









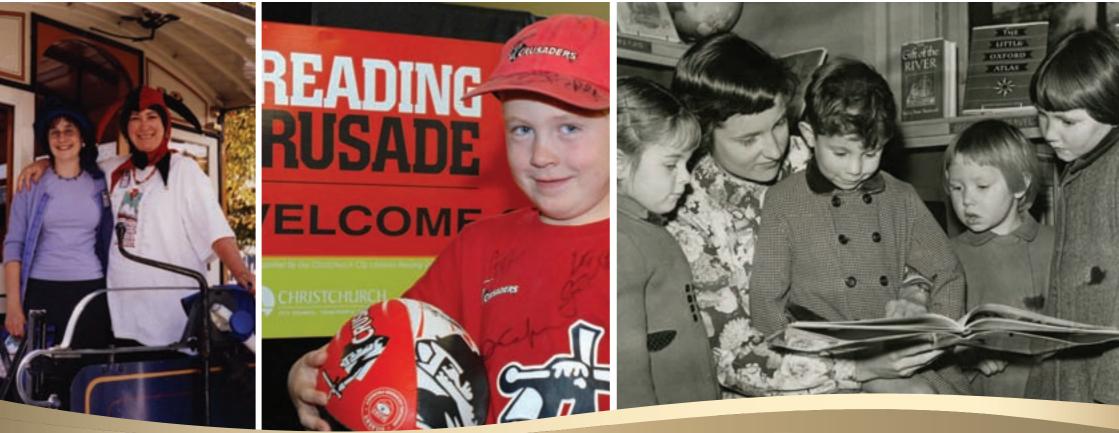
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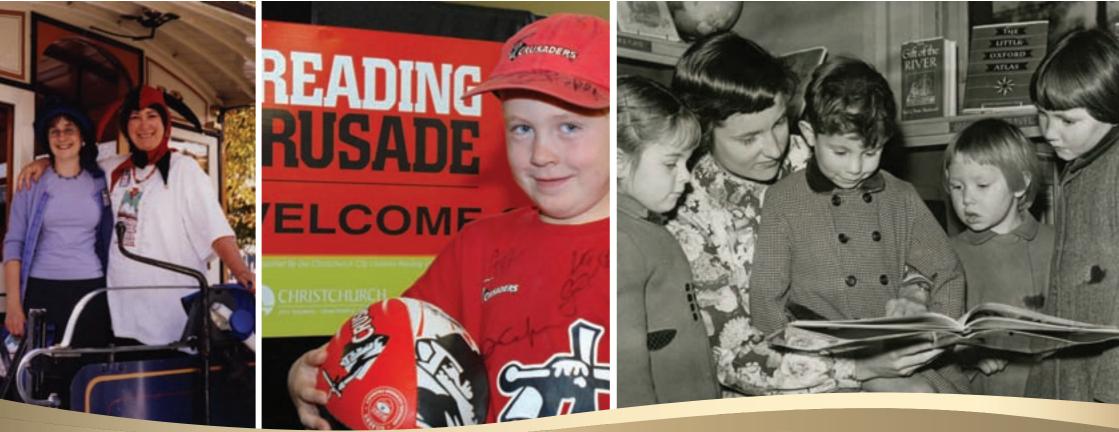
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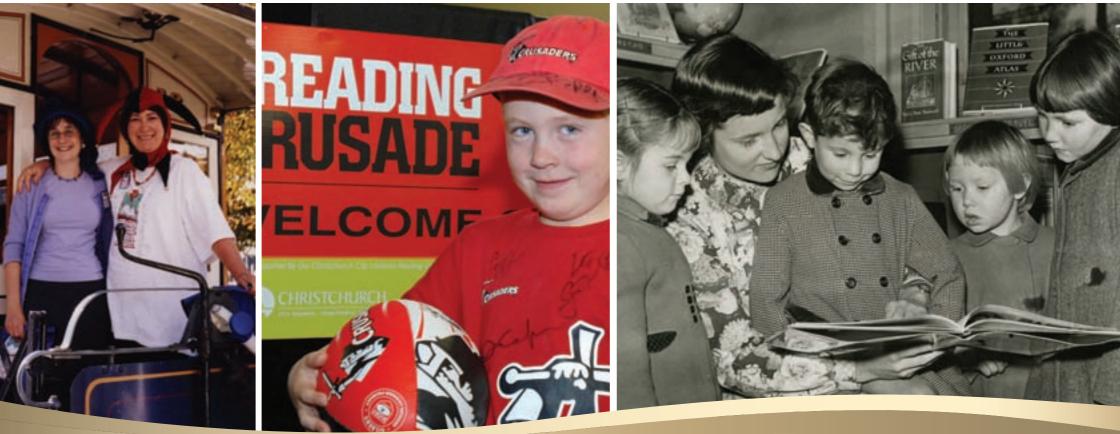
In the early days of the Mechanics Institute, lectures and classes were held for members to encourage selfimprovement and education. Travel talks were popular, along with literary addresses that became the author visits of more recent years.

Since 1924, Storytimes has been a regular feature, and recently Babytimes has been introduced to encourage a love of stories and learning in the very young.

Book weeks, musical performances, kapa haka, holiday programmes, reading promotions and library celebrations – brought to you by your library for the last 150 years.









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