Buckland School Newsletter

Buckland School is committed to providing quality education that engages students fully in a wide range of learning experiences that will assist them in preparing for the challenges of the future.

30 March 2015

Dear Parents and Community Members Tena Koutou

- Value for the Term: Excellence
- International Test Applications—these must be in by Tuesday this week. No late applications will be accepted.

Thank you

- As the term draws to a close I would like to take this opportunity to thank all parents and family members for your support with the many events and activities we have held over the term. I wish you all a happy Easter and a relaxed first term holiday break. Thank you to children and staff for all your efforts as well.
- To all children who supported the Yr 7/8 Hot Dog day and to Ms Meredith, Mrs Neate, Mr Allan and staff who assisted with this.
- Parents who attended the school assembly. It is always super to have parents and family members attend to celebrate children's successes.
- To parents who assisted with transport and supervision at last week's orienteering practice for children.
- To school council representatives for representing their classes diligently.
- To parents and children who attended the Road Safety team session in Papatoetoe last week.

Congratulations to:

- Children who have been selected for the Franklin Orienteering event this week.
- To the following children who received certificates at last week's assembly: Rm1—Anika, Jack, Fynn, Rm2—Georgia, Xanthe, Aiden, Tyler, Rm3— Abby, William, Ella, Marlee, Rm4—Josh, Aaron, Lily, Kaitlyn, Rm5—Tess, Blake, Toby, Josephine, Rm6—Charlie, William, Anna, Brayden, Rm7-Quartz-Lee, Caiden, Amanpreet, Charlize, Rm8— Cooper, Blake, Mereana, Jessica, Rm9—Rocel, Ethan, Tajt-Joy, Trinity, Rm10—Zev, Kees, Joel, Summer

Principal's Award: Amanpreet

Lion Award: Yolanda

School Value Awards: Billie-Jae Rm 9 & Jessica

Rm8

Super Mathlete: Amanpreet Top Mathletics Class: Room 7

Newsletter Draw: Hiestand-Hutt & Harris families

To the following children who received Gold Mathletics Certificates at last week's assembly: Rm2—Taylor, Rm 4—Wendy, Rm5—Jimmy, Rm 6—Trent, Katie, Lance, Madison, Rm 7—Jack, Quartz-Lee, Sylvie, Rm 8—Lola, Grace, Rm 9— Shelby

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Events This Week

- PTA Easter raffle will be on sale before and after school
- Mon 30 Mar—Franklin Orienteering—selected children
- Tues 31 Mar—Final day for International test applications to be in
- Wed 1 April—Auckland Yr 7/8 Swimming. Good luck to Nathan for his races.
- Thurs 2 April—Final Day of term—Short assembly at 2.30p.m. and the drawing of Easter Raffle
- School Opens again on Monday 20 April.

Mufti Day—this Thursday 2 April At least a gold coin donation!

This Thursday the School Council has decided to have a mufti day to support the NZ Steel Glenbrook Industrial Firefighters in their quest to raise funds for leukaemia and blood cancer. The firefighters will take part in the Sky Tower Stair Challenge on 23 May. This involves 1103 steps, 51 floors wearing full level 2 PPE and donned and started BA.

Please support this cause with at least a gold coin donation. Parent donations will also be passed on.

Yr 7 & 8 Wellington Camp

A full camp notice was given out on Friday indicating fundraising activities. Please ensure that you have read this thoroughly and returned it by tomorrow to indicate the activities you would like to be involved in.

Board of Trustees Newsletter

The first newsletter of the Board is coming home today. It will also be available on the website in the BOT section.

PTA EASTER RAFFLE

The PTA Easter Raffle ticket selling starts today. There will be some super mums selling tickets Mon to Wed morning & afternoon & Thurs morning outside Rooms 2 & 3. Also this year there is a Allergy Free Raffle - it is free of egg, gluten, dairy & nuts. There are some great prizes to be won, so bring along some pocket money. Tickets are only 50c each. The prizes will be drawn & given out at assembly on Thursday. Good Luck.

Thought for the Week

"It is more blessed to give than to receive." Acts: 20:35

Have a great final week and a lovely holiday break everyone.

Regards

Mavis Glasgow (Principal)

Congratulations to:

- All who took part in the Counties Shotokan Karate, A special congratulations to Daniel who was 1st in Kata and 1st in Kumite, Georgia 1st in Kata and 3rd in Kumite, Sasha 1st in Kumite and 2nd in Kata, Brooke 2nd in Kumite and 3rd in Kata.
- Under 9 Stars Black who won all four games of basketball on Saturday. The team comprises: Caitlyn, Marcus, Riley, Josh, Lulu, Keira, Brayden and Robert.

















Community Notices

ANZAC MEMORIAL SERVICE 25 April 2015

Service starts at 9.45 am
At the Buckland War Monument

ST PAUL'S CHURCH (by Buckland School) Easter Sunday service Sunday 5 April at 11.15am All very welcome

FREE PILATES!! Open Studio—Saturday 18 April

at 199 Beaver Road West, Bombay
9.10am OR 10.30-11.30 am—Bookings essential
Come to one of my free introductory classes (usually \$30) and see
what Pilates is all about. I'll give you an overview of the equipment
I use and how it works and then get you moving with an essential
level workout that teaches you the Pilates Principles. From there
we can decide whether group classes or one-on-one studio work is
best for you. To book call Katy on 0274 496 768 or visit
www.isotonic.weebly.com

FRANKLIN CAKE DECORATORS

School Holiday Programme for 6-12 year olds Wednesday 8 April from 9am to 12.30pm At "The Centre" Pukekohe Create 5/6 sugar craft Easter themed items Bookings essential—cost \$25 Phone Raewyn on 236 4229

BLOKARTS, HAND GLIDERS AND THE YIKE BIKE!! AQUA AIR ADVENTURES ARE COMING TO TOWN AND THEY KNOW ALL ABOUT THE KARTS, GLIDERS & BIKES

Have you every seen those amazing Blokarts out at Kariotahi Beach, or the hand gliders in the air? Have you heard of a Yike Bike or know what a parasail is?

Join us for a fully interactive morning learning who invented them, some history, how they work, assembling them yourself and having a play with them. You may even get in the air on the hand glider! This is a chance not to be missed.

10am-12 noon (approx.) on 9 April At Pukekohe Intermediate school

Cost is \$10pp or \$20 per family for members and \$15pp or \$30 per family for non-members. Book early as numbers are limited. Please register with Alison on Alison@chemgroup.co.nz

PGG WRIGHTSON REAL ESTATE Special Offer for Your School

With every farm, lifestyle block or house listed and sold by Kelvin Meek, a donation will be made to your nominated school: Farm sales over 700ha \$1,000, lifestyle blocks \$500, residential houses \$250. Offer only applies to sole agency listing and expires 30/9/2015. (Other conditions apply). Phone Kelvin on 239 0644 or 027 491 8046.



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The family received the newsletter this week. Signed: ______(enter family name)