

Buckland School Newsletter

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

11 April 2016

Dear Parents and Community Members
Tena Koutou

- ◆ **Value for the term: Excellence**
- ◆ **Swimming**—This will be the final week for swimming (weather permitting)
- ◆ **Late After School Pickups**—Children who are not picked up prior to 3.20p.m. will be on the deck outside Room 3 (Mrs Bartlett's room) This will allow teachers to attend the meetings they have and also continue with their work.
- ◆ **BOT Meeting**—Please note: The Board meeting scheduled for this week has been postponed until the 18th May.
- ◆ **School ANZAC Service**—Because ANZAC day falls in the holidays we will be having a short observance of this at the beginning of this week's school assembly.
- ◆ **Mufti Day**—The school council will run a Mufti Day this Friday 15 April. They have decided that the proceeds of this will go towards the RSA. Please send along a gold coin as a donation. Children will also receive paper poppies. Red poppies will also be available in the office from Tuesday for those who would like to have one
- ◆ **Buckland Community ANZAC Service**—This will be held on **Monday 25 April at the Cenotaph at 9.45 am.** Our children have been asked to lead the National Anthem and our prefects will be speaking. Children who are attending might like to wear their school uniforms.
- ◆ **Lost Property**—This will be put out each afternoon. Please check it. Unnamed items at the end of term will be washed and put in the uniform shop for sale as second hand uniforms.
- ◆ **Lost Property**—The following unnamed items were washed over the long weekend. If you are missing items please see Principal:
 - Sweatshirts—2 size 4, 4 size 6
 - Shorts—1 size 4
 - T-Shirts—2 size 4
 - Jacket—1 size 6

Congratulations to:

All children in the two Year 7 & 8 Franklin Ultra Ripa Rugby Teams. Both teams won their sections.



Free Tickets Available—Southern Stars Charitable Trust "Sleeping Beauty"

Saturday 30 April at 10 am

Logan Campbell Theatre, ASB Showgrounds, Greenlane West
Please see the Principal if you would like tickets

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Events This Week

- ◆ Tues 12 April—Ultra Ripa rugby—Yr 6 & below
- ◆ Thurs 14 April—Orienteering Practice (notes have come home for those involved)
- ◆ Fri 15 April—Otago Maths Problem Challenge (selected children)
- ◆ Fri 15 April—School Assembly and ANZAC service. Final day of school for Term 1. School finishes at the normal time.
- ◆ **School reopens on Monday 2 May**

Thank you to:

- ◆ Parents & staff who attended the PTA meeting. Many thanks to all the Ag day stall holders who attended and have indicated their willingness to continue organising and running their stalls.
- ◆ Parents who attended the ALL reading meeting last week.
- ◆ Parents and family members who transported and supported Yr 7 & 8 teams at the Ultra ripa rugby day.

From the PTA

We are in need of some parents to fill some gaps we have for Ag Day and would really appreciate your help to make this wonderful day happen. You don't need to do it on your own, tap someone on the shoulder and do it together. (If we can't fill the spaces its highly likely that these stalls wont happen).

At this time we require help in the following areas: \$100 sign sponsors, prize list, slushy stall, tents organiser, tables organiser, children's rides/entertainments.

If you can help before the day with phone calls or collections please let me know. We have an existing database so it is not cold calling.

We also need the use of fold up transportable/camping tables for the day.

If you can help with any of these please call or text Alicia on 238 3919 or 021 405 666 or contact Kim Ngavavia at school.

Did you Know?

We operate school banking with the ASB. Children who would like to do regular banking can either open a new account or use an existing one with the ASB. Application forms for new accounts are available from beside the ASB banking box in the office foyer. Please return application forms to school for processing.

To make a deposit children collect an envelope from the ASB box, bring it to school filled out with the money sealed inside and place the envelope in the locked box before start of school on Friday mornings.

From time to time the ASB reward regular savers with prizes.

Thank you to all parents and family members who have supported school events and children over this term. I wish you all a happy holiday.

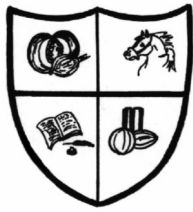
Regards

Mavis Glasgow (Principal)

Newsletter Return Slip Draw —Wk 11 T 1 16

The family received the newsletter this week.

Signed: _____ (enter family name)



Buckland School

125th Anniversary

March 2017



Next year in March it will be **125** years since Buckland School was established. Did members of your family attend Buckland School? Are you an ex pupil or ex staff member?

Are you interested in being part of a committee to organise events to celebrate this? If you are please attend a meeting on **Thursday 5th May 2016 at 7 p.m.** in the school library.

Please spread the news to **all** who you think might be interested. If you can't attend but would like to share your views and ideas on how we can celebrate this, please let a Board Member or the Principal know.

HEADLICE (NITS)

We have been advised by a few families that headlice are back in our school. Headlice are tiny black or brown insects that live in the scalp. They lay their eggs (nits) close to the scalp, attaching them with a glue like substance. Headlice travel from head to head when heads are touching.

Please check your children's hair carefully. Your local chemist can offer advice on treatment. If your child does have headlice please ensure that every family member is treated. Follow up treatments are required to kill any newly hatched headlice. A Public Health pamphlet is available from the stand in the school office if you would like more information.

Community Notices

ANZAC DAY SERVICE
Monday 25 April—9.45am
Buckland Cenotaph

WESLEY COLLEGE 2017 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS

Principal's Scholarships & Day Student Scholarships close on Friday 23 September or when all available scholarships have been allocated.

Application forms are available from the Wesley College School Office by phoning 237 0224.

ANZ OLYMPIC SCHOOLS PROGRAMME

ANZ staff connected to your school can help your school earn ANZ Awards Centre credits from successful home or business loans referred through their network. Your school can spend these credits on new sports or computer equipment at the ANZ Awards Centre.

Just mention Buckland School when taking out a new loan with the ANZ.

HOLIDAY TENNIS CLINIC

Mon 18, Tues 19, Wed 20, Thurs 21 April
8.30am-10.45 am—Hot Shots Red & Orange plus Beginners
11am—1.30pm—Interclub, teenage beginners, Hotshots Green
2pm onwards—private lessons
\$35 per session (\$60 for 60min private)
Discounts for families and multiple sessions
For more info ph Darren Ward on 021 870 978

MOTHER'S DAY FUN RUN WALK 8 May 2016

Save the date and help save lives with the Jennian Homes Mother's Day fun run/walk, supporting the Heart Foundation. Why not hit the streets and run, walk or have a leisurely stroll on Mother's Day? It will be a wonderful way to start the day and you'll be doing your bit to beat heart disease and keep more families together.

Register online before 3 May at jennian.co.nz and nominate Buckland School. Schools with the most registrations will win \$2,500 of Rebel Sport vouchers to purchase sporting equipment for their school.

OUT & ABOUT FREE PARK EVENTS IN FRANKLIN

April to June 2016

Amazing Race—Maraetai Beach, Mon 18 April, 10-12 noon
Kite Day—Beachlands Domain, Thurs 21 April, 10-12 noon
Amazing Race—Bledisloe Park, Tues 26 April, 2-4pm
Park Fun Day—Hamilton Estate, Fri 29 April, 1-3pm
Park Sport—Sunkist Reserve, Tues & Thurs 3.30-4.30pm

Tues 10, 17, 24 & 31 May

Thurs 12, 19, 26 May & 2 June

Park Sport—McShane Reserve, Tues & Thurs 3.30-4.30pm

Tues 7, 14, 21, 28 June

Thurs 9, 16, 23, 30 June

For more information ph 09 301 0101

or email outandabout@clmnz.co.nz

Or search on Event Finder