

## 16. GOVERNMENT FUNDING – OUT OF SCHOOL CARE AND RECREATION PROGRAMMES

The Board considered a report outlining the latest information on new government funding available for Out of School Programmes.

The Board requested that the Community Development Adviser ask the OSCAR Network to advise the Sumner Out of School Care and Recreation Programme (SOSCAR) of the information contained in the report. The Board also requested that Out of School Programmes be included as an agenda item at the next meeting between the Board and local school principals.

The Board **decided** to support the following recommendations:

1. That Community Recreation Advisers and Community Development Advisers work closely with community providers, the OSCAR Network in Christchurch and National OSCAR to ensure that Christchurch providers are aware of this funding.
2. That Community Boards continue to consider supporting Out of School Programmes in their areas at current levels of funding for the 2003/04 financial year until an analysis of the impact of Government funding in this area in Christchurch has been made and reported back to Boards by June, 2003.