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# Our Community Plan Submission Form

## Instructions

### Please read before completing your submission

It will help us process your submission if you clearly state the issue you want the Council to consider, what specific action you think the Council should take, and why that should be done.

If you wish, you can present your submission at a hearing. (If that is the case, please tick the box). The hearings will be held between Thursday 25 May and Wednesday 7 June 2006. Generally, 10 minutes are allocated for hearing of your submission, including time for questions.

It will help us if your submission also refers to the page of either the full version or the summary version.

Please note: We are legally required to make all written or electronic submissions available to Councillors and to the public. This includes the name and address of the submitter. All submissions will be published on the Council's website from 10 May 2006.

No anonymous submissions will be accepted.

You may send us your submission:

### By mail

Please mail your submission (no stamp is required) to:

Freepost 178  
Our Community Plan  
Christchurch City Council  
PO Box 237  
Christchurch 8003

### By email

Please email your submission to:

ccc-plan@ccc.govt.nz

Please make sure that your full name and address is included with your submission.

### On the internet

You may enter your submission using the form provided on the Council's web site at

<http://www.ccc.govt.nz>

Please follow all the instructions on the web site.

Please remember to indicate if you wish to present your submission in person at one of the hearings.

Please ensure your submission arrives no later than Friday 5 May 2006.

## Your submission

You may use this form for your submission on our draft Community Plan if you wish. Whether you use this form or not, please include your name, address and contact telephone number with your submission.

Tick one  I do NOT wish to present my submission at the hearing, and ask that this written submission be considered OR  I wish to talk to the main points in my written submission at the hearings to be held between Thursday 25 May and Wednesday 7 June 2006

Are you completing this submission:  For yourself  On behalf of a group or organisation

If you are representing a group or organisation, how many people do you represent? 200

My submission refers to:  Full version  Page No.  Summary version 15 Page No.

Do you also want to respond to:  Development Contributions  Aquatic Facilities  Other

Contact Name (Aroha) Ruby McDonald, Ella Soryl

Organisation name (if applicable) Shirley Intermediate School

Contact Address 100 Hales Shirley Rd

Shirley

Phone No. (day) \_\_\_\_\_ Phone No. (evening) \_\_\_\_\_

Email (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Signature Aroha, Ella Date 3/5/06

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Please be as specific as possible to help us understand your views

See list of major projects in the summary document

## Questions

① Do you have any comments on the major projects in our draft Community Plan? page number

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② Do you have any comments on groups of activities (the activities and services that Council provides)? page number

*Letters from pupils attached.  
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③ Do you have any other comments or suggestions you want to make? page number

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Submission #:

Referred to:

Date referred:

Date required:

Heard:  Yes  No

You may add more pages if you wish. Thank you for your submission.

To the Christchurch City Council,

Due to your decision about closing Edgeware Pool, Room 18 of Shirley Intermediate School has decided to write formal complaints.

We don't think you should close Edgeware Pool because it assures good customer service and is free. It caters ages of plenty, and the elderly go there to do water aerobics.

Also on hot summer days in the holidays families go there to have fun in the sun and to cool down. Also our friends and ourselves have been going there since we started Primary and has been our favourite pool because we remember getting sunburnt and tanned on summer days.

Please don't close Edgeware pool we share such a rich history with it and it's up to you to repair it because their fares are low and they don't have money to repair it.

Yours sincerely: James Buchanan Tahu-Potiki Stanley



Dear Whom it may Concern

I have a few reasons why you should not close down Edgeware pool. Edgeware pool is a good place for all ages not just kids and also it is good for people to hang out. It is great for birthday parties and swimming lessons. In summer every week day at 5:30 me and many others have been going there for swimming lessons. Over 80 people go there to have fun and also lessons. I have been swimming there since I was little and many people including me would be very sad if you close it down. St Albans School uses it for many reasons like swimming sports and many other things. Other schools use it to and if you close it down we and other schools will have no where to go and other pools aren't as close and handy as Edgeware. So please don't close it down.

Aroha, Ella



We don't want edgewere to close  
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is warm plus its crowdid and  
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dont close edgewere plesa if its still  
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To whom it may concern

I have many reasons why you should not close down Edgeware pool.

Reason 1: Heaps of people like to go to Edgeware not just teenagers and children even old people like to go there.

Reason 2: The kids love it because there are diving boards and warm showers.

Reason 3: It is affordable and sometimes it's free.

Reason 4: People can go with mates and have heaps of fun.

Reason 5: It is deep so you can bomb out the side.

Reason 6: Heaps of families can go there some day and have a swim and lunch.

So please don't shut down Edgeware pool.

Yours sincerely J. Lopez and C. Richmond

To whom this may concern.

I am very concerned that the Edgeware Pool is being closed down. This is a very bad idea. I have lots of memories of this pool. The first memory that I ever had is when I went there by myself. I was very nervous because I had never been there before. I meet a lot of new people and had a great time.

Great things about Edgeware Pool !!

- The pool is very warm
- good for all ages
- Big changing rooms
- Hot showers.
- Very nice lifeguards
- deep pool but not too deep
- fruit trees
- meet new people
- cheap

Yours sincerely

R.J. McArthur.

Rakyla McArthur

Dear City Council,

I was very concerned when I found out that you are deciding to close down, 'Edgeware Pool.' I have been going to that pool ever since I was a little girl.

I have so many fond memories of that place.

Coosh that's where I met my friends.

Please do not close it down as it will upset many people.

Do Not Take Our Edgeware Pool Away!!!

Great things about, 'Edgeware Pool':

- It's Free
- You can meet heaps of new people / friends.
- The life-guards are very nice.
- It's suitable for all ages.
- They have fruit trees.
- It's fun and it has a diving pool board.
- And it is warmer than most pools.

Now you have realized how much we enjoy this pool and I hope you do not take it away.

Yours sincerely,

Shannon

Shannon Oberg-Short



1/5/06

To whom this may concern

It is very upsetting to hear that Edgeware Pool will be shutting down. It was a fun place to meet friends and go for swims.

I think it shouldn't be shut down because it's a fun place to be and cheaper than most places and good for all ages.

My friends and I have had many good times there. It would be a shame to have it shut down.

Yours Sincerely.

Denny Danni Henry

K. Karu Kararaina teKaru

Shinece Shinece Callen-Roberts

Dear...

To whom it may concern,  
I was very concerned to hear that Edegware pool is closing down.

The decision of closing down the pool is very wrong.

I have been going to Edegware pool since i was a little girl.

In fact I meet my two best friends there.

Well I suppose im trying to say please don't close down the pool!!!!

We all have a good time meeting new people ect..

The pool is good for all ages and it would be sad to hear that it is going to close down.

I would say you would be hurting a lot of people

**WELL PLEASE DONT CLOSE DOWN THE POOL!!!**

Im begging for me and my friends and families that call that pool their own

So please make the right decision for all our sakes.

Your sincerely

Janika lee-walker

Janika lee-walker ☺

Shirley intermediate school

Dear Who it may concern,

Please do not close down the Pool

Because in the weekend we can go for a swim.

It's fun and cheap. In the weekend it gives us

some thing to do - fun. My friends and I have a

lot of fun and we can go for a swim

When ever we want. When we finish having a

swim can have a hot shower and be clean.

So Please do not close down our pool

from : T. Repena, Kiffka

# Letter

Dear who ever it may concern  
Dont shut Edge were Pool down  
people like it because its Free  
and they like swimming and  
jumping off the diving board.  
Heaps of people like going  
there Theres usually about 30 people  
there having fun and if its  
hot then they can have a swim

So Please Dont Shut  
It Down

Vinnie  
Room 18 Shirley Intimedate

Dear Christchurch City Council

I have heard of your decision that you the Christchurch city council are going to close down Edgewater pool.

I do not want Edgewater pool to close down because it is a very good pool that the whole family can enjoy.

I also don't want it to close down because it cost free and has a diving board and showers too.

So if you could just please take my advice and just think about it and take all of our advice please.

Yours Sincerely

Nathalia Waale.

Dear whom it may concern,

I think you shouldn't shut Edgeware Pool down because heaps of kids like to go there and not only kids all sorts of people like adults teenagers old granddad and grandmas and I like it too. I think it's fun to dive off the divingboard and I'm pretty sure other people do as well and I also like it for it's warm showers after swimming and that it's free so please, please, please don't shut it down

yours sincerely

Anaru Paea

Shirley Intermediate School