



# 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 8 Term 4 2019

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Monday 2 December

Dear Parents and Community Members

Tena Koutou

◆ **Peter Snell Camp**—Our Year 6 & 7s had a super week at camp last week. A HUGE thank you to all the wonderful parents who took time off work to support children over the week. Thanks also to Mr Taylor for all the organisation and to Miss Pyne and Mr Wisnewski for attending over the week.

◆ **Year 8 Graduation Dinner**—We celebrated the end of schooling at Buckland School for the Year 8s on Friday night with a formal dinner which was enjoyed by all that attended.

◆ **Book Week**—This week is our annual Book Week where we celebrate a love of reading, books, authors and illustrators. We will have all the favourite activities including a Freaky Friday book character dress up day and parade around the Crescent (on Friday)

◆ **Book Fair is open**  
Monday 2.45-3.30  
Tuesday - Thursday 8.30-9.00 & 2.45 -3.30

Open for year 5-8 students to shop second half of lunch Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday (money at own risk). Year 0-4 must shop before or after school with an adult supervising.

◆ **Garden Judging**—The gardens will be judged on Tuesday. Prizes will be given out at the Year 0,1 & 2 Prizegiving. Champion and Reserve Champion Garden will be awarded at the Year 3-8 Prizegiving.

◆ **Readers and Library Books**—please begin looking through cupboards, under beds, etc for school books and return to school. We will be doing stocktake of our library and reading books early

next week so we need all books back to school a.s.a.p.

◆ **Uniform Shop**—the Uniform Shop will be open on January 30 & 31 from 9am to 12 noon. Stationery packs will also be available from the office during these times.

◆ **Kelly Club**— This week is 'Cool Kiwis'

## Congratulations to:

◆ **Auckland Yr 7 & 8 Athletics**— Congratulations to our three students who represented Franklin: Michelle, Charlotte and Josh. All participated in their events well. A special congratulations to Michelle who came 5th in the High Jump.

◆ The following students who received certificates at last week's assembly: **Piwakawaka:** Hazel, Layker, Riley, Saith, **Titipounamu:** Cayden, Kayden, Phinaya, Zara, Kiriana, Toby, Jak, Phoenix, **Ruru:** George, Milly, Eileen, Jake, **Tui:** Kayla, Leah, Anika, Emily, **Kakapo:** William, Olivia, Leo, Keira, **Kereru:** Matthew, Harry, Emjay, Lee, **Takahe:** Meg, Savannah, Taylor, Fynn, **Weka:** Anika, Jorja, **Kea:** William, Charlotte, Michelle, Trent  
**Principal's Award:** Toby— Titipounamu

**Lion Award:** Milo—Titipounamu  
**Newsletter Draw:** Beckett & Jolly families

◆ The following students who received Gold Athletics Certificates as last week's assembly: **Kea:** Leah, **Karearea:** Cooper S, **Takahe:** Fynn, Elle, **Kereru:** Leo, Matthew, Emjay, **Titipounamu:** Eliana

**Top Mathletes:** Jason in Tui & Aiyana in Kakapo  
**Top Athletics Classes:** Ruru & Kereru

## Thank You to:

◆ Parents who transported and supported children at the

Auckland Athletics last week.

◆ All families who sent along flowers for the Bible Teachers. The bouquets the teacher aides made with them looked beautiful.  
◆ All family members who attended the Yr 8 Grad Dinner and made this a special night for our students.

◆ Whanau who attended last week's school assembly.

## Events for This Week

- Mon—Fri—Book Week
- Mon 2 Dec—Pukekohe High School visit 9—11.10a.m.
- Tues 3 Dec—Rainbows End Care day—selected children
- Wed 4 Dec—Yr 7 & 8 Technology
- Fri 6 Dec—Freaky Friday Book Character Dress-up day & parade around Crescent.

## Events for Next Week

- Wed 11 Dec—Yr 1 & 2 Prizegiving—1.30p.m. in the Buckland Hall including garden prizes and Agricultural Day badges.
- Wed 11 Dec—Yr 3—8 Prizegiving—6p.m. in Buckland Hall.
- Thurs 12 Dec—School Council Mufti Day for Kids First—a Christmas gift for a child or a gold coin donation that will allow prefects to buy presents for a child who is in hospital.
- Fri 13 Dec—Final day for 2019. School finishes at 1p.m. after a mini assembly at 12.45p.m.

Kindest Regards  
Mavis Glasgow  
Principal

**Year 6 & 7  
Camp**



Newsletter Return Slip Draw —Wk 8 T 4 2019

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

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

(enter family name)