



Newsletter

Term 1
Week 11
Friday 12
April



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Paula's Panui

Here we are at the end of another term.

We look forward to our new building being finished at the beginning of the term and that will end our building work for the a while at least. I sent out some information yesterday about the progress and completion and will provide details like the dates as soon as we have them confirmed by the Ministry of Education.

Next term we will be starting our first rotations and students will have made their choices for the first option. The juniors brought home a form so if you haven't seen it, please contact the classroom teachers as soon as you can.

Even though I know you have just had easter break, I hope the holiday period treats you well, with some time to relax and enjoy family time.

REMINDER :

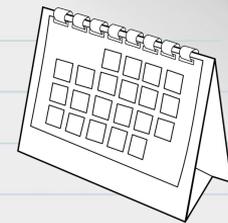
Next term's big activities are Cross country and Matariki. If you are keen to help with either of those activities we would love that.

Cross country – contact Dylan Bird –
dbird@greytown.school.nz

Matariki – contact Matua Miu –
mphillips@greytown.school.nz

Ngā Mihi, Paula Weston Tumuaki/Principal

Dates for the Calendar



Friday 12th April (3pm) – End of Term 1

Monday 29th April – Start of Term 2

Tuesday 7th May – School Cross Country!!!! (PP Thurs 9th May)

Friday 31st May – Teacher only day

Monday 3 June – King's Birthday holiday

Friday 28th June – Matariki Holiday

NEW BELL TIMES

School Starts
8:50am

Block 1
9:00am - 11:00am

Morning Tea
11:00am - 11:20am

Block 2
11:20am - 12:40pm

Lunch
12:40pm - 1:30pm

Block 3
1:30pm - 3:00pm

End of Day
3:00pm

School Notices



Congratulations to Miss Charlotte!! Looking amazing at her graduation wearing the Greytown School Korowai



Greytown School

Cross Country!

Attention, all Greytown School students!

It's time to lace up those running shoes and prepare for our upcoming Cross Country in Term 2, scheduled for early May. As the days grow colder and the leaves start to change, it's the perfect opportunity to hit the parks and start training. Training over the holidays will help you build endurance and stamina for the big day. So, why not make the most of your free time by exploring the local Soldiers Memorial Park, and other tracks? Gather your friends and family for some invigorating outdoor activities, or challenge yourself to beat your personal best.

Stay tuned for more details and updates as the event approaches.

Get ready to run, Greytown!

Te Arawa
3rd



THE GREAT HOUSE RELAY!

On Wednesday our amazing Black Hats put on an awesome event for our tamariki. It was a whole school relay where all classes were involved and everyone had some kind of activity to complete. It was a super successful day and the students all had an absolute blast! It was great to see everyone in their house colours supporting their teams too!



Takitimu
4th



Tainui
1st



Aotea
2nd



School Notices

Before School Care (Term Time)

Monday - Friday
7:30am - 8:30am
On school grounds
\$10 a day per student
Includes: Toast and Spreads

To book in your child/children
please contact:

Kath McShane
021 2107198 / kmcshane@greytown.school.nz

Margo Morgan
027 7390090 / mmorgan@greytown.school.nz



After School Care Programme

There are spaces
available!!

Hours of Operation:
3:00pm - 5:30pm

Please contact

Kylee Robinson
027 878 2611
kylee.clint@gmail.com

Egg Cartons Needed

The FoodBank is in need of
some Egg Cartons.
If you have any, please drop
them into the office.

Thank you



School Contact Information

Phone: 06 304 9007

Email: office@greytown.school.nz

Website: www.greytown.school.nz

Bank Acc: 03 0609 0124353 00

Absences: Through Skool Loop

Hot Lunch options

We have hot lunch orders
available:

Wednesdays & Fridays

Combination Fried Rice / Chow Mein

\$5.00 cash - Small

\$6.00 cash - Large

Order from the office in the
morning

Thursdays

Pita Pit

Order online www.lunchonline.co.nz

Reminders

Absentees

Please let the office staff
know of any absentees even if
you have mentioned it to the
teacher

Contact Details

Please inform the office if
your contact details need to be
updated

Medication/Inhalers

Please bring any inhalers or
medication for your child into
the office if needed

Library Book Returns



We are on the hunt for overdue
school library books. Can you
please have a look around home
and drop them into the green bin
in the office. Thank you

Community Notices

Invitation to Anzac Day Commemorative Poppy Display

On behalf of the Te Hūpēnui/Greytown Artists Inc Society and the dedicated children of Greytown Primary School, we are delighted to extend an invitation to you and your family to attend our Anzac Day commemorative poppy display.

The children of Greytown Primary School will be painting 400+ poppies in collaboration with the Te Hūpēnui/Greytown Artists Inc Society, resulting in a stunning commemorative art installation to be showcased at Stella Bull Park.

Their creativity and dedication will bring to life a poignant tribute to honor the memory of our fallen heroes.

This project has been wholly funded by the Te Hūpēnui/Greytown Artists Inc Society in addition to materials being provided by local businesses.

We cordially invite you to join us for this special event, where we will gather as a community to pay our respects and reflect on the sacrifices made by those who served our country.

Your presence would mean a great deal to us and to the young artists who have contributed to this meaningful project.

Date: 21st April 2024
Time: please arrive for a 10.30am start
Location: Stella Bull Park



We look forward to welcoming you and your colleagues to this memorable occasion.

Light refreshments will be available in the Gallery afterwards, please take the time to visit and meet the Artists and view our work.

Staglands Treasure Hunt

April School
Holidays

win
prizes!



It's time to channel your inner explorer and join the Staglands Treasure Hunt!

To enter download the [Treasure Hunt Sheet](#) from our [website](#) or ask for one at the Ticket Office when you visit.

Take your completed sheet to the Ticket Office to claim your prize from our Treasure Chest!

Offer runs 13th – 28th April 2024



April 21st at 1pm
Carterton Event Centre
For more information visit the website



What is WYO?

- The Wairarapa Youth Orchestra (WYO) offers free orchestra music education to Wairarapa tamariki & rangatahi who are currently learning to play an orchestral instrument!
- We rehearse Mondays 4.15pm-5pm at Kuramui College Greytown each term.

Come join us
Visit wyo.org.nz/join

Questions?
Email us at info@wyo.org.nz

Join the *Wairarapa Youth Orchestra* in Term 2 2024.

Wairarapa Youth Orchestra

Martinborough Junior Squash
Registration



Friday 3rd May
3.30pm-5.30pm

All playing levels welcome
No equipment required
Hot Food available

Squash program
Monday-Coaching
Friday-Games

Junior/Primary Membership
\$55

Come and have a hit on court
Email:

sharlenemorg3@gmail.com



Come Play for Kia Kaha Hockey Club!

Primary Grade

All year 3–8 players are welcome to join our club
Years 3 & 4 play Tuesday nights
Years 5 & 6 play Friday night
Years 7 & 8 will play either Wednesday or Friday depending on entries.



Interested?
Go to our website to find the registration form.
<https://www.sporty.co.nz/kiahahockey/junior-hockey/junior-player-registration>
Contact Jess for more info – 0277412520
Or email hockeykiahaha@gmail.com

Community Notices

WAKA TAKARO
APRIL TĀKARO PLAY SESSIONS
 FREE PLAY POP UPS FOR ALL

16-26 APRIL

CHECK OUT OUR WAKA TAKARO PLAY POP UPS & HAVE SOME FUN!

WEEK 1	WEEK 2
Tuesday 16th Pirinoa Town Hall/School 10.30 - 12.30pm	Monday 22nd Carrington Park, CTN 10.30 - 12.30pm
Wednesday 17th Martinborough School 10.30-12.30pm	Tuesday 23rd Soldiers Memorial Park, GRT 10.30-12.30pm
Thursday 18th Queen Elizabeth Park Green Space, MSTN 10.30 - 12.30pm	Wednesday 24th Featherston School 10.30 - 12.30pm
Saturday 20th Carterton Colour Run at Carrington Park 12pm	Friday 26th Riverstone Park, MSTN 10.30 - 12.30pm



HELP RAISE MONEY FOR OUR LOCAL CHOPPER

DOGGY DAY OUT

Where: Queen Elizabeth Park, Masterton.

When: Sunday 5 May 2024 at 10am

Dress your dog up for a fun day out! Food, stalls and fun activities for the family. Lots of awesome prizes. \$10 entry per dog. Cash only.

Pre-register at Westpac Masterton or on the day.

All dogs to be on leads. 10:00am - 2pm.

Thank you for your support in helping raise money for this crucial life-saving service. All money raised will benefit your local rescue helicopter.

Life Flight

Young People Treasuring Te Taiao Competition!

*Do you Treasure Te Taiao?
 Mountains to Sea Wellington
 is looking to highlight
 students taking action
 for our environment!*

If you're 18 or under and have participated in any Mountains To Sea Wellington programmes through your school, you are eligible to enter!

Apply if you have taken action by doing a beach clean up, tree planting, stream monitoring or have made art or creative expression about te taiao--any kind of activity that helps our environment.

Apply online at

mountainstoseawellington.org/events

Applications close on 10 May 2024



Pick Your Own Apples at Molewood Orchard



In 2024 from March to early June, Molewood Orchard in Greytown is open for Pick Your Own apples every weekend.

If the idea of wandering down rows of trees laden with fresh delicious apples sounds appealing, we have got your weekend plans covered!

Open weekends 9am-4pm
 and other times by arrangement
 March 2 - June 3
 17 Mole St, Greytown
 ph: 021 153 5933
www.molewoodorchard.com

