# **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.

10 March 2014 Wk 6 T 1 2014

Dear Parents and Community Members Tena Koutou

- ♦ Welcome to our new student—Amalie in Rm 1 and her family.
- ◆ Welcome also to Mrs Leanne Billinghurst and Mrs Mary Astle who will team teach in Room 4 while Mrs Bartlett is on sick leave. (Parents of Room 4 received a letter notifying them of this last week).
- ◆ Healtheries Competition—Simply swipe your ONECARD when you purchase any 2 Healtheries Supplements, Teas or Kidscare products between 3—30 March & you are automatically in the draw to win \$10000 in sports gear for your nominated school. Winner also gets \$1000 prize pack.
- ◆ UNSW International Competitions and Assessments—
  if you would like your Yr 4—8 child to take part in
  these assessments please fill out the form available
  from the noticeboard in the office foyer, enclose the
  entry fee and put in the drawer in the office. Entries
  close 31 March. Children must be prepared to work
  on trial tests prior to the assessments.

### **Congratulations to:**

Those receiving awards at last week's assembly: Rm 1A—Maton, Ahnya, Room 1B—Brooklyn, Riley, Georgia, Rm 2—Vincent, Josh, Zahra, Hanzala, Rm 3—Harry, Jemma, Nathaniel, Abby, Rm 4—Dylan, Blake, Schuyler, Caitlin, Rm 5—Daniel, Brooke, Trent, Charlotte, Rm 6—Charlotte, Jack, Kullen, Sherley, Rm 7—Kaela, Mackenzie, Edward, Ethan, Rm 8—Zane, Liam, Celes, Eps, Rm 9—Matthew, Byron, Kaleb, Keegan, Rm 10—Joel, Daniel, Russell, Max

Principal's Award: Jackson Rm 8 Lion Award: Dylan Rm 10

School Value Awards: Quinn Rm 8 and Sacha Rm 6

Super Mathlete: Shawna Rm 10 Top Mathletics Class: Room 7

**Newsletter Draw:** Pivott and Tautari families

Mathletic Gold Awards: Rm 2—Josh, Room 4—Brooke, Rm 5—Robert, Rm 6—Summer, Rm 7 Maya, Matthew, Robson, Rm 8—William, Rm 9—Brearna, Byron, Rm 10—Kaleb, Danielle

### **Good Luck to:**

All our children who are taking part in the Swimming events this week and also to those participating in the Franklin Triathlon on Friday.

### **Photo Envelopes**

Envelopes for class and individual photos have been sent home today. Orders should be placed in the drawer in the school office **before** Friday 21 March. Envelopes for family photos can be collected from the top of the drawers. <u>Please note that Photolife state that they only photograph children</u> enrolled at the school.

#### **LOST HAT**

Named Kaija Please return to Rm 5 if found

#### **Events This Week**

- ◆ Free Swimming Lessons continue for Yrs 3—6 every day. Children must be swimming please! Togs, towels & a polo shirt to put on after please.
- ♦ Mon 10 & Fri 7th—Go Girls cricket at lunchtime.
- ◆ Tues 11 March—North group Yr 7/8 Swimming—selected chn.
- ◆ Tues 11 & Wed 12 March—After school triathlon practice for those who can make it.
- ◆ Wed 12 March—Bible in Schools begins—the BOT have endorsed this programme.
- ◆ Thurs 13 March—North Group Yr 6 & Below swimming—selected children.
- ◆ Fri 14 March—Franklin Triathlon
- ◆ Fri 14 March—School Assembly—2.15p.m. All Welcome

### **Events for Next Week**

- ◆ Tues 18 March—Franklin Swimming—Yr 7/8—chn selected from North Group event
- Wed 19 March—BOT Meeting—6.30 p.m.
- ◆ Thurs 20 March—Franklin Yr 6 & Below swimming—selected children.
- ◆ Thurs 20 March—Yr 7/8 Technology
- ◆ Thurs 20 March—Junior Reading Information afternoon—3.15—4.00 p.m.

### **Junior Reading Meeting for Parents**

We would like to invite you to an information afternoon on reading for parents of children in the Junior school. This informal session will be aimed at helping you when reading with your child at home in an effort to boost their progress in reading, and ensure an effective partnership with the classroom teacher. It will also include information on programmes run by classroom teachers, how to help your child at home and starting out in reading with your child.

The session will be held in the school library on Thursday 20 March, with a second session for those unable to attend the first on Tuesday 1 April at 3:15-4:00. These sessions will be run by Angela Lindgren (DP Junior School) and Lisa Robertson (Reading Recovery Teacher)

There will be an opportunity to ask questions and discuss your child's reading. We will also have a brochure with some useful information from the session for you to take away with you. We will provide supervision for your children in the hall to enable you to attend this information afternoon

Please RSVP to Angela Lindgreen if you wish to attend one of these sessions

### Thought for the Week

"The distance doesn't matter; it is only the first step that is difficult."

Marquise de Deffand, 1697-1780

Regards Mavís Glasgow (Príncípal)

### Newsletter Return Slip Draw —Wk 6 T 1 14

Γhe familν	received the newsletter this week.	Signed:	(enter family name)

## **FIBRE**



Fibre helps keep you fuller for longer and aids digestion.

Try adding fresh fruit to your breakfast for extra fibre.



## **Community Notices**

### **UNIFORM FOR SALE**

All size 12
Shorts, long pants, polo fleece, t-shirts
Some near new
Please contact Mrs Glasgow if you are interested

### **BUCKLAND NETBALL CLUB**

We are looking for 1 or 2 players to join a first year Saturday junior netball team (year 4+). Games are on Saturday and training Thursday 3.30 pm.

For more information email chris\_aimee@hotmail.com Or text 0274 540 390

## **Community Notices**





Healthy lunchbox solutions-delivered fresh daily We service your School every Monday!

Sushi from \$6.00 x 6 pieces Sandwiches from \$1.80 Filled rolls from \$4.00/\$2.00 for half Wraps from \$4.20 Muffins \$2.00



### CHECK OUT OUR MONTHLY SPECIALS

Please remember to get your orders in by 9pm the night before delivery.

JGL gives back to your school 10% of all sales

generated by your school

www.justgoodlunches.co.nz

### PARENT to PARENT





Would you like information on your child's disability, health impairment or special need. Contact with a parent who has a child with a similar condition, be part of activities and access to sibling support programmes?

Phone: 09 625 5021
Email: auckland@parent2parent.org.nz
Website:www.parent2parent.org.nz

# Mr Bird Water Safety







# JUNIOR EOTC WEEK











