



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 6 Term 3 2022

29 August 2022

Dear Parents and Community Members
Tena Koutou

◆ **School Values for the Term: Kia U—Respect, Kia Manawanui—Resilience, Kia Mau—Responsibility**

◆ **Agricultural Day—Saturday 1 October.** We are looking forward to running this wonderful community day again this year after two years of disruption—a revised format in 2020 and no day last year. For those who haven't been part of an Ag Day there are three parts to this day—**Indoor exhibits** which are run by the school staff, **Animals** organised by school staff in particular Mrs Mills and the **Fundraising aspects** which are run by the PTA with help from parents. If you have any questions on any activities please direct them to the right person/people.

◆ **Agricultural Day Roster**—Stall holders have been sent the roster for their stall via email. Would you please fill in as many slots as you can and reply to Mrs Mills by this Thursday. **Next week** the roster will be sent with the newsletter email to all other families. We require every family to do at least one slot so that the load on the day can be spread. Please help by responding to our request next week.

◆ **Agricultural Day Project** for those **not** having animals—Photo frame using natural or recycled materials. Information was sent home via class teachers and is also available on the website under Ag Day.

◆ **Animal Leading Courses**—The leading courses for calves, lambs and goats can be found on the school website under Agricultural Day. Also on the website under Animal Information are notes on what each animal is judged on.

Congratulations to:

- *To our Year 7 & 8 Netball team who represented Franklin admirably at the Auckland Yr 7 & 8 championships. The girls had some very close games, well done to you all.*
- *Our Year 7 & 8 students who attended the Writers' Festival in Auckland last week. It was pleasing to hear your positive comments about authors and their writing.*

- *All students who took part in the North Group cross country event last week. All students ran well in terrible weather and supported each other with their efforts. A special congratulations to the following children who were placed and will now represent the North Group at the Franklin event this Thursday: Ayla B, Anders B, Kayden A, Jacob G, Dana M, Dougie F, Ellie E, Jorja E, Max M, Lachlan M. Good Luck to you all!*



- *Unfortunately due to weather we were unable to hold our school assembly last week. Congratulations to the following students who received awards: **Piwakawka:** Tye, Marco, Indie, Hudson, **Titipounamu:** Austin, Marlee, Talia, Adrielle, Bowie, **Ruru:** Toby, Zoe, Ayaan, Stella, **Tui:** Logan, Isla, Harry, Indie, **Takahe:** Harper, Aania, Brock, Ollie, **Kakapo:** Roxy, Alexia, Alfie, Flynn, **Karearea:** Cadence, Miakoda, Alex, Melissa, **Weka:** Charlie, Delphi, April, Charlotte, **Kea:** Luca, Noah, Kiani, Abigail, Meg, Ellie
Principal's Award: Travis in Tui and Josh in Weka
Lion Award: Emily in Weka*
- *The following students who received Gold Athletic Certificates last week: **Weka:** Francois, **Kakapo:** Manal, Khloe, **Takahe:** Ella, Nate, Charlie, **Tui:** Emma, **Ruru:** Reece, Riley, **Titipounamu:** Liam
Top Mathlete: Coby in Takahe
Top Athletics Class: Kakapo*

Thank you to:

- *All parents and whanau who visited classes during our Open Morning last week. It was lovely to have you in the school viewing our normal class routines.*
- *Parents who supported children and who provided transport to netball, writer's festival and cross country last week: Ms Roozendaal, Mrs Madsen,*

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- *Mrs Entwistle, Mr Coombes, Mrs Foster, Mr Brunson, Mrs Pellowe.*
- *All who supported the pizza fundraiser for the Aims games team. The event is fast approaching and the girls are getting very excited!*
- *The new Board: Mr Darryl Goldsack—presiding member, Mr Dave Honiss, Mr Stuart Dunn, Mrs Rhiannon Spencer, Mrs Lisa Robertson, Mrs Mavis Glasgow, who attended the first meeting of the new Board last week. A Board newsletter will be coming out over the next few weeks.*
- *All who supported the Daffodil Day last Friday. \$331 was raised for the Cancer Society.*

Events for This Week

- ⇒ **Tues 30 Aug—Breakfast Club** (Free)
- ⇒ **Tues 30 & Wed 31 Aug**—Visit by ERO school partner.
- ⇒ **Wed 31 Aug**—Year 7 & 8 Technology at Pukekohe Intermediate School. The bus leaves at 8.45a.m.
- ⇒ **Wed 31 Aug**—Bible in Schools programme and Values groups.
- ⇒ **Thurs 1 September**—Franklin Zone Cross Country—children selected from the North Group event.
- ⇒ **Thurs 1 Sept**—Jump Jam outside. (weather permitting)
- ⇒ **Fri 2 Sept**—Breakfast Club (Free)

Events for Next Week

- ⇒ **AIMS Games week—Good Luck to our Netball team and our Gymnast.**
- ⇒ **Tues 6 Sept & Fri 9 Sept — Breakfast Club** (Free)
- ⇒ **Wed 7 Sept**—Bible & Values programmes
- ⇒ **Thurs 8 Sept**—Jump Jam
- ⇒ **Fri 9 Sept** - School Assembly 2.30p.m. Weather permitting. If assemblies have to be cancelled due to weather, notification will be on the front page of our website by 1.30p.m.

Kindest Regards
Mavis Glasgow (Principal)

From the PTA

- * Thank you to all the children who entered our colouring in competition. The winners of the competition were Sophie in Titipounamu and Toby in Karearea.
- * Do you have a large chilly bin we could borrow for Ag Day to store cold drinks in? If you are able to help please contact Stef Adams on 021845631 or messenger.
- * Can you help bake for the Devonshire tea stall? If you can help out please get in touch with Del 027 505 3808 or messenger
- * Raffle Books—all money and books must be returned by this Friday 2 September to the drawer in the office foyer. If you are unable to sell your books please return them urgently as we have other families who would like more books to sell.

Community Notices

Note from Kelly Club Buckland

Kelly Club Buckland has served your school and local community during the past 3 years and we have been immensely proud of the many accomplishments and achievements during this time. We have welcomed many families through our programme, and there has always been a strong sense of whānau connection in Kelly Club Buckland and on many occasions, we have witnessed this bond while walking through the school.

We are writing to let you know that we have made the difficult decision to close our after school care programme. We know the ongoing covid pandemic has had a profound impact on all aspects of life and childcare needs for families have adjusted accordingly. At this point in time the need for our service is not great enough to run a viable business and the time has come for us to take this step.

Our last day of operation will be **30 September 2022**. I understand the challenges closing our programmes may mean for you and your family, especially those who attended regularly. I am truly sorry for this.

Thank you for joining us on this amazing journey. I have loved the time spent getting to know each and every child and parent/caregiver who has entered our doors.

With much love Amila.

Kind regards,
Buckland Kelly Club

Buckland Hall Community Centre Inc
AGM Meeting
31 August 2022 at 7pm
At the Buckland Bowling Club
31 George Crescent, Buckland.
All residents and Businesses welcome.



Bring the family and pop in
and visit our amazing kindly!

OPEN AFTERNOON

Wednesday 31 August
3 - 5pm

Enrol Now - 20 Hours Free

8 Mason Ave, Pukekohe



Science & Tech After-school classes



Wave Warriors Northland | Far North

We are running our popular holiday surf programme over the Spring School Holidays at Orewa Beach. This is open to 6-16 year olds

Fun, Active & Healthy

6-16yr olds | Monday-Friday | Morning or Afternoon Sessions
Orewa Beach | 3-7 Oct | 10-14 Oct 2022

Suitable for beginner and intermediate surfers – developing surf skills and water confidence in a fun and safe environment.



Limited spaces | Please email to book

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