

A FUTURE & A HOPE GOLFLANDS CAMPUS MIDDLE YEARS

Kia ora Parents / Caregivers / Whānau

How special was it to have an Easter weekend celebrating the resurrection of Jesus Christ our risen Lord and Saviour?

To end the term on a sweet note we are having \$3 Hot Chocolate sales on the last day of term. All drinks must be prepaid through the KINDO App. Friday, 12th April (last day of term). Please only use Kindo for orders, no money will be accepted at school. The last day to order will be Thursday, 11th April at 3:10 pm.

Please prepare well for term 2 and any uniform items that will be needed. **We have a second-hand uniform sales evening on Tuesday 9th April at 6 pm in the hall.** Refer to the school website for requirements and further information than what's provided here: <https://www.elim.school.nz/uniform/>

Parents, sadly there are still many who do not follow our heartfelt plea for the following road rules:

- Please do not park in our neighbours driveways.
- Please do not double park.
- Please do not make u-turns in front of the school
- Please do not park on the yellow lines, as this impacts the road patrollers trying to keep everyone safe.

If these behaviours continue we will be forced to put photos in the newsletters to remind parents not to park on yellow lines, make u-turns or park in the wrong spots. Please stick to road rules.

We loved celebrating the uniqueness of cultures - God designed us to be different but also made the way for us to have unity of hearts as we love Him and love others. Do talk to your child about cultural expressions, habits and differences. We are all made in the image of God.

I do want to acknowledge the new families and students in Middle Years especially those who have recently joined us in the past few weeks. Our Middle Years is a vibrant and exciting time in the learning years and with the many subjects and learning opportunities outside of the actual classroom, I trust that a sense of wonder and delight in achievements no matter how small are celebrated in your home. Verbal encouragement is so important.

Next week is a busy last week of term with selected Year 10 parent meetings, Heritage assembly, and also the Botany Campus Heritage assembly where the Year 10 students get to join the Botany Campus before walking back to our site. Some students will be involved in The Kingsway School sporting exchange. Our Prefects will represent us at the ANZAC Civic service on Stokade Hill on the 25th of April. This is during the term holiday.

May God continue to bless your child and your family!
Ngā mihi nui, Mrs Mandy Heim, Deputy Principal

TERM 1 UPCOMING EVENTS

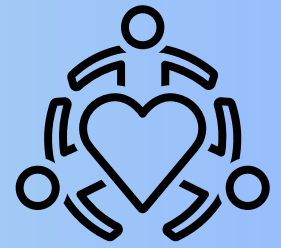
- **SECOND-HAND UNIFORM SALES TUESDAY 9TH APRIL, 6 PM HALL**
- **HERITAGE ASSEMBLY THURSDAY 11TH APRIL HALL 8.40 AM - 9.30 AM**
- **HOT CHOCOLATE SALE (ON KINDO) FRIDAY, 12TH APRIL**
- **LAST DAY OF TERM 1 FRIDAY, 12TH APRIL**

TERM 2 DATES:

- **FIRST DAY OF TERM 2 MONDAY, 29TH APRIL**
- **ARISE PTA MEETING MONDAY, 6TH MAY AT 6 PM**
- **MEET A TEACHER 7TH MAY**
- **MUFTI DAY - WORLD VISION THURSDAY, 9TH MAY**
- **MEET A TEACHER 14TH MAY**
- **Y10 NATIONAL CO-REQUISITE ASSESSMENT WEEK MONDAY 20TH - FRIDAY 24TH MAY**
- **KING'S BIRTHDAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY MONDAY 3RD JUNE**
- **TEACHER ONLY DAY TUESDAY, 4TH JUNE (SCHOOL CLOSED)**
- **ELIM PACIFIC PARENTS FONO WEDNESDAY, 19TH JUNE, 6PM - 8PM**
- **CAM KIWI COMPETITION 24TH & 26TH JUNE, 2ND JULY**

Service, Skills and Achievement

Ailidh and Logan McKinnon have recently been congratulated on their North Island mountain bike championships success.



Nadia Bland has won the SEZ tennis tournament
Jasmine Wagener, Chloe Taylor, Nadia Bland, Nathan Ko and Aimee Li in the top 10 for their age groups in the orienteering series and are competing in the finals from across Auckland on Sunday 7th April.

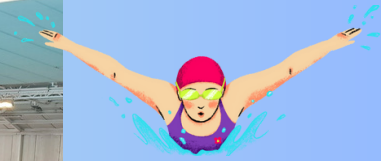
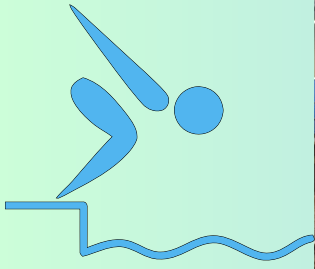


Jehjune Kim, Elijah Wirian, Connor Hadfield and Daniel James at SEZ Y7/8 Tennis



AV operator Y10 Nevaan Lal, Tech team leader and Prefect Tobyn Hodgson and Y7 Joshua Wilson faithfully serve at our assemblies each Friday morning. These students serve our wider school community with their AV and tech skills.





Evelyn Loh and Abigail Zhou recently qualified from the South Eastern Zone Swimming Championships to represent Elim and the South Eastern Zone at the Auckland Interzone Swimming Championships.

This was held at West Wave Aquatic Centre in Henderson on Wednesday 20th March.
Thank you to our parent supporters on the day.

From the SEZ event:

Abigail qualified for 50m Freestyle (4th place), 50m Backstroke (3rd place) , 50m Breaststroke (3rd Place)

Evelyn Loh qualified for 50m Freestyle, 50m Backstroke, 50m Breaststroke, 100m Freestyle and 50m Butterfly in which she placed 1st for all 5 events.

Both girls competed exceptionally well at the Auckland Championships and should be extremely proud of themselves.

A big congratulations to Evelyn on her incredible results! Evelyn got into all the final events from her heats and placed top 3 in all 5 events.

50 Freestyle Final - 2nd place

50 Breaststroke Final - 1st place

50 Backstroke Final - 1st place

50 Butterfly Final - 3rd place

100 Freestyle Final - 2nd place

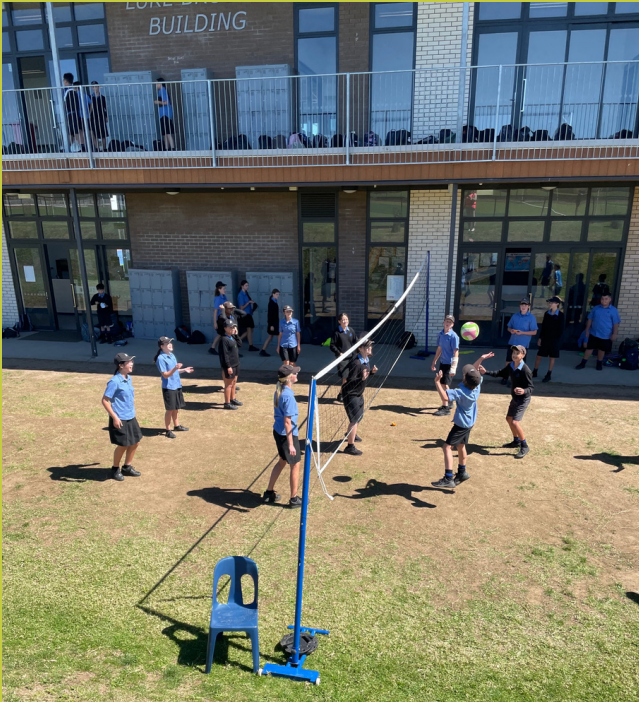
Well done girls, we are very proud of you!!



ASSEMBLIES THIS TERM HAVE BEEN FOCUSED ON HONOURING GOD AND RESPECTING OTHERS.



OUR YEAR 9 STUDENTS ENJOYING VOLLEYBALL DURING LUNCH TIME



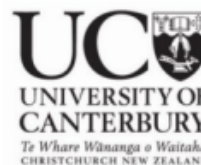
LOST PROPERTY

Please check the large grey bin labeled Middle Years lost property located outside reception and collect any items that belong to your child by the end of the week.

All unclaimed items will be donated or sent to the second-hand uniform sale next week.



CAM KIWI ENGLISH, MATHEMATICS AND SCIENCE COMPETITIONS



2024 Kiwi English, Mathematics and Science Competitions



Dear Parents / Caregivers / Whānau

The University of Canterbury is once again offering your child the opportunity to participate in the KIWI English, Mathematics and Science competitions. These competitions take place annually and are designed by New Zealand teachers for New Zealand students based on the New Zealand Curriculum. For further information, please consult the CAM website www.canterbury.ac.nz/cam.

The competitions are open to all Year 5-10 students in English, Mathematics and Science. Students can enter in one or more subjects. Each competition will provide parents/caregivers with an individual student report of their child's overall performance. These are available through your school. The supervised online tests will take place in the last 2 weeks of Term 2. **The competitions are to be administered at school under exam conditions and supervised.**

All participating students will receive a certificate and a prize will be awarded to the top student nationally in each competition. If two or more students share the same top score then the prize is awarded to the student with the highest speed and accuracy.

There will not be any practice test papers. These online tests are provided primarily as a competition and not as a teaching resource.

COMPETITION DATES		
Mathematics	English	Science
Mon 24th June	Wed 26th June	Tue 2nd July

If you would like your child to participate in these competitions, please follow these steps:

1. Read the information at this link: <https://www.canterbury.ac.nz/cam/kiwi-competitions/>
2. Use this link to register before **Monday 8th April 2024**: <https://forms.gle/wurm5daVvpAuTfGV6>
3. Make the payment of \$9.90 per test on the KAMAR Parent Portal before **Friday 3rd May 2024**.

If you have any questions please email your campus office: golflands@elim.school.nz

SECOND HAND UNIFORM SALE -TUESDAY, 9TH APRIL



School

2ND HAND UNIFORM SALE

- **Tuesday 9th April**
- **6 pm Golflands Hall**
- **Buy uniform from PTA**
- **Buy and sell second hand uniform, bring a mat to display uniform.**

You can donate uniform at the school office



KINDO

Elim Christian College

Ordering your
SCHOOL LUNCH
is easy via **KINDO APP**

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YOUR KIDS' HOME AWAY FROM HOME!

OUR PROGRAMMES ARE PACKED WITH EXCITING ACTIVITIES DESIGNED TO NURTURE, EDUCATE AND INSPIRE YOUR KIDS.

SPORTS COOKING ART SCIENCE + MORE!

At Kelly Club, we offer quality before- and after-school care in safe and supportive surroundings, with programmes that are tailored to your kids' ages and skill levels. Our dedicated and passionate staff are fully trained in all aspects of looking after your children.



DID YOU KNOW? CHILDCARE SUBSIDIES INCREASED IN 2023!

Check out our wide range of activities, easy online booking system, flexible payment options and childcare subsidy information at:

www.kellyclub.co.nz

KINDO COMPETITION

WIN a \$50 voucher of your choice giveaway with ezlunch - 4 available!

ezlunch is thrilled to announce their latest giveaway of **four \$50 school holiday vouchers!** All orders delivered between now and the end of the term will go in the draw to WIN!

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 to order.

T&C's apply. Every order goes in the draw. Four chances to win per order. Competition open to all New Zealand myKindo account holders. Competition closes and winners will be drawn at 11am on Friday 12 April 2024. No adult only gift vouchers permitted. No correspondence will be entered into.

End of Term Celebration

END OF TERM CELEBRATION DAY - HOT CHOCOLATE



Elim Christian College

HOT

Chocolate

END OF TERM CELEBRATION

When: Friday, 12 April 2024

Cost: \$3

All orders on Kindo.

Last day to order on Kindo: 11 April at 3:10pm.

No cash accepted at school!