



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.

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Week 9 Term 3

17 September 2018

Dear Parents and Community Members
Tena Koutou

- ◆ **School Values for the Term: Joy of Effort**
- ◆ **Welcome** to Robert and Wade our new students and their family. We hope your association with the school and the school community will be a rewarding and enjoyable one.
- ◆ **INCONSIDERATE AND UNSAFE & INAPPROPRIATELY PARKING DRIVERS** - If you are one of these, be aware that car registration numbers are being sent to the police. Last week we had it reported that two children were nearly hit when a car drove into a driveway and then proceeded to back out as these children were walking along the footpath. It takes only a few extra minutes to drive around the Crescent! Also our neighbours are fed-up with having people park over their driveways and my staff and I are sick of being abused when we ask people to do the right things and also to use the crossing!
- ◆ **OUT OF ZONE ENROLMENTS FOR 2019**—The Board of Trustees invites applications from parents who wish to enrol their children at Buckland School for 2019. Enrolment at Buckland School is governed by an enrolment scheme, details of which are available from the school office. Application forms for out of zone places (available from the office and school website) must be received by **Friday 28 September 2018**. The Board of Trustees has determined we have a limited number of spaces. If the number of out of zone applications exceeds the number of places available students will be selected by ballot. This will take place on 15 October 2018.
- ◆ **BOOK AMNESTY - Thank you to those who found and returned books.** Please keep these coming in!
- ◆ **Day in Lieu of Ag Day**—Prior Notice—The Board of Trustees have identified Friday 19 October as a day

in lieu of Ag Day. This is attached to Labour weekend.

- ◆ **WANTED FOR RURU ROOM** - Black, blue and white ice-cream container lids for Ruru room.
- ◆ **SCARECROW COMPETITION**—Entries close this Friday. An entry form is on the back of this newsletter. Please place in the drawer in the office foyer.

Thank You to:

- All who have added their name to the roster. We need help from every family for at least one 45 minute slot. Profits we make on this day benefit all our children. Please put your name on the roster which will be outside Titipounamu each morning and afternoon that it is fine. This will save us the time in ringing you later this week.
- Parents and whanau who attended last week's school assembly.
- BOT Members for your attendance at last week's BOT Meeting.
- Franklin Vets who provided an informative talk on caring for Ag Day animals and free vaccinations and docking for lambs and goats.

Congratulations to:

- ◆ The following children who received certificates as last week's assembly: Piwakawaka—Phinaya, Mason, Alex, Titipounamu—Trinity, Illa, Alex, Jacob, Ruru—Isaac, Cooper, Dougie, Charlotte, Tui—Hayden, Ellie, Jayda, Georgia, Lucy, Kakapo—Jorja, Anika, Gabriel, Manea, Kereru—Raymond, Mia, Taine, Liam. Takahe—Brooke, Brayden, Jo, Harrison, Karearea—Emerson, Hunter, William, Zion, Weka—Margy, Kyla, Josh, Toby, Kea—Seerat, Emily, Lance Kody
Principal's Award: Amber & Payton—Weka Room
Lion Award—Keira—Weka Room
School Values Awards: Emerson & Sienna—Karearea Room
Newsletter Draw: Barr & Lyall families.

- ◆ To the following children who received Gold Athletics Certificates at last week's assembly: Karearea—Hunter, Takahe—Tess, George, Kereru—Noah, Brooklyn, Tui—Coen, Ruru—Kayla, Titipounamu—Jake
Top Mathlete—Sam, Kereru
Top Athletics Class—Kereru
- ◆ **Eve** who came 1st for her speech in the local Suffrage Competition and **Ella** who came 2nd for her writing in the same competition.
- ◆ **Our Culture Club** for their first performance at last week's school assembly. Also well done to children of Ruru room for the lovely song you shared.
- ◆ **Jake, Logan and Charlotte** who represented us at the AIMs games last week. Well done with your efforts.
- ◆ To all children who took part in the Canterbury Tests earlier this year. A special congratulations to the following who achieved great results in the English test: Distinction - Ella, Excellence - Tyler, Dylan, Anna, Tess, Keira, Brooke, Jemma, Angus, Blake, Jimmy, Lachlan, George, Harry, Merit - Vincent, Rehaan, Tadhg

Events for This Week

- ◆ Sun 16th - Thurs 20 Sept - Year 8 Wellington Camp
- ◆ Wed 19 Sept - Technology for Year 7s Bus leaves at 8.45 a.m.
- ◆ Fri 21 Sept - Team Assemblies

Events for Next Week

- ◆ Tues 25 Sept - Pukekohe Raceway Kids Obstacle/Duathlon
- ◆ Fri 28 Sept - Ag Day Flowers and preparation
- ◆ Fri 28 Sept - Final Assembly of the term - 2.30 p.m.
- ◆ Sat 29 Sept - Agricultural Day - Roll call 9 a.m.
- ◆ School reopens on 15 October for Term 4.
- ◆ Prior Notice - Parent Meeting with Constable Andy on Keeping Ourselves Safe programme - Thursday 18 October.

From the PTA

Grocery Raffle—there are still a large number of raffle books outstanding. Please return them **urgently** to avoid a phone call.

Cake Stall—Two Cake Stall trays will be coming home this Thursday with the eldest child for every family to provide home baking. Baking needs to be delivered to the school hall on Friday 28 Sept or early on Ag Day morning. If you would like extra trays please text Niki 021 715 729.

Lucky Duck -Would anyone be willing to lend us 6 bales of hay for the Lucky Duck. We would be very grateful.

Roster—families who have not volunteered to help on the roster will be receiving a phone call later this week.

Egg Cartons Wanted—please deliver to the school office.

Silent Auctions available on Ag Day

- Weber Q 1000
- Farm Pack
- Garden Hamper
- Haus of Flox Artwork

You will need a bid number by signing up on the day. Your bid number keeps you anonymous.

You then can make a bid on the auction sheet for the auction of your choice.

Remember, to check back throughout the day and place more bids, up until the auction closes at 12pm. Winner of auction is to pay winning amount on the day—29 Sep 2018.

And there is also heaps of awesome raffles to enter as well!

Ag Day Raffles

V8 FANS - Tickets are selling fast – So get in quick!!

AG DAY RAFFLE - ITM AUCKLAND SUPERSPRINT PRIZE

2-4 Nov 2018 @ Pukekohe

To be drawn at Ag Day—29 Sept 2018

Tickets \$5.00 each—only 200 tickets

Last week to get Pre – Sales - Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday 3pm this week or text Anna 021945524.

Any tickets not sold will be available on Ag Day.

Community Notices

BUCKLAND COMMUNITY CENTRE INC
AGM

Tuesday 18 September 2017 at 7.30 pm
At Buckland Hall
All Welcome

Agricultural Day—Scarecrow Competition Entry Form



Name _____ Date of Birth _____ Room _____ Yr _____

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						
Giant Slide						
Pony Rides						
PLEASE NOTE TIME CHANGE		8.45-9.45	9.45-10.30	10.30-11.15	11.15-12.00	12.00-12.45
Lucky Dips						
Lucky Duck						

Newsletter Return Slip Draw —Wk 9 T 3 2018

The family received the newsletter this week.

Signed: _____ (enter family name)