5. NEW ZEALAND'S FIRST CHILDREN'S DAY

The Community Secretary reported an item from the Community Services Committee July Agenda introducing Children's Day that is planned for 29 October 2000, this date being during Neighbourhood Week.

The Board decided:

- 1. That the information be received.
- 2. That a family entertainment day be held at the Groynes Reserve on Children's Day 29 October 2000, with free buses to be run from various points within the Shirley and Papanui wards (tickets available through local schools).
- 3. That the Community Recreation Adviser report to the September meeting on appropriate activities and costings for the event, including activities that encourage young people to consider the natural environment.