

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.

8 September 2014

Dear Parents and Community Members

Tena Koutou

- * **Values for this term:** Community and Participation
- * **St John Fundraiser**—Thanks to all who contributed to this. \$351.40 was raised for our local St John organisation.
- * **Road Safety Day**—The school is going to be treated to a full day of Road Safety on Friday 12 September organised by Auckland Council. This will be held at school or if wet in the Buckland Community Hall. Children will be involved in activities with the Police Radar, Bryan & Bobby, Kiwi Rail, Plunket—correct car seat use, scooter and cycle use. A BBQ will be provided although children will still need lunch and a drink bottle. No bikes/scooters need to be brought to school. Parents are welcome to join us at any time during the day. Activities start at 9.00 am so we would appreciate it if children can be at school prior to this time. Prizes will be given out at 2.30 pm—these include a scooter, bike and helmets.
- * **Dates for 2015**—The Board have approved the following dates for 2015:
Term 1—Tuesday 3 February—Thursday 2 April
Term 2—Monday 20 April—Friday 3 July
Term 3—Monday 20 July—Friday 25 September
Term 4—Monday 12 Oct—Wednesday 16 Dec

Congratulations

- To the following children who were placed in the Franklin Cross Country: Taylor—1st =, Lucia—8th
- To Rocel, Meg M, and Calais who received merit certificates for their art at the Franklin Arts Festival.
- To the following children who received awards at the school assembly last week: Rm 1A—Aiden, Taylor, Rm 1B—Emerson, Abby, Rm2—Brooklyn, Wendy, Josh, Hayden, Rm 3—Lucy, Joel, Boston, Jemma, Rm 4—Sophie, Kaih, Tess, Finn, Rm 5—Emma, Charlize, Kiara, Caiden, Rm 6—Chloe, Aaliyah, Logan, Kullen, Rm 7—Daniel, Tayla, Calais, Blake, Rm 8—Shelby, Jayden, Sam, Ryan, Rm 9—Chrissie, Zev, Aanja, Sophie
Principal's Award: Jayden—Rm 8
Lion Award: Boston—Rm 3
School Value Award: Caitlin—Rm 8
Super Mathlete—Daniel—Rm 7
Newsletter Draw—De'Arth & Hepburn families
- To the following students who received Gold Athletics certificates as last week's assembly: Rm 10—Shawna, Max, Rm 9—Aanja, Byron, Rm 8—William, Rm 7—Maya, Kaela, Sienna, Rm 5—Kiara, Emma, Rm 3—Grace, Joel, Lauren, Riley, Boston, Lucy.
- To Jess and Lola who have been selected to represent Franklin schools at the Tri-Star Gym Festival this week.
- To Chelsea, Jasmine and Sophie who won trophies at the Buckland Netball Club prizegiving.

Wanted by Room 4

Ice cream container lids and any old oasis—doesn't matter if it has been already used. Please deliver to Room 4.

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Events This Week

AIMS Games Week—All the best to our students who are participating in these in Tauranga this week.

Tues 9 Sept—Franklin Yr 7/8 Basketball

Thurs 11 Sept—Year 7/8 Technology

Fri 12 Sept—Road Safety Day—Full school. See separate note.

Events Next Week

Mon 15 –Fri 19 Sept—Year 8 Rotorua Camp

Wed 17 Sept—Franklin Basketball—Yr 6 & below

Fri 19 Sept—PCT Fear Factor (one team)

Sat 20 Sept—General Election—the school library will be a voting place.

Enrolment Ballot

The Board of Trustees invite applications from parents of Out of Zone students for 2014. Application forms are available from the school office and must be received by Wednesday 16 October 2014. The ballot will be drawn on Wednesday 23 October and parents will be notified in writing. Places are limited.

Thank You to:

- ♦ Parents who helped with transport to the Franklin Arts Festival visit.
- ♦ Parents who attended the Year 8 camp meeting
- ♦ Parents who provided transport and support for children to the Franklin Cross Country
- ♦ All who supported the Shop Day.
- ♦ All who supported the St John Fundraiser Mufti Day
- ♦ All who attended last week's school assembly.

Mathletics Challenge 2014

After the week-long challenge, Room 7 was 45th in New Zealand with 186,667 points for Mathletics, earned by the class of 29 students. The top class was from Mission Heights School with 1.2 million points! The top 10 students for Buckland School were:

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| 1. Daniel R7 25,643 points | 6. Summer R6 12,961 points |
| 2. Calem R7 18,586 points | 7. Blake R7 8,982 points |
| 3. George R4 15,733 points | 8. Aidan R7 8,915 points |
| 4. Matthew R7 15,092 points | 9. Anna R4 8,438 points |
| 5. Tylah R7 13,837 points | 10. Grace R7 6,204 points |

Congratulations to these students and all that met their personal challenges in Mathletics last week. *Mrs Machin*

Thought for the Week

"Thank you for teaching me that what goes around comes around."

Jane Martino & Rebecca Hunt

*Regards
Mavis Glasgow
Principal*

Newsletter Return Slip Draw —Wk 8 T 3 14

The family received the newsletter this week.

Signed: _____ (enter family name)

From the PTA

Pony Poo— we have four squares remaining. Would you or someone you know like to sponsor a Pony Poo square at Ag Day. A square costs \$50. We ask for 2 business cards, one to use on the display board on the day and one as the ticket we resell on the day for the chance to win \$150. You're business name will be on our sponsors list in print and over the loud speaker on the day. If you are interested in sponsoring a square please contact Lisa on 021 771 961 or Alicia on 021 405 666. A receipt will be issued.

Cake Stall—the baking trays for the cake stall will be sent home on Monday 22 September. Each family is asked to bake two items for the Cake Stall.

CYCLING – PEDAL POWER

At the Games, this includes mountain bike, road and track including four Para-Sport events.



As well as strong muscles, cyclists need strong bones! Calcium helps to build healthy strong bones. Some great sources are: low fat milk, dairy and cheese as well as dark, leafy vegetables.



Community Notices

WANTED AFTER AG DAY

12 hens to buy—will pay \$20 each
Please phone Brenda on 233 4421 if interested

TUAKAU JUNIOR CRICKET CLUB REGISTRATION Years 1-11

13 & 14 September—9am—12 noon both days
At the 'Half Round Barn' Escotts Road, Tuakau
Enquiries ph Richard on 021 447 082 or fleurj@xtra.co.nz

KIDZ FIRST DAY OUT WITH THE COMMODORE CAR CLUB OF NZ

Sunday 21 September—10.30am—4.00 pm
Pukekohe Park Raceway
\$5 per car for families
Production Saloon Sprints & Saloon Car Races
Lunchtime ride around the track & giveaways for the kids

GIVE GOLF A GO

Tuesdays after school at Maramarua Golf Club 3.15-5.15pm
First 2 sessions free then \$3.00 per week
Golf clubs are available to use
Enquiries to Avril 232 5738 or 027 643 1958

FRANKLIN CALF CLUB JUDGES ANNUAL TRAINING DAY

13 September from 10.30 am
Franklin A & P Showgrounds
Anyone interested in becoming a Calf Club Judge, this is your opportunity to see what is involved!
Children and their calves are very welcome
Enquiries to Lindy Richards on 236 0699

PINK RIBBON STREET APPEAL

Give 2 hours to help a sister
10 & 11 October 2014
Various times and sites around Pukekohe
To volunteer to help phone 0508 105105 or visit the website
www.pinkribbonvolunteer.co.nz

KIDS AFTER SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

There's something for everyone at our Kids After School October holiday programme. Don't be disappointed and book today by checking out our website at
www.kidsafterschool.co.nz
Or visit our programme at Pukekohe Hill School

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
Veggies						
BBQ						
Devonshire Teas						
Hot Chips						
Mussel Fritters						
Lollies & Drinks						
Sushi & Fruit Kebabs						
Quick Fire Raffles						
Lucky Duck						
Road Rage						
Smash Palace						
Giant Slide						
Pony Rides						

Please return this form to the drawer in the school office