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COVID-19

This pandemic has had a significant impact on the community and is likely to continue to do so for some time. It is important to look after ourselves and our whanau. Keeping safe and practising good hygiene is the key to managing the COVID-19 spread. Health and wellbeing information including how to access healthcare, mental wellbeing, family and sexual violence prevention and advice for people at risk is available at:

<https://covid19.govt.nz/health-and-wellbeing/>

AGM 2020

The CPCA's 2019 AGM was held on 15 July 2020. The AGM was attended by 70 residents and invited guests, including Regional Councillors Daran Ponter and Roger Blakeley; Northern Ward Councillor Malcolm Sparrow; MPs Greg O'Connor and Brett Hudson.

CPCA Committee 2020

Avinash Shrivastava was elected as President at the AGM. The other Officers of the Committee are:

Vice President - Vijay Chandrashekar
Honorary Secretary - Wade Martelletti
Honorary Treasurer - Priya Baskaran
Honorary Auditor - Richard Whinam
Executive Committee members - Roger Ellis, Dayandra Hettige, Sanjeeb Panda, Selena Peri, John Tiley and Bhawesh Tiwari.

CPCA work programme 2020

CPCA will continue its advocacy work with the Wellington City Council and the Greater Wellington Regional Council for better community facilities and services. These include: the Community centre extension, public transport and traffic issues within the district.

CPCA is also looking at organising more community events and will use social media channels for communicating with the residents more effectively. We will continue publishing this Gazette.

Priorities for future work

If you would like to suggest projects or ideas for CPCA's work programme, please email secretary@churtonpark.org.nz.

Submission of the Draft Spatial Plan

The Wellington Council is seeking public feedback on how well *Our City Tomorrow: A Draft Spatial Plan for Wellington City* meets the goals of ensuring a compact, resilient, vibrant and prosperous, inclusive and connected, and greener Wellington city. The draft Spatial Plan is available at:

<https://planningforgrowth.wellington.govt.nz/spatial-plan>

Submissions close on Monday 5 October 2020 at 5pm.

CPCA is making a submission on the Draft Spatial Plan.

Events update

Please mark these dates in your family diary (Note - Events will go ahead only if Wellington is in Alert Level 1):

UTSAV on 8 November (2.30pm to 6.00pm) at Amesbury School

This popular family event seeks to showcase contemporary and traditional Indian and Southeast Asian music and dance, food and crafts to the Churton Park community. The event will also have many free attractions for children such as bouncy castle, face painting and rides.

Children’s Christmas Party on 29 November (1.30pm to 4.00pm) at Amesbury School

This is a fun-filled afternoon event for children. There will be a number of free activities for children to enjoy, including a sausage sizzle, races and a bouncy castle.

Santa Claus/ Hana Kōkō will come from the North Pole to meet our tamariki!

The local Anglican Church will provide complimentary afternoon tea for everyone this year, as they have done for the last several years. Come along and enjoy homemade goodies and the blessings of this special season.

Please bring a can for the local Food Bank and be in to win a prize. All received food cans will be given to a local Food Bank.

Community Carols on 11 December (6.30pm to 7.30pm) at Amesbury School

This event has been enjoyed for a number of years, with families joining in to sing carols. Capital Harmony Chorus and Wellington City Salvation Army Band will be entertaining you with joyful music. Amesbury and Churton Park School Choirs will add a local touch to the occasion.

Come and join us and get the Christmas spirit rolling before the big day. A gold coin donation for the Wellington Free Ambulance will be appreciated.

Churton Park Community Association (Inc) Membership Form

All Churton Park residents are invited to become a financial member, and assist the modest budget of the Association. Your financial membership enables us to carry out communication, advocacy and community support activities.

Please complete the details below and return with your remittance to:

The Treasurer, Churton Park Community Assn (Inc), 8 Tattenhall Grove Churton Park

Subscription (please tick appropriate box)

\$20	\$25	\$30	\$
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Name.....
Address.....
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Alternatively, by direct credit to ASB Account Number **12-3223-0079397-00**, with your identification. Please also email the information and details of your payment to secretary@churtonpark.org.nz