



# 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 9 Term 2

25 June 2018

Dear Parents and Community Members  
Tena Koutou

- ♦ **School Values for the Term:** Fair Play
- ♦ **Union Meeting**—to allow teachers to attend the union meeting Monday afternoon (today), school will close for the afternoon. Please make arrangements to collect your children from 12.40-1.00pm. Children who are not collected will be supervised in Titipounamu until 3pm.
- ♦ **Mid Year Reports**—these will be sent home with the oldest and only children on Friday. Please ask your child for them. We have used a different format while our student management system gets updated. With the abolishment of National Standards, children's progress is now indicated against curriculum levels. These are shown on each report with the expected level. Please see your child's teacher if you need further clarification after reading the report.
- ♦ **Uniform Shop**—volunteers are needed to help run the Uniform Shop. The shop is open on Tuesday mornings from 8.30am until approximately 9.15am. If you are able to help please contact the school office.
- ♦ **Chickens for Ag Day**—families who ordered chickens for Agricultural Day are reminded that they will be arriving this Thursday. A sheet outlining the care for the chickens is available on the school website under Agricultural Day.
- ♦ **University of Canterbury**—These tests were completed last week. Well done to all of the children who participated in these. Please see Mrs Fletcher if you wish to know more information.
- ♦ **Year 5-8 Production—Treachery at Traitors Quay**—Children in Years 5-8 will be performing next week. They have all put an enormous

amount of effort in. A huge thank you to all of the teachers who have put time and energy into making this happen. A special thank you to Mrs Machin who has been leading this. To purchase tickets please use the order form on the back of this newsletter and place in the locked drawer in the office foyer. Times for the shows are: Wednesday Matinee at 11.30am and Evening Performance at 7pm and Thursday evening at 7pm. Tickets will be sent home with the eldest child in your family.

- ♦ **Anchor Milk Bottle Tops Promotion**—Mrs Fletcher is collecting Anchor milk bottle tops (off the white bottles). There will be a box to put your bottle tops in, which we will send in to win a range of prizes including sporting equipment and visits from NZ sportspeople. Please see Mrs Fletcher if you wish to know more.
- ♦ **Southern Stars Charitable Trust**—Has donated tickets to a production of Pinocchio on Saturday 7 July 10am. Please see Mrs Lindgreen if you would like some tickets.
- ♦ **Nits**—These are doing the rounds again. Can you please check children's hair regularly and tie back long hair where possible.

## Thank You to:

- ♦ All of the parents and caregivers who have supported the Year 5-8 teachers with their production preparation.
- ♦ Mrs Dale Machin for her expertise in leading the production.

## Did You Know?

All our Year 7 & 8 children attend specialist technology lessons at Pukekohe Intermediate School. This year the Intermediate's programme includes food technology, hard materials, science and robotics. They travel on a Ministry funded bus fortnightly on Wednesdays and attend for a full morning

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- ♦ The van Tiel family for the donation of a high jump mat, stands and pole.

## Congratulations to:

- ♦ The following students who received certificates at last week's assembly:  
Piwakawaka—Roxy, Charlie, Alex,  
Titipounamu—Anders, Shaye, Amber,  
Cadence, Ruru—Delphi, Kayla, Lee,  
Tyler, Tui—Jamie-Lee, Briar, Saige,  
Samantha, Kakapo—Levi, Gabriel,  
Felix, Finn, Kereru—Taine, Charlize,  
Lexi, Takahe—George, Tess, Brooke,  
Angus, Karearea—Zahra, Caleb,  
Shaun, Ben, Weka, Payton, Tyler,  
Riley Hayden, Kea—Madison,  
Charlotte, Michelle  
Principal's Award: Jason—Ruru  
Lion Award: Cameron—Kereru  
School Values Awards: Zion and  
Janu—Karearea  
Newsletter Draw: Jones & Zhai Families
- ♦ The following students who received Gold Athletics Certificates at last week's assembly: Kea—William, Eve, Eknoor, Weka—Margy, Takahe—Cooper, Samara-Jane, Kereru—Lincoln, Liam, Cameron, Kakapo—Anika, Tui—Aiyana, Stanley, Ruru—Cooper, Kayla, Dougie, Jason  
Top Mathlete—Dougie—Ruru  
Top Athletics Class—Kea
- ♦ Fedora in Kea room who presented her speech well at the Franklin speech finals.
- ♦ Dylan in Karearea room for organising the writing competition.
- ♦ The winners of the writing competition:  
First—Tess, Brooke and Samara-Jane with 'Our Horrible Journey'  
Second—Jimmy, George and Tadhg with 'Eleven Months in Hell'  
Third—Elena and Emerson with 'The Hooligan'  
These winners were announced by Dylan at our school assembly on Friday.

## Events for This Week

- ◆ **Monday 25 June—**
- ◆ Union Meeting @ 1.30pm, school closes for the afternoon
- ◆ **Wednesday 27 June**
- ◆ Year 7&8 Technology
- ◆ **Friday 29 June**
- ◆ Flying Turtles to visit our NE room
- ◆ Reports home
- ◆ Kapa Haka
- ◆ Team Assemblies 2.15pm, all welcome.
- ◆ **Sunday 1 July**
- ◆ Production set up at Buckland Hall from 2pm.

Regards  
Angela Lindgreen  
Acting Principal

## Community Notices

**FRANKLIN POOL & LEISURE JULY HOLIDAY PROGRAMME**—out now. For more information visit [www.franklinleisure.co.nz](http://www.franklinleisure.co.nz). Phone 238 5240 or email [fpdstadiums@belgravialeisure.co.nz](mailto:fpdstadiums@belgravialeisure.co.nz)

**ELECTRONIC WASTE DROP OFF DAY**  
Saturday 30 June 9am to 3pm in the carpark at Franklin Baptist Church, 128-144 Victoria Street West, Pukekohe. Charges apply to some items. Drop off only on the day—CCTV cameras operating. For more info visit [www.ewaste.org.nz](http://www.ewaste.org.nz)

## Events for Next Week

- ◆ **Monday 2 July—**
- ◆ Year 5-8 Production Practice
- ◆ **Tuesday 3 July**
- ◆ Dress Rehearsal
- ◆ **Wednesday 4 July**
- ◆ Franklin Gymnastics
- ◆ Production Matinée and evening performance
- ◆ **Thursday 5 July**
- ◆ Production evening performance
- ◆ **Friday 6 July**
- ◆ Kapa Haka
- ◆ School Assembly 2.15pm, all welcome
- ◆ End of term 2

## Community Notices

**What's in the latest issue of Tots To Teens Magazine.** The latest issue of Tots to Teens is out, and we have a fantastic new phone and computer friendly digital version for parents to view. Be the first to read about the latest way to connect with your kids by "love bombing", go beyond books to ramp up children's reading, feed your kids 5 healing foods that are easy on the pocket, teach kids how to spot a frenemy, become a gut microbiome expert, and discover 9 playful ways to teach children mindful breathing.

**SIMSITY TUAKAU**—20c Liverpool Street Race in a full size V8 simulator around world famous tracks. Also available rally/dirt track simulator. Cost \$45. For months of July, August & September 10% will be paid to Buckland School if you mention your school name. For info email [info@simsity.co.nz](mailto:info@simsity.co.nz) or phone 027 2810 390.

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**PUKEKOHE RACEWAY KIDS OBSTACLE DUATHLON**—Tuesday 25 September, 2018  
Duathlon—run, bike, obstacle course  
Compete individually or in 2 person teams  
Year 3—8 students  
Enter on line: [www.bsgevents.co.nz](http://www.bsgevents.co.nz)

**AUCKLAND LIVE KIDS**—Upcoming events  
Aotea Square Ice Rink and Slide Bar  
Auckland Live Pick & Mix  
The Owl and the Pussycat  
Big Bad Wolf  
For more info visit [www.aucklandlive.co.nz](http://www.aucklandlive.co.nz)  
For bookings email [saharl@aucklandlive.co.nz](mailto:saharl@aucklandlive.co.nz)

**Counties Manukau U18 Tournament Teams Fundraiser presents**

### DAVE UPFOLD SHOW

Comedy Stage Hypnotist  
Pukekohe Cosmopolitan Club—Saturday 7 July—Show starts at 7pm  
Tickets \$35 or Dinner & Show \$60  
Tickets available from Daniel@wphc.co.nz or phone 0210 383 209.

**Does anyone in your family walk, cycle, scooter or ride your horse in Pukekohe or Paerata?**

Franklin Local Board is creating the Pukekohe-Paerata Trails Plan. We need your local knowledge to tell us how to make it easier and safer to travel around Pukekohe and Paerata and your ideas for recreational routes. Have your say by:

Completing the online survey: <http://engage.ubiquity.co.nz/surveys/kxX-7FkYCES7RQIVziOx0g>

- Visiting the display outside Pukekohe Library
- Telling us in person at one of our drop in sessions.

For more information please visit Franklin Local Board's facebook page or: [www.aucklandcouncil.govt.nz/have-your-say](http://www.aucklandcouncil.govt.nz/have-your-say)

## Treachery at Traitors' Quay

I would like to order \_\_\_\_\_ adult tickets @ \$7.00 each / \_\_\_\_\_ child tickets at \$5.00 each

I enclose \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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Adult tickets for Wednesday 4 July Matinee @ \$7 each

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Child tickets for Wednesday 4 July Matinee @ \$5 each

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Adult tickets for Wednesday 4 July Evening @ \$7 each

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Child tickets for Wednesday 4 July Evening @ \$5 each

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Adult tickets for Thursday 5 July Evening @ \$7 each

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Child tickets for Thursday 5 July Evening @ 5 each

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Room No. \_\_\_\_\_

Please return this order form with payment in an envelope or plastic bag to the locked drawer in the school office



### Newsletter Return Slip Draw —Wk 9 T 2 18

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

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