



Newsletter

Term 1
Week 3
Thursday 15
February

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Paula's Panui

We have enjoyed our start to school and children are in full swing with their swimming and other learning.

Thank you to all of the families who have put their name down to help with our Gala this term – there will be more information to come to you very soon! If you think you might be able to help and haven't done our survey – here is the [link](#) again.

We do have a few cases of covid at the moment, but no clusters of cases, just a few isolated ones. Please familiarise yourself with the Ministry of Health [Guidelines](#). The recommendation is a 5 day isolation but we would ask that students stay home while they have symptoms.

Traffic:

With our long awaited upgrade to the parking on Reading Street finished, I had hoped we wouldn't have to talk about traffic and parking for a while.

However, a couple of reminders –

- Please do not park on yellow lines or across people's driveways
- Please use the parks on Reading Street and not the lovely new grass – while it is fine now while the ground is dry, in the winter, it will ruin the grass
- If you are stopping in the drop bay on East Street or Reading St, please do not park and leave your car, it is just for dropping off/picking up

Ngā Mihi, Paula Weston Tumuaki/Principal

Dates for the Calendar

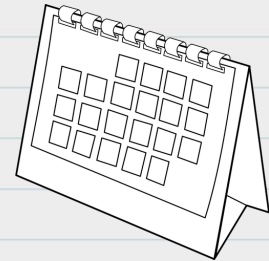
Thursday 27th February – School Swimming sports for years 4–8 – more details to follow

Friday 8th March – South Wairarapa Swimming sports

Tuesday 12 March – Year 7 immunisations

Friday 29 March–Tuesday 2 April (return to school Wednesday 3 April) – Easter Break

Friday 12 April (3pm) – End of term



Greytown School Gala

Saturday 6th April



SAVE THE DATE

We are starting to form our team for the school gala. Our hope is to be able to make our gala so successful that we don't need to do much else for fundraising this year! To do that, we need help and lots of it!

We don't want you to feel overwhelmed by the prospect of it so we have come up with a short survey that gives you some ideas of the sort of help that we need and hopefully everyone will see something that they will be able to contribute to.

Please fill in our [survey](#)

Greytown Swimming Sports



Our annual swimming sports will be held on Tuesday 27th February (weather dependent). Events begin at 9:40am and will run into the early afternoon.

Done in age and events groups boys/girls
Freestyle (100) / Freestyle /
Flutter-Board / Backstroke / Breaststroke
/ Medley / House Relays / Fun Relay

Students can leave with their parents after events have concluded.

We are seeking volunteer parents to be timekeepers. Any assistance with this would be greatly appreciated.

Please contact Dylan Bird
dbird@greytown.school.nz if you
are able to commit for some portion
of the event.



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



School Notices

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

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

Stationery

We still have stationery
available to purchase in the
office

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

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

Community Notices



Learn to code with expert tutors.

Gain the ability to create with technology (instead of just consuming it).

All skill levels welcome.

Grab a free
trial lesson at
codingnz.com

Ages
9 to 11
12 & 13
14 to 16

After School Care Programme

There are spaces available!!

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

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



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COMMUNITY BYO PICNIC & FANCY DRESS LAUNCH PARTY

Saturday 17th Feb

Greytown Soldiers Memorial Park Play ground



Get ready to don your most enchanting costumes and step into the realm of Pirates, Princesses, Superheroes, and beyond. It's time to let your creativity run wild and be rewarded for it!

Creative Costume Contest, Treasure Hunt and Pinata, Face Painting Raffles, Sausage Sizzle.
Music: Dance the afternoon away.

A huge thank you to The Greytown Lions, Greytown Pharmacy, Loving Feather, Greytown Butchery, Cobblestones, The Offering, Crighton ITM Greytown and all of You

If you have any ideas or want to see an event in the here in the Wairarapa again or new let Smallfields Events Ltd know and lets make those moments become Memories