



# 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.

Week 7 Term 3

[www.buckland.school.nz](http://www.buckland.school.nz)

3 September 2018

Dear Parents and Community Members

Tena Koutou

## ◆ School Values for the Term: Joy of Effort

◆ **Welcome** to Micaelah and Karnay our new students and their families. We hope your association with the school and the school community will be a rewarding and enjoyable one.

◆ **SCHOOL OPEN DAY** - Thank you to all parents and family members who visited the school last week and watched or joined in classes. It was lovely having you visit and children enjoyed showing you their learning. If you would like to comment please do so to your child's teacher(s) or a member of the senior leadership team.

◆ **HIWI THE KIWI VISIT** - Thank you to all who have paid for this show. If you haven't already would you please send the \$4.00 along to school by tomorrow morning. This is the final year that Hiwi will be visiting schools and he has valuable lessons to share. The show will take place in the Buckland Hall at 9.15 a.m. this Tuesday.

◆ **BOOK AMNESTY** - We are having a book amnesty this week for any school library books, readers and journals. Each year we lose a huge number of books. Please look through wardrobes, bookcases, under beds, etc and return any books you find. No growls! We will be pleased to have them back!

◆ **Franklin Vets Visit**—Franklin Vets will be here to speak to children regarding care of their animals for Ag Day tomorrow afternoon. They

are offering free vaccinations and docking for lambs and goats.

Please assemble on the small field by the Church at 3pm.

The leading courses from calves, lambs and goats can be found on the school website under Agricultural Day.

## Congratulations to:

- Mrs Robertson and her artists who received 2nd Place in the Franklin Arts Festival
- All students who represented North Group at the Franklin Cross Country event. A special congratulations to Charlotte (Rm Kea) who will now represent Franklin at the Auckland Yr 7 & 8 Championship event.
- The following students who received certificates at last week's assemblies: Piwakawaka—Eliana, Tristan, Holly, Titipounamu—Miakoda, Holly, Grayson, Ruru—Lexi, Joshua, Charley, Olivia, Kakapo—Meg, Lachlan, Jorja, Rubia, Kereru—Zara, Shyanne, Jake, Matthew, Takahe—Samara-Jane, Maton, Lauren, Harrison, Karearea—Dayton-Lee, Boston, Riley, Dylan, Weka—Lucas, Rehaan, Payton, Micaelah, Kea—Brianna, Summer, Sylvie, Tyler
- Principal's Awards: William—Tui, Kyla—Weka and Josephine—Takahe
- To the following students who received Gold Athletics Certificates at last week's assemblies: Kea—Seerat, Weka—Schuyler, Jemma, Karearea—Emerson, Takahe—Angus, Kereru—Leon, Rikki-Lee, Noah, Kakapo—Meg M, Fynn, Ruru—Grace, Kayla
- Top Mathlete—Levi, Kakapo Top Athletics Class—Kea
- ◆ Eve and Charlotte from Kea Room who won the Northern Region St John Youth Blue Championship

Competitions with their team.

They came first in Resuscitation and Caregivers test and won 1st place aggregate overall.

## Thank You to:

- To all who made donations towards the Daffodil Day. If you missed on Friday and would like to donate to the Cancer Society please do so at the office.
- Parents and whanau who supported children and provided transport to the Franklin Cross Country last week.
- Parents and whanau who attended last week's assemblies. (Due to weather we decided to split the school assembly so we didn't miss out again.)
- Parents and students who attended the Yr 7 & 8 Introduction Evening. A special thanks to past pupils: Rocel, Shelby, Grady and Matthew who spoke during the evening.

## Events for This Week

- ◆ Tues 4 Sept—Ag Day talk at 2.15pm and vaccinations and docking at 3pm
  - ◆ Tues 4 Sept - Hiwi the Kiwi show
  - ◆ Tues 4 Sept - Auckland Yr 7 & 8 Cross Country event
  - ◆ Fri 7 Sept - Team assemblies
- ## Events for Next Week
- ◆ AIMS Games in Tauranga - Good Luck to: Charlotte, Jake and Logan
  - ◆ Mon 10 - Walking School Bus visit for classes
  - ◆ Tues 11 - School Council Meeting
  - ◆ Wed 12 - Walking School Bus visit for Parents - 2.30p.m.
  - ◆ Thurs 13 - BOT Meeting
  - ◆ Fri 14 - Wheels Day for all
  - ◆ Fri 14 - School Assembly
  - ◆ Sun 16 - Start of Year 8 Wellington Camp

## AGRICULTURAL DAY

- ◆ Roster slots - please fill out the form below and return to the drawer in the office indicating where you can help on the Ag Day roster. If everyone does at least one slot the efforts can be shared on the day. All children and families reap the benefits of the day.
- ◆ Books wanted for the book stall—please deliver to the school office.

**MORE QUESTIONS TO  
ASK YOUR KIDS  
AFTER SCHOOL  
INSTEAD OF "HOW WAS  
YOUR DAY?"**

- What made your teacher smile?
- If you could change one thing about your day, what would it be?
- Did you like your lunch?
- Can you tell me an example of kindness you saw/showed today?

## Community Notices

*Pukekohe Raceway*

**KIDS OBSTACLE DUATHLON**

Tuesday 25 September, 2018

Duathlon—Run, Bike, Obstacle Course Run  
Compete individually or in a 2 person team

Year 3-8 students

Enter online [www.bsgevents.co.nz](http://www.bsgevents.co.nz)

### AGRICULTURAL DAY ROSTER—RETURN SLIP

Name \_\_\_\_\_ (please print clearly)

Activity	8.15-9.00	9.00-9.45	9.45-10.30	10.30-11.15	11.15-12.00	12.00-12.45
Vegetable Stall						
Seedling Stall						
BBQ						
Devonshire Teas						
Hot Chips						
Mussel Fritters						
Lollies & Drinks						
Sushi / Fruit Kebabs						
Cake Stall						
Raffles						
Grocery Raffle						
Book Stall						
Rugby Bungy						
Giant Slide						
Basketball Challenge						
Pony Rides						
EFTPOS						
<b>PLEASE NOTE TIME CHANGE</b>	<b>8.15-9.00</b>	<b>8.45-9.45</b>	<b>9.45-10.30</b>	<b>10.30-11.15</b>	<b>11.15-12.00</b>	<b>12.00-12.45</b>
Lucky Dips						
Mystery Bottles						
Lucky Duck						
EFTPOS						
Early Morning Set Up	7.00-8.00am	7.00-8.00am	7.00-8.00am	7.00-8.00am		

Please return this form to the drawer in the school office foyer

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The ..... family received the newsletter this week.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ (enter family name)