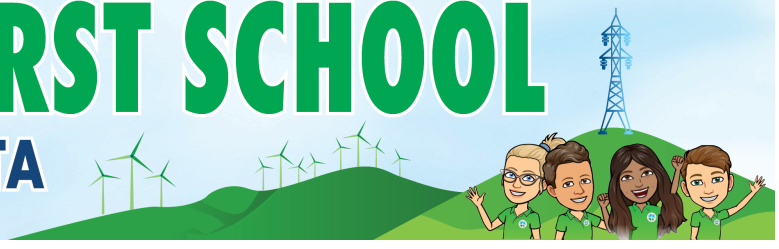
JUNIOR (YRS 5 & UNDER)  
STARTS 10.30AM  
SENIOR (YRS 6 & OVER)  
STARTS 11.30AM

IN PARTNERSHIP WITH:



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CHILLED EVENTS PRESENTS

PALMERSTON NORTH SQUARE

# ICE RINK

4TH - 28TH APRIL

OPEN 10am - 10pm EVERYDAY

REAL ICE. REAL FUN. REAL MEMORIES

TICKETS FROM [CHILLEDEVENTS.FLICKET.CO.NZ](http://CHILLEDEVENTS.FLICKET.CO.NZ)

**PALMY** **MORE FM**

Netball Manawatu

## Holiday Programmes April 2024

**Belated Easter Day**  
Monday 22nd April  
8.30am- 3.00pm (4pm for late collections for an extra \$10.00)

**Netball Manawatu Mystery Day**  
Tuesday 23rd April  
8.30am- 3.00pm (4pm for late collections for an extra \$10.00)

**ANZAC Day Tournament**  
Wednesday 24th April 2024  
8.30am- 3.00pm (4pm for late collections for an extra \$10.00)

Throughout the day these programmes will consist of:

- NetballSmart activities
- Development of Skills Games
- Lots of fun!

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Skills Drills Games!

Teaching Kiwi kids to love the game

Free Camp Tee! \*T's & CS apply

APRIL 15TH & 16TH	<b>2 DAY CAMP</b> (AGES 9+)	9:00 AM - 3:00 PM	\$100
APRIL 17TH	<b>ADVANCED CAMP</b> (H/S ONLY)	9:00 AM - 1:00 PM	\$45
APRIL 17TH	<b>LITTLES CAMP</b> (AGES 5-8)	9:00 AM - 1:00 PM	\$45

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**Register at truehoops.nz**

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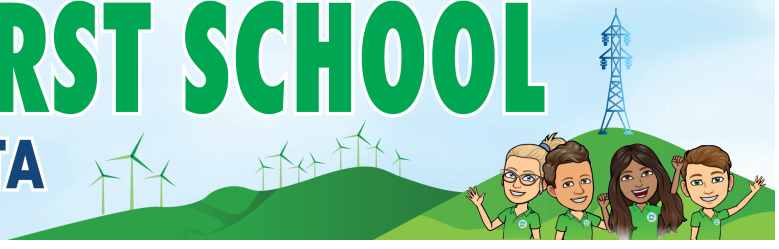
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**KELLY CLUB**

A FUN PROGRAMME  
THAT KIDS LOVE!

Tuesday 2 April  
**EASTER TUESDAY**

**OSCAR  
PROGRAMME  
SUBSIDIES  
AVAILABLE!**

\*Conditions apply

### **KELLY CLUB ASHHURST**

We've got an amazing Easter Tuesday programme planned, including an Easter Egg Hunt, baking, crafts, games and more!

Book online now for our fun-filled one day holiday programme. See you there!

**Full Day:** \$49  
KC HP Full ...

**School Day:** \$39  
KC HP Schoo...

**Half Day:** \$31  
KC HP Half ...

Contact: Jo Dunn

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Phone: 021 215 7863

Facebook: [facebook.com/KellyClubAshhurst](https://facebook.com/KellyClubAshhurst)

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**Taonui**  
**Ground Spreading**

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Contact Paul  
0272346521  
*We don't treat soil like dirt*



**Harrison Jones**  
Owner Operator

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