

**Lyttelton Primary School**  
**Te Kura Tuatahi o Ōhinehou**  
'Our Learning Place'

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**To Whom it May Concern**

I am writing to support the Loons Theatre Trust in their current endeavours to find a home. We are excited that the Loons have signed a Memorandum of Understanding with the Ministry of Education that means our new school will become a shared space between the Loons and Lyttelton Primary School.

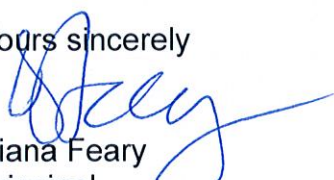
To have the Loons on site is an amazing opportunity. Mike Friend and the Loons bring a special dimension to both Lyttelton and to our school with the role they play in making drama live for our children. We value our partnership and look forward to it's continued growth. This partnership allows our children to access The Arts in an authentic setting with people who bring both passion and flair.

The partnership is creating a modern and exciting place for theatre for our community. Lyttelton has a rich history in the Arts and has sorely missed the opportunities that the Loons have provided, which include productions and performances, and facilities of a high standard for teaching.

In order for this school hall to be a truly effective theatre, the Loons have committed to make this happen. The strengthening of the build to accommodate such things as lighting, and the installation of retractable seating are vital to make the theatre come to its full potential, as well as providing an exceptional space for Lyttelton Primary School's teaching and learning programmes.

I fully endorse the efforts of the Loons to raise funds to make this dream a reality, for our children, for our community, and for the Loons.

Yours sincerely

  
Diana Feary  
Principal  
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